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This Sunday – January 11, 2015

	<u>8:00 A.M.</u>	<u>10:00 A.M.</u>
LEM	Barbara Scott	Bonnie Brown Wilkins
Lectors	Pat Drabick TBD	Donna Anderson Rodney Fisher
Intercessors	Barbara Scott	Jeanne Shafer
Acolytes		Tyler Chui
Altar Guild	Pat Drabick	Danica Plihcik Pat Hoppe
Greeters		Barbara Scott
Ushers		Wally & Terry Tienken
Flower Guild	Kathy Hughes Eulie Campbell	Karen Ashworth David Powers
Tellers	Karen Ashworth Rosemary Kley	
Vestry Person	Karen Ashworth	Karen Ashworth

Next Sunday – January 18, 2015

	<u>8:00 A.M.</u>	<u>10:00 A.M.</u>
LEM	TBD	Mike Foughty Kevannah Campbell
Lectors	Ann Sparks Pat Hoppe	TBD TBD
Intercessors	Kathy Caldwell	Ana Ventura
Acolytes		Ben Slobodin
Altar Guild	Pat Hoppe	Hailey Heyse
Greeter		Donna Anderson
Ushers		KathyHughes
Flower Guild	Maureen Ison Ana Ventura, Brenda Ventura	Nihal Masih
Tellers	Len Slobodin Linda Berg	Emily Davis
Vestry Person	Doug Varner	Kingsley Davis

The Diocese of Virginia - The Rt. Rev. Shannon S. Johnston, Diocesan Bishop
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 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
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 Seminarian – Alan Bentrup
 Pastor of San Marcos– José Reyes, Missioner
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St. Mark's Episcopal Church
 Alexandria, Virginia

Celebration of Anglican Communion Sunday

January 11, 2015

Prelude *Shall We Gather at the River* arr. Michael Burkhardt

Processional Hymn *Morning Has Broken* Hymnal #8

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| 1. Morning has broken, like the first morning,
Blackbird has spoken, like the first bird.
Praise for the singing, praise for the morning,
Praise for the springing fresh from the Word! | 2. Sweet the rain's new fall, sunlit from heaven,
Like the first dewfall, on the first grass.
Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden,
Sprung in completeness where his feet pass. |
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3. Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning
 Born of the one light Eden saw play!
 Praise with elation, praise every morning,
 God's recreation, of the new day

Opening Acclamation BCP p. 355

Gloria *Glory to God* WLP #900

The Collect of the Day (from the insert)

The Lesson Genesis 1:1-5 (from the insert)

The Psalm Psalm 29 (from the insert)

The Epistle Acts 19:1-7 (from the insert)

Sequence Hymn *Shall We Gather at the River* LEVAS #141 (Vs. 1-3)

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| 1. Shall we gather at the river,
Where bright angel feet have trod,
With its crystal tide forever
Flowing by the throne of God? | 2. On the margin of the river,
Washing up its silver spray,
We will walk and worship ever,
All the happy golden day. |
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Refrain

Yes, we'll gather at the river,
 The beautiful, the beautiful river;
 Gather with the saints at the river
 That flows by the throne of God.

3. Ere we reach the shining river,
 Lay we every burden down;
 Grace our spirits will deliver,
 And provide a robe and crown.
Refrain

The Gospel Mark 1:4-11 (from the insert)

The Sermon The Rev. John A. Weatherly

Baptismal Covenant BCP p. 304

Prayer of Confession BCP p. 360

The Peace (stand) BCP p. 360

Announcements (8:00)

Holy Communion

The Offertory *Schmucke Dich, O Liebe Seele* J. S. Bach, arr. Virgil Fox
Presentation of Gifts *What Star Is This?* Hymnal #124 (Vs., 1, 5)

1. What star is this, with beams so bright,
More lovely than the noonday light?
It shines to herald forth the King,
And Gentiles to his crib to bring.
5. To God the Father, heavenly Light,
To Christ, revealed in earthly night,
To God the Holy Ghost we raise
Our equal and unceasing praise.

Eucharistic Prayer – Anglican Church of Canada

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

All And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

All We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Celebrant Holy God, Lover of creation, we give you thanks and praise for the ocean of your steadfast love. You place the song of your Spirit in our hearts. When we turn from your love, you do not abandon us. Your Spirit speaks through prophets, sages, and saints in every age, to confront our sin and reveal the vision of your new creation. Joining in the song of the universe we proclaim your glory.

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

Celebrant We praise you, merciful Father, not as we ought, but as we are able, because in your tender love you gave the world your only Son, in order that the world might be saved through him.

He made you known by taking the form of a servant, healing the sick, liberating the oppressed, reaching out to the lost. Betrayed, reviled, and nailed to the cross, he confronted the power of sin and disarmed it for ever. In his offering of himself, he became the perfect and sufficient sacrifice for the sins of the whole world. Redeemed by Christ, we have been adopted as your children; by your pardon you have made us worthy to praise you. On the night he was betrayed, Jesus, at supper with his friends, took bread, gave you thanks, broke the bread, gave it to them, and said, "Take and 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, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, 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." In obedience to him and with grateful hearts we approach your holy table, remembering our Savior's sacrifice, and rejoicing in his victory. Confident in his sovereign purpose, we declare our faith.

**All Christ has died,
Christ is risen,
Christ will come again.**

Celebrant Send your Holy Spirit on us that as we receive this bread and this cup we may partake of the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, and feed on him in our hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

Congregation "May we be renewed in his risen life, filled with love, and strengthened in our will to serve others; and make of our lives, we pray, a pure and holy sacrifice, acceptable to you, knitting us together as one in your Son Jesus Christ, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and forever" Amen

The Lord's Prayer BCP p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread

All baptized persons are invited to receive communion.

Communion Hymn *Wade in the Water* LEVAS #143

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2. See that band all dressed in red
God's a-going to trouble the water
Looks like the band that Moses led
God's a-going to trouble the water
Refrain
 3. Look over yonder, what do you see?
God's a-going to trouble the water
The Holy Ghost a-coming on me
God's a-going to trouble the water
Refrain
 4. If you don't believe I've been redeemed
God's a-going to trouble the water
Just follow me down to the Jordan's stream
God's a-going to trouble the water
Refrain

Prayer after Communion BCP p. 366

Announcements (10:00)

The Blessing

Recessional Hymn *O Love, How Deep* Hymnal #448 (Vs. 1-3, 6)

The Dismissal

Postlude *Wie Schon Leuchtet* Philipp Nicolai, arr. Michael Burkhardt

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!**