

THE WORD OF GOD

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please stand as you are able.

THE OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ is risen.

People **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

THE OPENING SENTENCE

BCP, p. 319

THE GENERAL CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION

BCP, p. 320

Most merciful God . . .

A SONG TO THE LAMB

BCP, p. 93

Splendor and honor and kingly power are yours by right, O Lord our God, for you created everything that is, and by your will they were created and have their being; and yours by right, O Lamb that was slain, for with your blood you have redeemed for God, from every family, language, people, and nation, a kingdom of priests to serve our God. And so, to him who sits upon the throne, and to Christ the Lamb, be worship and praise, dominion and splendor, for ever and for evermore.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

See insert

Please be seated.

THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES

See insert

THE RESPONSE

See insert

THE BOOK OF REVELATION

See insert

Please stand as you are able.

THE HOLY GOSPEL

See insert

Please be seated.

THE SERMON

The Rev. Matt Stone, Rector

Please stand as you are able.

THE NICENE CREED

BCP, page 326

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

BCP, page 329

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Risen Lord be always with you.

People **And with thy spirit.**

BLESSINGS

BIRTHDAY PRAYER

BCP, p. 830

O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servants as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

GUEST WELCOME & COMMUNION INSTRUCTIONS

When you're ready to connect, scan the QR code to begin a text conversation with Ftr Matt & Mtr Amy. You may also complete the blue Connect Card, in the pew back in front of you, and drop in the collection plate.



All people are welcome at God's table. You may drink from the chalice by guiding it to your lips, or you may intinct (dip) the consecrated host in the chalice, or simply consume the host. If you would like a gluten-free wafer, you may ask for one or point to your hand with one finger. If you would like to receive a blessing, please cross your arms over your chest. If you would like communion brought to you, please let an usher know.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE OFFERTORY

The people's offerings are collected to support the ongoing work and ministry of our community.

Celebrant All things come of thee, O Lord.

People **And of thine own have we given thee.**

Please stand or kneel as you are able.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer II, p. 340

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And with thy spirit.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

People **It is meet and right so to do.**

The Celebrant continues

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It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty...

...evermore praising thee, and saying,

THE SANCTUS

People **Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts: Heaven and earth are full of thy Glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High. Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

The Celebrant continues

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...By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost, all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end.

People **AMEN.**

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

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, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.**

THE BREAKING AND SHARING OF THE BREAD & WINE

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

BCP, p. 339

People **Almighty and everliving God...**

THE BLESSING

THE DISMISSAL

Priest We are raised to new life with Christ. Go in his peace. Alleluia, alleluia!

People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

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Summer Worship Schedule - Starting Sunday, May 25 at 8 & 10 am

As we enter the summer season, Calvary will move to a simplified Sunday schedule with two worship services at 8 & 10 am. This shift reflects the lighter pace of the season and the reality that many of our Sunday servers, ministry leaders, and parishioners travel or take time to rest. The summer schedule also helps us steward our clergy, musicians, and volunteers more sustainably. We invite you to embrace the slower rhythm, stay connected when you're in town, and enjoy worshiping together in a more relaxed summer spirit. When you travel, please bring back a worship bulletin and put it on the glass wall near the Parish Hall doors!

Ascension Day Eucharist - Thursday, May 29 at 12 noon

Join us for a Holy Eucharist in celebration of the Feast of the Ascension, one of the Principal Feasts of the Church year. We are delighted to welcome the Rev. Cameron Spoor as our guest preacher for this solemn and joyous occasion. As we mark the moment Christ was "taken up into heaven and sat down at the right hand of God" (Mark 16:19), we gather in awe, praise, and thanksgiving. Come, lift your hearts in worship and thanksgiving as we mark Christ's ascension in glory.

The Welcome Table: Newcomer Gathering - Sundays in June at 9 am

The Welcome Table is a special gathering designed just for newcomers, whether you're exploring faith, seeking connection, or simply curious. Join us Sundays in the Parish Hall. We can't wait to meet you.

Calvary Episcopal Vacation Bible Camp - June 17-19, 9 am—12 noon

Save the date for Calvary's VBC: Tuesday—Thursday, June 17, 18 and 19. "Lions and Fires and Dreams, Oh My!": Stories from the Book of Daniel. We will have a puppet play each day along with music, crafts, games, and lunch. Register at bit.ly/cecvbc2025; volunteer at bit.ly/vbc_volunteer.

Baptisms - Sunday, June 8

Baptism is a sacred and joyful milestone. To prepare, we invite candidates, parents, and sponsors to attend our Exploring Baptism class on Saturday, June 7 at 10 am—a one-hour session designed to explore the sacrament, walk through the liturgy, and provide space for questions and reflection.

Youth Confirmation Retreat - Saturday, July 12, 9 am—4 pm

If you're in 7th grade or older and wondering what this whole faith thing is really about, we're hosting a Youth Confirmation Retreat on Saturday, July 12. This is a relaxed space to talk about God, ask real questions, and learn what it actually means to be confirmed in the Episcopal Church. You don't have to commit to anything—just come check it out and see if it's something you want to take further. Want in? Just scan the code at right to register.



CALVARY PRAYER LIST

For those who have died:

Bob Boles

For those celebrating birthdays & anniversaries:

John Playfair
Becky Schaefer
Jeannine Williams
Heather Moilan
Cam & Lisa Chavez
Elva & Martin Conrardy

Long-term care/homebound:

Vicki Henry
Ronnie Landrum
James Jackson
Joe & Dee Turnus
Margie & Ben Everett
Frances Johnson
Frank Weir
Joyce Fritz

Discernment & wisdom:

Kim Kibby, Candidate
Adam Simenc
Patty Boles
Sandy Walthall
Mary Lou Wygant
Dottie Haley

Serving in the military:

Major Will McMurrey
Lt. James Reiss
Captain George Jackson Laughead
RCT Justin Delacerda
AFC Tiernan O'Rourke
SGT Daulton Robinson
Army Company 82

Healing & strength:

Helen Weidner
Lee Holland
Mike Goodwin
Amy Weir
Patricia MacArthur & Family
Alicia Dawidczyk
Vella Gregoire
Scott Martindale
Julie Hodge
Jennifer Doyle
Paige Laird
Kitty Dudics
Tom Krummins
Eileen Mankin
Lana Jill Botello
Ana Garcia Worley
Tim O'Neil
J. William Ford, Jr.
Carolyn Erickson
Suzanne Timmons
Mary Poirer
Barbara Kayton
Nancy & Ben
Deogracia Perez
Julian Hodge
Sally Horton
Win Perkins
Wanda Bell
Madison Moran
Lezlie Setchell
Mary Burgener
Rachel Richter
Cherie Bennett
Gage "Gabby" Avent
Loyce Van Hoose
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CALVARY

EPISCOPAL CHURCH



Celebration by John August Swanson

HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE 1

The Fifth Sunday of Easter
May 18, 2025 7:30 AM

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