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THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY SUNDAY, JANUARY 17, 2021 9:00 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

WELCOME TO ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH

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FORMATION

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LITURGY AND MUSIC

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WELCOME

HYMN

In the bleak midwinter

Cranham

1. In the bleak mid - win - ter Fro - sty wind made moan
2. An - gels and ar - chan - gels May have ga - thered there
3. Our God heav'n can hold Him Nor the earth su - stain
4. What can I give Him Poor as I am

Earth stood hard as i - ron Wa - ter like a stone
Che - ru - bim and se - ra - phim Thronged to the air
Heav'n and earth shall wel - come When He comes to reign
If I were a shep - herd I would bring a lamb

Snow had fal - len snow on snow Snow on snow
But His mo - ther on - ly In her mai - den bliss
In the bleak mid - win - ter A sta - ble place suf - ficed
If I were a wise man I would do my part There

In the bleak mid - win - ter Long a - go
Wor shipped the Be - lo - ved With a gen - tle kiss
For the Lord in - car - nate Je - sus Christ
fore can I give Him I can give my heart

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

COLLECT FOR PURITY

Celebrant Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and peace to his peo-ple on earth. Lord God,
 hea-ven-ly King, al - migh - ty God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you,
 we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. Lord Je - sus
 Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take a - way the
 sin of the world: have mer - cy on us; you are sea - ted at the right hand of the
 Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One,
 you a - lone are the Lord, you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ with the
 Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty God, whose Son our Savior Jesus Christ is the light of the world: Grant that your people, illumined by your Word and Sacraments, may shine with the radiance of Christ's glory, that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST LESSON

1 Samuel 3:1-10

A reading from the first book of Samuel.

Now the boy Samuel was ministering to the Lord under Eli. The word of the Lord was rare in those days; visions were not widespread.

At that time Eli, whose eyesight had begun to grow dim so that he could not see, was lying down in his room; the lamp of God had not yet gone out, and Samuel was lying down in the temple of the Lord, where the ark of God was.

Then the Lord called, "Samuel! Samuel!" and he said, "Here I am!" and ran to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you called me." But he said, "I did not call; lie down again." So he went and lay down. The Lord called again, "Samuel!" Samuel got up and went to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you called me." But he said, "I did not call, my son; lie down again." Now Samuel did not yet know the Lord, and the word of the Lord had not yet been revealed to him. The Lord called Samuel again, a third time. And he got up and went to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you called me." Then Eli perceived that the Lord was calling the boy. Therefore Eli said to Samuel, "Go, lie down; and if he calls you, you shall say, 'Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening.'" So Samuel went and lay down in his place. Now the Lord came and stood there, calling as before, "Samuel! Samuel!" And Samuel said, "Speak, for your servant is listening."

Lector The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

GRADUAL

Psalm 139:1-5, 12-17

- 1 Lord, you have searched me out and known me; *
you know my sitting down and my rising up;
you discern my thoughts from afar.
- 2 You trace my journeys and my resting-places *
and are acquainted with all my ways.
- 3 Indeed, there is not a word on my lips, *
but you, O Lord, know it altogether.
- 4 You press upon me behind and before *
and lay your hand upon me.
- 5 Such knowledge is too wonderful for me; *
it is so high that I cannot attain to it.
- 12 For you yourself created my inmost parts; *
you knit me together in my mother's womb.
- 13 I will thank you because I am marvelously made; *
your works are wonderful, and I know it well.
- 14 My body was not hidden from you, *
while I was being made in secret
and woven in the depths of the earth.
- 15 Your eyes beheld my limbs, yet unfinished in the womb;
all of them were written in your book; *
they were fashioned day by day,
when as yet there was none of them.
- 16 How deep I find your thoughts, O God! *
how great is the sum of them!
- 17 If I were to count them, they would be more in number than the sand; *
to count them all, my life span would need to be like yours.

SECOND LESSON

1 Corinthians 6:12-20

A reading from the first letter to the Corinthians.

"All things are lawful for me," but not all things are beneficial. "All things are lawful for me," but I will not be dominated by anything. "Food is meant for the stomach and the stomach for food," and God will destroy both one and the other. The body is meant not for fornication but for the Lord, and the Lord for the body. And God raised the Lord and will also raise us by his power. Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ? Should I therefore take the members of Christ and make them members of a prostitute? Never! Do you not know that whoever is united to a prostitute becomes one body with her? For it is said, "The two shall be one flesh." But anyone united to the Lord becomes one spirit with him. Shun fornication! Every sin that a person commits is outside the body; but the fornicator sins against the body itself. Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, which you have from God, and that you are not your own? For you were bought with a price; therefore glorify God in your body.

Lector The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

HYMN

I, the Lord of sea and sky

Here I Am, Lord

Verses



I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my
I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my
I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the
peo - ple cry. All who dwell in deep - est sin my hand will
peo - ple's pain. I have wept for love of them, they turn a -
poor and lame. I will set a feast for them, my hand will
save. I who made the stars of night,
way. I will break their hearts of stone,
save. Fin - est bread I will pro - vide
I will make their dark - ness bright. Who will bear my
give them hearts for love a - lone. I will speak my
till their hearts be sat - si - fied. I will give my
light to them? Whom shall I send?
word to them. Whom shall I send?
life to them. Whom shall I send?

Refrain

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have
heard you call-ing in the night. I will go, Lord,



GOSPEL

John 1:43-51

Priest The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, "Follow me." Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. Philip found Nathanael and said to him, "We have found him about whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus son of Joseph from Nazareth." Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." When Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him, he said of him, "Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!" Nathanael asked him, "Where did you get to know me?" Jesus answered, "I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you." Nathanael replied, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" Jesus answered, "Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these." And he said to him, "Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man."

Priest The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

SERMON

The Rev. Peter W. Mayer

NICENE CREED

Celebrant and People

**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God, begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again**

in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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Leader Let us pray in the glorious light of Christ.

Lord, who sent your son to guide us, your people, and who sent a star to guide the Wise Men to his worship, send us now, we pray, to guide our Church and to inspire our leaders, especially Michael, our Presiding Bishop, and Eugene and Robert, our bishops.

Lighten our darkness and guide us to you, O Lord; in your mercy hear our prayer.

Lord, let the star of your justice always shine in our hearts, that we may give as our treasure all that we are to your service. Trusting in your word as a lamp unto our feet, and a light unto our path, we go out into the darkness for others.

Lighten our darkness and guide us to you, O Lord; in your mercy hear our prayer.

We give thanks, O Lord, that you are present in our homes and in our lives; we seek your continuous guidance. We pray for our neighbors, especially those in trouble or need, especially.... Help us to offer light to those in need, and graciously accept when light is offered to us in turn.

Lighten our darkness and guide us to you, O Lord; in your mercy hear our prayer.

We pray for all who are coming to the end of their journey here on earth and pray that they may come into your presence and kingdom. We pray for all those who have come before you, especially... May they now rejoice in the fullness of life eternal.

Lighten our darkness and guide us to you, O Lord; in your mercy hear our prayer.

Celebrant Holy God, you gather the whole universe into your radiant presence and continually reveal your Son as our Savior. Bring healing to all wounds, make whole all that is broken, speak truth to all illusion, and shed light in every darkness, that all creation will see your glory and know your Christ. **Amen.**

CONFESSION

Celebrant Let us confess our sins to God and our neighbor.

Celebrant and People

**Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People **And also with you.**

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

HOLY COMMUNION

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OFFERTORY MUSIC

Winter Snow

Audrey Assad

You could've come like a mighty storm With all the strength of a hurricane
You could've come like a forest fire With the power of heaven in Your flame
But You came like a winter snow Quiet and soft and slow Falling from the sky in the night To the earth below
You could've swept in like a tidal wave Or in an ocean to ravish our hearts
You could've come through like a roaring flood To wipe away the things we've scarred
Your voice wasn't in a bush burning No Your voice wasn't in a rushing wind It was still it was small it was hidden

GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer C

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them to the Lord.**
Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.

Glory to you for ever and ever.

At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

By your will they were created and have their being.

From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.

Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

By his blood, he reconciled us.

By his wounds, we are healed.

And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

SANCTUS

A. Todd

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er of pow - er and might,
hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry.
Ho - san - - na in the high - - est.
Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Ho - san - - na in the high - - est.
Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper, he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,
We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.

Lord God of our Fathers and Mothers: God of Abraham and Sarah, Isaac, and Rebecca; Jacob, Rachel and Leah; God of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal.

Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.

Accept these prayers and praises, O God, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation. **Amen.**

LORD'S PRAYER

Celebrant And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Celebrant and People

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Celebrant God of promise, you have prepared a banquet for us.
People **Happy are those who are called to the Supper of the Lamb.**

FRACTION ANTHEM

A. Todd

The image shows a musical score for a Fraction Anthem. It consists of two staves of music in 4/4 time, with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The melody is simple and hymn-like. The lyrics are written below the notes. The first staff ends with a double bar line and a first ending bracket labeled '1.'. The second staff continues the melody and lyrics.

Lamb of God, _____ you take a-way _____ the sins of the world.

Lamb of God, _____ you take a-way the sins of the world.

2.
Have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, _____ you take a-way ____
Have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, _____ you
_____ the sins of the world. Grant us peace.
take a-way the sins of the world. Grant us peace.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ lived and died for you and feed on him in your hearts with thanksgiving.

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

Celebrant Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

**Lord God, the bright splendor whom the nations seek:
may we who with the wise men
have been drawn by your light
discern the glory of your presence
in your incarnate Son,
who suffered, died, and was buried,
and who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
now and for ever. Amen.**

BLESSING

May Christ, the Son of God be manifest in you, that your lives may be a light in the world; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

HYMN

Joyful, joyful, we adore thee

*Hymn to Joy
arr. Chris Tomlin & Ed Cash*

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| <p>1. Joyful joyful we adore Thee
God of glory Lord of love
Hearts unfold like flowers before Thee
Opening to the sun above
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness
Drive the dark of doubt away
Giver of immortal gladness
Fill us with the light of day</p> | <p>2. All Thy works with joy surround Thee
Earth and heav'n reflect Thy rays
Stars and angels sing around Thee
Center of unbroken praise
Field and forest vale and mountain
Flow'ry meadow flashing sea
Chanting bird and flowing fountain
Call us to rejoice in Thee
<i>Rejoice rejoice Emmanuel
Your love has come here to dwell</i></p> |
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| 3. | <p>Thou art giving and forgiving,
 ever blessing, ever blest,
 well-spring of the joy of living,
 ocean-depth of happy rest!
 Thou our Father, Christ our Brother:
 all who live in love are thine;
 teach us how to love each other,
 lift us to the joy divine.</p> | 4. | <p>Mortals join the mighty chorus
 Which the morning stars began
 Father love is reigning o'er us
 Brother love binds man to man
 Ever singing march we onward
 Victors in the midst of strife
 Joyful music lifts us sunward
 In the triumph song of life
 <i>Chorus</i></p> |
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DISMISSAL

<i>Celebrant</i> <i>People</i>	Alleluia. Alleluia. Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia.
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POSTLUDE

Is He Worthy

Andrew Peterson

IN THIS SERVICE

Preacher: Celebrant: Music:	The Rev. Peter W. Mayer, Rector The Rev. Patti Sachs, Associate Rector Third Sunday Band
Lector: Altar Guild: Flower Guild:	Al Todd, Alli Smith, Emilie Stafford, Deb Callahan, Ernie Tucker, John Koloski, Jamie Wilson Janis Brewer Charlie Lang, Susie Byrom, Robert Thomas Shelley Hupp

**Join us for virtual Coffee Hour
 after this service.**

Available on Zoom.

Email Peter@st-margarets.org to receive a link.

**St. Margaret's Annual Meeting
 on January 24, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. via Zoom.**