

—The Episcopal Parish of —
**St. Mark
& St. Paul**
—On the Mountain —

Formerly Otey Memorial Parish

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First Sunday of Lent

March 6, 2022

The Holy Eucharist, Rite II

*The 8:30 service is open to those who are fully vaccinated for COVID;
the 11am service is open to all. Masking is required indoors for ages 2 and up.*

*Rest rooms are available in Claiborne Parish House,
the building directly behind the church.*

Prelude

The Great Litany

Holy God, Creator of heaven and earth,

Have mercy on us.

Holy and Mighty, Redeemer of the world,

Have mercy on us.

Holy Immortal One, Sanctifier of the faithful,

Have mercy on us.

Holy, blessed and glorious Trinity, One God,

Have mercy on us.

From all evil and mischief; from pride, vanity and hypocrisy; from envy, hatred and malice; and from all evil intent,

Savior deliver us.

From sloth, worldliness and love of money; from hardness of heart and contempt for your word and your laws,

Savior deliver us.

From sins of body and mind; from deceits of the world, flesh and the devil,

Savior deliver us.

From famine and disaster; from violence, murder, and dying unprepared,

Savior deliver us.

In all times of sorrow; in all times of joy; in the hour of our death and at the day of judgment,

Savior deliver us.

By the mystery of your holy incarnation; by your birth, childhood and obedience; by your baptism, fasting and temptation,

Savior deliver us.

By your ministry in word and work; by your mighty acts of power; by the preaching of your reign,

Savior deliver us.

By your agony and trial; by your cross and passion; by your precious death and burial,

Savior deliver us.

By your mighty resurrection; by your glorious ascension; and by your sending of the Holy Spirit,

Savior deliver us.

Hear our prayers, O Christ our God.

Hear us, O Christ.

Govern and direct your holy Church; fill it with love and truth; and grant it that unity which is your will.

Hear us, O Christ.

Give us boldness to preach the gospel in all the world, and to make disciples of all the nations.

Hear us, O Christ.

Enlighten your bishops, priests and deacons (especially _____) with knowledge and understanding, that by their teaching and their lives they may proclaim your word.

Hear us, O Christ.

Give your people grace to witness to your word and bring forth the fruit of your Spirit.

Hear us, O Christ.

Bring into the way of truth all who have erred and are deceived.

Hear us, O Christ.

Strengthen those who stand; comfort and help the fainthearted; raise up the fallen; and finally beat down Satan under our feet.

Hear us, O Christ.

Guide the leaders of the nations into the ways of peace and justice.

Hear us, O Christ.

Give your wisdom and strength to Joe, the President of the United States, Bill, the Governor of this state, that in all things they may do your will, for your glory and the common good.

Hear us, O Christ.

Give to the Congress of the United States, the members of the President's Cabinet, those who serve in our state legislature, and all others in authority the grace to walk always in the ways of truth.

Hear us, O Christ.

Bless the justices of the Supreme Court and all those who administer the law, that they may act with integrity and do justice for all your people.

Hear us, O Christ.

Give us the will to use the resources of the earth to your glory and for the good of all.

Hear us, O Christ.

Bless and keep all your people,

Hear us, O Christ.

Comfort and liberate the lonely, the bereaved and the oppressed.

Hear us, O Christ.

Keep in safety those who travel and all who are in peril.

Hear us, O Christ.

Heal the sick in body, mind or spirit especially Paul, Sue, David, George, Noël, John, George, Jennifer, those suffering from Covid 15 and the people of Ukraine

Hear us, O Christ.

Guard and protect all children who are in danger.

Hear us, O Christ.

Shower your compassion on prisoners, hostages and refugees, and all who are in trouble.

Hear us, O Christ.

Forgive our enemies, persecutors and slanderers, and turn their hearts.

Hear us, O Christ.

Hear us as we remember those who have died and grant us with them a share in your eternal glory.

Hear us, O Christ.

Give us true repentance; forgive us our sins of negligence and ignorance and our deliberate sins; and grant us the grace of your Holy Spirit to amend our lives according to your word.

Holy God,

**Holy and Mighty,
Holy Immortal One,
Have mercy on us.**

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Let us pray.

Collect of the Day (*insert*)

First Reading: Deuteronomy 26:1-11 (*insert*)

Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16 (*insert*)

Second Reading: Romans 10:8b-13 (*insert*)

Gospel: Luke 4:1-13 (*insert*)

Sermon

Meghan Mazur

The Nicene Creed

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Confession of Sin

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The Peace (maintaining distance between households)

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The Great Thanksgiving (Eucharistic Prayer A)

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Sanctus: S 124 (blue hymnal)

The Lord's Prayer (Contemporary)

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins

as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen.

Communion of the People

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Communion. Anyone may come forward to receive a blessing, indicated by crossing your arms across your chest. Gluten-free wafers are available; simply ask the priest. Please keep your mask on as you receive the consecrated bread in your hands. One person per household is invited to pick up a chalice of consecrated wine to share. When you return to your seat, please remove your mask, consume the Sacrament, and put your mask back on, then return the chalice after the service.

Sending Forth of Eucharistic Visitors (*when needed*)

(in unison) In the name of this parish, we send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood. We who are many are one body, because we all share one bread, one cup.

Hymn 150: “Forty days and forty nights” (*Aus der Tiefe rufe ich*)

Prayer over the People

Dismissal

Postlude

Vestry of the Day—Diane Jones

Altar Guild – Barbara Prunty, Lynda Gotko

Bread Baker— Julia Bates

Tellers—Susan Holmes, Neil Patterson

8:30 am service

Server — Robin Bates

Readers – Diane Jones, Phil White

Usher(s) -- Jerry White

11:00 am service

Julia Bates

Amy Patterson, Isabel Patterson

Amy Patterson, Neil Patterson

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: The Anglican Church of Korea

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: St. Mary Magdalene Church, Fayetteville and St. Andrew’s-Sewanee School, Sewanee

Prayer Requests: Paul Cahoon, Sue Hawkins, David Kearley, George Lynch, Noël McLaughlin, John Noland, George Ramseur, Jennifer Sturgis Cummings, those suffering from COVID-19, and the people of Ukraine.

Birthdays: Tom Howick, Mary Blount, Elliott Benson, James Mazur, Olivia Howard, Luke Winkler, Elizabeth Mills

8:30 am Holy Eucharist in the church for those fully vaccinated plus at least 2 weeks. Masking is required indoors. **The 8:30 am service is also livestreamed** on our Facebook page and remains available there afterward.

11:00am Holy Eucharist for all in the church. Masking required for ages 2 and up.

Sunday Forum, 9:45-10:45am in Kennerly Hall, the main gathering space in the parish house behind the church, with masks required. The forum also streams on our Facebook Page. Our theme is “A Year with St. Mark & St. Paul” and explores Christian life in light of our previous and present/future patrons. **This Sunday**— **Yuri Rodriguez**, postulant for Holy Orders from the Diocese of Indianapolis and seminarian in the School of Theology. In her presentation on “Decolonizing Church Music,” Yuri will be sharing some of the findings from her own research work on the songbooks commonly used in Latinx Ministries of the Episcopal Church in the United States, and her experience bridging this with the mainstream tradition. She will also talk about some of the lessons we learned on music during pandemic and how that can inform the process of decolonizing music.

Youth Sunday School: 9:45-10:45am on the upstairs porch of Brooks Hall and in the upstairs youth room.

Godly Play for Children: Two Montessori-based classes meet 9:45-10:45am inside with open windows and masks. We will go to the playground afterward, weather permitting.

During the season of Lent, children will learn a story series called Faces of Easter. This story begins with the birth of Christ and continues through the resurrection.

Nursery: Sunday mornings 9:30 am until noon. Infants and small children are invited to gather downstairs to form relationships and have fun! The nursery room is in the basement of the parish hall (in Sewanee Children’s Center). Masks are required indoors for those age 2 and above. The children will be

taken outside in nice weather.

CAC serves those in need with food and in other ways 9 to 11am, Monday through Friday. Please call 931-598-5927.

Home Communion is available from the clergy and lay Eucharistic Visitors; please contact Deacon Betty Carpenter at deacon@stmarkstpaul.org.

Wherever the River Goes Lenten Program: For four Wednesday evenings in Lent (March 9, 16, 23, and 30), the parish will host Wherever the River Goes, a faith-based reflection on the Tennessee Aquarium's feature-length documentary Hidden Rivers of Southern Appalachia. The hybrid series will be offered in person (Kennerly Hall) and via Zoom at this link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84448507284?pwd=TXpwZm1hSWxwb3F1TlQxWmJMOERVUT09>
Meeting ID: 844 4850 728; Passcode: hidden

Lenten Reading: During Lent, parishioners are invited to read and reflect on *Blessed Is She* by Tim Perry. On Wednesday, April 6, you are invited to Kennerly Hall from 6:30-7:30pm to reflect on what we learned from this book. Karen Meridith will facilitate the discussion. You can also join the discussion via Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82364023990?pwd=SHBpakFYQUFGRIZUOHNLm1pZWk5YZz09>
Meeting ID: 823 6402 3990; Passcode: blessed. The book can be purchased online at ChurchPublishing.org: [Blessed Is She](http://BlessedIsShe.com), or through Amazon or the campus bookstore.

The mission of the Parish of St. Mark & St. Paul is

to worship God,
to proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ,
to serve the world for which Christ died,
to educate and nurture our community,
and welcome all.

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