

# Calvary Episcopal Church

*Calvary welcomes and embraces all who join us in doing the work of Christ in our community.*



## The 3rd Sunday After the Epiphany

Sunday, January 21, 2024  
10:30 A.M. Eucharist, Rite Two

THE REV. RALPH B. MORGAN, RECTOR  
THE REV. NANCY WILKES, DEACON

# THE WORD OF GOD

## PROCESSIONAL SONG - Shout to the Lord

*My Jesus, my Savior,  
Lord there is none like you  
All of my days, I want to praise,  
The wonders of Your mighty love  
My comfort, my shelter,  
Tower of refuge and strength  
Let every breath, all that I am,  
Never cease to worship You.*

*Shout to the Lord, all the earth let us sing  
Power and majesty, praise to the King  
Mountains bow down, and the seas will roar  
At the sound of your name.  
I sing for joy at the work of your hands  
Forever I'll love you  
Forever I'll stand  
Nothing compares to the promise  
I have in You.*

## WELCOME AND ACCLAMATION

BCP 355

Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

***And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.***

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.**

## GLORIA

HYMN # S-280

***Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.  
Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father; receive our prayer.  
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.***

## THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you.

***And also with you.***

Let us pray.

Give us grace, O Lord, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ and proclaim to all people the Good News of his salvation, that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of his marvelous works; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

## THE LESSONS

### A READING FROM THE PROPHET JONAH

Jonah 3:1-5, 10

The word of the Lord came to Jonah a second time, saying, "Get up, go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim to it the message that I tell you." So Jonah set out and went to Nineveh, according to the word of the Lord. Now Nineveh was an exceedingly large city, a three days' walk across. Jonah began to go into the city, going a day's walk. And he cried out, "Forty days more, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!" And the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast, and everyone, great and small, put on sackcloth.

When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it.

The Word of the Lord.

*Thanks be to God.*

### THE PSALM

Psalms 62:6-14

For God alone my soul in silence waits; \*  
truly, my hope is in him.

He alone is my rock and my salvation, \*  
my stronghold, so that I shall not be shaken.

In God is my safety and my honor; \*  
God is my strong rock and my refuge.

Put your trust in him always, O people, \*  
pour out your hearts before him, for God is our refuge.

Those of high degree are but a fleeting breath, \*  
even those of low estate cannot be trusted.

On the scales they are lighter than a breath, \*  
all of them together.

Put no trust in extortion; in robbery take no empty pride; \*  
though wealth increase, set not your heart upon it.

God has spoken once, twice have I heard it, \*  
that power belongs to God.

Steadfast love is yours, O Lord, \*  
for you repay everyone according to his deeds.

I mean, brothers and sisters, the appointed time has grown short; from now on, let even those who have wives be as though they had none, and those who mourn as though they were not mourning, and those who rejoice as though they were not rejoicing, and those who buy as though they had no possessions, and those who deal with the world as though they had no dealings with it. For the present form of this world is passing away.

The Word of the Lord.

*Thanks be to God.*

SEQUENCE SONG - O Magnify the Lord

*O magnify the Lord  
For He is worthy to be praised  
O magnify the Lord  
For He is worthy to be praised*

*Chorus:*

*Hosanna, blessed be the Rock  
blessed be the Rock of my salvation  
Hosanna, blessed be the Rock  
blessed be the Rock of my salvation*

THE GOSPEL

Mark 1:14-20

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Mark

*Glory to you, Lord Christ.*

After John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news."

As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the sea—for they were fishermen. And Jesus said to them, "Follow me and I will make you fish for people." And immediately they left their nets and followed him. As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

The Gospel of the Lord.

*Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

SERMON - Fr. Ralph

SERMON RESPONSE

**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.**

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Form VI, BCP 392

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.  
Silence

For all people in their daily life and work;  
**For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.**

For this community, the nation, and the world;  
**For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.**

For the just and proper use of your creation;  
**For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.**

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;  
**For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.**

For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

***For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.***

For Michael our Presiding Bishop; Andy, Jeff, Kai, and Héctor our Bishops; Ralph our Priest; and Nancy our Deacon; and for all bishops and other ministers;

***For all who serve God in his Church.***

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation, especially \_\_\_\_\_;

*Silence*

Hear us, Lord;

***For your mercy is great.***

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

*Silence - The People may add their own thanksgivings*

We will exalt you, O God our King;

***And praise your Name for ever and ever.***

We pray for all who have died, especially \_\_\_\_\_, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

*Silence - The People may add their own petitions*

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

***Who put their trust in you.***

#### **CONFESSION OF SIN**

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

***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.***

#### **ABSOLUTION**

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.**

#### **THE PEACE**

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

***And also with you.***

# THE HOLY COMMUNION

## THE OFFERTORY

## THE DOXOLOGY

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above ye heavenly host:  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.*

## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer C, BCP 369

The Lord be with you.

***And also with you.***

Lift up your hearts.

***We lift them to the Lord.***

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

***It is right to give him 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:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might;  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.**

HYMN # S-125

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: God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; God and Father 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, Father, 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.**

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

**Our Father in Heaven  
Hallowed be Your name  
Your kingdom come, Your will be done  
On earth as in Heaven  
Give us today our daily bread  
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us  
Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil  
For the kingdom, and the power,  
And the glory are Yours now, and forever. Amen.**



## THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

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

These are the Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.



Gluten Free hosts are available for communion.  
Please make yourself known to the priest at the altar rail.

*If you have a special prayer need, step into the side chapel after you receive communion,  
and a member of the Prayer Team will pray with you.*

### COMMUNION SONG 1 - Jesus, Name Above All Names

*Jesus, name above all names  
Beautiful Saviour, Glorious Lord  
Emmanuel, God is with us  
Blessed Redeemer, Living Word*

*Jesus, Way of Salvation  
King of Kings, Lord of Lords,  
The Way, the Truth and the Life,  
Mighty Creator, My Savior and Friend*

*Jesus, Loving Shepherd  
Vine of the branches, Son of God,  
Prince of Peace, Wonderful Counselor  
Lord of the Universe, Light of the World*

### COMMUNION SONG 2 - Overwhelmed

*1. I see the work of Your hands  
Galaxies spin in a heavenly dance oh God  
All that You are is so overwhelming*

*2. And I hear the sound of Your voice  
All at once it's a gentle  
And thundering noise oh God  
All that You are is so overwhelming*

*3. I know the power of Your cross  
Forgiven and free forever You'll be my God  
All that You've done is so overwhelming*

*Chorus 1:  
I delight myself in You  
Captivated by Your beauty  
I'm overwhelmed I'm overwhelmed by You  
And God I run into Your arms  
Unashamed because of mercy  
I'm overwhelmed I'm overwhelmed by You*

*Chorus 2:  
I delight myself in You  
In the glory of Your presence  
I'm overwhelmed I'm overwhelmed by You  
And God I run into Your arms  
Unashamed because of mercy  
I'm overwhelmed I'm overwhelmed by You*

*Bridge:  
You are beautiful You are beautiful  
Oh God there is no one more beautiful  
You are beautiful God You are the most beautiful  
You are wonderful You are wonderful  
Oh God there is no one more wonderful  
You are wonderful God You are the most wonderful  
You are glorious You are glorious  
Oh God there is no one more glorious  
You are glorious God You are the most glorious  
I'm overwhelmed I'm overwhelmed by You*

### COMMUNION SONG 3 - One Bread, One Body

One bread, one body,  
one Lord of all,  
one cup of blessing which we bless.  
And we, though many,  
throughout the earth,  
we are one body in this one Lord.

1. Gentile or Jew,  
servant or free,  
woman or man, no more.
2. Many the gifts,  
many the works,  
one in the Lord of all.
3. Grain for the fields,  
scattered and grown,  
gathered to one, for all.

### POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Let us pray.

*Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

### BLESSING

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.** *(these words may differ from time to time)*

**RECESSIONAL SONG - I Will Follow**

**Where you go I'll go  
Where you stay I'll stay  
When you move I'll move  
I will follow**

- 1. All your ways are good  
All your ways are sure  
I will trust in you alone  
Higher than my sight  
High above my life  
I will trust in you alone**

- 2. Light into the world  
Light into my life  
I will live for you alone  
You're the one I seek  
Knowing I will find  
All I need in you alone  
In you alone**

**Where you go I'll go  
Where you stay I'll stay  
When you move I'll move  
I will follow you  
Whom you love I'll love  
How you serve I'll serve  
If this life I lose  
I will follow you**

**(Bridge)  
In you there's life everlasting  
In you there's freedom for my soul  
In You there's joy unending joy  
And I will follow**

**THE DISMISSAL**

**Alleluia, Alleluia. Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. (these words may differ from time to time)  
Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.**

**Please join us in the Parish Hall after the service for fellowship, coffee, cookies, and fruit.**

**Please Sign Up To Donate Flowers in 2024**  
**Enhance Our Worship + Thank God + Remember A Loved One**  
The notebook to sign up for flower offerings is in the Narthex.  
Please stop by and sign up or contact the church office. The cost is \$50, to be paid in advance.

### **WORSHIP SERVICE TIMES**

**8:00 AM Sunday - Traditional Service**  
**10:30 AM Sunday - Contemporary Service**  
**5:00 PM Sunday – Sunday Night Alive Informal Service**

### **Calvary Staff**

***The Rev. Ralph B. Morgan, Rector***

***The Rev. Nancy Wilkes, Deacon***

***John Brun, Parish Administrator***

***Suzette Hillis, Communications***

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***Holly Bradshaw, Children's Minister***

***Kathy Haley, Finance Administrator***

***Will Mason, POGS Worship Coordinator***

***Ross Elkins, SNL Worship Leader***

***Jose Portillo, Campus Operations***

### **CALVARY STEWARDSHIP CORNER:**

**2023 Pledged: \$527,306**

**2023 Giving: \$507,810**

**If you did not pay your 2023 pledge it is not too late to support our ministries!**

### **CALVARY GIVING QR CODE:**

