

CHURCH SCHOOL

Adult Classes:

Sunday Forum

Science and Religion "A Green Earth"

Led by Dr. Ellen F. Davis, and Panel (Jim Lowe, Scott Massey and Joyce Wilding) (Parish Hall)

Centering Prayer

No meeting today.

Faith & Family Matters

Led by Anna and Tom Noser (810 Broadway Building)

Topics for Christian Reflection

No class today.

On Islam: A Book Study

The First Islamic Generations (Chapter 2)

Led by Dan Schafer (Chapel)

Children's Classes

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Age 3 (as of 08/15/14) through 1st grade—Cheek Hall
2nd through 5th grade—Cathedral Annex Building

Youth Classes:

6th-12th grades (810 Broadway Building)

SERMON NOTES:

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, February 15

Last Sunday after the Epiphany

7:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite I

7:30-8:30 a.m. – Breakfast

8:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite II

9:45 a.m. – Christian Education

11:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite II

12:20 p.m. – Coffee Minute

MONDAY, February 16

7:15 a.m. – Morning Prayer

12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist

4:15 p.m. – Junior Choristers

TUESDAY, February 17

7:00 a.m. – Cathedral Men's Breakfast

7:15 a.m. – Morning Prayer

9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. – CGS Level II Training

12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist

2:00 p.m. – Staff Meeting

5:00-7:00 p.m. – Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

6:00 p.m. – Companions in Christ

WEDNESDAY, February 18

Ash Wednesday

7:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist and the
Imposition of Ashes

8:30 a.m. – EfM

11:00 a.m. – Grants Committee Meeting

12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist and the

Imposition of Ashes

6:00 p.m. – Holy Eucharist and the
Imposition of Ashes

THURSDAY, February 19

7:15 a.m. – Morning Prayer

12:15 p.m. – Centering Prayer

12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist

4:00 p.m. – Scripture, Saints and Song

4:00 p.m. – Liturgy Commission Meeting

5:00 p.m. – Room In The Inn

7:00 p.m. – Cathedral Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY, February 20

7:15 a.m. – Morning Prayer

12:15 p.m. – Holy Eucharist

SATURDAY, February 21

10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. – Evensong Rehearsal

No Cathedral Tours

SUNDAY, February 22

1 Lent

7:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite I

7:30-8:30 a.m. – Breakfast

8:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite II

9:45 a.m. – Christian Education

11:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite II

11:00 a.m. – Good Shepherd Class

12:20 p.m. – Coffee Minute

3:30 p.m. – Pre-Evensong Organ Concert

4:00 p.m. – Solemn Choral Evensong

5:00 p.m. – Reception

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL ORDER OF WORSHIP



LAST SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

FEBRUARY 15, 2015

7:00 a.m.

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Cathedral Parish of the
Diocese of Tennessee (Episcopal)

FOR SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 15 7:00 a.m. HOLY EUCHARIST RITE I

CELEBRANT AND PREACHER

The Reverend Canon Gene B. Manning, *Sub-Dean*

ASSISTING

Molly Short, *Seminarian*

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may be found at christcathedral.org

CATHEDRAL VESTRY

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Scott Hoffman (Senior Warden)
Anna Grimes Noser (Clerk)
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A Center for the Community of the Cross of Nails

To Visitors

Welcome! We are delighted that you have joined us for worship this morning. Page numbers refer to the Book of Common Prayer, which is the red book located in the rack on the back of the pew in front of you. The Hymnal is the blue book. A church member will be happy to answer questions about worship at Christ Church Cathedral and your opportunities for fellowship, education, and servant ministry. Please complete a Visitor's Card and leave it with an usher or place it in the alms basin. You may also visit our website, christcathedral.org, to learn more about our parish. Thank you for visiting us today!

HOLY EUCHARIST Rite I

The Word of God

OPENING ACCLAMATION (BCP, p. 323)

GLORIA (BCP, p. 324)

COLLECT OF THE DAY

O God, who before the passion of thy only-begotten Son didst reveal his glory upon the holy mount: Grant unto 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 the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON – 2 Kings 2:1-12

Now when the LORD was about to take Elijah up to heaven by a whirlwind, Elijah and Elisha were on their way from Gilgal. Elijah said to Elisha, "Stay here; for the LORD has sent me as far as Bethel." But Elisha said, "As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So they went down to Bethel. The company of prophets who were in Bethel came out to Elisha, and said to him, "Do you know that today the LORD will take your master away from you?" And he said, "Yes, I know; keep silent."

Elijah said to him, "Elisha, stay here; for the LORD has sent me to Jericho." But he said, "As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So they came to Jericho. The company of prophets who were at Jericho drew near to Elisha, and said to him, "Do you know that today the LORD will take your master away from you?" And he answered, "Yes, I know; be silent."

Then Elijah said to him, "Stay here; for the LORD has sent me to the Jordan." But he said, "As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So the two of them went on. Fifty men of the company of prophets also went, and stood at some distance from them, as they both were standing by the Jordan. Then Elijah took his mantle and rolled it up, and struck the water; the water was parted to the one side and to the other, until the two of them crossed on dry ground.

When they had crossed, Elijah said to Elisha, "Tell me what I may do for you, before I am taken from you." Elisha said, "Please let me inherit a double share of your spirit." He responded, "You have asked a hard thing; yet, if you see me as I am being taken from you, it will be granted you; if not, it will not." As they continued walking and talking, a chariot of fire and horses of fire separated the two of them, and Elijah ascended in a whirlwind into heaven. Elisha kept watching and crying out, "Father, father! The chariots of Israel and its horsemen!" But when he could no longer see him, he grasped his own clothes and tore them in two pieces.

PSALM 50:1-6

- 1 The LORD, the God of gods, has spoken; *
he has called the earth from the rising of the sun to
its setting.
- 2 Out of Zion, perfect in its beauty, *
God reveals himself in glory.
- 3 Our God will come and will not keep silence; *
before him there is a consuming flame,
and round about him a raging storm.
- 4 He calls the heavens and the earth from above *
to witness the judgment of his people.
- 5 "Gather before me my loyal followers, *
those who have made a covenant with me
and sealed it with sacrifice."
- 6 Let the heavens declare the rightness of his cause; *
for God himself is judge.

THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON – 2 Corinthians 4:3-6

Even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled to those who are perishing. In their case the god of this world has blinded the minds of the unbelievers, to keep them from seeing the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God. For we do not proclaim ourselves; we proclaim Jesus Christ as Lord and ourselves as your slaves for Jesus' sake. For it is the God who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

THE GOSPEL LESSON – Mark 9:2-9

Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and John, and led them up a high mountain apart, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no one on earth could bleach them. And there appeared to them Elijah with Moses, who were talking with Jesus. Then Peter said to Jesus, "Rabbi, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." He did not know what to say, for they were terrified. Then a cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud there came a voice, "This is my Son, the Beloved; listen to him!" Suddenly when they looked around, they saw no one with them any more, but only Jesus.

As they were coming down the mountain, he ordered them to tell no one about what they had seen, until after the Son of Man had risen from the dead.

SERMON – The Reverend Canon Gene B. Manning

A moment of silence and reflection follows the sermon.

THE NICENE CREED (BCP, p. 326)

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (BCP, p. 328)

THE CONFESSION OF SIN (BCP, p. 330)

THE PEACE

The Holy Communion

THE OFFERTORY

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (BCP, p. 333)

The Lord's Prayer (BCP, p. 336)

The Breaking of the Bread (BCP, p. 337)

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER (BCP, p. 339)

BLESSING

DISMISSAL

ALTAR GUILD – Kathy Morton, Mary Ellen Pethel, Linda Holt, Adam Hutson, Bebe Harton
FLOWER GUILD – Melanie Leader, Beverly Meece
SACRISTAN – Brooks Smith
USHER – Bob Willits

PRAYERS

Today we pray for *Will Chappell, Roberta LaBour, Darlene Kimbrough, Peggy, Clayton Reeve, Renee McLaughlin, Doug Baxter, Gabe Anderson, Dolores Nicholson, Robert, Willodean Hoskins, Tom Lunn, Sterling Laffitte, Leigh McMillan, and John Fuqua. We give thanks for the birth of Jack Robert Johnson, son of Emily and Wells Johnson, and grandson of Dona and Hal Johnson.*

Matthew 25 (*one of the agencies the Cathedral supports*) offers transitional housing and support services to homeless men who have the potential to establish self-sufficiency within the 60-day period of the program.

FLOWERS

The flowers in the chancel are given to the glory of God and in memory of their mothers, *Ruth Thackston and Josephine Colton Williams*, who shared the same birthday, by *Bettye Westermann and John O. Colton*.

FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED

Hearing assistance devices are available at the reception desk for use during worship. It is recommended that you bring your own earphones or ear buds for personal comfort.