

## Music and Readings

### March 2, 2025 – Last Sunday after Epiphany

**PROCESSIONAL HYMN** *At the Name of Jesus (King's Weston)* (H 435)

**THE COLLECT OF THE DAY (BCP p. 357)**

*Celebrant*        The Lord be with you.

*People*         **And also with you.**

*Celebrant*        Let us pray.

O God, who before the passion of your only-begotten Son revealed his glory upon the holy mountain: Grant to us that we, beholding by faith the light of his countenance, may be strengthened to bear our cross, and be changed into his likeness from glory to glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

**FIRST READING: Exodus 34:29-35**

*The people sit.*

A Reading from the book of Exodus.

<sup>29</sup>Moses came down from Mount Sinai. As he came down from the mountain with the two tablets of the covenant in his hand, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God. <sup>30</sup>When Aaron and all the Israelites saw Moses, the skin of his face was shining, and they were afraid to come near him. <sup>31</sup>But Moses called to them; and Aaron and all the leaders of the congregation returned to him, and Moses spoke with them. <sup>32</sup>Afterward all the Israelites came near, and he gave them in commandment all that the LORD had spoken with him on Mount Sinai. <sup>33</sup>When Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil on his face; <sup>34</sup>but whenever Moses went in before the LORD to speak with him, he would take the veil off, until he came out; and when he came out, and told the Israelites what he had been commanded, <sup>35</sup>the Israelites would see the face of Moses, that the skin of his face was shining; and Moses would put the veil on his face again, until he went in to speak with him.

*Reader*         The Word of the Lord.

*People*         **Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM: Psalm 99 (on next page)**

**SECOND READING: 2 Corinthians 3:12--4:2**

*The people sit.*

A Reading from Paul's Second letter to the Church in Corinth.

<sup>12</sup>Since, then, we have such a hope, we act with great boldness, <sup>13</sup>not like Moses, who put a veil over his face to keep the people of Israel from gazing at the end of the glory that was being set aside. <sup>14</sup>But their minds were hardened. Indeed, to this very day, when they hear the reading of the old covenant, that same veil is still there, since only in Christ is it set aside. <sup>15</sup>Indeed, to this very day whenever Moses is read, a veil lies over their minds; <sup>16</sup>but when one turns to the Lord, the veil is removed. <sup>17</sup>Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. <sup>18</sup>And all of us, with unveiled faces, seeing the glory of the Lord as though reflected in a mirror, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another; for this comes from the Lord, the Spirit.

<sup>4:1</sup>Therefore, since it is by God's mercy that we are engaged in this ministry, we do not lose heart. <sup>2</sup>We have renounced the shameful things that one hides; we refuse to practice cunning or to falsify God's word; but by the open statement of the truth we commend ourselves to the conscience of everyone in the sight of God.

*Reader*           The Word of the Lord.

*People*            **Thanks be to God.**

## PSALM: Psalm 99

*Remain seated.*

*(Italics: repeat last measure)*



<sup>1</sup>The LORD is King;

let the people <sup>1</sup> **tremble**; \* |

he is enthroned upon the cherubim;

let the earth <sup>1</sup> **shake**. |

<sup>2</sup>The LORD is great in <sup>1</sup> **Zion**; \* |

he is high above all <sup>1</sup> **peoples**. ||

<sup>3</sup>Let them confess his Name, which is great and <sup>1</sup> **awesome**; \* |

he is the <sup>1</sup> **Holy One**. |

<sup>4</sup>“O mighty King, lover of justice,

you have established <sup>1</sup> **equity**; \* |

you have executed justice and righteousness in <sup>1</sup> **Jacob**.” ||

<sup>5</sup>Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God

and fall down before his <sup>1</sup> **footstool**; \* |

he is the <sup>1</sup> **Holy One**. |

<sup>6</sup>Moses and Aaron among his priests,

and Samuel among those who call upon his <sup>1</sup> **Name**, \* |

they called upon the LORD, and he <sup>1</sup> **answered them**. ||

<sup>7</sup>He spoke to them out of the pillar of <sup>1</sup> **cloud**; \* |

they kept his testimonies and the decree that he <sup>1</sup> **gave them**. |

<sup>8</sup>O LORD our God, you answered them in- <sup>1</sup> **deed**; \* |

you were a God who forgave them,

yet punished them for their evil <sup>1</sup> **deeds**. ||

<sup>9</sup>Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God

*and worship him upon his holy <sup>1</sup> **hill***; \* |

*for the LORD our God is the <sup>1</sup> **Holy One***. ||

## SEQUENCE HYMN *Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life (The Call)* (H 487)

### GOSPEL: Luke 9:28-36 [37-43a]

*All stand.*

*Deacon*           The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

*People*            **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

<sup>28</sup>Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. <sup>29</sup>And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. <sup>30</sup>Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. <sup>31</sup>They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. <sup>32</sup>Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. <sup>33</sup>Just as they were

leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, “Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah”—not knowing what he said. <sup>34</sup>While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. <sup>35</sup>Then from the cloud came a voice that said, “This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!” <sup>36</sup>When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen. [

<sup>37</sup>On the next day, when they had come down from the mountain, a great crowd met him. <sup>38</sup>Just then a man from the crowd shouted, “Teacher, I beg you to look at my son; he is my only child. <sup>39</sup>Suddenly a spirit seizes him, and all at once he shrieks. It convulses him until he foams at the mouth; it mauls him and will scarcely leave him. <sup>40</sup>I begged your disciples to cast it out, but they could not.” <sup>41</sup>Jesus answered, “You faithless and perverse generation, how much longer must I be with you and bear with you? Bring your son here.” <sup>42</sup>While he was coming, the demon dashed him to the ground in convulsions. But Jesus rebuked the unclean spirit, healed the boy, and gave him back to his father. <sup>43a</sup>And all were astounded at the greatness of God.]

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

**THE SERMON** *The Rev. Anita Ware*

**OFFERTORY HYMN** *Alleluia! Give thanks to the risen Lord (Alleluia No. 1) (H 178)*

**PRESENTATION HYMN** *From all that dwell below the skies (Old 100th) (H 380)*

**RECESSIONAL HYMN** *Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy (Slane) (H 482)*

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**Priest**            The Rev. Anita Ware  
**Deacons**        The Rev. Pam Bright, The Rev. Martha Richard, The Rev. Michele Wiltfong  
**Organist**        Dr. Catherine Hicks

## **Worship Assistants**

**Crucifer**            Judy Hopkins  
**Children’s Crucifer**    Zelda Willis  
**Lectors**            Kristine Willis and Karen Lattimore  
**Chalice Bearers**        Judy Hopkins, Kristine Willis, and Karen Lattimore  
**Altar Guild**        Kendalyn Lutz-Craver

## This Week's Events

### Sunday 3/2

9:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist – Last Epiphany  
Coffee hour immediately following Eucharist  
No Adult Formation today

1:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist at Navion Assisted Living

5:00 p.m. Celtic Eucharist with Anita (Chapel)

### Monday 3/3

4:00 p.m. Monday Mindful Walk with Anita

### Tuesday 3/4

9:00 a.m. Morning Prayer (Chapel)

10:30 a.m. Food Pantry box assembly

6:00 p.m. Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper (Parish Hall)

### Wednesday 3/5

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Shepherd's Table food distribution

12:30 p.m. Ash Wednesday Holy Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes (Chapel)

4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Food Pantry Boxes distribution

5:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday Holy Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes (Chapel)

### Thursday 3/6

5:30 p.m. Holy Eucharist & Healing Service with Anita (Chapel)

8:00 p.m. Compline on Zoom (See Donna Logan for details)



### Journey Through Lent into Easter

Come to Redeemer and journey through Lent into Easter with Jesus. We are baptized into his life, self-giving, and death; then, we rise in hope to life transformed. Please join us for worship, formation and fellowship during this season. Together, we will walk through the depths of salvation history into the fullness of redemption. In addition to our regular weekly opportunities the following will be available:

- **Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper** at 6:00 p.m. on March 4<sup>th</sup> in Parish Hall
- **Ash Wednesday Service with the Imposition of Ashes** in Chapel at 12:30 p.m. & 7:00 p.m. on March 5<sup>th</sup>
- **Mindful Monday Walks with Anita** on Mondays at 4:00 p.m. We will explore the themes from the book *A Different Kind of Fast: Feeding Our True Hungers in Lent* by Christine Valters Paintner on March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 and April 7 and 14. It is not necessary to purchase this book!
- **Exploring Celtic Christianity** Adult Formation Series following our 9:30 a.m. worship on March 9, 16, 23, 30 in the small administrative parish hall.
- **Tuesday Redeemer Book Club Discussion** on Zoom at 7:00 p.m. with Anita on March 11, 18, 25 & April 1 & 8. Our book selection is *Curveball* by Peter Enns.
- **Hike Church** on Saturday, March 29<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m. Meet at the Restrooms at Broad River Greenway

Prayer List



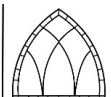
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