

**Our prayers and sympathy to Leon and Betty Milton on the death of Betty's brother, Philip Eaddy.**

Christ will open the kingdom of heaven to all who believe in his Name, saying, Come O blessed of my Father; inherit the kingdom prepared for you. BCP Page 500

**There is only one service this Sunday at 9:00 a.m.** and it will be live (to the extent that social distancing guidelines can be maintained), and by live video feed on Facebook.

**The annual meeting will be held via Zoom on January 24, 2021 at 11:00 a.m.**

**We need your help:**

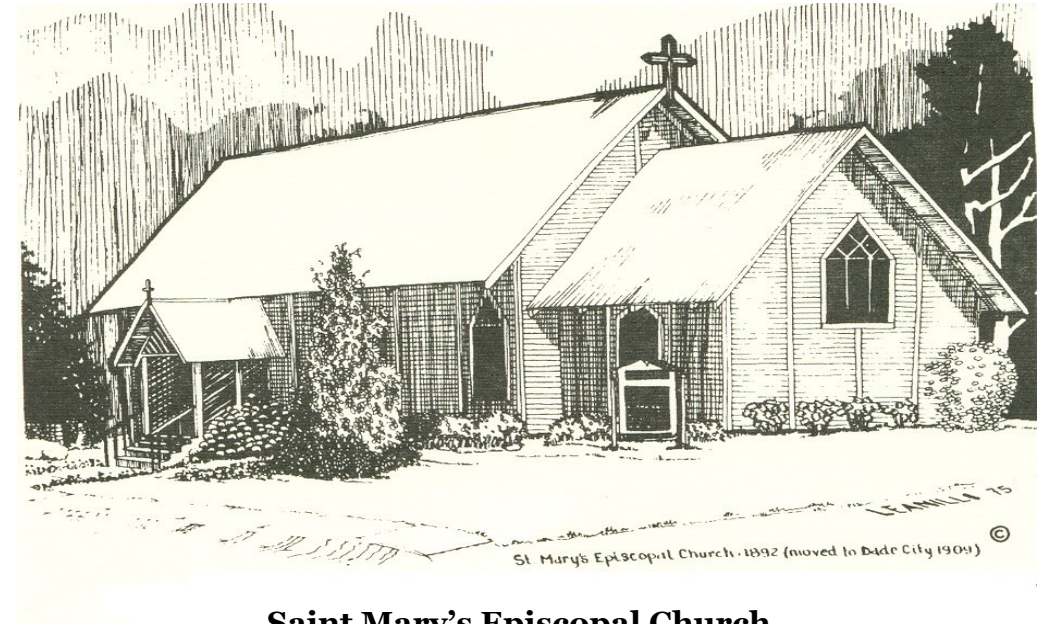
**There is a Garden Day, this Saturday from 9 am until noon, for information please contact Jean Carbone at 567-9688.**

**We also need painters, please contact LeRoy Hauff at 813/783-4125, if you can help.**

**The 2021 Offering envelopes are in the parish hall.**

**The 2021 Altar Flower Chart is in the Parish Hall.**

**We are in need of more ushers for the 10 am service. Presently we only have 11 signed up. If you are interested, please contact Diane Smith at 813/713-0962 or dfs5@embarqmail.com.**



**Saint Mary's Episcopal Church**  
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January 24, 2021

<b>Sundays</b>	
Holy Communion	9:00 am.
Daughters of the King meet the 1st & 3rd Monday in Freeman Hall	10:30-12:00
Wednesday, Knitty Gritty—Tanno Hall	3:00 p.m.
Thursday Men's Holy Communion and Breakfast	6:30 a.m.
Thursday Morning Prayer Group	7:30 a.m.
Thursday Morning Bible (via Zoom)	11:00 a.m.

The Rt. Rev. Dabney T. Smith, Bishop  
The Rev. James C. Teets 561/632-0635 [fatherjim@stmdc.com](mailto:fatherjim@stmdc.com)  
Organist & Choir Director: Sharon Brant  
Parish Administrator: Sandra Sartain [sandra@stmdc.com](mailto:sandra@stmdc.com)  
Treasurer: Jim Stokoe Sr. Warden: Dennis Alfonso Jr. Warden: Greg Gude

**Saint Mary's Episcopal Church**  
**The Third Sunday after the Epiphany**  
**January 24, 2021**

Voluntary: **"A Mighty Fortress is Our God"** Martin Luther  
 Opening Prayer  
 Processional Hymn: **"Christ for the World We Sing"** Moscow  
**The Word of God**  
**Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit .**  
**People: And blessed he his kingdom, now and forever .**  
**Amen**  
 Hymn of Praise: **"You're Worthy of My Praise"** David Ruis  
 The Collect of the Day  
 The First Reading: Jonah 3:1-5, 10  
 Psalm 62:6-14 BCP Page 669  
 The Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:29-31  
 Sequence Hymn: **"They Cast Their Nets in Galilee"** Georgetown  
 The Gospel: Mark 1:14-20

**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 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.*

**Please pray for those on our parish prayer list who have urgent and on going concerns.**

Dara Morgan	Bryan Stephens	David & Hannah
Jerry and Diane Rice	Kelly Oakley	Ansley
John Harrison	Bill McGavern	Donna Smith
Barbara Barber	Emmett Evans	Karen Berger
Lola Morgan	Joel Graves	Barbara Tewell
Alex Alfonso	Jon	Scott Sinclair
Kenneth H.	Betsy Philmon	Kristi Gaffney
Karen Phillips	Claire Davis	Rob Purcell
Don Webb	Robert Alfonso	Jennifer Greenbaum
Ann Becker	Richard Bingham	Cecil Hicks
Janice Tabb	Roy Singletery	Melvin Hicks
George Avadikian	Eddie Solt	Jeannie White
Lynn Ashford	James and Julie Martin	Presley
Linda Bowman	Kristie Sokinas	Lynn Shope
Bebe Cain	Rose's Family	Ruth
Denise McKienzie	Mark Mamo	Laura Johnson
Betty Milton	Tim	Brian Ruel
Marge Moffett	Martha	Timothy Sears
Pat Proctor	Crystal Clements	Cheryl Fazioli
Anna Kirkland	Zach Springfield	Cynthia
Hanne Jordan	Lou	Everett Boyett
BJ Croft	Nicholas	Vicki Knox
Jock Weightman	Lucy	Pat Beers
Jack Finnerty	Donna Smith	Ashley
Ric Plecenik	Carol Thiele	Elizabeth Null
Sue Szczerba	Myrna Belden	
Harry	Chad Carey	
David Teets	Fred Wells	
Cynthia	Danny Ward & Family	
Sadie	Rose Blough	
Susie	Gail S.	
Garrett	Gail G.	
Charles	Sheila and Becky	
Reid Bessenger	Jay, Barbara and family	
Jenna Goltry		

	YTD
Revenues	\$ 11,008.00
Expenses	<u>11,034.65</u>
	\$ (26.65)

## Post Communion Prayer:

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

## The Blessing

**Recessional Hymn: “Lord of the Dance”**

Shaker Tune

**Postlude: “Standing in the Need of Prayer”**

Spiritual

The Dismissal

**Lay Eucharistic Minister: 9:00 am. Mimi Cass-Clark**

**Nancy Finnerty**

**Acolytes: 9:00 am. Milt Larsen**

**10:00 am. Carol Smith, Cathy Bennett**

**Ushers: 9:00 am. Jo Bellows, Barbara Barber,**

**Altar Guild: Carol Smith, Cathy Bennett**

**Birthdays: January 24- Lois Ann Alston, Henry Jordan**

**26- Cindy Dunkelberger**

**29- Pat Goltry**

**Wedding  
Anniversaries**

**January 25- Jordan and Sarah Edwards**

**Family Cycle of Prayer:** Jack and Sandi Morgan; The Morgan Family: Mike, Dara, Cyrus and Lola; Charles Nickles and Debbie Smith; Joe and Judy Nicholson

**Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:** Holy Innocents Church, Valrico; Holy Trinity, Clearwater, Iona-Hope and Lamb of God in Fort Myers; Episcopal College Chaplaincies; Florida Gulf Coast University

**The Flowers at the Altar** are given to the Glory of God *by thanksgiving for St. Peter.*

**All of the following have been suspended until further notice.**

**Coffee Hours**

**The Tuesday Night Bible Study**

**Love One Another postponed until further notice.**

*Officiant:* Let us pray to God, who is made manifest in Jesus Christ.

*Intercessor:* As the prophet Isaiah rang out, “Arise, shine; for your light has come”; empower your Church, O God, to ring out the Good News of the Light of your son Jesus, which pierces even the deepest darkness.

**Lord, in your mercy, Hear our prayer.**

As a star rose high into the nighttime sky to draw the nations to the Christ-child; send your blessing, O God, on this nation, and every nation, and draw the whole world to your peace and truth.

**Lord, in your mercy, Hear our prayer.**

As John the Baptist guided throngs of people to the edge of the wilderness and baptized Jesus in the River Jordan, we pray that you would guide our country and our leaders to the ways of justice and righteousness.

Lord, in your mercy, Hear our prayer.

Like the Magi who traveled from afar to bring gifts and celebrate the Savior’s birth; we pray for this community, and for those who celebrate their own birth-days and anniversaries this month.

**Lord, in your mercy, Hear our prayer.**

As Jesus climbed the mountaintop, and proclaimed blessings on the people of the world; we pray for the sick and the distressed, the poor and the lame. We especially pray for ...

**Lord, in your mercy, Hear our prayer.**

As Jesus called his disciples to leave their nets and boats, and follow him; we pray for those we love and who have answered your call to follow Jesus to your Heavenly Kingdom. Give them your peace.

**Lord, in your mercy, Hear our prayer.**

*Officiant:* Lord Jesus, Light of the World, hear our prayers, and make us reflections of your Light, that the places of darkness in our world would be pierced by your Light, and that all nations would be drawn to you and be overwhelmed with joy. Amen.

## Confession and Absolution

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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.

## Welcome and Parish Notices

## The Holy Communion

### Offertory Anthem: “Poor Wayfaring Stranger”

Folk Spiritual

## The Great Thanksgiving Eucharistic Prayer B

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.

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:

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.

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,

### *Celebrant and People*

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 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 the Ever Blessed Virgin Mary and 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

## Holy Communion (Open to all Baptized Persons)

Communion Hymn: “He Leadeth Me”  
“Cry of My Heart”  
“Blest Be the Tie that Binds”

Gilmore/Bradbury  
Terry Butler  
Fawcett/Nageli