

## Today's Services of Holy Communion

8:00 am (Book of Common Prayer)

Preacher and Celebrant: The Rev. Dr. Jane Rowland

Deacon: The Rev. Rosemary Bishop

10 am (Book of Alternative Services)

Preacher and Celebrant: The Rev. Dr. Jane Rowland

Lay Reader: Jeff Oneski

Deacons: The Rev. Carolyn Herold and The Rev. Julienne Hendrickson

Organist: Chris Fullerton

## The Leadership Team at St Peters

*If you or someone you know is ill or in need of pastoral care,  
please leave a message at the office or email one of our clergy.*

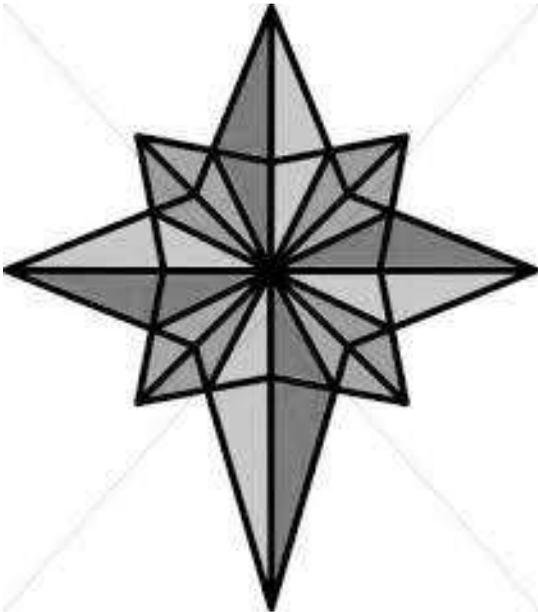
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**February 8th, 2015**  
**5th Sunday After Epiphany**  
**10:00 am**



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## THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

*Welcome to our service of Holy Communion. If you are unfamiliar with the ritual customs of the Anglican Church, simply relax with the liturgy and let the rest of the congregation carry you in worship. As today's service begins, a gong will sound, calling us to stillness before God. As its sound fades away, we stand to sing our processional hymn.*

**Prelude: "Rose" by Ludovico Einaudi**

**Call to Silence**

**Processional Hymn: #59 Jesus Calls Us Here to Meet Him**

**Greeting**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God  
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**And also with you.**

Great is our God and abundant in power,  
with wisdom beyond our understanding.

**It is God who numbers all the stars  
and gives each of them a name,  
yet bends and heals the broken hearted  
and binds up all their wounds.**

— Bruce Prewer

Come, let us worship.

**The Gloria**

**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.**

## Collect

Merciful Lord, **grant to your faithful people pardon and peace, that we may be cleansed from all our sins and serve you with a quiet mind; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

## Children's Talk

*Children are invited to come forward, then leave for Spirit Zone and return for Eucharist. Nursery is also available. Speak to an usher for more information.*

## THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

### Reading: Isaiah 40:21-31 Caron Ross

Have you not known? Have you not heard? Has it not been told you from the beginning? Have you not understood from the foundations of the earth? It is he who sits above the circle of the earth, and its inhabitants are like grasshoppers; who stretches out the heavens like a curtain, and spreads them like a tent to live in; who brings princes to naught, and makes the rulers of the earth as nothing. Scarcely are they planted, scarcely sown, scarcely has their stem taken root in the earth, when he blows upon them, and they wither, and the tempest carries them off like stubble. To whom then will you compare me, or who is my equal? says the Holy One. Lift up your eyes on high and see: Who created these? He who brings out their host and numbers them, calling them all by name; because he is great in strength, mighty in power, not one is missing. Why do you say, O Jacob, and speak, O Israel, "My way is hidden from the Lord, and my right is disregarded by my God"? Have you not known? Have you not heard? The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He does not faint or grow weary; his understanding is unsearchable. He gives power to the faint, and strengthens the powerless. Even youths will faint and be weary, and the young will fall exhausted; but those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength, they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 147:1-12,21a BAS (Green Book) page 906**

**Reading: 1 Corinthians 9:16-23**

If I proclaim the gospel, this gives me no ground for boasting, for an obligation is laid on me, and woe to me if I do not proclaim the gospel! For if I do this of my own will, I have a reward; but if not of my own will, I am entrusted with a commission. What then is my reward? Just this: that in my proclamation I may make the gospel free of charge, so as not to make full use of my rights in the gospel. For though I am free with respect to all, I have made myself a slave to all, so that I might win more of them. To the Jews I became as a Jew, in order to win Jews. To those under the law I became as one under the law (though I myself am not under the law) so that I might win those under the law. To those outside the law I became as one outside the law (though I am not free from God's law but am under Christ's law) so that I might win those outside the law. To the weak I became weak, so that I might win the weak. I have become all things to all people, that I might by all means save some. I do it all for the sake of the gospel, so that I may share in its blessings.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

**Gradual Hymn: #403 Let All Things Now Living****The Gospel Reading: Mark 1:29-39**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

**Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ**

As soon as they left the synagogue, they entered the house of Simon and Andrew, with James and John. Now Simon's mother-in-law was in bed with a fever, and they told Jesus about her at once. He came and took her by the hand and lifted her up. Then the fever left her, and she began to serve them. That evening, at sundown, they brought to him all who were sick or possessed with demons. And the whole city was gathered around the door. And he cured many who were sick with various diseases, and cast out many demons; and he would not permit the demons to speak, because they knew him. In the morning, while it was still very dark, he got up and went out to a deserted place and there he prayed. And Simon and his companions hunted for him. When they found him, they said to him, "Everyone is searching for you." He answered, "Let us go on to the neighbouring towns, so that I may proclaim the message there also; for that is what

I came out to do.” And he went throughout Galilee, proclaiming the message in their synagogues and casting out demons.

The Gospel of Christ. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

**Homily: The Rev. Dr. Jane Rowland**

**Apostle’s Creed: BAS (Green Book) p. 189**

**Prayers of the People**

**The Peace**

**Offertory: #531 You Who Dwell in the Shelter of the Lord**

**The Prayer over the Gifts:**

God of compassion and forgiveness, **receive our offering this day, and make us one with him who is our peace, Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.**

## **THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**

**Eucharistic Prayer #2, page 196**

**The Lord’s Prayer**

**Breaking of the Bread**

We break the bread of life, and that life is the light of the world.

**God here among us, light in the midst of us, bring us to light and life.**

**The Communion**

The gifts of God for the people of God. **Thanks be to God**

**Music: “Epiphany” by Louis Landon**

**Agnus Dei** by Lloyd Larson - with Malcolm McKay on Soprano Saxophone

*Alleluia, for the Lord God almighty reigns!*

*Alleluia. Holy, holy are You, Lord God almighty.*

*Worthy is the Lamb. You are holy.*

*Holy, holy are You, Lord God almighty.*

*Worthy is the Lamb. Amen*

*Alleluia. Amen!*

*All are welcome to join us at the Lord's Table, including children. If you prefer to receive a blessing, please cross your arms. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.*

*If you desire personal prayer following communion, a prayer team is available in the vestry room (behind the organ). Prayer will also be available after the service.*

### **Prayer after Communion**

**Eternal God, in you we find peace beyond all telling. May we who share in this heavenly banquet be instruments of your peace on earth, in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.**

**Glory to God, whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever. Amen.**

### **Blessing**

### **Announcements**

**Recessional Hymn: #344 From All That Dwell Below the Skies**

### **The Dismissal of the Community**

May you run and not be weary.

May you rise up on the wings of eagles.

May you know without doubt

that the everlasting God goes with you!

**Thanks be to God. Alleluia!**

— Mary J. Scifres

### **Prayers**

- In our worldwide Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for the Church of Nigeria and their clergy, The Rt. Rev. Emmanuel Kana Mani.
- In our Diocesan Prayer Cycle we pray for St. Peter's, Calgary and their clergy; The Rev. Dr. Jane Rowland, The Rev. David Ney, The Rev. Deacon Julienne Hendrickson, The Rev. Deacon Rosemary Bishop and the Rev. Deacon Carolyn Herold.
- In our Companion Diocese in the Windward Islands we pray for ST. Paul, Calliaqua with St. John, Belair and their clergy, The Rev. Canon O. Samuel Nichols and for the Bishop's Commissaries in the USA and the UK.
- In our own parish let us ask for God's healing love to uphold and sustain all who are in any kind of need, especially: Pamela Grigg, Cam Keith, Alan Manship, Sylvia Stanley, Jennifer Wiebe, Mary Wojna, Connie Hill, Olive Holgate, Allan Knobbe, Howie Dawe, Joy Tufts, Doug, Judy and Emily Rousell and family, Maria Dalla Costa, Kolby Thomson, Ruth Elford, Alison James, Laurie Arsenault, Kenneth Robertson, Tracey (Janzen) Grenier, Virginia Goodman, Ernie Rice, Edith Lenko, Nellie Werth, Marguerite Dimmer, Joan Brisbourne, Chad McGregor, Peggy Brookes, Mariam Jacobs, Eileen Williams, Andrew Howe, Linda Redel.
- Please pray for the Rev. Julienne Hendrickson as she supports the ministry at Tsuu T'ina.

**Flowers are given this morning to the glory of God.**

**Pam Milne is Warden on Duty.**