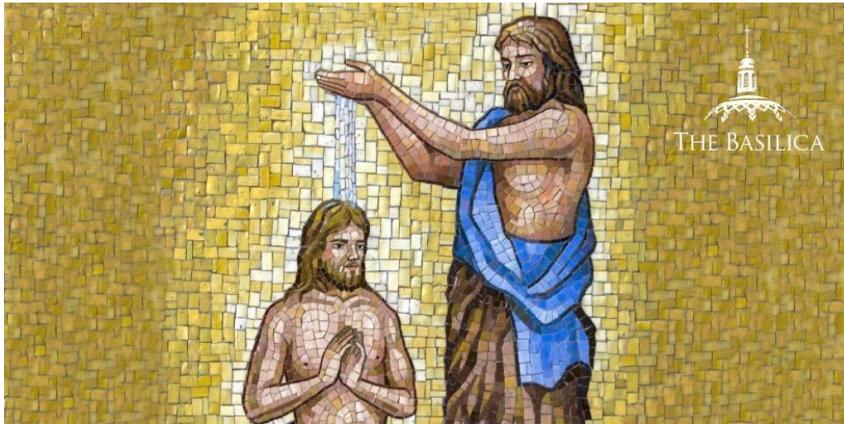




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The First Sunday after the Epiphany The Baptism of Our Lord Jesus Christ

January 8, 2023
8:00 AM

The Rt. Rev. Santosh Marry, Bishop of Easton
The Very Rev. Mark Delcuze, Rector
Dr. Gary Van Essen, Minister of Music
Jane Ford, Family Ministry Coordinator
Brenda Faulkner, Parish Administrator

Helpful Guidance

Members: Please wear your name tag located on the magnetic board in the narthex.

Parish Office Information: The regular hours for the parish office are 9 am-3pm Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Please see the calendar for updates and closings.

Receiving Communion: All who seek God and a deeper life in Christ are invited to receive communion, including children. After receiving the wafer, you may eat it and drink a sip of wine from the chalice, or, gently touch your wafer to the wine . If you prefer not to receive, cross your arms over your chest and we will offer a blessing. For those who have difficulty with the steps, please approach the altar area by the side aisles.

Please pray for: Pat Miller, Shelia Savage, Donna Roland, Erika Roof, Anneliese Jones, Sandra & Toddy, Paul Ewell, Lynn Christensen, Steve G., Lenny & Emmy, Susan Fralic, Mark Dillon, Jamal, Anette & Langley Family, Ian, Sherry C., Kim Gillepsie, Warren Stevens, Betty Brier, Tom H. & Chris, Richard Thomas, Sally H., Gillian Ferguson, Bill Ogden (RIP)-Ogden Family, Brenda Sparks, Chet Knight (RIP), Tom Collier (RIP)-Collier Family, Caden Link, Buddy Artis, Shirley Jacobs, Edie Kyle, Bo R., Linny Sherbert, Joanne Buck, Helen & Bud, Patricia Chandler, Karen S., Don, Jeffrey Thomas, Paul DeFilippes, Theresa & Alain, Sue Robbins, Brenda R., Gordon, Hazel & Chris Wright, Shirley Jacobs, Sharon McCain, Jamal L., Bob Lipsner, Bob Smith (RIP), Addi Angelmire (RIP), Julie, Joey Walbert, The Nelsons, The Englemyers, Peg Daw, Lorraine Aaron, Bishop San, Nancy Hall

Prayer Requests can be sent to prayer@ccpki.org

Serving Today

Eucharistic Ministers: Charlie Mead

Lectors: Cathy Smith, Maria Jones

Ushers: Eric Hummel, Linette Hummel

Altar Guild: Lynne Shand, Betsy Sipes, Patti Snyder, Ruthanne Herold

Counters: Leslie Schneider, Liza Hamill

The Holy Eucharist: Rite One

The Word of God

Welcome	The Very Rev. Mark S. Delcuze
Prelude	arr. Young
+Processional Hymn	Hymnal #121
	“O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee”
	Christ, when for us you were baptized
	vss. 1, 2, & 4
+Opening Sentences	BCP pg 323
*The Summary of the Law	BCP pg 324
*The Collect of the Day	Bulletin
The First Lesson and Psalm	Bulletin
The Epistle	Bulletin
+The Gospel	Bulletin
The Homily	The Very Rev. Mark S. Delcuze
+The Baptismal Covenant	BCP pg 304
*The Prayers of the People	BCP pg 328
*Confession	BCP pg 331
*Absolution	BCP pg 332
+The Peace	

The Holy Communion

The Offertory		
+The Great Thanksgiving	Eucharistic Prayer II	BCP pg 340
*The Lord’s Prayer		BCP pg 336
*Breaking of the Bread		BCP pg 337
Communion		
*Post-Communion Prayer		BCP pg 339
*Blessing		
Announcements		
+Recessional Hymn	Baptized in Water	Bulletin pg 7
+Dismissal		
+Postlude	“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”	arr. Wagner

+The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Father in heaven, who at the baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan proclaimed him your beloved Son and anointed him with the Holy Spirit: Grant that all who are baptized into his Name may keep the covenant they have made, and boldly confess him as Lord and Savior; who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen.**

The First Lesson

Isaiah 42:1-9

Here is my servant, whom I uphold, my chosen, in whom my soul delights; I have put my spirit upon him; he will bring forth justice to the nations. He will not cry or lift up his voice, or make it heard in the street; a bruised reed he will not break, and a dimly burning wick he will not quench; he will faithfully bring forth justice. He will not grow faint or be crushed until he has established justice in the earth; and the coastlands wait for his teaching. Thus says God, the Lord, who created the heavens and stretched them out, who spread out the earth and what comes from it, who gives breath to the people upon it and spirit to those who walk in it: I am the Lord, I have called you in righteousness, I have taken you by the hand and kept you; I have given you as a covenant to the people, a light to the nations, to open the eyes that are blind, to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon, from the prison those who sit in darkness. I am the Lord, that is my name; my glory I give to no other, nor my praise to idols. See, the former things have come to pass, and new things I now declare; before they spring forth, I tell you of them.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God**

The Psalm

Psalm 29

Read responsively by verse

- 1 Ascribe to the LORD, you gods, *
ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.
- 2 **Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his Name; *
worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness.**
- 3 The voice of the LORD is upon the waters;
the God of glory thunders; *
the LORD is upon the mighty waters.
- 4 **The voice of the LORD is a powerful voice; *
the voice of the LORD is a voice of splendor.**
- 5 The voice of the LORD breaks the cedar trees; *
the LORD breaks the cedars of Lebanon;
- 6 **He makes Lebanon skip like a calf, *
and Mount Hermon like a young wild ox.**
- 7 The voice of the LORD splits the flames of fire;
the voice of the LORD shakes the wilderness; *
the LORD shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.
- 8 **The voice of the LORD makes the oak trees writhe *
and strips the forests bare.**
- 9 And in the temple of the LORD *
all are crying, "Glory!"
- 10 **The LORD sits enthroned above the flood; *
the LORD sits enthroned as King for evermore.**
- 11 The LORD shall give strength to his people; *
the LORD shall give his people the blessing of peace.

The Epistle

Acts 10:34-43

Peter began to speak to them: “I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ--he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.”

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God**

+The Gospel

Matthew 3:13-17

Please turn to face the Celebrant

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

People **Glory to you Lord Christ**

Jesus came from Galilee to John at the Jordan, to be baptized by him. John would have prevented him, saying, "I need to be baptized by you, and do you come to me?" But Jesus answered him, "Let it be so now; for it is proper for us in this way to fulfill all righteousness." Then he consented. And when Jesus had been baptized, just as he came up from the water, suddenly the heavens were opened to him and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and alighting on him. And a voice from heaven said, "This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased."

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord

People **Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

+Recessional Hymn

Baptized in Water



1. Bap-tized in wa - ter, sealed by the Spir - it, cleansed by the
2. Bap-tized in wa - ter, sealed by the Spir - it, dead in the
3. Bap-tized in wa - ter, sealed by the Spir - it, marked with the



blood of Christ, our King; heirs of sal - va - tion, trust-ing his
tomb with Christ, our King; one with his ris - ing, freed and for -
sign of Christ, our King; born of one Fa - ther, we are his



prom - ise, faith - ful - ly now God's prais-es we sing.
giv - en, thank-ful - ly now God's prais-es we sing.
chil - dren, joy - ful - ly now God's prais-es we sing.

WORDS: Michael Saward (Rom. 6:3-5)
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Christ Church Parish Annual Meeting

11:15AM

Sunday, January 22, 2023

ONE WORSHIP SERVICE

10:00AM

- * CELEBRATING 2022-LOOKING FORWARD
TO 2023
- * FINANCIAL AND OPERATING REPORTS
- * ELECTION OF NEW VESTRY MEMBERS
- * LUNCH & FELLOWSHIP TO FOLLOW