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All Saints' Episcopal Church

610 4th Street, Portsmouth, Ohio

THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY:

THE BAPTISM OF OUR LORD

January 9, 2022 • 11:00 a.m.

The Rev. Paul Bennett, Priest in Residence

Welcome to All Saints' Parish Worship.

The service printed here is from The Book of Common Prayer (BCP).

Hymns and service music may be found in The Hymnal 1982 and in this service bulletin.

Service music marked with an 'S' is found in the front portion of the hymnal.

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Holy Communion. If you prefer instead to receive a blessing, please come forward and signify this by crossing your arms over your chest.

11:00 - Holy Eucharist Rite II (BCP 355)

Announcements

Hymn 637 *sung by all*

"How firm a foundation"

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The Word of God

BCP 355 • **The Acclamation** *Standing*

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

People: **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

BCP 355 • **The Collect for Purity**

Hymn S 280 *sung by all*

"Glory to God in the highest"

Robert J. Powell

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Please be seated for the Lessons

The First Lesson *Isaiah 43:1-7*

Thus says the Lord, he who created you, O Jacob,
he who formed you, O Israel:

Do not fear, for I have redeemed you;

I have called you by name, you are mine.

When you pass through the waters, I will be with you;

and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you;

when you walk through fire you shall not be burned,

and the flame shall not consume you.

For I am the Lord your God,

the Holy One of Israel, your Savior.

I give Egypt as your ransom,

Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you.

Because you are precious in my sight,

and honored, and I love you,

I give people in return for you,

nations in exchange for your life.

Do not fear, for I am with you;
I will bring your offspring from the east,
and from the west I will gather you;
I will say to the north, "Give them up,"
and to the south, "Do not withhold;
bring my sons from far away
and my daughters from the end of the earth--
everyone who is called by my name,
whom I created for my glory,
whom I formed and made.

Reader: The Word of the Lord
People: **Thanks be to God.**


Psalms 29 *chanted by the cantor*

- 1 Ascribe to the LORD, you gods, *
ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.
- 2 Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his Name; *
worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness.
- 3 The voice of the LORD is upon the waters; the God of glory thunders; *
the LORD is upon the mighty waters.
- 4 The voice of the LORD is a powerful voice; *
the voice of the LORD is a voice of splendor.
- 5 The voice of the LORD breaks the cedar trees; *
the LORD breaks the cedars of Lebanon;
- 6 He makes Lebanon skip like a calf, *
and Mount Hermon like a young wild ox.
- 7 The voice of the LORD splits the flames of fire; the voice of the LORD shakes the wilderness; *
the LORD shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.
- 8 The voice of the LORD makes the oak trees writhe *
and strips the forests bare.
- 9 And in the temple of the LORD *
all are crying, "Glory!"
- 10 The LORD sits enthroned above the flood; *
the LORD sits enthroned as King for evermore.
- 11 The LORD shall give strength to his people; *
the LORD shall give his people the blessing of peace.

The Second Lesson *Acts 8:14-17*

When the apostles at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had accepted the word of God, they sent Peter and John to them. The two went down and prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Spirit (for as yet the Spirit had not come upon any of them; they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus). Then Peter and John laid their hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit.

Reader: The Word of the Lord
People: **Thanks be to God.**



1. Crash - ing wa - ters at cre - a - tion,
 2. Part - ing wa - ter stood and trem - bled
 3. Cleans - ing wa - ter once at Jor - dan
 4. Liv - ing wa - ter, nev - er end - ing,

Or - dered by the Spir - it's breath, First to wit - ness
 As the cap - tives passed on through, Wash - ing off the
 Closed a - round the one fore - told, O - pened to re -
 Quench the thirst and flood the soul. Well - spring, Source of

day's be - gin - ning From the bright - ness of night's death.
 chains of bond - age— Chan - nel to a life made new.
 veal the glo - ry Ev - er new and ev - er old.
 life e - ter - nal, Drench our dry - ness, make us whole.

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Tune: STUTT GART, 8 7 8 7; *Psalmody Sacra*, 1715; adapt. and harm. by William Henry Havergal, 1793–1870, alt.*Please remain standing for the proclamation of the Gospel.*

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

People: **Glory to you, Lord Christ.****The Gospel** *Luke 3:15-17, 21-22*

As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, John answered all of them by saying, "I baptize you with water; but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire." Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased."

Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord

People: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.****The Sermon** Rev. Paul Bennett**Renewal of Baptismal Vows**

Celebrant: Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil and renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?

People: **I do.**

Celebrant: Do you believe in God the Father?

People: **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Celebrant: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People: **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.

Celebrant: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People: **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.**

Celebrant: Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

People: **I will with God's help.**

Celebrant: Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People: **I will with God's help.**

Celebrant: Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ.

People: **I will with God's help.**

Celebrant: Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People: **I will with God's help.**

Celebrant: Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

People: **I will with God's help.**

The Prayers of the People

Priest or deacon

As we celebrate the baptism of Christ, let us offer prayers to God who calls us to a baptism of repentance.

Deacon or other leader

By the baptism of the Son of God in the river Jordan.

Lord, have mercy.

For Wayne, our Provisional bishop and the priests, for the deacons and all who minister in Christ, and for all the holy people of God.

Lord, have mercy.

For all who seek Christ, and for the conversion of the whole human race.

Lord, have mercy.

For mercy, peace, and justice throughout the world

Lord, have mercy.

For all those in danger and need: the sick and the suffering, the hungry and the oppressed, and those in prison.

Lord, have mercy.

For the dying and the dead.

Lord, have mercy.

For our deliverance from all affliction, strife, and need.

Lord, have mercy.

Remembering the Blessed Virgin Mary, and all the saints, let us offer ourselves and one another to the living God through Christ.

To you, O Lord.

Priest

God, who breathed across the waters of creation, accept the prayers we offer on this joyful feast, and lead us by your Spirit from darkness into light; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Silence

The Celebrant adds a concluding collect

BCP 360 • **The Confession** *Kneeling*

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what

we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

The Absolution

BCP 360 • **The Peace** *Standing*

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Please exchange a sign of God's peace with others.

The Offertory

Presentation Hymn 380 v. 3 *Standing; sung by all*

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

The Holy Communion

Please remain standing

BCP 367 • **The Great Thanksgiving (Eucharistic Prayer B)**

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 him thanks and praise.**

The Celebrant continues with a Proper Preface

... Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

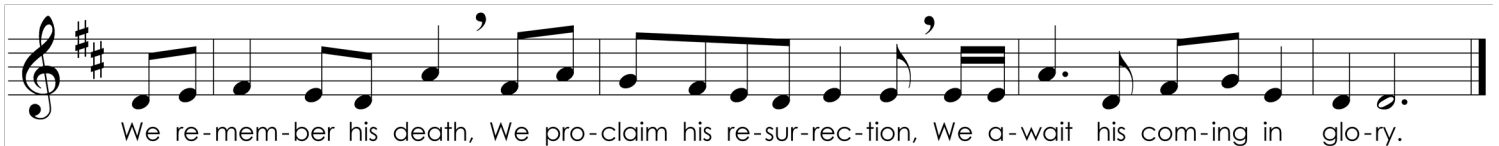
Hymn S 125 "Sanctus" *sung by all*

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BCP 368 • **The Prayer of Consecration** *Standing or kneeling*

Celebrant: Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

People:



Celebrant: By him, and with him, and in him... now and for ever.

People:



BCP 364 • **The Lord's Prayer** *Traditional*

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.

The Breaking of the Bread

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated bread. A period of silence is kept. Then may be sung or said

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People: **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

Hymn S 163 "Agnus Dei" *sung by all*

Robert J. Powell

The Communion of the People

*If you are unable to come forward to receive Communion,
please notify an usher and communion will be brought to you.*

If you prefer to receive a blessing, please signify this by crossing your arms over your chest.

Hymn LEV 154

"Taste and see"

TASTE AND SEE

BCP 365 • **The Postcommunion Prayer**

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Blessing

Hymn 120 *sung by all*

"The sinless one to Jordan came"

SOLEMNIS HAEC FESTIVITAS

BCP 366 • **The Dismissal**

People: **Thanks be to God.**

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Mission Statement of All Saints' Church

The purpose of All Saints Episcopal Church is to be an open, engaged and inclusive community, responding to God in our neighbors and ourselves with hope and service in Christ.

Parish Announcements

COVID and Our Congregational Life: COVID cases are once again rising dramatically in our community. While the diocese has not set new standards or restrictions, we have returned to our stricter communion guidelines. This means we will receive in one kind, which is the fancy way to say that we will only receive the bread. We will also move away from the communion rail again and administer communion at the bottom of the steps to avoid congestion in the choir area. I know these steps may feel like we are taking a saddening step backwards, but I believe we have been careful and prayerful stewards of our space and each other. A few members have shared that they have watched our services from the parking lot so that they still felt connected. If you do that, please let the greeters know and I am happy to bring communion out to those who do not feel comfortable coming in.

Annual Meeting - January 23rd: *We will have only one worship service on this day at 9:00 a.m.* and our Annual Meeting will take place immediately afterwards. Due to COVID, there will be no food served and the meeting will take place in the sanctuary to help maintain social distancing.

A Christmas Thank-You: I want to say thank you for the incredibly gracious Christmas gift. To say it took me by surprise is an understatement. It was a timely gift because I am scheduled to go on the Diocesan pilgrimage to Israel in March. Your gift will help make this a reality, so on behalf of my entire family I say, "THANK YOU!". There are truly no words to describe my gratitude, but I believe you will see it as I share my love of the Holy Land leading up to the trip and when I return.

Coffee Talk: We will resume our time of coffee, sweets, and fellowship this coming Sunday 9:30-10:30 am in the parlor. This week, we will discuss how we want to spend the time between now and Lent. We have several options: a Bible study, fellowship, book study, or video and discussion.

Parish Office Nominations: Nominees for 2022 Vestry and convention delegates are posted around the church. "Thank you" to each of our nominees for offering to serve our Parish.

2021 Parish Reports: All parish reports for the Annual Meeting need to be submitted to the office by Wardens and committee or guild chairs **by January 18** or ASAP. You may email them to the office at allsaintsportsmouth@msn.com.

Ministry Opportunities

Altar Flowers & Coffee Hour: 2022 sign-up sheets are on the table in the Narthex.

The Facilities of All Saints' Parish are offered for regular meetings to the following community social services:

- Narcotics Anonymous Group (Thurs. @ 6:30 p.m.)
- AA 12 & 12 Group (Mon. & Fri. @ 8:00 p.m.)
- AA United Group (Tues. @ 4:30 p.m.; Wed. @ 6:00 p.m. & Sat. @ 8:00 p.m.)

All Saints' Prayer Chain: All Saints' Church has an email prayer chain used to share petitions, intercessions, and thanksgivings. If you would like to be added to this email group, please contact the church office (allsaintsportsmouth@msn.com) and we will be glad to include you in this ministry of prayer warriors!

PRAYER MINISTRY, continued

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:

The people of the Church of St. Edward, Whitehall - and Patricia Rose, Deacon Resident

The people of St. James, Clintonville – and P.J. Harris, Rector; Bruce Smith, Associate priest

The people of St. John's, Columbus – and Christopher Richardson, Priest in charge

Retired priests: Larry Crowell, Stephen Cuff, Carin Delfs, Frank Edmands, Robert D. Fenwick, John Fisher, Leslie Flemming, Roger Foote, Katharin Foster, and Deborah Gamble

Parish Calendar

This Week January 10 - January 16

Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist Rite I - at church
	9:30 a.m.	Coffee Talk in Parlor
	10:30 a.m.	Children's Chapel
	11:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist Rite II - at church and streamed

Upcoming Events:

1/23 9:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II with Annual Meeting following service

Prayer Ministry

Intercessions: Matt, Alison Dingus, Gail Moyka, Becky Smith, Jackie Caldwell, Lissa, Jamie Putlack, Brianna, Margaret, Robert Nelson, Kaye Osborne, Jeannie Williams, Wyatt Pierce, Josie Wendel, Lovel Marting, Landon Nourse, James Chinn, Molly Prochaska, Sue (Ferguson) McNeer, Curtis Sparks, Dane Hall, Dee Davis, Linda Hill, Craig Welch, Lucrecia, Jack Powell, Brian Kilgore, Ben Johnson, John D. (Jack) Demsey, Dennis Stewart, Daniel, Connie Smith, Melissa Monihen, Jacquie (Maillet) O'Rourke, Nanciann (Delabar) Ireland, Nancy Larson, Justin Montavon, Jeanne Crosby, Richard Hermanson, Corra Ireland, Mari Grace Smith, William McKinley, Amanda Conley, Tracy Spriggs, Mark Figlestahler, John Leasure, Lee Daily, Andrea, Jessica White, Sharon White, Nancy Harness, Linda Smith, Eileen Hornung, Joy Dransfield, Maureen Cadogan, Ann Garner, June McCall, Jack Gee, Christopher Arnett, Elizabeth Miller, Kyle Gleason, Charlotte Marie Teufel, Margo Medwid, Maryann Blackburn, Kevin W. Johnson, Kimberly Sparks, Judy Smith, Evelyn Lawson, Jill Albrecht, Beth Fitch, Cindy McManaway, John Short, Bill Wolery, Len Garner, Hershell Murray, Linda Harness, Don and Gerri Nourse, Karl, Acie T. Angel, Parker Robinson, Ann Sydnor, Greg Reedy, Scott Battles, Gavin Bennett, Vicki Daily, Mike Wear, Mort Wear, Karen Waddell, Oz Fox, Annie Lobert, Sandra Guerard Davis, Scott Mains, Delores Hanes, Dr. Scott Mowery, Pam, Tim Reedy, Krista S., Harold Atkins, Tim Ritchie, Teufel family, Tristan Hickerson, Jeremy Burnside, Sheila Smith, Jennifer Smith, Jennifer Matheny, Bea Maillet, Nathan Smith, Linda Rose, Esther Crisp, Dottie Glover, Dick Powell, John Roby, Erika Wilkes, Matt Angel and his siblings, Ginger Maillet, Karen Tipton, Matt & Hope Smith, Ethel, Suzanne Welch, Carol Cassidy, Brenda Goodman, Mark Scott, April Mullins Wallace, Deve, Sandy Douthat, Melody, Donna Puls, Nancy Kauffman, Gene & family, Tony Wolfe, Dee Russell, Dave Duncan's mother, Kinsley Armstrong, Eric Sutton and family, Jasper, Birdie Shepherd, Craig Felts, Jami Henry, Sarah Bennett & family, Lauren Daily, Todd Smith, Caleb, Cass & Tim Reedy, Janice Blevins' grandson Solomon, Justin & Julia Wiget and family, Tim Goodman, family of Rosalie Dransfield, Sandy Angles, Sandy Sinclair Wilburn and family, Ben Ketter, Erma & Bill (Lindsay Monihen's aunt & uncle)), family of Mike Pacula, Ty Smathers, family of Tim Vaughan, Dee & Donna Russell's granddaughter Kimmy, Susanne Russell, Caleb Lightle.

Prayers for Men & Women in the Military: Luke Mault, Elizabeth Mault, Brad Kitts, Clayton Kitts, Terry McDonald, Austin Fox, Michael Ireland, Herb Thompson, Jr., Timothy Hall, Austin Belveal-Escamilla, Ethan Blackburn, Grant Clifford, Hunter Harrell, Tanner Allen, Logan Clifford.

Ministers of the Church

Presiding Bishop: The Most Rev. Michael B. Curry

Provisional Bishop - Diocese of Southern Ohio:
The Rt. Rev. George Wayne Smith

Priest in Residence: The Rev. Paul Bennett

Vestry: Lindsay Monihen, Sr. Warden
Karen Wood, Jr. Warden
Megan Ketter, Secretary
Scott Berry
Zac Nance
John Leasure
Betty Everett
Julia Wiget
Cindy Hermanson
Bill Shope
Mari Grace Smith

Organist/Choir Director: Justin Wiget

Secretary: Joy Dransfield

Treasurer: Vicki Daily

Lay Ministers: All Baptized Members

Lay Ministers Serving Today

11:00 a.m. Service

Lectors: Jay Hash
Josh Hughes
Eucharistic
Minister: Josh Hughes
Ushers: Zac Nance
Altar Guild: Foresta Shope, Gayle Berry,
Charlotte Gordon, Bill Shope

Parish Contact Information

E- Newsletter: Send an email or call the office to begin receiving our Tuesday newsletter with updates on the week's activities, announcements, Bible Study scriptures, prayer requests, and more.

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Office Hours: Monday through Thursday
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Pastor Paul's Days Off: Fridays & Saturdays

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