

# St. Mark's Episcopal Church

Alexandria, Virginia

## The Seventh Sunday after the Epiphany

February 19, 2017

### Prelude

#### Processional Hymn

*Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation*

Hymnal #518

1. Christ is made the sure foundation,  
Christ the head and cornerstone,  
Chosen of the Lord, and precious,  
Binding all the Church in one;  
Holy Zion's help forever,  
And her confidence alone.
2. All that dedicated city,  
Dearly loved of God on high,  
In exultant jubilation  
Pours perpetual melody;  
God the One in Three adoring  
In glad hymns eternally.
3. To this temple, where we call thee,  
Come, O Lord of Hosts, today;  
With thy wonted lovingkindness  
Hear thy servants as they pray,  
And thy fullest benediction  
Shed within its walls away.
4. Here vouchsafe to all thy servants  
What they ask of thee to gain;  
What they gain from thee, forever  
With the blessed to retain,  
And hereafter in thy glory  
Evermore with thee to reign.

#### Opening Acclamation

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#### Gloria

*Glory to God*

WLP #900

#### The Collect of the Day

*(from the insert)*

#### The Lesson

Leviticus 19:1-2, 9-18

*(from the insert)*

#### The Psalm

Psalm 119:33-40

*(from the insert)*

#### The Epistle

1 Corinthians 3:10-11, 16-23

*(from the insert)*

#### Sequence Hymn

*Come Down, O Love Divine*

Hymnal #516

1. Come down, O love divine,  
seek thou this soul of mine,  
and visit it with thine own ardor glowing;  
Comforter, draw near, within my heart appear,  
and kindle it, thy holy flame bestowing.
2. O let it freely burn,  
till earthly passions turn  
to dust and ashes in its heat consuming;  
and let thy glorious light shine ever on my sight,  
and clothe me round, the while my path illuming.
3. And so the yearning strong, with which the soul will long,  
shall far outpass the power of human telling;  
for none can guess its grace, till Love create a place  
wherein the Holy Spirit makes a dwelling.

#### The Gospel

Matthew 5:38-48

*(from the insert)*

#### The Sermon

The Rev. Cornelia Eaton

#### The Nicene Creed

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#### Prayers of the People, Form VI

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**Prayer of Confession**  
**The Peace (stand)**  
**Commissioning of Executive Committee**  
**Announcements (8:00)**

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## **The Holy Communion**

**The Offertory Anthem**

*Come, Sing a New Song of Love*

by Mark Cabaniss and  
Janet McMahan-Wilson  
Hymnal #711 (vs. 1)

**Presentation of Gifts**

Seek ye first the kingdom of God and its righteousness,  
and all these things shall be added unto you;  
Allelu, alleluia!

*Refrain*

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! Allelu, alleluia!

**The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A**

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**Sanctus**

*Holy, holy, holy Lord*

WLP #858

**The Lord's Prayer**

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**The Breaking of the Bread**

*All baptized persons are invited to receive communion.*

**Fraction Anthem (2x)**

*Jesus Christ Bread of Life*

Taizé #143

Eat this bread, drink this cup, come to him and never be hungry  
Eat this bread, drink this cup, trust in him and you will not thirst.

**Communion Hymn**

*Jesu, Jesu*

LEVAS #74

*Refrain*

Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love,  
show us how to serve  
the neighbors we have from you.

1. Kneels at the feet of his friends,  
silently washes their feet,  
Master who acts as a slave to them.  
*Refrain*
2. Neighbors are rich and poor,  
neighbors are black and white,  
neighbors are nearby and far away.  
*Refrain*
3. These are the ones we should serve,  
these are the ones we should love;  
all these are neighbors to us and you.  
*Refrain*
4. Loving puts us on our knees,  
serving as though we are slaves;  
this is the way we should live with you.  
*Refrain*
5. Kneel at the feet of our friends,  
silently washing their feet,  
this is the way we should live with you.  
*Refrain*

**Prayer after Communion**

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**Announcements (10:00)**

**The Blessing**

**Recessional Hymn**

*How Firm a Foundation*

Hymnal #637 (Vs. 1-3, 5)

1. How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord,  
is laid for your faith in his excellent word!  
What more can he say than to you he hath said,  
to you that for refuge to Jesus have fled?
2. "Fear not, I am with thee; O be not dismayed!  
For I am thy God, and will still give thee aid;  
I'll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand,  
upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand.
3. "When through the deep waters I call thee to go,  
the rivers of woe shall not thee overflow;  
for I will be with thee, thy troubles to bless,  
and sanctify to thee thy deepest distress.
5. "The soul that to Jesus hath fled for repose,  
I will not, I will not desert to its foes;  
that soul, though all hell shall endeavor to shake,  
I'll never, no, never, no, never forsake."

**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!**

**With your generosity, our mortgage principal is now \$185,000.**

**For electronic giving, go to St. Mark's webpage and set up monthly or one time only donations.**

**Buy your tickets today to the Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner on February 28<sup>th</sup>!!**

**Music provided by piano and sax. \$10 per person or \$40 for family. Donations accepted for Mission Trip.  
5:30 to 7:00 pm**

**Ash Wednesday services at 7:30 am and 7:30 pm**

**Fairfax 10:30 am; Pentagon 12:30 pm**

**Lenten Potluck and Discussion, March 8<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-8:30 pm**

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**2017 Vestry**

Senior Warden: Jim Bailes                      Junior Warden: Rob Bluey  
Treasurer: Eric Bryda (Ex Officio)              Clerk: Wally Tienken

**Worship:** Linda Berg

**Learning:** Donna Anderson, Pam Hamrin (*Children's Education*)  
Rodney Fisher (*Adult Education*)

**Serving:** Kathy Hughes (*Fellowship*), Velma Scott-Boyle (*Evangelism/Newcomers*),

**Operations:** Charlotte Brown (*Communications, Planning*), Wally Tienken (*Finance*),  
Doug Varner (*Stewardship/Building and Grounds*), Ana Ventura (*Outreach*)

Rector – The Rev. John A. Weatherly, Priest Associate – The Rev. Donna L. Foughty – Michaelene Miller,  
The Rev. Cornelia Eaton, Seminarians, Music Director/Organist – Tatiana Andronikova,  
Parish Administrator – Mari Gibson, Sexton – Francisco Robles, Accountant – Mike Morgan,  
Verger – Mrs. Jeanne Shafer

**Worship Service Volunteers**

**LEM**

2/19/17 Pamela Smith/Linda Berg  
2/26/17 Sheryl Sims/Kristina Campbell

**Lectors**

2/19/17 Russell Bradley/Donna Anderson  
2/26/17 Sheryl Sims/Al Dominic

**Intercessor**

2/19/17 Mike Foughty  
2/26/17 Earl Hughes

**Acolytes**

2/19/17 Molly Hamrin/Joanna Wright  
2/26/17 Katherine Larson/Noah Caliendo

**Altar Guild**

2/19/17 Linda Berg/Janet Davis  
2/26/17 Donna Anderson/Kathy Hughes

**Greeters**

2/19/17 Dick and Mary Stockstill  
2/26/17 Wilhelmina Scott-Boyle

**Ushers**

2/19/17 Nihal Masih/Pamela Smith  
2/26/17 Mary Jane Stockstill

**Flower Guild**

2/19/17 Kathy Hughes/Eulie Campbell  
2/26/17 Jackie Cerio/Nell Brill

**Tellers**

2/19/17 David Powers/Irsula Mpouma  
2/26/17 Len Slobodin/Kim Lewis

**Vestry Person**

2/19/17 Donna Anderson (8:00)  
Wally Tienken (10:00)  
2/26/17 Kathy Hughes (10:00)