

Christ Church Grosse Pointe

THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

JANUARY 14, 2018 ✨ 4:30 PM

Welcome to this service of Holy Eucharist at Christ Church Grosse Pointe. We hope that this service will help lift you to the presence of God and strengthen you for the week to come.

Scripture readings are printed in Currents (leaflet insert).

Hymns are found in the red hymnal in your pew.

Evening Prayer: Rite II

VOLUNTARY

IMPROVISATION

❧ The Entrance Rite ❧

The people stand.

HYMN 493

O FOR A THOUSAND TONGUES TO SING

Azmon

OPENING SENTENCE

Officiant Jesus said, "I am the light of the world;
whoever follows me will not walk in darkness,
but will have the light of life."

❧ The Invitatory and Psalter ❧

PRECES & RESPONSES

Officiant

O God, make speed to save us.

People

O Lord, make haste to help us.

Officiant and People

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spi - rit:


As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. A - men.


Al - le - lu - ia.

PHOS HILARON



1 O gra - cious Light, Lord Je - sus Christ, in
2 Now sun - set comes, but light shines forth, the
3 Wor - thy are you of end - less praise, O



you the Fa - ther's glo - ry shone. Im - mor - tal, ho - ly,
lamps are lit to pierce the night. Praise Fa - ther, Son, and
Son of God, Life - giv - ing Lord; where - fore you are through



blest is he, and blest are you, his ho - ly Son.
Spi - rit: God who dwells in the e - ter - nal light.
all the earth and in the high - est heaven a - dored.

*The people are seated and stand for the Gloria Patri
at the conclusion of the Psalm.*

PSALM 74

The text is printed in Currents.

The people stand for the Gloria Patri.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it
was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

❧ The Lessons ❧

The people are seated for the first reading.

The texts for the Scriptures are printed in Currents.

FIRST READING

Genesis 7:1-10, 17-23

The people stand.

MAGNIFICAT

Officiant My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord,
All **my spirit rejoices in God my Savior; ***
for he has looked with favor on his lowly servant.
From this day all generations will call me blessed: *
the Almighty has done great things for me,
and holy is his Name.
He has mercy on those who fear him *
in every generation.
He has shown the strength of his arm, *
he has scattered the proud in their conceit.
He has cast down the mighty from their thrones, *
and has lifted up the lowly.
He has filled the hungry with good things, *
and the rich he has sent away empty.
He has come to the help of his servant Israel, *
for he has remembered his promise of mercy,
The promise he made to our fathers, *
to Abraham and his children for ever.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

The people are seated.

SECOND READING

Mark 3:7-19

The people stand.

NUNC DIMITTIS

Officiant Lord, you now have set your servant free *
All **to go in peace as you have promised;**
For these eyes of mine have seen the Savior, *
whom you have prepared for all the world to see:
A Light to enlighten the nations, *
and the glory of your people Israel.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

The people remain standing.

THE APOSTLES' CREED

Officiant I believe in God,
All **the Father almighty,**
creator of heaven and earth.
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.
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. Amen.

 **The Prayers** 

THE LESSER LITANY

Officiant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Let us pray.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Officiant 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.

SUFFRAGES

Officiant  V. Show us your mer - cy, O Lord;

People  R. And grant us your salva - tion.

Officiant  V. Clothe your ministers with right - eous - ness;

People  R. Let your people sing with joy.

Officiant  V. Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;

People  R. For only in you can we live in safe - ty.

Officiant  V. Lord, keep this nation un - der your care;

People  R. And guide us in the way of jus - tice and truth.

Officiant  V. Let your way be known up - on earth;

People  R. Your saving health among all na - tions.

Officiant  V. Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgot - ten;

People  R. Nor the hope of the poor be ta - ken a - way.

Officiant  V. Create in us clean hearts, O God;

People  R. And sustain us with your Holy Spi - rit.

THE COLLECTS

Officiant Almighty God, whose Son our Savior Jesus Christ is the light of the world: Grant that your people, illumined by your Word and Sacraments, may shine with the radiance of Christ's glory, that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and for ever.

People **Amen.**

Most holy God, the source of all good desires, all right judgments, and all just works: Give to us, your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, so that our minds may be fixed on the doing of your will, and that we, being delivered from the fear of all enemies, may live in peace and quietness; through the mercies of Christ Jesus our Savior.

People **Amen.**

Be our light in the darkness, O Lord, and in your great mercy defend us from all perils and dangers of this night; for the love of your only Son, our Savior Jesus Christ.

People **Amen.**

The people are seated.

THE WELCOME

INTERCESSIONS

The people stand.

The Intercessor offers petitions and thanksgivings on behalf of the congregation.

The people respond **Amen.**

THE GRACE

All **The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
and the love of God,
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,
be with us all evermore. Amen.**

HYMN 135

SONGS OF THANKFULNESS AND PRAISE

Salzburg

THE BLESSING

Officiant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

The Officiant blesses the people.

People **Amen.**

THE DISMISSAL

Officiant



Let us bless the Lord.

People



Thanks be to God.

VOLUNTARY

IMPROVISATION

UPCOMING EVENTS

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21
Congregational Evensong at 4:30 pm



THURSDAY, JANUARY 25
Ecumenical Evensong at 7 pm
Sung by the choirs of:
Christ Church Grosse Pointe
St. Paul's on the Lake
Grosse Pointe Memorial



SUNDAY, JANUARY 28
Choral Evensong at 4:30 pm
Sung by Schola



FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2
Candlemas Procession & Holy Eucharist at 7 pm
Sung by the Combined Choirs



SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4
Choral Evensong at 4:30 pm
Sung by the Choir of Men and Girls