



KNOWING the Savior ALIGNING with the Lord SEEING the Kingdom come

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The Fourth Sunday of Epiphany

Sunday, January 31, 2021

8:30 and 10:00 a.m.

Welcome to our Worship Service

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Thank you for worshipping with us this morning. Please keep your offering as part of your spiritual practice. You can give online by visiting www.StHelenas1712.org (click the blue "Give Online" button on the homepage) or by texting the number (843) 202-4739. You can also mail your check to the Parish Church of St. Helena, PO Box 1043, Beaufort, SC 29901.

Order of Worship

Prelude: (8:30) Prelude in F Adolf Hesse

Welcome

Opening Hymn: All Hail the Pow'r of Jesus' Name! Coronation

All hail the pow'r of Jesus' Name! Let angels prostrate fall; Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown him Lord of all! Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown him Lord of all!

Ye seed of Israel's chosen race, ye ransomed of the fall, Hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him Lord of all! Hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him Lord of all!

Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget the wormwood and the gall, Go, spread your trophies at his feet, and crown him Lord of all Go, spread your trophies at his feet, and crown him Lord of all!

Let ev'ry kindred, ev'ry tribe, on this terrestrial ball, To him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all! To him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all!

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

The celebrant prays:

The Collect for Purity

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.*

The Summary of the Law

Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ says: You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is

like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets. Matthew 22:37-40



Celebrant: The Lord be with you. *People: And with your spirit.*

Celebrant: Let us pray.

The Collect of the Day (Remain standing)

O God, you know that we are set in the midst of many grave dangers, and because of the frailty of our nature we cannot always stand upright: Grant that your strength and protection may support us in all dangers and carry us through every temptation; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

Please be seated for the reading of God's Word.

First Reading: Deuteronomy 18:15-22

¹⁵ "The Lord your God will raise up for you a prophet like me from among you, from your brothers—it is to him you shall listen— ¹⁶ just as you desired of the Lord your God at Horeb on the day of the assembly, when you said, 'Let me not hear again the voice of the Lord my God or see this great fire any more, lest I die.' ¹⁷ And the Lord said to me, 'They are right in what they have spoken. ¹⁸ I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their brothers. And I will put my words in his mouth, and he shall speak to them all that I command him.

¹⁹ And whoever will not listen to my words that he shall speak in my name, I myself will require it of him. ²⁰ But the prophet who presumes to speak a word in my name that I have not commanded him to speak, or who speaks in the name of other gods, that same prophet shall die.' ²¹ And if you say in your heart, 'How may we know the word that the Lord has not spoken?'— ²² when a prophet speaks in the name of the Lord, if the word does not come to pass or

come true, that is a word that the Lord has not spoken; the prophet has spoken it presumptuously. You need not be afraid of him.

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

Please stand for the reading of the Gospel.

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ

according to St. Mark.

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

The Gospel: Mark 1:21-28

²¹ And they went into Capernaum, and immediately on the Sabbath he entered the synagogue and was teaching. ²² And they were astonished at his teaching, for he taught them as one who had authority, and not as the scribes. ²³ And immediately there was in their synagogue a man with an unclean spirit. And he cried out, ²⁴ "What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God." ²⁵ But Jesus rebuked him, saying, "Be silent, and come out of him!" ²⁶ And the unclean spirit, convulsing him and crying out with a loud voice, came out of him. ²⁷ And they were all amazed, so that they questioned among themselves, saying, "What is this? A new teaching with authority! He commands even the unclean spirits, and they obey him." ²⁸ And at once his fame spread everywhere throughout all the surrounding region of Galilee.

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon: "With Authority!" The Rev. Joe Lawrence

The Prayers of the People (*Kneeling or seated as you are able*)

Let us pray for the Church and for the world, saying, "hear our prayer."

For the peace of the whole world, and for the well-being and unity of the people of God.

Reader: Lord, in your mercy: **People:** Hear our prayer.

For Foley, our Archbishop, and Mark, our Bishop, and for all the clergy and people of our diocese and congregation.

Reader: Lord, in your mercy: **People:** Hear our prayer.

For all those who proclaim the Gospel at home and abroad; and for all who teach and disciple others.

Reader: Lord, in your mercy: **People: Hear our prayer.**

For our brothers and sisters in Christ who are persecuted for their faith.

Reader: Lord, in your mercy: **People: Hear our prayer.**

For our nation, for those in authority, and for all in public service.

Reader: Lord, in your mercy: **People:** Hear our prayer.

For all those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially those on our parish prayer list.

Reader: Lord, in your mercy: **People: Hear our prayer.**

For all those who have departed this life in the certain hope of the resurrection, especially for Rebecca Trask, in thanksgiving let us pray.

Reader: Lord, in your mercy: **People: Hear our prayer.**

The celebrant concludes:

Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for the sake of Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

The Confession and Absolution of Sin

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, maker and judge of us all: We acknowledge and lament our many sins and offenses, which we have committed by thought, word, and deed against your divine majesty, provoking most justly your righteous anger against us. We are deeply sorry for these our transgressions; the burden of them is more than we can bear. Have mercy upon us, Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; for your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may evermore serve and please you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The priest says:

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen*.

The Peace

Celebrant: The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Announcements

The Holy Communion

Offertory Anthem: (8:30) O Taste and See

Ralph Vaughn Williams

O taste and see how gracious the Lord is: Blest is the man that trusteth in him. Psalm 34:8

The Parish Choir and the Choir of Boys and Girls Nicole Harbin, Soprano

Please stand as you are able.

The Sursum Corda

Celebrant: The Lord be with you. **People:** And with your spirit.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

The Sanctus

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.

Kneeling or seated as you are able.

The Prayer of Consecration

The Lord's Prayer

The Fraction

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover Lamb has been

sacrificed, once for all upon the Cross.

People: Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

The Prayer of Humble Access

We do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your abundant and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table; but you are the same Lord whose character is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

The Invitation

Celebrant: 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.

The Ministration of Communion

Communion Response: Fairest Lord Jesus

St. Elizabeth

Fairest Lord Jesus, ruler of all nature, O thou of God and man the Son: Thee will I cherish, thee will I honor, Thou, my soul's glory, joy, and crown.

Beautiful Savior! Lord of the nations! Son of God and Son of Man! Glory and honor, praise, adoration, Now and forevermore be thine.

The Post Communion Prayer

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us, through this Sacrament, of your favor and goodness towards us: that we are true members of the mystical body of your Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of your everlasting kingdom. And we humbly ask you, heavenly Father, to assist us with your grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all the good works that you have prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

The Blessing

Closing Hymn: Crown Him With Many Crowns Diademata

Crown him with many crowns,
The Lamb upon his throne;
Hark! how the heav'nly anthem drowns
All music but its own;
Awake, my soul, and sing
Of him who died for thee,
And hail him as thy matchless King
Thro' all eternity.

Crown him the Son of God
Before the worlds began,
And ye, who tread where he hath trod,
Crown him the Son of man;
Who ev'ry grief hath known
That wrings the human breast,
And takes and bears them for his own,
That all in him may rest.

Crown him of lords the Lord,
Who over all doth reign,
Who once on earth, the incarnate Word,
For ransomed sinners slain,
Now lives in realms of light,
Where saints with angels sing
Their songs before him day and night,
Their God, Redeemer, King.

Crown him the Lord of heav'n,
Enthroned in worlds above;
Crown him the King, to whom is giv'n,
The wondrous name of Love.
Crown him with many crowns,
As thrones before him fall,
Crown him, ye kings, with many crowns,
For he is King of all.

The Dismissal

Deacon: Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the

power of the Holy Spirit. Alleluia, alleluia,

alleluia.

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

Postlude: (8:30) Grand Choeur in G Théodore Salomé

Please take your bulletin with you and be mindful of social-distancing recommendations as you leave.

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From the Tuesday eNews

News from the Parish Church of St. Helena ‡ An Anglican Congregation

- Lent Home Worship kits available for pick-up beginning Sunday, Feb. 7 in the lobby of the Parish Hall
- 1928 Worship Service, Wednesdays at 5 pm
- Words of Encouragement, Tuesday and Thursday at noon on Facebook live and at www.sthelenas1712.org
- If you requested offering evelopes for 2021, they are available for pick-up in the Parish Hall Lobby
- Family Night Wednesdays, 5:30 pm-6:30 pm
- Equip, Thursdays, Who is Jesus?, 5:30 pm-6:30 pm
- GriefShare Wednesdays, 10 am-noon in the Latimer room of the Parish Hall
- Interested in a Small Group? Contact Maddie Steen, Small Groups Coordinator, msteen@sthelenas1712.org
- Pick up your spring Bible reading plan on your way out of the church (at each entrance) this morning

Sunday Worship Service Updates

- Remember to make reservations for the 8:30 am Sunday worship service by 3:30 pm each Friday
- Live-stream available Sundays at 8:30 am and on our website by 10 am each Sunday
- 5 pm service returns today

The eNews is distributed at 3 pm Tuesday of each week.

Check your inbox for more details on events and news around campus.

This Week's Prayer List

High altar flowers

are given to the glory of God by Ray Williams and in loving memory of Hedy Williams, Hettie and Earl Hayes, Dick Williams, Louise and Harry Williams, and in thanksgiving for his children and grandchildren Sarah, John, William, and Lawrence.

Flowers at the baptismal font

are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Neil and Becky Trask.

Let light perpetual shine upon them ...

Rebecca "Becky" Lake Fuller Trask

Please pray for all those who, in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially the following:

For those in our parish family: Jim Andrews, Elsa and Jere Ayers, Becky Baldwin, Marge Barber, Doris Bland, Mary Grey Boatwright, Lonny and Tedda Burton, Tamy Cargill, Susan Cato, Sarah Christofek, Jack Clark, Harry Councell, Carroll Crowther, Brooke Curtis, Wyatt deTreville, Anna Diaz, Bill Elliott, John Ellsworth, Frank Giammona, Kay Gorse, Angel Gray, Stephanie Gulbrandsen, Darcy Heidt, Maude Hornsby, Lori and Bob Jackson, Lin Johnson, Ross and Celeste Jones, Carol Kamm, Chuck and Carole Knapp, Steve and Beverly Melvin, Sally Miller, Steve Mix, Margy Oehlert, Debbie Parker, Doadie Parker, John Payne, Anne Pinckney, Annie Pollak, Ric Schwank, Tommy Schwank, Keith Strawn, Shirley Sutton, Patti Teter, Jani and Annie Ubelis, Betty Walsh, and Ray Williams.

For extended family or friends of our parish family: Sally Babin, Peter Balsam, Jessica Bass, Beaufort Nursing and Rehab residents and staff, Marcia and Herbert Benford, Eva, Ron and Francis Blais; Jan Bodnar, Morgan Bradley, Ashley Bush, Ben Byrne, Andrea Cain, Jean Carlson,

Meghan Carter, Lorraine Chavez, Brian Cook, Joe Credle, Brendon Dasher, Ashley Demosthanes, Angela Devine, Ken Dishop, Zachariah Driggers, Dave Farrior, Bill and Judy Gaines, Jayna Gibson, Veena Goburdhun, Robert Gould, Brad Grove, Hume and Virginia Guerard, Warren Halstead, Christopher Hathaway, Clint Heyd, Linda Heyd, Hyatt family, Janelle, Steve King, Mike Johnston, Crawford and Phyllis Kennedy, Lou Lachicotte, Martha Lachicotte, Peggy Leadholt, Tammy Lentner and family, Gage Lowe, Ashleigh McGillivray, Anne Merritt, John Meyer, Zoran and Annie Misic, Milledge Morris, Norton Family, Wade and Peggy Otey, Cheryl Parker, Sarah Pergande, Stuart Mitchell Philp, Debbie Pollak, Pete Pratt, Karen Ranieri, Joe Ritchie, Bruce Roberts and Family, Schnieder family, Connie Chesnutt Simmons, Sarah Smith, Debbie Steed, Lettie Stoops, Mary Sumner, Jon Thomforde, Christopher Thompson, Agnes Truluck, Jason Ward, Vergie Watson, and Bernadette and Bob Wilks.

For all our U.S. service members defending our country, especially the following who are deployed overseas:

Tommy Bardenwerper, Robert Batts, Rodney Parker, Austin Sneed, and Michael Joseph Tollison.

For these expectant parents: Julia and CR Cumbee (via adoption), Marie and Bill Payne, Mary Beth (Mitchell) and David Powell, and Gretchen and Jamie Sosnowski (via adoption).

For our foreign and local missionaries supported by St. Helena's:

Fr. John, Kim, Philip, Roger and Joanne Griffin, Lacy, Marentes, Todd and Patsy McGregor, and Carolyn Wolfenbarger.

Names on the prayer list are the initial communication to the clergy of a need for prayer. In order to keep the list current, names remain on the list for 30 days. Expectant parents remain on the list until their children are born and deployed military until they return home. Please fill out an online Prayer Request form or call the church office at (843) 522-1712 to submit a prayer request and inform the clergy of hospitalizations. Updated 1/28/2021

For pastoral care concerns for yourself or another parishioner, please contact Anne Mitchell, our Pastoral Care Coordinator, at (843) 575-1780 or email her at amitchell@sthelenas1712.org.

Participating in the Service:

The Rev. Shay Gaillard, Rector
The Rev. Joe Lawrence, Associate Rector
The Rt. Rev. Alden Hathaway, Bishop in Residence
The Rev. Keith O'Neal, Deacon (8:30)
The Rev. Jim Cato, Deacon (10:00)
Jeff Harbin, Choirmaster and Organist (8:30)
John and Estee Hermesmann, Musicians (10:00)
The Parish Choir and the Choir of Boys and Girls (8:30)
Pat Jones, Lector (8:30)
Gibson O'Neal, Lector (10:00)

Our Vision

St. Helena's will boldly proclaim the saving Gospel and Lordship of Jesus Christ, and through intentional discipleship, will raise up servant leaders and worshipping communities in Beaufort and beyond, seeing the Kingdom come.

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