

The Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd

We are a dwelling place
where loving God and neighbor is embraced and lived.

and **WHAT** *Lord* require of you?
DOES THE
To act **JUSTLY** and
To love **MERCY** and
To walk **HUMBLY** *God*
with your
MICAHA 6:8

4th Sunday after the Epiphany
29 January, 2017

We welcome all to our parish church, and hope that,
if you are visiting, you will feel at home in this community of faith.

Please sign the guest register near the main entrance
so we may get to know you a bit better,
and please let someone know if you have questions or comments.

Our celebration of Holy Eucharist is open
to all who desire to participate.

The 8:30 am service begins on page 355 of the Book of Common Prayer (BCP)
(the smaller of the two books found in your pew)

At the 10:30 am service we make use of this bulletin, plus the BCP, and the Hymnal 1982.
(the larger of the books in your pew in which many of our hymns may be found.)

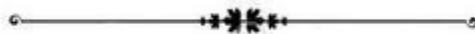
**** For Today's Collect, Psalm, and Lessons, see the insert.**

The Lessons are from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible.

Children are welcome always! -
the sound of children is precious to God.

Sunday School is from 9:30 am-10:10 am for children between 3-8 years old

Restrooms
are located in the hallway between the church and Jewett Hall



Please join us in Jewett Hall for Coffee Hour

9:30 am

Jubilee Sunday

Holy Eucharist – Rite 2

PRELUDE: *Toccata Prima*

Johann Speth

OPENING HYMN 525 "The Church's one Foundation"

Aurelia

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

OPENING ACCLAMATION

COLLECT FOR PURITY

BCP P.355

GLORIA S-278

William Mathias

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

INSERT

THE FIRST LESSON: Micah 6:1-8

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Robert Knox Kennedy
(b. 1945)



Psalm 15

Domine, quis habitabit?

- 1 Lord, who may dwell in your tabernacle? *
who may abide upon your holy hill?
- 2 Whoever leads a blameless life and does what is right, *
who speaks the truth from his heart.
- 3 There is no guile upon his tongue;
he does no evil to his friend; *
he does not heap contempt upon his neighbor.
- 4 In his sight the wicked is rejected, *
but he honors those who fear the Lord.
- 5 He has sworn to do no wrong *
and does not take back his word.
- 6 He does not give his money in hope of gain, *
nor does he take a bribe against the innocent.
- (second half of chant)
- 7 Whoever does these things *
shall never be overthrown.

THE SECOND LESSON: 1 Corinthians 1:18-31
SEQUENCE HYMN 656 "Blest are the pure in heart"
THE HOLY GOSPEL Matthew 5:1-12
SERMON
THE NICENE CREED
THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, FORM III
THE PRAYER FOR TRANSITION

INSERT
Franconia
INSERT
The Rev. Ann Markle
BCP, p. 358
BCP, p. 387

Ever-present God, you call us to a journey to a place we do not know. We are not where we started. We have not yet reached our destination. Be among us, we pray. Calm our fears, save us from discouragement, and help us to stay on course. Open our hearts to your guidance so that our journey continues as a journey of trust. Amen.

CONFESSION OF SIN
THE PEACE
"NOISY" OFFERING
ANNOUNCEMENTS AND BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS
OFFERTORY ANTHEM *Walk Humbly With Your God*

BCP, p.360

Robert Powell

*He has shown you what is good;
and what does the Lord require of you,
but to do justly, and to love mercy,
and to walk humbly with your God.
(text Micah 6:8)*

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER B
SANCTUS S-128
THE LORD'S PRAYER
THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD
FRACTION ANTHEM S-169
INVITATION TO COMMUNION

BCP, p. 367
William Mathias
BCP, p. 364
BCP, p. 364
Ray R. Urwin

All who desire communion are invited to receive communion, or you are welcome to come forward to receive a blessing, just cross your arms across your chest to indicate you desire a blessing rather than communion.
ALL ARE WELCOME AT THE TABLE OF THE LORD!

COMMUNION HYMN 508 "Breathe on me, Breath of God"
CLOSING HYMN 665 "All My Hope on God is Founded"
Postlude: *Chaconne (after Couperin)*

Nova Vita
Michael
Gordon

YEAR-END STATEMENTS ARE NOW AVAILABLE. Please take them with you after the service. Those remaining will be mailed out at the end of the month.



PRAYERS

For those who are ill or in need: Bob Martinson, Bud Burns, Joe Specht, Christian K., Meg, Dale H., Jeremy and Yuliya New, Esther, David Noller, Jessica, Susan, Chuck H, Chuck G, Liz and Jarrett, Ben B, Marie G, Doug, Louie, Vince, Sophia, Kim, Ken, Billy, Ben, Connie, Porter, Sandy, Mike, Susan Winter, John and Gary and family and for all others in need.

For God's peace in the world, for all affected by war, terror, pain, and loss, that we may reach out in support for all in need; that we may stand up, speak up, and defend all who are vulnerable; that we may embrace all God's people as our family.

We pray for all whose work is caring for others, and for all who work in hospitals and humanitarian agencies; for Jeff Lodinsky, and all who serve the country through the State Department, and for Eli Holden and John Stubbs and all who serve in the military, and for first responders everywhere.

We pray for all who have birthdays or special remembrances this week.

We give thanks and pray for the faithful departed and for all who mourn.

We give thanks for the steadfast faith and ministry of our Partners in Ministry, the people of Ascension Church at Good Shepherd and that of our Parish Choir.

Holy God of Love, we offer you these prayers just as we are - - full of hope, full of sorrow, full of ambivalence, full of whatever it is we feel at this moment and in this place - - because what we know, God, is that regardless of where we are and how we feel, you love it when we pray. Amen.



Liturgical Servers

January 29 **Jubilee Sunday** **9:30 am ONLY**

Crucifer: Dottie Aikman
Chalice: Meachem/Spina
Lector 1: Charlie Ohl
Lector 2: Bev Barry
Intercessor: Pat Lalonde
Altar Guild: Meachem/Van Baak
Ushers: Cumbo/Barber
Counters: Mileham/Longo

February 5 **8:30 am**

Chalice: Zoe Koston
Lector: David Van Baak

10:30 am

Crucifer: Debbie Wiesner
Chalice: Debbie Wiesner
Lector 1: Debbie Wiesner
Lector 2: Julie Spina
Intercessor: Kathleen Niles
Altar Guild: Meachem/Van Baak
Ushers: Longo/Lodinsky
Counters: Barry/Bommer

Important Dates

We continue our **Epiphany Noisy Offering for Our Little Roses!** We are collecting for a laundry room in a new addition which is being built for girls who have finished their schooling and are transitioning out of the home for college or work. The Noisy Offering will continue until February 26th.

Jerre Feagin is Retiring

The Rev. Canon Jerre Feagin has announced his "second retirement," effective mid-to-late February 2017. Jerre has served almost 39 of his 43 years as a priest in our Diocese at Good Shepherd, Buffalo, Calvary, Williamsville, St. Peter's, Eggertsville, St. Mark's, North Tonawanda and St. Matthias', East Aurora.

For the past four years Canon Feagin has served as the Bishop's Assistant for Congregational support. Together with his team, he has advised and assisted more than 40 congregations.

He and his wife, Amy, have served as chaplains to retired clergy. Amy has also served as a volunteer with our Food Pantry.

We wish Jerre and Amy well as they start their new life in Colorado. They will be living near Jerre's daughter and his grandchildren.

Come wish Jerre and Amy well at a reception in their honor at the Diocesan Ministry Center on Thursday, February 9 from 4-6 p.m.

Discover Sunday

February 19, 2017, 2:30 pm @ Diocesan Ministry Center

Film: Amazing Grace

2006, Rated PG

Amazing Grace, How sweet the sound

That saved a wretch like me.

I once was lost, but now am found

Was blind, but now I see.

This movie is based on the life of antislavery pioneer, William Wilberforce (1759-1833). At the age of 21, Wilberforce was elected to the House of Commons, spending two decades persuading those in power in the English establishment to end the inhumane trade of slavery. Featured actors include Ioan Gruffudd and Albert Finney.

An introduction to the movie will be given by Professor Andrew Nichols of the History and Social Studies Education Department at Buffalo State. Free popcorn, pop and candy.

Register at bit.ly/amazinggracefilm

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Sexton: Greg Evola

Treasurer: Pat Lalonde

Wardens: Charlie Ohl, Nancy Cich

Clerk of the Vestry: Kathy Boone (asst. Clerk: Gloria Longo)

Vestry

Class of 2016: Debbie Wiesner, Elaine Richau

Class of 2017: Katie Thomas, Patty Mertens

Class of 2018: Joe Spina, Carol Burns

