The Baptism of Our Lord



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Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Celebrant & Preacher: The Rev. Gary B. Manning Director of Music: Dr. Curt Sather

Prelude......Christ, Our Lord, Came to the Jordan J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

THE WORD OF GOD

Processional Hymn 7......"Christ, whose glory fills the skies" Opening Acclamation & Collect for Purity.....p. 355, BCP *Gloria in excelsis*, Hymnal S-280

The Collect of The Day

Father in heaven, who at the baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan proclaimed him your beloved Son and anointed him with the Holy Spirit: Grant that all who are baptized into his Name may keep the covenant they have made, and boldly confess him as Lord and Savior; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. *Amen.*

The First Lesson......Genesis 1:1-5

In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. Then God said, "Let there be light"; and there was light. And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

Ascribe to the Lord, you gods, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength. Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his Name; worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness. The voice of the Lord is upon the waters; the God of glory thunders; the Lord is upon the mighty waters. The voice of the Lord is a powerful voice; the voice of the Lord is a voice of splendor. The voice of the LORD breaks the cedar trees; the LORD breaks the cedars of Lebanon; He makes Lebanon skip like a calf, and Mount Hermon like a young wild ox. The voice of the LORD splits the flames of fire; the voice of the LORD shakes the wilderness; the LORD shakes the wilderness of Kadesh. The voice of the LORD makes the oak trees writhe and strips the forests bare. And in the temple of the LORD all are crying, "Glory!" The LORD sits enthroned above the flood; the LORD sits enthroned as King for evermore.

The Lord shall give strength to his people; the Lord shall give his people the blessing of peace.

The Second Lesson.....Acts 19:1-7

While Apollos was in Corinth, Paul passed through the interior regions and came to Ephesus, where he found some disciples. He said to them, "Did you receive the Holy Spirit when you became believers?" They replied, "No, we have not even heard that there is a Holy Spirit." Then he said, "Into what then were you baptized?" They answered, "Into John's baptism." Paul said, "John baptized with the

baptism of repentance, telling the people to believe in the one who was to come after him, that is, in Jesus." On hearing this, they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. When Paul had laid his hands on them, the Holy Spirit came upon them, and they spoke in tongues and prophesied — altogether there were about twelve of them.

Gospel Hymn.....Baptized in Water (Please see back of bulletin)

The Gospel......Mark 1:4-11

John the baptizer appeared in the wilderness, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. And people from the whole Judean countryside and all the people of Jerusalem were going out to him, and were baptized by him in the river Jordan, confessing their sins. Now John was clothed with camel's hair, with a leather belt around his waist, and he ate locusts and wild honey. He proclaimed, "The one who is more powerful than I is coming after me; I am not worthy to stoop down and untie the thong of his sandals. I have baptized you with water; but he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit." In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. And just as he was coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens torn apart and the Spirit descending like a dove on him. And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased."

Sermon	The Rev. Gary B. Manning
Reaffirmation of Baptismal Covenant	p. 304, BCP
The Prayers of the People, Form III	p. 387, BCP
The Peace	
Announcements	

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory

Currently Trinity Church does not "pass the plate," and continues to receive monetary offerings of checks and/or cash via an offering plate on the small table in the center aisle at the rear of this worship space. You are welcome to place your offering in the collection plate either prior to or following the liturgy. If you'd like to make a donation electronically, please see the QR code elsewhere in this bulletin. The Wardens and Vestry thank you for your continued generosity and support of Trinity Church.

Offertory Anthem (choir)"Down t	to the River to Pray"	arr. Robert Lee
THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER B		р. 367, ВСР
Sanctus, Hymnal S-125		
The Lord's Prayer		P. 364, BCP
THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD		
Fraction anthem, Hymnal S-154		
Communion of the People		

Please see announcements section for the Communion procedures.

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All baptized Christians are invited to receive Holy Communion.

Communion is distributed at the altar rail and at a "standing station" at the base of the chancel steps. Persons wishing to receive at the standing station will please form a line on the "pulpit side" (left side) of the center aisle. Persons receiving at the rail will form a line on the "lectern side" (right side) of the center aisle. Feel free to use your choice of receiving communion. If you are unable to come forward to receive, please notify one of the ushers, and communion will be brought to your pew. Those persons desiring special prayers for healing are invited to go to the chapel after receiving communion. A lay prayer minister or a member of the clergy will be there to pray with you.

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Communion Hymn 324	. "Let all mortal flesh k	eep silence"
Prayer after Communion & Blessing		p. 365, BCP
Recessional Hymn 135'	'Songs of thankfulness	and praise"
The Dismissal		
Postlude	In You is Gladness	J. S. Bach

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Welcome!

It is good to have you worship with us today. If you are visiting or are new to Trinity, please sign the guest book in the Narthex and/or fill out the pew pamphlet in your pew and place it in the offering plate.

We give thanks for the parishioners celebrating birthdays this week, especially: Pehr Anderson, Remy Fauber, and Olivia White We also give thanks to those parishioners celebrating anniversaries this week.

We also pray for:

Michael, John, Caleigh, Jym, Jean, Dan, April, Cheryle, Ray and Lori, Cris, Sebrina, and Sonya and Jessi.

Altar Flowers

Altar flowers are given today by Jeff Newholm in thanksgiving for a safe and refreshing holiday in the Cayman Islands and in thanks for Jordan Love's angelic passing to give our congregation a game to look forward to that's safely timed after Mass.



NEXT WEEK'S SCRIPTURE READINGS 1 Samuel 3:1-10 Psalm 139:1-5, 12-17 1 Corinthians 6:12-20 John 1:43-51

Trinity Calendar

1 Epiphany: The Baptism of Our Lord, Sunday, January 7 SCRIP 8:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite 1 9:00 am Christian Formation and Adult Forum 10:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite 11 Fellowship

> **Monday, January 8** 6:30 pm Men's Fellowship Group

> > **Thursday, January 11** 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

2 Epiphany, Sunday, January 14

8:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite 1 9:00 am Christian Formation and Adult Forum 10:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite 11 Fellowship 5:00 pm-7pm Episcopal Youth Community (EYC) Iron Chef Returns !

Monday, January 15

Martin Luther King Day - Office Closed 10:00 am - Noon Blanket-Tying Ministry 6:30 pm Vestry Meeting

Wednesday, January 17 nm. Zoom Bible Study-Genesis, chapters

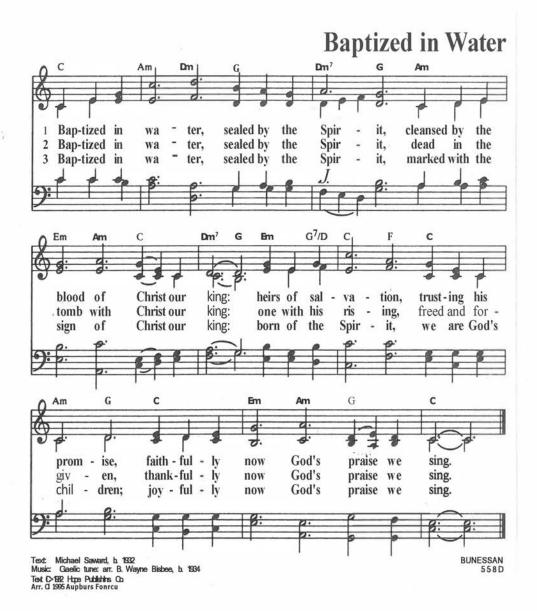
7:00 pm Zoom Bible Study-Genesis, chapters 33-36

Thursday, January 18

5:00 pm—7:00 pm Serve Dinner at Kathy's House 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Friday, January 19

6:30 pm Dinners on the Go Ministry





Receiving Communion Procedures

There are now two Communion Stations at the 10:00 a.m. liturgy. The "standing station" is located on the left (pulpit) side of the center aisle. Once you have received the

Bread, if you desire to receive wine, please pick up a small, compostable cup located on the nearby stand, and the cruet bearer will pour wine into the cup. Once you've consumed the wine, please deposit the used cup in the receptacle at the end of the row as you return to your seat. If you wish to receive Communion at the Altar Rail, please line up on the right hand (lectern) side of the aisle. You may either stand or kneel to receive at the Rail. Once you've received the Bread, you can choose to either receive the wine by "intinction" (touching the Bread lightly to the wine) from the ceramic chalice, or by drinking from silver chalice. Once you and your family have received Communion, you may leave the Rail and return to your seat. If you require gluten free bread, please make your way to the Altar Rail, and notify the Celebrant if you've not already done so. You may need to cross the aisle to get to the Communion Station you prefer. This is perfectly acceptable!

Nursery and Service Viewing

Children are always welcome in church but if you would like to utilize our nursery, it is open and staffed during the 10 am service. We also have a room where the service can be heard adjacent to the nursery with a changing table and a rocking chair. Additionally, the service can be heard in the library



and the 10am service can be viewed outside of the downstairs classroom open area. Please see an usher if you need help finding any of these areas.

SCRIP Scrip orders are due TODAY, Sunday, January 7, 2024.





Men's Fellowship Group

Men's Fellowship Group will meet Monday, January 8th at 6:30 pm in the Parish Hall. All men are welcome to join Joe Thulin for a time of fellowship. Please let **LOWSHP** Gary Manning (<u>joe.thulin@gmail.com</u>) know if you are

planning to attend so that he can procure the correct amount of food for the evening.

EYC (Episcopal Youth Community) EYC will meet from 5:00 pm-7:00 pm at Trinity on Sunday, January 14th. Iron Chef returns!





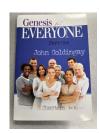
Blanket Tying Ministry

We will be coming together on Monday, January 15, from 10:00 am until noon in the Parish Hall to make blankets. Come and join us if you can. We will also be serving supper at Kathy's House on January 18 from 5:00-7:00 pm if you

want to join us in this new activity. Questions? Call Jill Paradowski at (414) 704-7840.

Zoom Bible Study of Genesis Wednesday, January 17

7:00 pm We will continue our Zoom Bible Study of Genesis, chapters 33-36.





Dinners On the Go Ministry Dinners on the Go Ministry will meet Friday, January 19 at 6:30 pm. Please come for an hour of fun and fellowship as we prepare sandwiches for the Gathering.

Trinity's Annual Chili Cook-off!

Saturday, January 20, 5:00 pm Put it in your calendar now! Get ready for some fun competition. Trinity folks like

their chili really hot, or really mild and everything in between. They like it with meat and without...so you cannot make the wrong kind. Sign-up sheets are in the narthex. If cooking isn't your thing, you can still sign up to bring some fixin's like onions, cheese, bread, crackers, or even a beverage. Want to help with setup or the ever-soexciting cleanup? Call Jill Paradowski at (414) 704-7840 with questions. You can also just drop in and take a taste and decide who will win

your vote.



137th Annual Parish Meeting Sunday, January 28, 2024

8:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite I

💦 10:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II

ANNUAL 11:30 am Annual Parish Meeting

MEETING The meeting will follow a parish potluck luncheon which will take place after an abbreviated 10:00 am Liturgy. Multiple strata dishes, fruit and veggies will be provided. Side dishes to accompany this meal are welcome but not mandatory. Enjoy food, fellowship and stay for the annual parish meeting. We will make every effort to provide an opportunity for those interested in attending via Zoom to do so.

Theme for the 2024 Awesome Auction



The Outreach Committee will start working on the 2024 Awesome Auction and they need a theme to base the activities on. They need help with ideas. If you have an idea for a theme, please put it in the jar in the narthex or email Jill Paradowski

<u>jill.paradowski@gmail.com</u>.



Book of Common Prayer Order

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We will place an order for 90 copies of the Book of Common Prayer in January to replace some of the well used books in the pews. Donations in the



amount of \$25 per book are appreciated. A remembrance plate with your name and the name of your loved one can be inserted into each book you donate. Please make your check out to Trinity Church with "Book of Common Prayer" on the memo line.



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