

**St. Mark's Episcopal Church**  
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**2015 Vestry**

Linda Berg (2017)  
 David Boyd (2015)  
 Elizabeth Boyd (2016)  
 Russell Bradley (2015)  
 Treasurer: Eric Bryda (Ex Officio)  
 Ashley Bryda (2016)  
 Kristina Campbell

Sara Dillich (2017)  
 Michael Foughty (2015)  
 Kathy Hughes (2017)  
 Nihal Masih (2015)  
 Pam Smith (2016)  
 Wally Tienken (2017)

**This Sunday – February 1, 2015**

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|                      | <u>8:00 A.M.</u>            | <u>10:00 A.M.</u>                 |
| <b>LEM</b>           | Kathy Caldwell              | Mike Foughty<br>Kristina Campbell |
| <b>Lectors</b>       | TBD<br>Barbara Scott        | Spring Plihcik<br>Mike Foughty    |
| <b>Intercessors</b>  | Ann Sparks                  | TBD                               |
| <b>Acolytes</b>      |                             | Tyler Chui<br>Danica Plihcik      |
| <b>Altar Guild</b>   | Pat Hoppe                   | Sara Dillich<br>Ann Sparks        |
| <b>Greeter</b>       |                             | Delta Youngquist                  |
| <b>Ushers</b>        |                             | Nihal Masih<br>Michael Parris     |
| <b>Flower Guild</b>  | Jackie Cerio<br>Nell Brill  |                                   |
| <b>Tellers</b>       | Teresa Brunson<br>John Dell |                                   |
| <b>Vestry Person</b> | Mike Foughty                | Mike Foughty                      |

**Next Sunday – February 8, 2015**

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|                      | <u>8:00 A.M.</u>               | <u>10:00 A.M.</u>                         |
| <b>LEM</b>           | Barbara Scott                  | Bonnie Brown Wilkins<br>Kevannah Campbell |
| <b>Lectors</b>       | Pat Hoppe<br>Pat Drabick       | Doug Varner<br>Rodney Fisher              |
| <b>Intercessors</b>  | Alan Bentrup                   | Linda Berg<br>Ben Slobodin                |
| <b>Acolytes</b>      |                                | Hailey Heyse<br>Pat Hoppe                 |
| <b>Altar Guild</b>   | Pat Drabick                    | Barbara Scott<br>Margo Chisholm           |
| <b>Greeter</b>       |                                | Andrew Morrison                           |
| <b>Ushers</b>        |                                | Ethan Morrison                            |
| <b>Flower Guild</b>  | Kathy Hughes<br>Eulie Campbell |   |
| <b>Tellers</b>       | David Powers<br>Kim Lewis      |   |
| <b>Vestry Person</b> | Jimmy Bailes                   | Jimmy Bailes                              |

**The Diocese of Virginia** - The Rt. Rev. Shannon S. Johnston, Diocesan Bishop  
 The Rt. Rev. Susan E. Goff, Suffragan Bishop  
 The Rt. Rev. Ted Gulick, Jr., Assistant Bishop  
 Ministers of St. Mark's – Every Member  
 Rector – The Rev. John A. Weatherly  
 Associate Rector – The Rev. Meredith T. Heffner  
 Priest Associate – The Rev. Donna L. Foughty  
 Seminarian – Alan Bentrup  
 Pastor of San Marcos– José Reyes, Missioner  
 The Rev. Churchill J. Gibson, Jr., 1931 – 2008  
 Music Director/Organist – Tatiana Andronikova  
 Parish Administrator – Emily Cole ♦ Sexton – Francisco Robles ♦ Accountant – Mike Morgan

**St. Mark's Episcopal Church**  
 Alexandria, Virginia

**Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany**

**February 1, 2015**

**Prelude**

**Processional Hymn**

*Thou, Whose Almighty Word*

Hymnal #371

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| 1. Thou, whose almighty word<br>Chaos and darkness heard,<br>And took their flight;<br>Hear us, we humbly pray,<br>And, where the Gospel day<br>Sheds not its glorious ray,<br>Let there be light! | 3. Spirit of truth and love,<br>Life giving, holy Dove,<br>Speed forth thy flight;<br>Move on the water's face<br>Bearing the gifts of grace,<br>And, in earth's darkest place,<br>Let there be light! |
| 2. Thou, who didst come to bring<br>On thy redeeming wing<br>Healing and sight,<br>Heal to the sick in mind,<br>Sight to the inly blind,<br>Now, to all humankind,<br>Let there be light!          | 4. Holy and blessed and holy Three,<br>Glorious Trinity,<br>Wisdom, love, might!<br>Boundless as ocean's tide,<br>Rolling in fullest pride,<br>Through the world far and wide,<br>Let there be light!  |

**Opening Acclamation**

BCP p. 355

**Kyrie**

*Lord, Have Mercy Upon Us*

Hymnal #S 91

**The Collect of the Day**

*(from the insert)*

**The Lesson**

Deuteronomy 18:15-20

*(from the insert)*

**The Psalm**

Psalm 111

*(from the insert)*

**The Epistle**

1 Corinthians 8:1-13

*(from the insert)*

**Sequence Hymn**

*Dear Lord and Father of Mankind*

Hymnal #652 (Vs. 1-3)

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| 1. Dear Lord and Father of mankind,<br>Forgive our foolish ways;<br>Reclothe us in our rightful mind,<br>In purer lives thy service find,<br>In deeper reverence, praise. | 2. In simple trust like theirs who heard,<br>Beside the Syrian sea,<br>The gracious calling of the Lord,<br>Let us, like them, without a word,<br>Rise up and follow thee. |
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3. O Sabbath rest by Galilee!  
 O calm of hills above,  
 Where Jesus knelt to share with thee  
 The silence of eternity,  
 Interpreted by love!

**The Gospel** Mark 1:21-28 (from the insert)  
**The Sermon** The Rev. Meredith T. Heffner  
**The Nicene Creed** BCP p. 358  
**Litany of Healing** (from the insert)  
**Prayer of Confession** BCP p. 360  
**Healing Hymn** (Congregation seated) *Blessed Assurance* LEVAS #184

*Those desiring the laying on of hands are invited forward at this time.*

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| <p>1. Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!<br/>         O what a foretaste of glory divine!<br/>         Heir of salvation, purchase of God,<br/>         Born of His Spirit, washed in His<br/>         blood.<br/> <i>Refrain</i><br/>         This is my story, this is my song,<br/>         Praising my Savior, all the day long;<br/>         This is my story, this is my song,<br/>         Praising my Savior, all the day long.</p> | <p>2. Perfect submission, perfect delight,<br/>         Visions of rapture now burst on my sight;<br/>         Angels descending bring from above<br/>         Echoes of mercy, whispers of love.<br/> <i>Refrain</i></p> |
| <p>3. Perfect submission, all is at rest<br/>         I in my Savior am happy and blest,<br/>         Watching and waiting, looking above,<br/>         Filled with His goodness, lost in His love.<br/> <i>Refrain</i></p>  |   |

**The Peace (stand)** BCP p. 360  
**Announcements (8:00)**

### Holy Communion

**The Offertory** *Blessed Quietness* by W.S. Marshall  
 performed by Eric Murchie-Beyma  
**Presentation of Gifts** *What Star Is This?* Hymnal #124 (Vs., 1, 5)

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| <p>1. What star is this, with beams so bright,<br/>         More lovely than the noonday light?<br/>         It shines to herald forth the King,<br/>         And Gentiles to his crib to bring.</p> | <p>5. To God the Father, heavenly Light,<br/>         To Christ, revealed in earthly night,<br/>         To God the Holy Ghost we raise<br/>         Our equal and unceasing praise.</p> |
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**The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A** BCP p. 361  
**Sanctus (sung)** Hymnal #S 125  
**The Lord's Prayer** BCP p. 364

### The Breaking of the Bread

*All baptized persons are invited to receive communion.*

**Fraction Anthem (2x)** *Jesus Christ Bread of Life* based on Taizé #143  
 Jesus Christ, Risen Lord, come to him and you will not hunger  
 Jesus Christ, Risen Lord, trust in him and you will not thirst.

**Communion Hymn** *My God, Thy Table Now Is Spread* Hymnal #321

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| <p>1. My God, thy table now is spread,<br/>         Thy cup with love doth overflow<br/>         Be all thy children thither led,<br/>         And let them thy sweet mercies know.</p>   | <p>3. Drawn by thy quickening grace, O Lord,<br/>         In countless numbers let them come<br/>         And gather from their Father's board<br/>         The Bread that lives beyond the tomb.</p>     |
| <p>2. O let thy table honored be,<br/>         And furnished well with joyful guests;<br/>         And may each soul salvation see,<br/>         That here its sacred pledges tastes!</p> | <p>4. Nor let thy spreading Gospel rest<br/>         Till through the world thy truth has run,<br/>         Till with this Bread shall all be blessed<br/>         Who see the light or feel the sun.</p> |

### Sending Forth of the Home Eucharistic Minister

**Prayer after Communion** BCP p. 366

### Announcements (10:00)

### The Blessing

**Recessional Hymn** *O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing* Hymnal #493

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| <p>1. O for a thousand tongues to sing<br/>         My dear Redeemer's praise,<br/>         The glories of my God and King,<br/>         The triumphs of his grace!</p>                | <p>4. He speaks, and, listening to his voice,<br/>         New life the dead receive,<br/>         The mournful, broken hearts rejoice,<br/>         The humble poor believe.</p>    |
| <p>2. My gracious Master and my God,<br/>         Assist me to proclaim,<br/>         And spread through all the earth abroad<br/>         The honors of thy Name.</p>                 | <p>5. Hear him, ye deaf; ye voiceless ones,<br/>         Your loosened tongues employ;<br/>         Ye blind, behold your Savior comes,<br/>         And leap, ye lame, for joy.</p> |
| <p>3. Jesus! the Name that charms our fears,<br/>         And bids our sorrows cease;<br/>         'Tis music in the sinner's ears,<br/>         'Tis life, and health, and peace.</p> | <p>6. Glory to God, and praise and love<br/>         Be now and ever given,<br/>         By saints below and saints above,<br/>         The Church in earth and heaven.</p>          |

### The Dismissal

### Postlude

**We warmly welcome those who worship with us today.**

**Please join us for coffee and fellowship in our Parish Hall following the service.  
 Remember to wear your name tags!**