

**WELCOME TO  
ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
✠  
CAPITOL HILL**

**ST. MARK'S MISSION STATEMENT**

St. Mark's is an open community, welcoming people wherever they are on their faith journey. We celebrate the gifts of God that empower us to engage boldly in the struggles of life and to care for others with love, justice, and compassion.



**THE 1<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT  
March 10, 2019**

**5:00 PM CONTEMPLATIVE  
EUCCHARIST**

**Homilist & Deacon**  
The Reverend Cindy Dopp

**Presider**  
The Reverend Michele H. Morgan

*Cell Phones* – Please turn off your cell phone or other electronic devices at any time you are in the Nave.  
*Hearing* – Infrared headsets providing amplified sound are in the tract racks by the doors, or ask an usher.

# Welcome to St. Mark's Episcopal Church ✠ Capitol Hill



The Parish Calendar is Online at [www.stmarks.net/connect/calendar](http://www.stmarks.net/connect/calendar)

Restrooms and water fountains are available in the foyer and on the lower level.

Lost & Found is managed by our Parish Administrator. Please contact James (202-543-0053, ext. 306) to see if your item has been found or to turn in an item.

## March 3, 2018

Attendance:	285
Pledge & Plate collection:	\$15,686.46

**THE BROKEN MIRROR CROSS**, which hangs above the altar in Lent, an especially fitting symbol reflecting to us the often fragmented nature of our lives, was designed and made by Joya Cox.



## SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

**9:00 am Holy Eucharist** (*Family Eucharist is celebrated the second Sunday of most months*)

**9:00 am Children's Chapel** (*not offered when Family Eucharist is celebrated at 9:00 am*)

**10:00 am Sermon Seminar**

**11:15 am Holy Eucharist**

**5:00 pm Contemplative Eucharist**

*We formally begin the worship service with the Prelude, a musical offering designed to bring us together for worship that allows for quiet reflection before the service begins. Please respect this time by refraining from conversations in the Nave as much as possible. While greeting each other is important, we ask that you do so outside the Nave or near the doors so that others can have quiet time.*

# THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

## THE GREAT LITANY (adapted)

Book of Common Prayer

O God the Father, Creator of heaven and earth,  
**Have mercy upon us.**

O God the Son, Redeemer of the world,  
**Have mercy upon us.**

O God the Holy Spirit, Sanctifier of the faithful,  
**Have mercy upon us.**

O holy, blessed, and glorious Trinity, one God,  
**Have mercy upon us.**

From all evil and wickedness; from sin; from the crafts  
and assaults of the devil.  
**Good Lord, deliver us.**

From all blindness of heart; from pride, vainglory, and hypocrisy;  
from envy, hatred, and malice; and from all want of charity,  
**Good Lord, deliver us.**

From lightning and tempest; from earthquake, fire, and  
flood; from plague, pestilence, and famine,  
**Good Lord, deliver us.**

From all oppression, conspiracy, and rebellion; from  
violence, battle, and murder; and from dying suddenly and unprepared,  
**Good Lord, deliver us.**

That it may please you to illumine all bishops, priests, and  
deacons, with true knowledge and understanding of your  
Word; and that both by their preaching and living, they may  
set it forth, and show it accordingly,  
**We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.**

That it may please you to give us a heart to love you,  
and diligently to live after your commandments.  
**We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.**

That it may please you so to rule the hearts of your servants,  
the President of the United States, and all  
others in authority, that they may do justice, and love mercy,  
and walk in the ways of truth,  
**We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.**

That it may please you to make wars to cease in all the world;  
to give to all nations unity, peace, and concord; and to  
bestow freedom upon all peoples,  
**We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.**

That it may please you to show your pity upon all prisoners  
and captives, the homeless and the hungry, and all who are  
desolate and oppressed,  
**We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.**

That it may please you to inspire us, in our several callings,  
to do the work which you give us to do with singleness of  
heart as your servants, and for the common good,  
**We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.**

That it may please you to preserve all who are in danger by  
reason of their labor or their travel,  
**We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.**

That it may please you to visit the lonely; to strengthen all  
who suffer in mind, body, and spirit; and to comfort with your  
presence those who are failing and infirm,  
**We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.**

That it may please you to give us true repentance; to forgive  
us all our sins, negligences, and ignorances; and to endue  
us with the grace of your Holy Spirit to amend our lives  
according to your holy Word,  
**We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.**

That it may please you to grant to all the faithful departed  
eternal life and peace,  
**We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.**

That it may please you to grant that in the fellowship of Mark  
and all the saints we may attain to your heavenly kingdom  
**We beseech you to hear us, good Lord.**

*All may share prayers of petition, intercession, and thanksgiving silently, or if aloud, ending by saying "God in your mercy" to which the community will respond "hear our Prayer."*

*A period of time is observed for peoples prayers*

Son of God, we beseech you to hear us.

**Son of God, we beseech you to hear us.**

O Lamb of God that takes away the sins of the world,

**Have mercy upon us.**

O Lamb of God that takes away the sins of the world,

**Grant us your peace.**

O Christ, hear us.

**O Christ, hear us.**

Lord, have mercy upon us.

**Lord, have mercy upon us.**

Lord, have mercy upon us.

*A period of silence is observed.*

## **COLLECT**

God be with you.

**And also with you.**

Let us pray:

**God, you know better than we the temptations that will bring us down. Grant that our love for you may protect us from all foolish and corrupting desire. Be gracious to us; we long for you. Be our strength every morning; our salvation in time of distress. Amen.**

## **THE HEBREW SCRIPTURE Deuteronomy 26:1-11**

When you have come into the land that the Lord your God is giving you as an inheritance to possess, and you possess it, and settle in it, you shall take some of the first of all the fruit of the ground, which you harvest from the land that the Lord your God is giving you, and you shall put it in a basket and go to the place that the Lord your God will choose as a dwelling for his name. You shall go to the priest who is in office at that time, and say to him, "Today I declare to the Lord your God that I have come into the land that the Lord swore to our ancestors to give us."

When the priest takes the basket from your hand and sets it down before the altar of the Lord your God, you shall make this response before the Lord your God: "A wandering Aramean was my ancestor; he went down into Egypt and lived there as an alien, few in

number, and there he became a great nation, mighty and populous. When the Egyptians treated us harshly and afflicted us, by imposing hard labor on us, we cried to the Lord, the God of our ancestors; the Lord heard our voice and saw our affliction, our toil, and our oppression. The Lord brought us out of Egypt with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, with a terrifying display of power, and with signs and wonders; and he brought us into this place and gave us this land, a land flowing with milk and honey. So now I bring the first of the fruit of the ground that you, O Lord, have given me." You shall set it down before the Lord your God and bow down before the Lord your God. Then you, together with the Levites and the aliens who reside among you, shall celebrate with all the bounty that the Lord your God has given to you and to your house.

Hear what the Spirit is saying to us.

**Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM 91:1-2, 9-16**

*The psalm will be read responsively by half-verse.*

You who live in the shelter of the Most High,  
**who abide in the shadow of the Almighty,**  
will say to the Lord, "My refuge and my fortress;  
**my God, in whom I trust."**

Because you have made the Lord your refuge,  
**the Most High your dwelling place,**  
no evil shall befall you,  
**no scourge come near your tent.**

For he will command his angels concerning you  
**to guard you in all your ways.**  
On their hands they will bear you up,  
**so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.**

You will tread on the lion and the adder,  
**the young lion and the serpent you will trample under foot.**

Those who love me, I will deliver;  
**I will protect those who know my name.**  
When they call to me, I will answer them;  
**I will be with them in trouble, I will rescue them and honor them.**

With long life I will satisfy them,  
**and show them my salvation.**

*The people stand as able.*

## **THE GOSPEL Luke 4:1-13**

The Gospel of Jesus according to Luke.

**Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

After his baptism, Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, where for forty days he was tempted by the devil. He ate nothing at all during those days, and when they were over, he was famished. The devil said to him, "If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become a loaf of bread." Jesus answered him, "It is written, 'One does not live by bread alone.'"

Then the devil led him up and showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world. And the devil said to him, "To you I will give their glory and all this authority; for it has been given over to me, and I give it to anyone I please. If you, then, will worship me, it will all be yours." Jesus answered him, "It is written, 'Worship the Lord your God, and serve only him.'"

Then the devil took him to Jerusalem, and placed him on the pinnacle of the temple, saying to him, "If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here, for it is written, 'He will command his angels concerning you, to protect you,' and 'On their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.'"

Jesus answered him, "It is said, 'Do not put the Lord your God to the test.'" When the devil had finished every test, he departed from him until an opportune time.

The Gospel of Jesus.

**Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

**HOMILY**

The Reverend Cindy Dopp

## **MUSIC FOR MEDITATION**

*The people stand as able.*

## **AFFIRMATION**

**We believe that God has created us.**

**We believe that God is born among us.**

**We believe that God will always sustain us.**

**We believe that God calls us to bring peace, justice, and compassion into this world.**

**We believe that in the end of all things, God's love shall prevail.**

**Amen.**

*A period of silence is observed.*

## THE PEACE

The peace of God be always with you.  
**And also with you.**

*All, one with another, exchange a sign of peace.*

## WELCOME & GREETING

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Please limit announcements to one minute or less.*

## ELECTRONIC OFFERING



*Text "stmarks20003" to 73256 to give to St. Mark's using text messaging.*

*There may be a slight delay and then you will receive a reply text which will guide you through the initial set up.*

## THE LITURGY OF THE TABLE

### EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

God is always with us.

**God's healing Spirit is upon us.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them up to the Incarnate One.**

Let us give thanks to God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Holy One, Creator of heaven and earth, through Jesus Christ our Lord; who was tempted in every way as we are, yet did not sin. By his grace we are able to triumph over every evil, and to live no longer for ourselves alone, but for him who died for us and rose again.

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

**Holy, holy, holy Lord; God of power and might! Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord; hosanna in the highest!**

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 Holy One,

**We remember his death, We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory;**  
And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Source 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 and Holy One, now and for ever.

**AMEN!**

## **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

*Throughout the season of Lent, we are using the contemporary translation of the Lord's Prayer:*

And now, as Jesus taught us, let us pray:

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name,  
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread.**

**And forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.**

**Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and and ever. Amen.**

## THE FRACTION

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

## THE INVITATION TO COMMUNION

We recognize this as God's table set before us and for all and this bread and wine as God's food for us and for all. Therefore whoever we are, from wherever we have come, and whatever we believe,  
**All are welcome and invited to receive. Amen!**

## THE COMMUNION

*Gluten-free wafers and grape juice are available; please make your needs known to the minister.*

## MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

### POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

O God, giver of life and health—  
—**your Son Jesus Christ has called us to hunger and thirst to see right prevail; refresh us with your grace that we may not be weary of well-doing; for the sake of him who meets all our needs, our Saviour Jesus Christ.**  
**Amen.**

### THE BLESSING

May Christ who calls you to take up your cross, give you strength to bear your own and one another's burdens—and the blessing of God Our Creator, Redeemer and Giver of Life be with you always.  
**Amen.**

### DISMISSAL

Go now to love and serve the Lord. Go in peace.  
**We go in the name of Christ. Amen.**



*Please join us for light refreshments after the service.*

## Liturgical Leaders and Worship Participants

Verger

Jennifer Cate



### Liturgy Request

At St. Mark's, we plan the liturgy periodically. If you would like to join in one of our Community Liturgy Planning sessions, please contact our Assistant Rector, Scott Lipscomb, at [scott@stmarks.net](mailto:scott@stmarks.net).

### Acknowledgements

The Collect, Post-Communion Prayer, Blessing, and Dismissal: *The Book of Common Prayer* of New Zealand, adapted. The Penitential Litany and the Eucharist: *The Book of Common Prayer* of the USA, adapted. The Creed: Scott Lipscomb, adapted. Prayers of the People: the Rev. Rick Morely, based on Psalm 51.



## Lenten & Easter Services

Wednesdays 8:00 am Eucharist, *Chapel* (light Breakfast following)

Thursdays 12:00 pm Noon Eucharist, *Chapel*

- Sunday, March 17**                      9:00 am Holy Eucharist + Laying on of Hands, *Nave*  
   10:00 am Sermon Seminar, *Nave*  
   11:15 am Holy Eucharist + Laying on of Hands, *Nave*  
   5:00 pm Contemplative Eucharist, *Nave*
- Annual Meeting Day**                      10:00 am Holy Eucharist, *Nave*  
**Sunday, March 24**                      (11:30 meal before the mtg., 12:00 pm Annual Meeting *Nave*)  
   5:00 pm Contemplative Eucharist, *Nave*
- Sunday, March 31**                      9:00 am Family Eucharist , *Nave*  
   10:00 am Sermon Seminar, *Nave*  
   11:15 am Holy Eucharist, *Nave*  
   5:00 pm Contemplative Eucharist, *Nave*
- Sunday, April 7**                      9:00 am Holy Eucharist + Laying on of Hands, *Nave*  
   10:00 am Sermon Seminar, *Nave*  
   11:15 am Holy Eucharist + Laying on of Hands, *Nave*  
   5:00 pm Contemplative Eucharist, *Nave*
- Palm Sunday**                      9:00 am Liturgy of the Palms, *Nave*  
**Sunday, April 14**                      10:00 am Sermon Seminar, *Nave*  
   11:15 am Liturgy of the Palms, *Nave*  
   5:00 pm, Contemplative Eucharist *Nave*
- Monday, April 15**                      7:00 pm Service of Confession
- Wednesday, April 17**                      7:00 pm Tenebrae, Contemporary Readings and Music
- Maundy Thursday,**                      12:00 pm Noon Eucharist, *Chapel*  
**April 18**                                      6:00 pm Fellowship Hour, *Parish Hall*  
   6:30 pm Agape Feast, *Nave*  
   8:00 pm Holy Eucharist, *Nave*

**Good Friday, April 19**

12:00 pm Good Friday Service, *Nave*

1:30 pm Stations of the Cross, *Nave*

3:30 pm Stations of the Cross *at the U.S. Capitol*

7:00 pm Good Friday Service, *Nave*

**Holy Saturday,  
April 20**

10:00 am Children's Service

Following after Jesus, *St. Mark's Capitol Hill*

**Easter Sunday,  
April 21**

9:00 am Festival Eucharist, *Nave*

11:15 am Festival Eucharist, *Nave*

5:00 pm Contemplative Eucharist, *Nave*

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Class of '20	Tracy Councill, Jim Brooks, Alix Pereira
Class of '21	Christina Herman, Brandon Dunn Knight, Amber Macdonald
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## Diocesan Delegates

Cecilia Monahan    Jim Steed    Peter Nye

# Cycle of Prayer

## *In the Diocese of Washington*

Grace Church, Georgetown  
Grace Church, Silver Spring Parish

## *Anglican Communion*

Pray for the Province de L'Eglise Anglicane Du Congo  
The Most Revd Zacharie Masimango Katanda - Archbishop of the Congo & Bishop of Kindu

## *Parish Prayer List*

Pamela Blumgart • Joseph Boone • J. Richard Brown • Tony Cogswel • Jon Coulter  
Milan Das • Dennis DuBois • John DuBois • Marla DuBois • Rick Ferry • David Glaze  
Gideon Johnson • Bill Jones • Lina Marks • Nat Marks • Taylor Emerson Marks  
Moriah O'Brien • Ann Ramish • Rick Rutherford • Carol Roman • Stephanie Sawaf  
Chryl Smith • Arnold Taylor • Fred Taylor • Linda Wade

## *Parishioners and Family Members serving in the military*

Burr Barton • Clint Billings • P. J. Boehm • Micheal Boone • Preston Brooks  
Todd Daniels • Gregory DuBow • Stephen Dannenmaier • Jason Earnest  
Benjamin Keltz • Kurt Hansen • Joshua Russo



## Welcome Guests!

We'd like to get to know you better!

We invite you to fill out this page, tear it off, and drop it into the offering plate or hand it to one of the greeters as you leave. Please take the rest of this service bulletin with you, so that you can refer to the service schedule, and office directory.

We hope you feel at home with us. If you have questions, please speak with the clergy or one of the greeters after the service. You can also call the office at any time and we will be happy to help you in any way we can.

Thank you for visiting St. Mark's today.

*Go in peace and return often!*

After completing, please remove this page and place in the offering plate or give to a greeter.

I attended: \_\_\_\_\_ 9 am Holy Eucharist  
\_\_\_\_\_ 10 am Sermon Seminar  
\_\_\_\_\_ 11:15 am Holy Eucharist  
\_\_\_\_\_ 5 pm Contemplative Eucharist  
\_\_\_\_\_ Special (wedding, funeral, etc.)

On March 10, 2019

Name \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

I am interested in learning more about:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Volunteering during Worship (Usher, Lay Server, Altar Guild, etc.)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Baptism (child, adult)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Getting married at St. Mark's
- \_\_\_\_\_ Music (choir, lessons)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Children/youth classes & programs
- \_\_\_\_\_ Adult classes
- \_\_\_\_\_ Senior programs/activities
- \_\_\_\_\_ Outreach/community service
- \_\_\_\_\_ Environmental issues
- \_\_\_\_\_ Yoga classes
- \_\_\_\_\_ Dance classes
- \_\_\_\_\_ St. Mark's Players (theatrical productions)

Would you like to be contacted by a clergyperson? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

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