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The Administration of Communion Hymns:

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# The First Sunday after The Epiphany The Baptism of our Lord

First Reading: Isaiah 42:1-9

**Comment:** "The servant of God brings justice"

In our lection from the Hebrew Bible we hear of the mission of the Lord's servant, the one whom God has chosen to bring forth justice and salvation. This is the first of the "servant songs" that forms a portion of the Book of Isaiah, written at the time when the exile in Babylon was ending and the city of Jerusalem had begun to be restored. The servant is sometimes thought to be an historical individual, or is understood as an idealization of Israel. Christians see in the servant a prefigurement of the ministry of Jesus, who will become a light to the nations of the world.

#### Psalm 29

The majesty of God is described in the likeness of a mighty thunderstorm.

SECOND READING (The Epistle): Acts 10:34-43 **Comment:** "Jesus' ministry after his baptism" In this reading we learn how Peter recognises that the good news, which Jesus began to proclaim after his baptism, now extends to all people. At first Peter was slow to believe that God wanted him to bring the word to a non-Jew. But God has revealed this to Peter, and Peter gladly responds to Cornelius, a Roman centurion, together with his family and friends. Peter and the disciples are witnesses to Christ's ministry, death, and resurrection and have been commanded to preach forgiveness of sins through Jesus' name.

THE HOLY GOSPEL: Matthew 3:13-17

**Comment:** "Christ revealed as God's servant" Our gospel is the story of Jesus' baptism. John wonders why Jesus should come to him to receive a baptism for the remission of sins, but Jesus tells him that it is right and fitting. After he is baptised, the Holy Spirit manifests. A voice from heaven proclaims who Jesus is, with words that echo ancient oracles concerning the king and the calling of the Lord's chosen servant.

#### **CATHEDRAL NEWS**

- 1. **STEWARDSHIP:** The distribution of the 2020 Stewardship Envelopes has commenced. During that process, the opportunity will be taken to further enhance the membership record of the Cathedral. Consequently, at the time of the collection, members of the Stewardship Committee will be on hand to check the registration forms; and if there are any deficiencies, they will be addressed at that point. Meantime, the Initial Offering will be received on Sunday, January 26<sup>th</sup>.The cooperation of everyone is requested.
- 2. Confirmation Classes: Please note that registration for Confirmation Class has started. It is anticipated that Confirmation will be celebrated in November, as part of the Diocese's "Mission 2020: God' s Gathering" Interested persons can collect forms from the table at the west door of the Cathedral. Completed forms should be returned to the Office, as soon as possible.
- 3. Lectors and Intercessors' Meeting: There will be a meeting for all Lectors and Intercessors on Tuesday, January 28th, 2020 at 5:30 P.M. Plans for the formation of a Guild of St. Gabriel's will be consolidated at that meeting.

# **Diocesan News**

Ordination To The Diaconate: The Rev'd Roslyn Harper-Johnson, formerly of the Methodist Church, will be ordained to the diaconate on the Feast of the Confession of St Peter, Saturday January 18, 2020 at the Church of St. Mary, at 5:00 P.M. Your prayers and presence are requested. Please inform your congregations of this service of ordination.

Congratulations to all those persons celebrating birthdays this week 12<sup>th</sup> January to January 18<sup>th</sup>, 2020 Ms. Heather R. Browne ~ 15th Mr. Clifford O'D. Nurse ~ 15th Mr. Ajani Yarde ~ 15th Mrs. Vida E. King ~ 16th Ms. Marlene D. Russell ~ 16th



May God bless and strengthen you.

## **HYMN OF FELLOWSHIP** (Worshippers join hands for the singing of the last refrain)

Let there be peace on earth And let it begin with me Let there be peace on earth The peace that was meant to be With God our Creator Children all are we Let us walk with each other In perfect harmony

Let peace begin with me Let this be the moment now With every step I take Let this be my solemn vow To take each moment And live each moment In peace and eternally

Let there be peace on earth And let it begin with me.



THEME FOR THE WEEK

"Through the revealing of himself, God reshapes our world."



WELCOME AND MAY GOD BLESS US ALL!

#### CATHEDRAL MINISTRIES

**January 12th, 2020** 

The First Sunday after the Epiphany ~The
Baptism of Our Lord
7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist
9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist with Baptism
11:00 A.M. ~ Choral Matins
5:30 P.M. ~ Pre-Evensong Recital
by Mr. Akhanni Drakes
6:00 P.M. ~Evensong

Tuesday, January 14<sup>th</sup>, 2020 12:15 P.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup>, 2020 10:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist

**Thursday**, **16**<sup>th</sup>, **2020 12:15 P.M.** ~ Holy Eucharist

Next Sunday, January 19<sup>th</sup>, 2020 The Second Sunday after The Epiphany

> 7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist6:00 P.M. ~ Evensong led by the Holy Innocents Church Choir



# **Looking Ahead! January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

**6:00 P.M.** ~ An Epiphany Carol Service - preceded by a half hour of organ music by Mr. John Bryan, Organist and Choirmaster. There will be no admission fee. An offering will be taken.



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The First Sunday after the Epiphany
The Baptism of our Lord
January 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020

Services 7:00 A.M. & 9:00 A.M.

# January 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020

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The Baptism of Our Lord

7:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist
President: The Rev'd Dr. Marcus Lashley
9:00 A.M. Sung Eucharist with Holy Baptism
President:

The Very Rev'd Dr. Jeffrey D. Gibson ORDER OF WORSHIP

#### THE PREPARATION

Organ Prelude

Opening Hymn ~ 99

"Earth has many a noble city;"

# 7:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist

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"First Sunday after the Epiphany"

# THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

First Lesson: Isaiah 42:1-9

Lectors: **7:00 A.M.** ~ Mr. Junior Warner **9:00 A.M.** ~ Mrs. Judy King, (LEM)

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"Ascribe to the Lord, you gods," Second Lesson: Acts 10:34-43

Lectors: 7:00 A.M. ~ Ms. June Stuart

O-00 A M Manufact Carleian

9:00 A.M. ~ Ms. Harriett Godding (MU)

The Gradual Hymn ~ 671

"May God, accept my heart this day,"

The Holy Gospel: Matthew 3:13-17 Gospeller: The Rev'd Richard Kellman