



ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

FIRST SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS DAY
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 30, 2018

8:00 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST



OUR MISSION:

We are called to be disciples of Christ,
revealing His Life, Love and Light to the World.

OUR VISION:

St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church is a radically welcoming, inclusive faith family – sharing and teaching the love of Jesus Christ through our worship, actions and outreach: transforming ourselves and the world.

Welcome to St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church!

Welcome! Your presence with us is a perfect gift from God. Thank you for being here! We pray that you are fed personally and spiritually here in Word and Sacrament. If today is your first visit, please introduce yourself at the Welcome Banner on the patio and say hello to one of the clergy.

After receiving Communion, you are invited to bring your prayer needs to an Order of St. Luke's member. They can be identified by their blue stoles.

Please wear your name tag. (Order forms are in the narthex).

Please silence your mobile phone.

We hope you will join us again for our weekly liturgies and special events:

Wednesdays, 11:00 a.m. - Prayerful Pause for Meditation
Saturdays, 5:00 p.m. - Holy Eucharist in the Celtic Tradition
Sundays, 8:00 a.m. and 10:15 a.m. - Holy Eucharist
First Sunday of each month, 4:00 p.m. - Choral Evensong

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PRELUDE

WELCOME

PROCESSIONAL HYMN (*Sung by all*)

“Once in Royal David’s City”

Irby

1 Once in roy - al Da - vid's cit - y stood a low - ly cat - tle
2 He came down to earth from heav - en who is God and Lord of
3 Je - sus is our child - hood's pat - tern, day by day like us he
4 And our eyes at last shall see him, through his own re - deem - ing

shed, where a moth - er laid her ba - by in a
all, and his shel - ter was a sta - ble, and his
grew; he was lit - tle, weak, and help - less, tears and
love; for that child, so dear and gen - tle, is our

man - ger for his bed: Ma - ry was that moth - er
cra - dle was a stall: with the poor and meek and
smiles like us he knew: and he feels for all our
Lord in heaven a - bove: and he leads his chil - dren

mild, Je - sus Christ her lit - tle child.
low - ly lived on earth, our Sav - ior ho - ly.
sad - ness, and he shares in all our glad - ness.
on to the place where he has gone.

Presider Blessed be God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
People **And blessed be God's kingdom now and forever. Amen.**
Presider There is one Body and one Spirit;
People **There is one hope in God's call to us;**
Presider One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;
People **One God and Father of all.**

CHRISTMAS GLORIA (*Sung by all*)

Gloria

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It consists of three systems of music, each with a vocal line on a treble clef staff and a piano accompaniment on a bass clef staff. The lyrics are: "Glo - - - - - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o! Glo - - - - - ri - a in ex - cel - sis De - o!". The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords that support the vocal melody.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider God be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Presider Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have given your only-begotten Son to take our nature upon him, and to be born this day of a pure virgin: Grant that we, who have been born again and made your children by adoption and grace, may daily be renewed by your Holy Spirit; through our Lord Jesus Christ, to whom with you and the same Spirit be honor and glory, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Please be seated for the readings.

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

FIRST LESSON

1 Samuel 2: 18-20, 26

At the conclusion of the reading:

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 148 (*Refrain sung first by cantor, then by all*)



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SECOND LESSON

Colossians 3: 12-17

At the conclusion of the reading:

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand as able for the Gospel procession.

GRADUAL HYMN

The First Nowell

No - well, No - well, No - well, No - well, Born is the King of Is - ra - el,

No - well, No - well, No - well, No - well,
No - well, No - well, No - well, No - well,

Born is the King of Is - - ra - el!
Born is the King of Is - ra - el!

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Luke 2: 41-52

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.
People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

At the conclusion of the Gospel:

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

No - well, No - well, No - well, No - well, Born is the King of Is - ra - el,

No - well, No - well, No - well, No - well,

Born is the King of Is - - ra - el!

SERMON

The Reverend William Zettinger

Please stand as able.

THE RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL VOWS

Presider Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil and renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?
People **I do.**

Presider Do you believe in God the Father?
People **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Presider Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?
People **I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.**

**He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

Presider Do you believe in the Holy Spirit?
People **I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.**

Presider Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Presider Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People **I will with God's help.**

Presider Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Presider Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Presider Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

People **I will, with God's help.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

After each intercession:

Reader This day and always.

People **Christ, be our light.**

THE PEACE

Presider Unto us a child is born; unto us a son is given; and his name is called the Prince of Peace.
The Peace of the Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Please greet each other in the Name of the Lord. Following the Peace, please be seated.

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

OFFERTORY MUSIC

Please stand as able as our offerings are brought forth.

DOXOLOGY (Sung by all)

Greensleeves

So bring him in - cense, gold, and myrrh, come, pea-sant king to own him. The

King of Kings sal - va - tion brings; let lov - ing hearts en-throne him.

This, this is Christ the King, whom shep-herds guard and an - gels sing;

Haste, haste to bring him laud, the Babe, the Son of Ma - ry.

Text: William Chatterton Dix, ca. 1865, Music: English melody, 16th c., harm. attrib. John Stainer 1871.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING
(The Book of Common Prayer, Eucharistic Prayer B)

Presider The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Presider Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them to the Lord.**
Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

It is a right, good, and joyful thing ...

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

SANCTUS

The musical notation is in 4/4 time and consists of two staves. The first staff contains the lyrics: "San - to, San - to, San - to, mi cor - a - zon te a - do - ra!". Above the notes are chord symbols: C, G, C(sus4), C, F, and C. The second staff contains the lyrics: "My heart is glad to say the words: you are ho - ly, Lord.". Above the notes are chord symbols: F, G/F, F, C, C/B, Am, F, G, and C. The music is written in a simple, accessible style with a treble clef.

We give thanks to you, O God ...
Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

**We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory.**

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you ...

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

And now, as Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Presider He who was first held by Mary is held for us in this Bread.
People He whose body was laid in a manger, is cradled in this cup.

Following the Presider's invitation to Communion, please be seated.

COMMUNION HYMNS (sung by all) "In The Bleak Midwinter"

Cranham

1 In the bleak mid-winter, frost-y wind made moan,
2 Our God, heaven can-not hold him, nor earth sus-tain;
3 An-gels and arch-an-gels may have gath-ered there,
4 What can I give him, poor as I am?

earth stood hard as i-ron, wa-ter like a stone;
heaven and earth shall flee a-way when he comes to reign:
cher-u-bim and ser-a-phim thronged the air;
If I were a shep-herd, I would bring a lamb;

snow had fall-en, snow on snow, snow on snow,
in the bleak mid-winter a sta-ble-place suf-ficed
but his moth-er on-ly, in her maid-en bliss,
if I were a wise man, I would do my part;

in the bleak mid-winter, long a-go.
the Lord God in-car-nate, Je-sus Christ.
wor-shipped the Be-lov-ed with a kiss.
yet what I can I give him: give my heart.

“O Little Town Of Bethlehem”

St. Louis

1 O lit - tle town of Beth - le - hem, how still we see thee lie!
2 For Christ is born of Ma - ry, and gath - ered all a - bove,
3 How si - lent - ly, how si - lent - ly the won - drous gift is given!
4 O ho - ly Child of Beth - le - hem, de - scend to us, we pray;

A - bove thy deep and dream-less sleep the si - lent stars go by.
while mor - tals sleep, the an - gels keep their watch of won - dering love,
So God im - parts to hu - man hearts the bless - ings of his heaven.
cast out our sin, and en - ter in; be born in us to - day.

Yet in thy dark streets shin - eth the ev - er - last - ing Light;
O morn - ing stars, to - geth - er pro - claim the ho - ly birth,
No ear may hear his com - ing, but in this world of sin,
We hear the Christ - mas an - gels the great glad ti - dings tell;

the hopes and fears of all the years are met in thee to - night.
and prais - es sing to God the King, and peace to all on earth.
where meek souls will re - ceive him still the dear Christ en - ters in.
O come to us, a - bide with us, our Lord Em - man - u - el.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

God our Father, whose Word has come among us in the Holy Child of Bethlehem: may the light of faith illumine our hearts and shine in our words and deeds; through him who is Christ the Lord. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BLESSINGS OF BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Watch over your *children*, O Lord, as *their* days increase; bless and guide *them* wherever *they* may be. Strengthen *them* when *they* stand; comfort *them* when discouraged or sorrowful; raise *them* up if *they* fall; and in *their* hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of *their* lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Please stand as able.

THE BLESSING

May the joy of the angels, the eagerness of the shepherds, the perseverance of the wise men, the obedience of Joseph and Mary, and the peace of the Christ child be yours this Christmas; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. Amen.

CLOSING HYMN

“Hark! The Herald-Angels Sing”

Mendelssohn

F C Am B^b F/C C F

1 Hark! the her - ald an - gels sing, “Glo - ry to the new - born King;
 2 Christ, by high - est heaven a - dored, Christ, the ev - er - last - ing Lord!
 3 Hail the heaven - born Prince of Peace! Hail the Sun of Right - eous - ness!

Dm7 G7 C Fmaj7 G7 C

peace on earth and mer - cy mild, God and sin - ners rec - on - ciled!”
 Late in time be - hold him come, off - spring of the vir - gin’s womb.
 Light and life to all he brings, risen with heal - ing in his wings.

F F/C C F F/C C

Joy - ful, all ye na - tions, rise; join the tri - umph of the skies;
 Veiled in flesh the God - head see; hail the in - car - nate De - i - ty,
 Mild, he lays his glo - ry by, born that we no more may die,

B^b D Gm C7 F C F

with the an - gel - ic hosts pro - claim, “Christ is born in Beth - le - hem!”
 pleased as man with us to dwell, Je - sus, our Im - man - u - el.
 born to raise us from the earth, born to give us sec - ond birth.

Refrain B^b D Gm C7 F C7 F

Hark! the her - ald an - gels sing, “Glo - ry to the new - born King!”

THE DISMISSAL

Deacon Go forth in the peace of Christ! Alleluia!
People **Thanks be to God! Alleluia!**

POSTLUDE

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