

Second Sunday in Lent

March 17, 2019



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Holy Cross Episcopal Church

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Our Mission: Build relationships. Serve others. Love God.

Our Vision: We will grow spiritually as we invite, engage and support the community.

Our Ministers: All the people of Holy Cross and

The Rt. Rev. Robert Skirving, *Bishop*
The Rev. Chana Tetzlaff, *Priest in Charge*
The Rev. Dn. Andy Atkinson, *Deacon*

Ellen Wells, *Interim Financial Manager*
Jonathan Graves, *Youth Director*
Ethan Roeben, *Music Leader*

(BCP refers to the red Book of Common Prayer on your chair; Music with "S" is at the very front of the songbook.)

Liturgy of the Word

Gathering Music..... "Shout to the Lord" **(140)**

Welcome and Announcements

Gathering Prayer: *O God, we belong to You utterly. You care so deeply that you take our sins from us and throw them behind Your back. You clean our souls, as your Son washed our feet. We hold up our hearts to You: make them what they must be. Amen.*

Opening Hymn..... "Praise to the Lord" **(182)**

Penitential Order.....BCP, pg. 351

The Decalogue.....BCP, Pg. 350

The Confession and Absolution.....BCP, pg. 352

The Kyrie..... **Song S-11**

The Collect of the Day.....Insert

The Lessons: Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18; Psalm 27; Philippians 3:17-4:1.....Insert

Sequence Hymn..... "My Faith Looks up to Thee" **(200)**

The Holy Gospel: Luke 13:31-35.....Insert

The Sermon..... Jonathan Graves, Youth and Family Director

The Nicene Creed.....BCP, pg. 358

Prayers of the People.....Form III, BCP, pg. 387

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Pray for the Church of England

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Emmanuel, Farmville; Church of the Good Shepherd, Fayetteville

For the safety of family members who serve in the Armed Forces: Lisa, Jennifer, Ryan, Steven, Cam, Beau, Lauren, R. Wright, Trevis, Kira, Phillip, Lucas

For the safety of family members who serve as police officers: Tom, Anthony, and Matt.

For those who need healing: Joe, Jean, Bernard, Brenda, Chey, Kimberly, Michael, Susan, The Wood family, Donna, Mary, Donna Marie, Mark, Donna D, Deanna, Lonnie, Dale, Deb

Those celebrating a birthday: Roger Jewell, Mar. 22; Vickie Chambers, Mar. 23; Ellen Wells, Mar. 23; Diana Michel, Mar. 24

Those celebrating a wedding anniversary:

If you would like prayers for yourself or someone you know added to the prayer list in the Sunday bulletin, please email Chuck Dierling, dierling@bellsouth.net. All information is confidential.

The Peace.....BCP, pg. 360

(At the Peace, children in Sunday School will return to the sanctuary and their parents; please let nursery attendants know if they should bring your child to you or if you will pick them up)

The Holy Communion

Offertory Anthem.....”My Life Flows on in Endless Song”

Doxology..... **(S-3)**

The Great Thanksgiving – Eucharistic Prayer A BCP, pg. 361

Sanctus (*Holy, Holy, Holy*) **(S-21)**

The Lord’s PrayerBCP, pg. 364 (*right side*)

The Breaking of the Bread..... BCP, pg. 364

Invitation to Communion

Gluten Free Hosts are available, just let the clergy know if you need one. **Intinction** means dipping the bread into the chalice on the right as you approach the altar. **Prayers for Healing** are available at the left front corner of the sanctuary.

Communion Hymns..... “Spirit of the Living God” **(92)**

.....”Bless the Lord My Soul” **(188)**

Post Communion Prayer and Blessing..... BCP, pg. 365

Prayer Over the People

Closing Hymn..... “Christ in Me Arise” **(55)**

The Dismissal..... BCP, pg. 365

Ministers of the Day:

Vestry Person:	(8:00) Ashley Piver (10:15) Ro Brinton/Carl Danielson	Prayers	(8:00) Carolina Villa (10:15) Roni Hursthouse
Visitor Greeter	(10:15) Roni Hursthouse	Lay Euch. Visitor	
Greeters	(10:15) Sandy & Beverley Hill	Media Team	Dan Morton
Altar Guild	(8:00) Paula Studebaker (10:15) Krista Anderson	Nursery	Michelle Carpenter/Kaylee Roeben
Ushers	(8:00) Tom Bryan (10:15) Jim Scott/Tom Cordle	Godly Play	TBD
Lay Readers	(8:00) Lynn Piver (10:15) David Boody/Krista Anderson	Surfriders	Carolyn Moore/Helen DePuy
Crucifer	(10:15) Mark Zenobia	Epic Waves	/Terry Little

Announcements:

Thank you to the Rev. Pati Mary Andrews for serving as our supply priest this week, and Jonathan Graves for preaching.

Ministry Minute: Please see Deacon Andy following the service to learn more about **the Carousel Center** and ways that you can help abused children in our community find safe haven.

Grow Deeper Adult Formation Lenten study continues as a 6-week book study of “Because of This I Rejoice: Reading Philippians in Lent” by Max Vincent. Classes are Weds. at **12:00pm** and **6:30pm**.

Mtr. Chana will be on vacation until Mar. 25. In case of pastoral emergency, please contact Deacon Andy, 910 228-8727, and/or Senior Warden, Polly Lake, 518 569-0230.

Women of Holy Cross are invited to Tea (light lunch) on Saturday, March 23 at 1:00 p.m. at Holy Cross. Women from the Islamic Center of Wilmington, our neighbors at 6336 Myrtle Grove Road, will be joining us. Please RSVP Ada Atkinson at 910-619-1567 if you plan to attend. Also, if you’d like to help with planning, setting up, food, serving etc., please let her know ASAP.

Federal Point Help Center Donation Needs:

Mar. 17, Cold Cereal; Mar. 24, Canned meat; Mar. 31, Small mayonnaise or Miracle Whip.

March Cursillo Ultreya Meeting will be held at Holy Cross, Tuesday, Mar. 26, 6:00-8:00 pm. Bring a dish to share and your joyful spirit of participation.

A Newcomer’s Class will be offered after Easter for those interested in learning about core Episcopal beliefs. Please let Mtr. Chana know if you are interested in participating.

What’s Happening This Week:

	AM		PM	
Today:	8:00	Holy Eucharist		
	9:00	Adult Christian Formation		
		Music Team Rehearsal		
	10:15	Holy Eucharist		
Mon:	9:15-11:00	Yoga	5:30-8:30	Education For Ministry
Tue:	9:00-12:00	The office is open		
Wed:	9:00-12:00	The office is open	12:00	Grow Deeper Lenten Study
			5:30-6:30	Holy Eucharist
			6:30	Grow Deeper Lenten Study
Thu:	9:00-12:00	The office is open	6:30-7:45	Music Team Rehearsal
Fri:			6:00-8:00	V&V Planning Meeting
Sat:			1:00-3:00	Muslim-Christian Women’s Tea