



St. Edward's Episcopal Church

The Fifth Sunday in Lent

April 6, 2025 + 8 AM

The Holy Eucharist + Rite 1

The Procession into the Church

Hymn 637

THE WORD OF GOD

The Collect of the Day

O Almighty God, who alone canst order the unruly wills and affections of sinful men: Grant unto thy people that they may love the thing which thou commandest, and desire that which thou dost promise; that so, among the sundry and manifold changes of the world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

The First Lesson:

Isaiah 43:16-21

Thus says the LORD, who makes a way in the sea, a path in the mighty waters, who brings out chariot and horse, army and warrior; they lie down, they cannot rise, they are extinguished, quenched like a wick: Do not remember the former things, or consider the things of old. I am about to do a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert. The wild animals will honor me, the jackals and the ostriches; for I give water in the wilderness, rivers in the desert, to give drink to my chosen people, the people whom I formed for myself so that they might declare my praise.

Psalms 126

BCP 782

The Second Lesson:

Philippians 3:4b-14

If anyone else has reason to be confident in the flesh, I have more: circumcised on the eighth day, a member of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew born of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless.

Yet whatever gains I had, these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ. More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith. I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead.

Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

The Gospel:

John 12:1-8

Six days before the Passover Jesus came to Bethany, the home of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. There they gave a dinner for him. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at the table with him. Mary took a pound of costly perfume made of pure nard, anointed Jesus' feet,

and wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (the one who was about to betray him), said, "Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?" (He said this not because he cared about the poor, but because he was a thief; he kept the common purse and used to steal what was put into it.) Jesus said, "Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for the day of my burial. You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me."

The Homily	Rev. Mark Lafler
The Nicene Creed	BCP 327
Prayers of the People	BCP 328
Confession of Sin	BCP 330
The Peace	BCP 332
Welcome and Announcements	

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory	
Eucharistic Prayer 2	BCP 340
The Lord's Prayer	BCP 336
The Communion	

All Christians who have been baptized and of a clean conscience are welcome to receive communion. All others are invited to come forward to receive a blessing or remain in their seats in prayer. If you are interested in baptism, please contact the office.

Healing Prayers	
The Post Communion Prayer	BCP 339
The Blessing	
The Procession into the World	Hymn 441

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April 6, 2025 + 10:00 AM

The Holy Eucharist + Rite 2

The Procession

Hymn 637

THE WORD OF GOD

The Collect for Purity

BCP 355

Collect of the Day

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Psalm 126

Sung

BCP 782

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Sequence:

Hymn 655

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The Homily	Rev. Mark Lafler
The Nicene Creed	BCP 358
The Prayers of the People, Form 6	BCP 392
Confession of Sin	BCP 360
The Peace	BCP 360
Welcome and Announcements	

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory	
The Doxology	Hymn 380, vs. 3
Eucharistic Prayer B	BCP 367
The Sanctus	Hymn S-130
The Lord's Prayer	BCP 364
Fraction Anthem	Hymn S-164
The Communion	

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Communion Hymn	Hymn 474
Healing Prayers	
The Post Communion Prayer	BCP 366
The Blessing	
The Procession into the World	Hymn 441
Dismissal	BCP 366

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WELCOME

We are glad you are here this morning. We hope you will sense the presence of the Holy Spirit while you worship God through His Son, Jesus Christ.

If you are seeking a church home, we would love to have you join us. Please sign the Guest Register in the Narthex.

A NURSERY is provided for 10:00 am worship every Sunday for infants through age 4. The nursery is located across from the restrooms in the main hallway.

SUNDAY SCHOOL meets every Sunday after communion. The children (Ages 5 to 11) gather and make their way to the classroom located in Hartridge Hall.

YOUTH MINISTRY meets every Sunday at Noon. Middle School and High School students meet in the Shipes House across the campus. Lunch will be provided.

COFFEE HOUR is provided after worship every Sunday. We gather in the Hall for some snacks, drinks, and fellowship. This is a great way to build community.

What is the Gloria Patri?

A short acclamation of praise to the Trinity. "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 term is from the opening words of the acclamation in Latin. *Gloria Patri* is also known as the "Lesser Doxology," distinguishing it from the *Gloria in excelsis*, the "Greater Doxology." It may have been influenced by the trinitarian baptismal formula of Mt 28:19.

*Gloria Patri et Filio,
et Spiritui Sancto.
Sicut erat in principio,
et nunc, et semper, et
in saecula saeculorum.
Amen.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE OPEN PLATE OFFERING collected today will be given to the Rector's Discretionary Fund.

THE EASTER FLOWER MEMORIAL ENVELOPES are in the pews.

Please **print** all information on the envelopes. The deadline is this Thursday, April 10th.

MAUNDY THURSDAY WATCH sign up sheet is available in the narthex. If you would like to participate, please indicate the time you would like to come on the sheet. We would like to have at least two people hourly.

DONATIONS OF WRAPPED CANDY for the Easter Egg Hunt are welcomed. Please bring your donations to the Church Office.

SISTERHOOD OF ST. EDWARD'S Women's Luncheon will be held on April 26 from 12:00 to 2:00 pm. \$10.00 per person. See Evie Waterhouse for tickets.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday	EYC-12:00 noon AA's and Alanon-7:00 pm
Tuesday	Morning Prayer-9:30 am Reading with the Rector-11:30 am Walk in the Woods Prayer-6:30 pm
Wednesday	Women's Caring & Sharing-10:00 am Preschool Chapel-11:30 am Wednesday Eucharist-12:15 pm Evening Prayer-5:30 pm Soup-6:00 pm ABC-6:45 pm EYC Program-6:45 pm
Thursday	Deadline for Easter Flower Memorials Choir- 5:00 pm Shekinah-6:30
Friday	Stations of the Cross-6:00 pm

ANNIVERSARIES

ANNIVERSARY OF BIRTH

Josie Jandreau	04/06	Eric Christman	04/07
Erik Pillow	04/07	Beth Crandall	04/10

ANNIVERSARY OF DEATH

Mary Kearsley	04/06	Arthur Marshall	04/06
Mary Gedney	04/07	Cecil Mills	04/08
Elizabeth Bardwell	04/09	June Miller	04/10
Joseph Mickley	04/11	Jeanne Armstrong	04/11
Dwight Cook	04/12	Alan Horne	04/12

PRAYERS

INTERCESSORY PRAYERS

John M. Mark M. Priscilla P.
Lorraine M. Aryn Noel Joanne
(Names will remain on the list for 2 weeks)

SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES

T.J. Glennon	Mary Hyland	Laura Cain
Trevor Orr	Steve Husted	Emma Hogan
Andrew Seley	Zack Ryan	

CYCLE OF PRAYER

Church of the Holy Presence, Deland
St. Barnabas Episcopal Church, Deland
For our Parish Members Tom and JoAnn Schroeder

SERVING TODAY

	<u>8:00 AM</u>	<u>10:00 AM</u>
First Reading	Gaines Campbell	Michael Viel
Second Reading	Randall Sluder	Betty Hensinger
LEM 1	Gaines Campbell	Betty Hensinger
LEM 2	Randall Sluder	Michael Viel
Ushers	Patti Conrader	Dick Maglio
	Pam Bow	Liz Maglio
Deacon	Deacon Kim	Deacon Dan
Altar Guild	Phyllis Kennedy	Jackie Castiglione
Screens	Sandy Minkoff	Trinity Viel
Video	Madeline Lafler	

PARISH LEADERSHIP

Head of the Church: Jesus Christ
Bishop: The Rt. Rev. Dr. Justin Holcomb
Priest: The Rev. Mark A. Lafler
Deacon: The Rev. Mickey Maxwell
Deacon: The Rev. Kim Spear
Deacon: The Rev. Dan King

VESTRY

Sandy Minkoff, Sr. Warden
Tom Brust, Jr. Warden
Fred Fitte Leah Felcher
TJ Reeves Cheryl Hogan
Janet Martin Gaines Campbell
Steve Wilbanks

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Barbara Minkoff, Treasurer
Jackie Castiglione, Clerk

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Bookkeeper & Business Asst.: Amanda Burkhalter
Family Ministries Director: The Rev. Dan King
Preschool Director: Heather Fortson
Organist & Choir Director: Libby Sellers
Shekinah Praise Team Director: Elizabeth Maxwell
Nursery Director: Cathy Love
Steward: Walter Burkhalter