

COLLECT OF THE DAY

O God, who wonderfully created, and yet more wonderfully restored, the dignity of human nature: Grant that we may share the divine life of him who humbled himself to share our humanity, your Son Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

A READING FROM JEREMIAH 31:7-14

Thus says the LORD: Sing aloud with gladness for Jacob, and raise shouts for the chief of the nations; proclaim, give praise, and say, "Save, O LORD, your people, the remnant of Israel." See, I am going to bring them from the land of the north, and gather them from the farthest parts of the earth, among them the blind and the lame, those with child and those in labor, together; a great company, they shall return here. With weeping they shall come, and with consolations I will lead them back, I will let them walk by brooks of water, in a straight path in which they shall not stumble; for I have become a father to Israel, and Ephraim is my firstborn. Hear the word of the LORD, O nations, and declare it in the coastlands far away; say, "He who scattered Israel will gather him, and will keep him as a shepherd a flock." For the LORD has ransomed Jacob, and has redeemed him from hands too strong for him. They shall come and sing aloud on the height of Zion, and they shall be radiant over the goodness of the LORD, over the grain, the wine, and the oil, and over the young of the flock and the herd; their life shall become like a watered garden, and they shall never languish again. Then shall the young women rejoice in the dance, and the young men and the old shall be merry. I will turn their mourning into joy, I will comfort them, and give them gladness for sorrow. I will give the priests their fill of fatness, and my people shall be satisfied with my bounty, says the LORD.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**



R. Goodson
(1655-1719)

PSALM 84:1-8

- 1 How dear to me is your dwelling, O¹LORD of¹hosts! *
My soul has a desire and longing for the courts of the LORD;
my heart and my flesh re¹joice in the¹living¹God.

- 2 The sparrow has found her a house
and the swallow a nest where she may¹lay her¹young; *
by the side of your altars, O LORD of hosts,
my¹King¹and my¹God.

PSALM 84:1-8 (cont.)

- 3 Happy are they who ¹dwell in your ¹house! *
they will ¹always be ¹praising ¹you.
- 4 Happy are the people whose ¹strength is in ¹you! *
whose hearts are ¹set on the ¹pilgrims' ¹way.
- 5 Those who go through the desolate valley will find
it a ¹place of ¹springs, *
for the early rains have ¹covered it with ¹pools of ¹water.
- 6 They will climb from ¹height to ¹height, *
and the God of gods will re¹veal him¹self in ¹Zion.
- 7 LORD God of hosts, ¹hear my ¹prayer; *
— ¹hearken, O ¹God of ¹Jacob.
- 8 Behold our de¹fender, O ¹God; *
and look upon the ¹face of ¹your A¹nointed.

A READING FROM PAUL'S LETTER TO THE EPHESIANS 1:3-6,15-19A

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, just as he chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him in love. He destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of his will, to the praise of his glorious grace that he freely bestowed on us in the Beloved.

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

SEQUENCE HYMN 84

Love came down at Christmas

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THE GOSPEL OF OUR LORD ACCORDING TO LUKE

Reader Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke 2:41-52.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

The parents of Jesus went to Jerusalem every year for the festival of the Passover. And when he was twelve years old, they went up as usual for the festival. When the festival was ended and they started to return, the boy Jesus stayed behind in Jerusalem, but his parents did not know it. Assuming that he was in the group of travelers, they went a day's journey. Then they started to look for him among their relatives and friends. When they did not find him, they returned to Jerusalem to search for him. After three days they found him in the temple, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions. And all who heard him were amazed at his understanding and his answers. When his parents saw him they were astonished; and his mother said to him, "Child, why have you treated us like this? Look, your father and I have been searching for you in great anxiety." He said to them, "Why were you searching for me? Did you not know that I must be in my Father's house?" But they did not understand what he said to them. Then he went down with them and came to Nazareth, and was obedient to them. His mother treasured all these things in her heart.

And Jesus increased in wisdom and in years, and in divine and human favor.

Reader The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

THE SERMON

The Rev. Leslie J. Hague

A quiet time for reflection follows the sermon.

THE NICENE CREED

**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.**

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:

**by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.**

With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.

He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

**We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Celebrant Guide your people into your deeper presence, O Holy One, that we may increase in wisdom and years and in divine and human favor as we pray, saying: Happy are the people whose strength is in you, whose hearts are set on the pilgrims' way.

Intercessor Gracious One, you have blessed the Church with every spiritual blessing from the heavenly places and chosen us in Christ before the foundation of the world: Lead us, your children, into holiness, according to the good pleasure of your will, and to the praise of your glorious grace freely bestowed upon us in the Beloved. Happy are the people whose strength is in you,

People **whose hearts are set on the pilgrims' way.**

Intercessor Lead your people into your wisdom and guide those who teach and who rule among the nations, that we may work together to create a world of peace where all people may live into the fullness of their potential. Happy are the people whose strength is in you,

People **whose hearts are set on the pilgrims' way.**

Intercessor Protect all children and families and rescue them from violence, poverty, and oppression. Happy are the people whose strength is in you,

People **whose hearts are set on the pilgrims' way.**

Intercessor Inspire our community to be a place of nurturing peace, that all children may live lives of fullness and security, developing their gifts for the healing and blessing of the world. Happy are the people whose strength is in you,

People **whose hearts are set on the pilgrims' way.**

Intercessor Save your people and give ear to our prayer as we remember before you those for whom we are called to pray, especially those on our All Saints prayer list; for those receiving communion at home this week, and for those we name either silently or aloud. *(Pause for quiet reflection)*

Hear our gratitude as we sing aloud with radiance over the grain, the wine, and the oil; over the young of the flock and the herd; over the goodness of God, as we pray our thanksgivings, especially for those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries this week and for those we name either silently or aloud. *(Pause for quiet reflection)*

We remember those who have died, especially those we name either silently or aloud. *(Pause for quiet reflection)* Turn our mourning into joy, comfort us and give us gladness for sorrow. Happy are the people whose strength is in you,

People **whose hearts are set on the pilgrims' way.**

Celebrant Gracious Father, give us the Spirit of wisdom and revelation as we come to know Christ, so that, with the eyes of our hearts enlightened, we may know what is the hope to which you have called us, what are the riches of your glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of your power for us who believe, through Jesus Christ our Savior. **Amen.**

CONFESSION OF SIN

The Officiant says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept.

Minister and People

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.

A Priest, stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

THE PEACE

Officiant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

The ministers and people greet one another in the name of the Lord.

HOLY COMMUNION EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER B

OFFERTORY ANTHEM **Here is the Little Door** *Herbert Howells (1892-1983)*

Here is the little door, lift up the latch, oh lift!

We need not wander more but enter with our gift; our gift of finest gold,

Gold that was never bought nor sold; Myrrh to be strewn about His bed;

Incense in clouds about His Head;

All for the Child that stirs not in His sleep, but holy slumber holds with ass and sheep.

Bend low about His Bed, for each He has a gift;

See how His eyes awake, lift up your hands, O lift!

For gold, He gives a keen-edged sword (Defend with it Thy little Lord!)

For incense, smoke of battle red, Myrrh for the honoured happy dead;

Gifts for His children, terrible and sweet,

Touched by such tiny hands and Oh such tiny feet.

OFFERTORY HYMN 124 **What star is this, with beams so bright** *Puer nobis*

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 God thanks and praise.**

The Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Because you gave Jesus Christ, your only Son, to be born for us; who, by the mighty power of the Holy Spirit, was made perfect Man of the flesh of the Virgin Mary his mother; so that we might be delivered from the bondage of sin, and receive power to become your children. 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:

Celebrant and People sing

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**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The people stand or kneel.

Then the Celebrant continues

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son.

For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

**We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;**

The celebrant continues

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

People and Celebrant

**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

FRACTION ANTHEM

Celebrant and People

**Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.
Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

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The Celebrant says the following Invitation.

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Prayer Partners during Communion

Prayer Partners are available near the pulpit during Communion.

All wishing to have special supportive prayers for yourself or others are encouraged to approach the prayer partner during communion time.

COMMUNION HYMN 587 **Our Father, by whose Name**

Rhosymedre

COMMUNION MOTET **Bethlehem Down**

Peter Warlock (1894-1930)

*"When He is King we will give Him the Kings' gifts,
Myrrh for its sweetness, and gold for a crown,
Beautiful robes", said the young girl to Joseph,
Fair with her firstborn on Bethlehem Down.
Bethlehem Down is full of the starlight – winds for the spices, and stars for the gold,
Mary for sleep, and for lullaby music songs of a shepherd by Bethlehem fold.
When He is King they will clothe Him in gravesheets,
Myrrh for embalming, and wood for a crown,
He that lies now in the white arms of Mary sleeping so lightly on Bethlehem Down.
Here He has peace and a short while for dreaming,
Close huddled oxen to keep Him from cold,
Mary for love, and for lullaby music, Songs of a shepherd by Bethlehem fold.*

Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

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.

SENDING FORTH OF THE LAY EUCHARISTIC VISITORS

Priest N. (and N.) we send you out to share Communion this week with
N. N. (and N.N.)

People **May you carry the prayers of all of us as you take this sacrament of Christ's presence.**

Priest May those who receive it from you be strengthened and encouraged
in that community we have together in our Lord Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

THE BLESSING

RECESSIONAL HYMN 109

The first Nowell

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DISMISSAL

Officiant Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia!

People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!**

VOLUNTARY

Noël Suisse (Grand Jeu et Duo)

Louis-Claude Daquin (1694-1772)

Please join us for fellowship and refreshments after the service.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM OUR MUSIC MINISTRY

Roberts Wesleyan College Chorale

Concert at All Saints on Thursday, January 23, 2020, at 7:00 p.m.

Volunteers needed for student housing (one night). Sign-up via the All Saints office or a sign-up table next week.



Announcement

Interested in singing in the choir? There is a special place for you. See Daniel or a choir member for information on singing with one of the best parish choirs in South Florida.

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WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK AT ALL SAINTS

<i>Mon. – Fri.</i>	Easier Softer Way (AA Meeting)	8:00 am	Neaverson
<i>Mon. 1/6</i>	EFM	6:30 pm	Parish House
<i>Wed. 1/8</i>	Holy Eucharist w/Healing	12:05 pm	St. Luke's
<i>Thurs. 1/9</i>	Vespers	6:30 pm	St. Luke's
	Choir Rehearsal	7:00 pm	
<i>Sat. 1/11</i>	Building & Grounds	9:00 am	River Room

UPCOMING EVENTS AT ALL SAINTS FOR JANUARY

Monday, Jan. 6	EFM begins at 6:30 each Monday in the Parish House
Sunday, Jan. 12	Father George with Food for the Poor will be preaching
Tuesday, Jan. 14	Laundry Love at Laundromart in Hollywood from 4 to 7 pm
Saturday, Jan. 18	Riversounds: Seraphic Fire at 7:30 pm
Sunday, Jan. 19	Rector's and Vestry Forum at 9:00 am ECW Meeting at 12:00 noon
Thursday, Jan. 23	Riversounds: Roberts Chorale Tour 2020 at 7:00 pm
Sunday, Jan. 26	Holy Eucharist and Annual Parish Meeting at 9:00 am
Monday – Thursday, Jan. 27 – 30	Beds Around the Altar

The Altar Flowers this week are given to the Glory of God
and in thanksgiving by Paul Dobra,
and in thanksgiving for friends and family by Ron Lett.



The Sanctuary Candle is given to the Glory of God and
in loving memory of my Dad, Robert Warren Adams,
June 5, 1926 - January 6, 2005, on the fifteenth anniversary
of his Easter by Bob Adams.

CELEBRATING THIS WEEK January 5 – 11

Birthdays Dan Dailey, Jim McClain, Mary Slebodnik, Gail Marshall,
Rick Aranosian, Jeremiah Jenner, Loren Latta,
Brett Laursen, Sarah Bennett, Amy Eker

Anniversaries None

WEDNESDAY HEALING PRAYER WITH EUCHARIST

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8 12:05 p.m. in St. Luke's Chapel

(Please enter by the door in the Jensen Courtyard)

Many are asked to remember others, especially for healing, in our prayers. All are invited to join together at this service for a healing laying-on-of-hands, anointing, and prayer for others or our selves. These prayers become our Eucharistic offering as we celebrate together in our beautiful St. Luke's Chapel.

THIS WEEK IS THE COMMEMORATION OF HARRIET BEDELL

An Episcopal deaconess and missionary to the Cheyenne in Oklahoma,
Alaska Natives, and the Seminole of Florida

VESPERS (EVENING PRAYERS – RITE II) AT ALL SAINTS

Every Thursday evening at 6:30 pm, Vespers is held in St. Luke's Chapel

Vespers is a wonderful and deeply spiritual liturgy of prayer which is the penultimate of the ancient daily Christian "Prayer Hours." Vespers offers us an opportunity for thanksgiving for the good in the day, to let go of the stresses of work and life; and to turn all things earthly, over to God near the end of the day.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 9

THIS WEEK IS THE COMMEMORATION OF JULIA CHESTER EMERY

Missionary

**RECTOR'S AND VESTRY FORUM—SUNDAY , JAN. 19TH
BETWEEN THE WORSHIP SERVICES AT 9:00 AM**

**ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH
ANNUAL PARISH MEETING IS SCHEDULED FOR
SUNDAY, JANUARY 26TH**

There will be a **Rector's and Vestry Forum between the worship services at 9:00 AM on Sunday, January 19** to introduce the nominees who will be standing to serve on the Vestry and to clarify the procedures for the Annual Meeting.

On Sunday, January 26, there will be one service at 9:00 AM beginning with the Holy Eucharist and ending with the Annual Meeting.

Confirm your eligibility to vote...

In order to be eligible to have voice and vote at the annual meeting, all of the following conditions must be met:

1. You must be an active, confirmed member of the Parish, with your official membership "letter" residing at All Saints Episcopal Church, and having attended services within the past year.
2. You must be at least sixteen (16) years of age.
3. You must be a Pledging (2020) member of record to the Parish *OR* have made a monetary contribution on record to the Parish [within the past twelve (12) months.

Electors will be required to register and receive their ballot prior to the call to order of the annual meeting. Registration tables will be located in the Narthex. Determination of qualification will be made based on the official membership and contribution records of the parish. Only qualified electors will receive a ballot.

If you would like to confirm your eligibility prior to the meeting, please contact Michael Lee, our Parish Administrator, by email to michael@allsaintsfl.org or in the office at 954-467-6496 (Mon-Thurs).

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR BEDS AROUND THE ALTAR

January 27 – 30, 2020

All Saints, in conjunction with our partners at Hope South Florida, will be hosting several families from the community, the week of January 27th. These families have found themselves at a difficult time in their lives, particularly being without a permanent or safe place to live. All Saints is part of a network of ecumenical churches in Broward County that provide week-long stays until family shelter space or other temporary housing becomes available. During the week, volunteers serve in essential roles by providing Christian hospitality while these families are guests of the All Saints community. Individuals or families prepare a meal and visit with the families. Each evening, two over-night hosts spend the night providing a safe place to sleep. With All Saints' helping hands, these families are supported during this vulnerable time in a loving community of faith. Many of our volunteers have expressed what an awesome and rewarding experience they have after spending time with these families who are in true need of our fellowship. We are coordinating volunteers to prepare and host evening meals for the families at 5:15 pm, and hosts to be on-site overnight with the families from 7 pm until 7 am in the church sanctuary. As a faith community, All Saints provides a safe place to sleep, dinner, breakfast, a bagged lunch, showers and laundry facilities.

**For more info or to volunteer, contact Gregg Geenty-Prudhomme
434-249-7030, gregg@allsaintsfl.org**

Hebrews 13:2 Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for by doing that, some have entertained angels without knowing it.



DEDICATION OF ALTAR FLOWERS AND SANCTUARY CANDLES 2020



The sign up for 2020 dedication of Altar Flowers and the Sanctuary Candles is now available on the bulletin board in the Narthex. The donation for Altar Flowers is \$100; and during Advent, it is \$30 for the Altar Greens. Flowers are not used during Lent. The Sanctuary Candle is \$15 for each week. A special thank you to everyone for their support of our Flower Guild which adds to the beauty and enrichment of our Church.