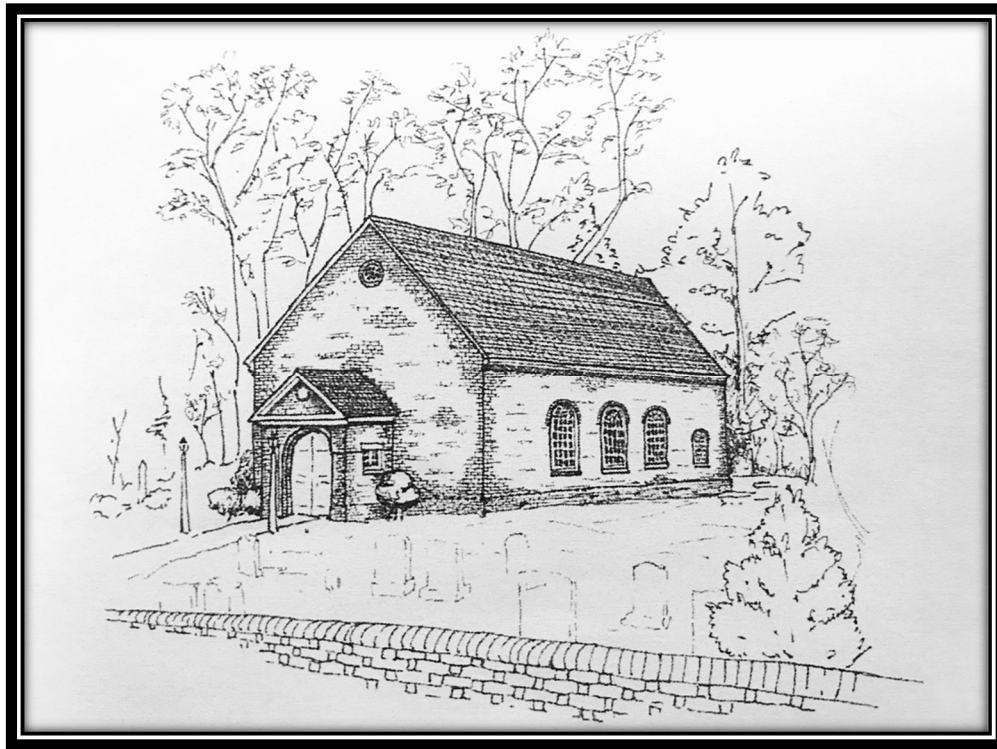


Welcome to Christ Church Parish  
*(Episcopal)*  
*February 9, 2025*  
*10:30 a.m.*  
*The Fifth Sunday After the Epiphany*



*Founded in 1666*

*Before the service, speak to God in the silence of your heart.  
During the service, let God speak to you through  
Word and Sacrament.  
After the service, speak with your neighbor!*

**Christ Church Parish Mission Statement**

*We are a family of faith,  
growing in Christ through worship, learning, and  
service, who strive to love God  
and to love our neighbors as ourselves.*

Holy Eucharist: Rite II – February 9, 2025  
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Opening Voluntary	“Bagpipe Prelude on Amazing Grace”	by Paul Fey
Processional Hymn 362	<i>Nicaea</i>	“Holy, Holy, Holy”
Opening Sentences		BCP Page 355
The Gloria (Hymnal S-280)		BCP Page 356
THE WORD OF GOD		
The Collect of the Day		BCP Page 216
First Lesson		Isaiah 6:1-8
Psalms 138	<i>Confitebor tibi</i>	BCP Page 793
Second Lesson		1 Corinthians 15:1-11
Sequence Hymn 671	<i>ccc New Britain</i>	“Amazing Grace”
Gospel		Luke 5:1-11
The Sermon		The Rev. Randi Hicks Rowe
The Nicene Creed		BCP Page 358
The Prayers of the People: Form I		BCP Page 383
The Confession and Absolution		BCP Page 360
The Peace		BCP Page 360
Offertory Anthem	“I The Lord of Sea and Sky”	by Daniel Shutte
The Great Thanksgiving: Prayer B		BCP Page 367
Sanctus and Benedictus (Hymnal S-129)		BCP Page 368
Lord’s Prayer		BCP Page 364
The Breaking of the Bread		BCP Page 364
Communion Voluntary	“Meditation on <i>Nicaea</i> ”	by Anna Laura Page
Communion Hymn 649	<i>Dickinson College</i>	“O Jesus Joy of Loving Hearts”
The Post Communion Prayer		BCP Page 365
The Blessing		
Recessional Hymn 537	<i>Moscow</i>	“Christ For the World We Sing”
Dismissal: Let us go forth in the name of Christ		
People: Thanks be to God.		

## The Collect

Set us free, O God, from the bondage of our sins, and give us the liberty of that abundant life which you have made known to us in your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. *Amen.*

## The First Lesson

Isaiah 6:1-8

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty; and the hem of his robe filled the temple. Seraphs were in attendance above him; each had six wings: with two they covered their faces, and with two they covered their feet, and with two they flew. And one called to another and said:

"Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts;  
the whole earth is full of his glory."

The pivots on the thresholds shook at the voices of those who called, and the house filled with smoke. And I said: "Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!" Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding a live coal that had been taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. The seraph touched my mouth with it and said: "Now that this has touched your lips, your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out." Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" And I said, "Here am I; send me!"

## Psalm 138

*Confitebor tibi*

- 1 I will give thanks to you, O LORD, with my whole heart; \*  
**before the gods I will sing your praise.**
- 2 I will bow down toward your holy temple  
and praise your Name, \*  
**because of your love and faithfulness;**
- 3 For you have glorified your Name \*  
**and your word above all things.**
- 4 When I called, you answered me; \*  
**you increased my strength within me.**
- 5 All the kings of the earth will praise you, O LORD, \*  
**when they have heard the words of your mouth.**
- 6 They will sing of the ways of the LORD, \*  
**that great is the glory of the LORD.**

7 Though the LORD be high, he cares for the lowly; \*  
**he perceives the haughty from afar.**

8 Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you keep me safe; \*  
**you stretch forth your hand against the fury of my enemies; your  
right hand shall save me.**

9 The LORD will make good his purpose for me; \*  
**O LORD, your love endures for ever; do not abandon the works of  
your hands.**

## **The Epistle**

## **1 Corinthians 15:1-11**

I would remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you-- unless you have come to believe in vain. For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them--though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

## **The Gospel**

## **Luke 5:1-11**

Once while Jesus was standing beside the lake of Gennesaret, and the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God, he saw two boats there at the shore of the lake; the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch." Simon answered, "Master, we have worked all night long but have caught nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets." When they had done this, they caught so many fish that their nets were beginning to break. So they signaled their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both boats, so that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!" For he and all who were with him

were amazed at the catch of fish that they had taken; and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. Then Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people." When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him.

### **Please Remember in Your Prayers This Week**

Those on our Prayer List: Lurlene Samuel, Robin Wells, Jim Padgett, Ann Donoff, Joyce Reisinger, Taylor Johnson, Colt Johnson, Br. Christopher Hamlett, Joanne Bruce, Lucille Redmon, Lovey Jane Long, Tim Schwartz, Denise Brown, Louise Woods, Cyndy Bristow, Levi, Elizabeth Foley, Andrea Mac-Fall, John Wilson, Garry Clay, Helen Tarran, Barbara Cockrell, John Hilliard, Bruce Forsberg, Bill Brown, Roxie Jones, Phil Brown, Dolly Cronk, Ellen Johnson, Judi Snider

We give thanks for those who are celebrating their birthday this week: Virginia Miller, Kathryn Humphreys.

We pray for our Diocese, and in our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for St. George's, Arlington; St. Margaret's, Woodbridge; and St. Peter's, Richmond.

**PARTICIPANTS IN THE SERVICE**

**Holy Eucharist: Rite I 8:00 a.m.**

Celebrant/Sermon	The Rev. Randi Hicks Rowe
Deacon	The Rev. Peg Moncure
Acolyte/Lector	Lindsay Adkins
Usher	Henry Moncure

**Holy Eucharist: Rite II 10:30 a.m.**

Celebrant/Sermon	The Rev. Randi Hicks Rowe
Deacon	The Rev. Peg Moncure
Organist –	Libby Boyer
Gosp. Bk. Bearer / Prayers / Euch. Min.	Grace Parker
Lector	Alyson Holt
Crucifer / Acolyte	John Hilliard
Ushers	Dave South, Chris Jones
Altar Guild	Bev Hart, Evie Wilton, Kathy Clarke, Susan Hilliard, Kathryn Humphreys
Flower Guild	Alyson Holt, Harriette Floyd
Tech Team	Greg Grichtmeier, Ann de Peyster, Mike Floyd, Jeff Loustaunau, Rusty Spears, Monica Melendez, & Jack Fackler

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