

# **ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

## **LAST SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY**

**February 15, 2026**

**8 AM (no music) and 10:15 AM (with music)**

## **THE HOLY EUCHARIST**



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**Prelude:** Prelude in C Major

Buxtehude

*The ringing of the bell signals that our worship is about to begin.  
Please stand as you are able.*

**Opening Hymn #129 “Christ upon the Mountain Peak”**

*Mowsley*

### **THE SERVICE OF THE WORD**

**Welcome**

**Opening Acclamation**

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**The Collect for Purity**

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**The Gloria #S278**

William Matthias

**The Collect of the Day**

**O God, who before the passion of your only begotten Son revealed his glory upon the holy mountain: Grant to us that we, beholding by faith the light of his countenance, may be strengthened to bear our cross, and be changed into his likeness from glory to glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.***

**A Reading from the Book of Exodus (24:12-18) Katharine Benziger/Mark Durham**

The LORD said to Moses, “Come up to me on the mountain, and wait there; and I will give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the commandment, which I have written for their instruction.” So, Moses set out with his assistant Joshua, and Moses went up into the mountain of God. To the elders he had said, “Wait here for us, until we come to you again; for Aaron and Hur are with you; whoever has a dispute may go to them.”

Then Moses went up on the mountain, and the cloud covered the mountain. The glory of the LORD settled on Mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it for six days; on the seventh day he called to Moses out of the cloud. Now the appearance of the glory of the LORD was like a devouring fire on the top of the mountain in the sight of

the people of Israel. Moses entered the cloud and went up on the mountain.  
Moses was on the mountain for forty days and forty nights.

Reader:           The Word of the Lord

People:           **Thanks be to God**

**The Psalm appointed for today is Psalm 2. We will read it responsively by half verse.**

- 1 The LORD is King;  
let the people tremble; \*  
**he is enthroned upon the cherubim;**  
**let the earth shake.**
- 2 The LORD is great in Zion; \*  
**he is high above all peoples.**
- 3 Let them confess his Name, which is great and awesome; \*  
**he is the Holy One.**
- 4 "O mighty King, lover of justice,  
you have established equity; \*  
**you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob."**
- 5 Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God  
and fall down before his footstool; \*  
**he is the Holy One.**
- 6 Moses and Aaron among his priests,  
and Samuel among those who call upon his Name, \*  
**they called upon the LORD, and he answered them.**
- 7 He spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud; \*  
**they kept his testimonies and the decree that he gave them.**
- 8 O LORD our God, you answered them indeed; \*  
**you were a God who forgave them,**  
**yet punished them for their evil deeds.**
- 9 Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God  
and worship him upon his holy hill; \*  
**for the LORD our God is the Holy One**

**A Reading from the Second Letter of Peter (1:16-21) Katharine Benziger/  
Barbara Tuzio**

We did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty. For he received honor and glory from God the Father when that voice was conveyed to him by the Majestic Glory, saying, "This is my Son, my Beloved, with whom I am well pleased." We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven, while we were with him on the holy mountain.

So, we have the prophetic message more fully confirmed. You will do well to be attentive to this as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts. First of all, you must understand this, that no prophecy of scripture is a matter of one's own interpretation, because no prophecy ever came by human will, but men and women moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**Gradual: "Lord Jesus, What a Wonder" (vs. 1-2)**

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Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew (17:1-9)

**People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. Then Peter said to Jesus, "Lord, it is good for us to be here; if you wish, I will make three dwellings here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." While he was still speaking, suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud a voice said, "This is my Son, the Beloved; with him I am well pleased; listen to him!" When the disciples heard this, they fell to the ground and were overcome by fear. But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Get up and do not be afraid." And when they looked up, they saw no one except Jesus himself alone.

As they were coming down the mountain, Jesus ordered them, "Tell no one about the vision until after the Son of Man has been raised from the dead."

**Celebrant:** The Gospel of the Lord.

**People:** Praise to you, Lord Christ.

**Gradual: "Lord Jesus, What a Wonder" (vs. 3-4)**

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**The Sermon**

The Rev. Kathryn L. King

**Nicene Creed**

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**The Prayers of the People - Form 4**

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*(Please offer names at the appropriate bidding in the prayers)*

For those who suffer from any sickness, grief or trouble, especially Phyllis & Ed K., Dick Hewson, Pat P., James Spencer Burwinkle, Chris K., Katie, Mark Smith, Greta S., Anita B., Marianne S., Laura R., Iryna Zarutsky, Len, Martha, Francis Shaughnessy, Donna, Sabina, Jen, Joyce L., Roseanne & Thomas S., Nancy, Henry, Barb, Greg, Laurie, Karen, Sgt. Billy Huether, John, and Dick.

For those who will celebrate birthdays this week, especially Penny Witt.

**The Confession & Absolution**

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**The Peace**

*Please share the peace with those in your pew and a distanced greeting with others.*

**The Offering**

**Offertory Anthem:** *If Ye Love Me*

Thomas Tallis

**Doxology**

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow.**

**Praise him all creatures here below.**

**Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host.**

**Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

**The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A**

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**Sanctus #S125**

Richard Proulx

**The Lord's Prayer**

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**Fraction #S164**

Richard Proulx



### **The Communion of the People**

*All are welcome to receive Communion. If you are unable to go to the Altar, please notify an Usher. Communion will be brought to you. Those who desire to receive the wine may do so by intinction, which is to dip the host into the consecrated wine. It is available to all but required of none.*

**Communion Hymn: #662 "Abide with Me"**

*Eventide*

**The Post-Communion Prayer**

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**The Blessing**

**Closing Hymn #523 "Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken"**

*Abbot's Leigh*

### **The Dismissal**

**Celebrant:** Let us bless the Lord. Alleluia.

**People:** **Thanks be to God. Alleluia.**

**Postlude:** *Chorale Prelude on Abbot's Leigh*

Cherwien



*The Altar flowers are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of John T. Griffin by Edwin Griffin.*



*The Sanctuary Candle is giving to the Glory of God and in celebration of Irene Slamka's 90<sup>th</sup> birthday by Janet Buonagura.*

## Service Participants

Celebrant: The Rev. Kathryn L. King  
Verger: Clayton Smith  
Chalice: Rick Hager  
Acolytes: 8:00 10:15  
Lectors: 8:00 Katharine Benziger 10:15 Mark Durham, Barbara Tuzio  
Ushers: Frank Mulligan  
Organist: John Milas  
Altar Guild: Janice Keifer, Hilary Morse  
Hospitality: Meg & Steve Beresik Pancake Breakfast



## Announcements



2/17 Mardi Gras Celebration 6:00 PM

2/18 Ash Wednesday  
“Ashes on the Go”  
10:00 AM & 7:00 PM Services

2/19 Lenten Series 2026 Begins 6 PM

2/21 “The Grace of Les Miserables” movie screening

2/23 Evening Prayer @ 5:30 PM begins  
(Mon. & Fri. nights through the Lenten Season)

2/25 Women’s Guild Friendship Dinner  
@ Off Shore 5:30 PM

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***Pledge Status Report: 2026 Pledges total \$166,213.00***

***202 Pledges collected as of 2/8/2026 \$ 36,887.00***

***2026 Pledges still outstanding \$129,376.00***

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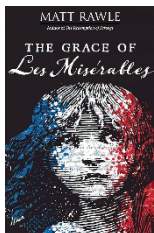


**St Gregory's Pantry Donations:** Suggested items for the month of February .... Paper products – toilet paper, paper towels, napkins and tissues. Snacks for the kids and microwaveable food items.



## All Saints Mardi Gras Celebration

February 17<sup>th</sup> at 6 PM. Wear your Purple, Gold, & Green. Great food and sweets.



## Lenten Series 2026 – “*The Grace of Les Misérables*”.

Begins at 6 PM with a simple supper and ends by 7:30 with Compline. Please sign up to take a turn providing soup & bread. 2/29, 2/26, 3/5, 3/12, & 3/26.



**Women's Guild Friendship Dinner – *Wednesday 2/25*, 5:30 PM @ The Off Shore Restaurant, 225 Ocean Ave., in Pt. Pleasant Beach.** Please **RSVP by Feb. 20<sup>th</sup>** to Jo (908) 591-4741 (individual checks)



**Attention All 10:15 Lectors, Acolytes, Eucharistic Ministers, and USHERS**

please use the Sign Up Genius to participate in services. This is a great way for the office to know who will be working at each service. If you do not use a computer or email and wish to serve, please let Robin know which

dates, and she will fill it in for you. **There are many slots available in February – March.**



**Don't miss your opportunity to dedicate a choir anthem.** Speak with John Milas to choose your selection.



**Seeking Eucharistic Ministers** - Would you like to serve at the altar and help with distributing the sacrament to your family of faith? We are seeking additional members who feel called to training and service as Eucharistic Ministers. Please speak with Clayton Smith or Rev. King.



**Coffee Hour Hosts Needed!** Please sign up and take a turn hosting Coffee Hour. Wayne Morse has agreed to take on coordinating this vital welcome ministry. It is very easy, and there is help available in making coffee, putting out food, etc. You provide some snacks and serve as host(s).



**Altar Flower Dedications:** Everyone is invited to choose a Sunday to provide flowers for our altar, either in celebration of a happy event or in memory of a loved one. If you would like to participate, there is a flower book on the table in the narthex, choose the date you would like and fill in the dedication information requested. The cost for weekly flowers is \$70.

If you have a special flower color request, please note this on the information sheet.

[All Saints Donations](#)

**If you would like to make a donation to All Saints Church, please use your smartphone camera to scan the QR code shown at right.**



# Lord Jesus, What A Wonder

## NYLAND

Carolyn Winfrey Gillette



Lord Je - sus, what a won - der and what a glo - rious sight,  
 We won - der at your glo - ry; God's ra - dianceshone in you!  
 We build great halls and church - es In ho - nor of your name.  
 O Je - sus, may we lis - ten and hear your call once more

as pre - sent, past and fu - ture to - ge - ther came to light.  
 Yet part of this great sto - ry is what God said to do.  
 We sing your joy - ful prais - es, a - gain, to do the same.  
 to love and care and wel - come, to serve the lost and poor.

There, James and John and Pe - ter saw in a whole new way  
 A voice came down from hea - ven. "Here's my be - lo - ved Son.  
 Yet we have trou - ble lis - ten - ing to words of love you taught.  
 May we speak up for jus - tice and show com - pas - sion too.

your ho - li - ness and splen - dor, and God's new com - ing day.  
 I'm pleased with him. So lis - ten! yet, Christ, what have we done?  
 So now your world is suff - ring and peo - ple are dis - traught.  
 When love be - comes our prac - tice, that's how we'll ho - nor you.

**Rector**

The Reverend Kathryn L. King

**Priest Associate**

The Reverend Mary Frances Schjonberg

**Minister of Music**

John Milas, AAGO, ChM

**Parish Administrator**

Robin Beaudry

**Sexton**

Jeanette Caldwell

**Treasurer**

Larry Kyse

**Bookkeeper**

Cheryl Smith

**Senior Warden**

Christine Kyse '27

**Junior Wardens**

Chad Newsome '28    Jane White '27

**Vestry**

Meg Beresik '29                      Michael Ling '27

Hilary Morse '28                      Jo Patrone '27

Clayton Smith '28                      Penny Witt '29



**IMPORTANT NOTIFICATION: SCAM ALERT** - Please remember that neither Kathryn nor anyone at All Saints will ever ask you to purchase gift cards, send money, or make purchases on their behalf via email or text. If you receive such a request, please contact the parish office so we can notify the rest of our parish family.