



Order of Worship for Holy Eucharist Rite II

Last Sunday after the Epiphany

February 15, 2026

Welcome to this morning's worship! Thank you for joining us today. If you are new to our service, please take a moment to fill out our Welcome card so we can get to know you. Please use this bulletin, the red Book of Common Prayer (BCP), and the blue Hymnal to follow along in worship. Nursery care is available down the stairs at the back of the church. We offer children's ministry time during worship as well as activity bags at the back of the church to keep little hearts and hands engaged.

Prelude

Opening Hymn *(Please stand as you are able.)*

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus!

Hymnal 460

The Opening Acclamation

BCP p. 355

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People ***And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.***

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. ***Amen.***

Song of Praise

Christ Is the World's True Light

Hymnal 542

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People ***And also with you.***

Celebrant Let us pray.

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.*

The Children's Procession

All children are invited to children's ministry time. They will process out of the church together and go to the classroom hall for Godly Play and Kids of the Kingdom, returning for the announcements.

This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine! (Sing 3 times.)

Refrain: Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine!

Everywhere I go, I'm gonna let it shine! (Sing 3 times.) Refrain

The Word of God

A Reading from the Hebrew Bible

Exodus 24:12–18

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 *(sung by choir)*

Psalm 2:1–9

Why are the nations in an uproar? *

*Anglican Chant Psalter #3,
by Edwin George Monk*

Why do the peoples mutter empty threats?

Why do the kings of the earth rise up in revolt,

and the princes plot together, *

against the Lord and against his Anointed?

"Let us break their yoke," they say; *

"let us cast off their bonds from us."

He whose throne is in heaven is laughing; *
 the Lord has them in derision.
 Then he speaks to them in his wrath, *
 and his rage fills them with terror.
 "I myself have set my king *
 upon my holy hill of Zion."
 Let me announce the decree of the Lord: *
 he said to me, "You are my Son;
 this day have I begotten you.
 Ask of me, and I will give you the nations for your inheritance *
 and the ends of the earth for your possession.
 You shall crush them with an iron rod *
 and shatter them like a piece of pottery."
 And now, you kings, be wise; *
 be warned, you rulers of the earth.
 Submit to the Lord with fear, *
 and with trembling bow before him;
 Lest he be angry and you perish; *
 for his wrath is quickly kindled.
 Happy are they all *
 who take refuge in him!

The Epistle

2 Peter 1:16–21

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 Hymn (*standing*)

Be Thou My Vision (vv. 1–2)

Hymnal 488

The Holy Gospel

Matthew 17:1–9

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

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.”

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

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

Gradual Hymn

Be Thou My Vision (v. 3)

Hymnal 488

Sermon (*seated*)

The Rev. Dr. Eric Tuttle

The Prayers of the People for Epiphany (*standing or kneeling*)

Let us pray to God, who is made manifest in Jesus Christ.

As the prophet Isaiah rang out, “Arise, shine; for your light has come”; empower your Church, O God, to ring out the Good News of the Light of your son Jesus, which pierces even the deepest darkness. ***Lord, hear our prayer.***

As a star rose high into the nighttime sky to draw the nations to the Christ-child; send your blessing, O God, on this nation, and every nation, and draw the whole world to your peace and truth. ***Lord, hear our prayer.***

As John the Baptist guided throngs of people to the edge of the wilderness and baptized Jesus in the River Jordan, we pray that you would guide our country and our leaders to the ways of justice and righteousness. ***Lord, hear our prayer.***

Like the Magi who traveled from afar to bring gifts and celebrate the Savior's birth; we pray for this community and the gifts we bring to you. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

As Jesus climbed the mountaintop, and proclaimed blessings on the people of the world; we pray for the sick and the distressed, the hungry and cold and homeless, for refugees and those seeking safety. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

As Jesus called his disciples to leave their nets and boats, and follow him; we pray for those we love and who have answered your call to follow Jesus to your Heavenly Kingdom. Give them your peace. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

Celebrant Lord Jesus, Light of the World, hear our prayers, and make us reflections of your Light, that the places of darkness in our world would be pierced by your Light, and that all nations would be drawn to you and be overwhelmed with joy. *Amen.*

The Confession and Absolution

BCP p. 360

The Peace

Announcements

The Holy Communion

Offertory Anthem

This Little Light O' Mine

arr. John W. Work

This little light o' mine, I'm goin' to let it shine. ... (Refrain)

Everywhere I go, I'm goin' to let it shine. ... (Refrain)

All through the night, I'm goin' to let it shine. ... (Refrain)

At the Presentation

The Doxology

Hymnal 380, v. 3

The Great Thanksgiving, Eucharistic Prayer B

BCP p. 367

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People *And also with you.*

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People *We lift them to the Lord.*

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People *It is right to give God thanks and praise.*

Sanctus

Hymnal S-130

The Lord's Prayer

BCP p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread

We are offering Communion in both kinds. If you do not want to receive Communion but would like to come forward for a blessing, come to either side of the altar rail and place your arms across your chest in the form of an "X" or cross.

Communion Hymns (sung by all)

O Spirit of Life, O Spirit of God

Hymnal 505

O Wondrous Type! O Vision Fair

Hymnal 137

Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks to the Risen Lord

Hymnal 178

Postcommunion Prayer

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Epiphany Blessing

May Christ, the Son of God, be manifest in you, that your lives may be a light to the world; 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

We Are Marching in the Light of God (sung by all)

WLP 787

(Siyahamb' ekukhanyen' kwenkhos' Marcharemos en la luz de Dios)

1. *We are marching in the light of God, We are marching in the light of God,
We are marching in the light of God, We are marching in the light of, the light of God.
We are marching, marching, we are marching, marching,
We are marching in the light of, the light of God.
We are marching, marching we are marching, marching,
We are marching in the light of God.*
2. *We are singing in the light of God, ...*
3. *We are praying in the light of God, ...*
4. *We are serving in the light of God, ...*

The Dismissal

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Deacon Let us go forth together sharing the light of Christ.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

Postlude

Acolytes: Matthew Anderson, Molly Anderson, Sam Inman, Jonathan Spinks, Holden Troutman.
Readers: (8:30 a.m.) Marion Seaman; (10 a.m.) Shelley Kappauf, Jankoba Sambola, David Stokes.
Chalicians: (8:30 a.m.) Linda Cummer; (10 a.m.) Stephen Inman, Barbara Lawless. **Verger:** Debbie Dowd. **Ushers:** Richard Kpangbai, Richtina Kpangbai, Rob Moore, Amelia Menston-Sambola, Jankoba Sambola, John Sweeney, Celeste Williams. **Greeters & Newcomer Hosts:** Fran Swan, Lois Washburn. **Altar Guild:** Pat Baker, Nancy Bishop, Susan Brannan, Mary V. Compton, Nancy Kimbrough, Barbara Lawless, Sandy O'Briant. **Livestream Team:** Phil Barrineau, Sandy Shelton.

The flowers at the altar today are given to the glory of God by Mike and Carolyn Hackett in loving memory of Judy and all our other family and friends whom we no longer see; and by Charlyne and George Hanna in loving memory of their beloved son Justin, George's parents George and Rosa Hanna, and Charlyne's parents Albert and Alma Farah.

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We Pray For

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Grace, Clayton; St. Clement's, Clemmons; Christ Church, Cleveland

Those on our parish prayer list: Norma Bullock, Traci and Erik, Jeff Cummer, Betty Atwell, Mack Baker, Lauren, Martha and Jim Kaley, Nancy O'Donnell, Tina Sink Gangi, Heather, Victoria, Pauline Tatum, Jim Tatum, Pia, Katelyn Flowers, Jeannie Phillips, James, Madeline Colavito, Hilary Towle, Sarah Sellers, Sue Keith, Myra Stephens, Derek, E. MacKenzie, Carolyn Ritchie, Glenna Ohaver, Susan Seaton, Karl Towle, Heidi Dohmeier, Donnie Robertson, Barbara Van Cleve, Nancy Antrim, Bert and Bev, Mary Lou Strohl, Frank Tatem, Faye Thompson, Ethan Shoffner, Paul, Karen, Sabrina, John Bald, Keats, Alicia, Gloria, Jo, Julie Dameron, Lynn Hayworth, Gayle Aiken, Denise, Vicky, Barbara Cole, Patrick Miller, Terese Southern, Jordan, Laura Shinn, Bill Hill, Carl and Angie Smith, James R. Smith, Lauren Vasquez and family, Clare, Maggie, Ken Sisk, Ken, Patricia, Anne Bell Batherson, Rhonda Weaver, Lee Martin, Charlyne Hanna, Julia Davis, Carrether, Michael Ballard, Katherine Yost Hayden, Carole, Kat, and Julia

Seminarian: Ryan Waide

Special concerns: The people of Gaza, Israel, Ukraine, Russia, and Sudan; all those impacted by recent storms

Those serving in our military: Tom Stauffer, Paul Zeigler, Stephen Johnson, Benjamin Phillips, Kenneth Gearhart, Alex Reyes, Michael McNeil, Jordan Payne, Catharyn Nosek

Those expecting: Sean and Olivia Toso, due March 2026

Birthdays: Rhonda Bentz, Kathryn Crowe, Sam Inman, Sarah Sellers

Today

Welcome, Eric! Join Us for Cake & Coffee Hour in the Parish Hall after Worship

We are excited to welcome the Rev. Dr. Eric Tuttle to our staff as part-time Associate Rector. Eric is delighted to be joining St. Andrew's and looks forward to meeting with parishioners over Cake & Coffee in the Parish Hall after 10 a.m. worship. You can read more about Eric in the special announcement eNews sent on February 4. Please join us in welcoming Eric to St. Andrew's!

Our Church's Warm Welcome Needs You—Learn More on February 15 at 11:15 a.m. (Library)

The Invite–Welcome–Connect (IWC) committee welcomes visitors and new members to the St. Andrew's community. Our committee strives to help people make connections and learn how to get involved in the life of the congregation. We need a variety of gifts to provide a vibrant ministry of holy hospitality. If you have an interest in serving on this committee, please contact David Messelink at david@davidanddon.com or 269-838-9653. And please join us for an interest and organizational meeting right after 10 a.m. worship next Sunday in the Library.

EYC, It's Finally Loveapalooza Night! 5:00–6:30 p.m. (Herman Hall)

What the world (STILL!) needs now is love, sweet love! Tonight we're going to be spreading it with **three small acts of love that will have a big impact**. From children and volunteers in Minneapolis to troops stationed overseas to our neighbors right here on Market St., we'll be sharing the love with a few communities that need it most. **We'll also have a chance to meet the Reverend Eric Tuttle**, our new Associate Rector! And nothing says love like pasta, so **we'll wrap up with a spaghetti dinner** (including gluten-free and vegetarian options). See you tonight from 5:00 to 6:30!

Last Call for Toiletry & Personal Care Items—Support Our DOK Collection

St. Andrew's Deborah Chapter of the Daughters of the King (DOK) is collecting toiletries and personal care items for neighbors experiencing houselessness. Please look for collection bins in the Parish Hall today. The list of requested items is in this week's eNews.

Sign Up to Help & Buy Your Tickets to Our Pancake Supper—February 17, 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Join us this Shrove Tuesday, February 17, 5:30–7:30 p.m., for a delicious breakfast for supper event. Tickets are \$7 (individual) or \$15 (family) at the door OR after worship **today!** Takeout is available, and door prizes will be awarded—including Neese's Sausage, which, along with fried apples, will be offered as sides to the pancake main course. Bring a friend and come to the Parish Hall for food, fellowship, and fun on February 17, 5:30-7:30. **We also need folks to help during the event! Look for the signup sheet in the Parish Hall or the signup link in this week's eNews.**

P.S. Helpers Are Also Needed Tomorrow (Monday) for Our Pancake Supper

Jack Garvey is now recruiting helpers to set up tables and chairs for the pancake supper. Please contact Jack at jacksr.garvey@gmail.com if you can help. We'll meet at 1 p.m. on Monday, February 16.

Announcements

Ash Wednesday Services Schedule—February 18

We will offer Ash Wednesday services with imposition of ashes at 7:30 a.m., 12 p.m., and 5:30 p.m. in the Chapel. You are also invited to join the 52nd Annual Convocation-wide observance of Ash Wednesday at 7 p.m. at Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, 901 E. Friendly Ave.

Sign Up Today to Join a Lenten Small Group—Offerings Begin the Week of February 22

The purpose of an intentional small group is to build trusting relationships with God and one another. Lenten small groups are a way to deepen our faith. When we meet for conversation, practice, study, and prayer, we learn how to love and are strengthened in hope. These groups will meet for one hour weekly during Lent, beginning the week of February 22. Each group will use a provided Lenten booklet to foster reflection and discussion. Groups are limited to 10 participants. Facilitators and times are shown below; all groups meet in the Library. You can sign up now for a group using the link in our eNews. Please call the office if you need assistance signing up.

Phil Barrineau—Mondays at 2 p.m. Cheri Courtright—Mondays at 7 p.m.

Rev. Eric Tuttle—Tuesdays at 6 p.m. Rev. Pam Haynes—Wednesdays at 1 p.m.

Craig Taylor & Stephen Inman (Men's Group)—Thursdays at 7:30 a.m. (FULL)

Remembering Our Saints in Light

All are invited to the funeral for **Maria Wilmoth, Monday, February 23**, at 11 a.m., in the Chapel. A reception will follow in the Parish Hall.

Join Our Next Brown Bag Book Club Meeting!—February 24 (Library)

The Brown Bag Book Club will meet at noon in the Library on Tuesday, February 24, discussing Agatha Christie's *Murder on the Orient Express*. Bring your lunch or snack and beverage, if you like. All are welcome. Contact Sally Marion to learn more, at sallymarion@mariontile.com.

Lenten Midweek Eucharists: Wednesdays at Noon in the Chapel, Beginning February 25

During Lent, we will offer a midweek Noonday Eucharist in the Chapel. All are invited!

Supper Clubs: Let's Break Bread Together in March, April, & May—Sign Up by February 28

St. Andrew's Supper Clubs (formerly Foyer Dinner Groups) are a wonderful way to get to know fellow parishioners over monthly meals. Each group of 6–8 meets monthly to share a meal and have time to get to know each other outside of our parish life. Some groups meet at restaurants while others meet in homes. It is a new year, and we are offering another round of signups for groups to meet March through May. Sign up by February 28 using the link in our eNews or the signup sheet on the Parish Hall bulletin board. To learn more, look for Ralph and Laura Bricker after weekly worship, or contact them at lbricker@gmail.com or 843-263-3288.

We Are Grateful for Your Gifts

Your continued gifts sustain the mission and ministry of St Andrew's. If you have questions about your giving, please email Ray Marsh at bookkeeper@standrewsgso.org or call him at 336-275-1651, ext. 3. Ray is in the office on Tuesdays and Thursdays. To make new or pledged gift, visit abundant.co/standrewsepiscopalch/give or scan the QR code at right. Checks may be mailed to St. Andrew's Episcopal Church (Bookkeeper), 2105 W. Market St., Greensboro, NC 27403. To submit a pledge for 2026, visit tinyurl.com/WalkInLove2026 or request a pledge packet from Ray. Every pledge matters.



Check Your Mail!

Our Lent & Easter calendar was mailed to homes this week. If you have not received a mailing, please email our Susan Frye at parish@standrewsgso.org, so she can be sure you receive this and future mailings. Calendars are also available in the Parish Hall and at the Chapel and Sanctuary entrances.



Lenten Resources for Reflection and Prayer

Living Well Through Lent 2026: Cultivating Healing and Wholeness in Heart, Soul, Strength, and Mind, from Living Compass

Available as a booklet in our Parish Hall and church entrances and at livingcompass.org/lent

The Living Compass Model for Well-Being offers us guidance in four dimensions of our being: heart, soul, strength, and mind. Just like a mobile or kinesthetic art, these dimensions are interconnected—movement in one area affects all the others. This year's theme of Healing and Wholeness aligns beautifully with the invitation to a Holy Lent, as the words *holy*, *whole*, *health*, and *healing* all share a common root. The season of Lent is an ideal time to focus on healing and wholeness—for ourselves and for the world.

Holy Habits: Lenten Meditations by Sister Monica Clare from Episcopal Relief and Development (ERD)

Available at episcopalrelief.org/church-in-action/lent/

Written by Sister Monica Clare, an Episcopal nun, author, and unlikely TikTok star, our 2026 meditations offer an invitation to rediscover—or deepen—holy habits of prayer, worship, and engagement with Scripture. These “holy habits” provide a path to a life that is given shape, meaning, and direction by being rooted in a deeper relationship with God.



***You are Invited to a Holy and Life-Giving
Lent, Holy Week, and Easter***

Sunday Worship, 10 a.m. + Contemplative Service, Third Sundays, 8:30 a.m.

LENT

- Feb. 17 Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper, 5:30 p.m.–7:30 p.m.
Feb. 18 Ash Wednesday Services
7:30 a.m., 12:00 p.m., and 5:30 p.m. (*St. Andrew's Chapel*)
7:00 p.m. Community Service (*Redeemer, 901 E. Friendly Ave.*)
Feb. 22 Lenten Formation begins, Sundays, 11:15 a.m.
Feb. 23 Lenten Small Groups begin
Feb. 25 Midweek Eucharists begin, 12 p.m. (*Chapel*)
Mar. 14 Lenten Women's Retreat, 9 a.m.–12 p.m. (*St. Andrew's*)

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER

- Mar. 29 Palm Sunday Service, 10 a.m.
Apr. 2 Maundy Thursday Service, 7 p.m.
Apr. 3 Good Friday Service, 12 p.m.
Apr. 5 Easter Sunday Service, 10 a.m.
Festive Reception & Easter Egg Hunt after service

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