



EMMANUEL CHURCH

NEWPORT, RHODE ISLAND

WE SHARE OUR HOME, BUILDING A VIBRANT, LOVING COMMUNITY.

FEBRUARY 5, 2023

MORNING PRAYER, RITE II

THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

8:00 A.M. & 10:00 A.M.

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The people stand as they are able

HYMN 29

O Trinity of bless'd light

THE INVITATORY AND PSALTAR

Book of Common Prayer (red) page 80

OPENING SENTENCES

CANTICLE 8:00 a.m. - Book of Common Prayer, page 82

10:00 a.m. - Hymn S-35 *Venite*

The people are seated

PSALM 112:1-10



- 1 Hallelujah! Happy are they who fear the **Lord** *
and have great delight in his **commandments**!
- 2 Their descendants will be mighty in the **land**; *
the generation of the upright will be **bles's'd**.
- 3 Wealth and riches will be in their **house**, *
and their righteousness will last for **ever**.
- 4 Light shines in the darkness for the **upright**; *
the righteous are merciful and full of **compassion**.
- 5 It is good for them to be generous in **lending** *
and to manage their affairs with **justice**.
- 6 For they will never be **shaken**; *
the righteous will be kept in everlasting **remembrance**.

- 7 They will not be afraid of any evil **rumors**; *
 their heart is right; they put their trust in the **Lord**.
- 8 Their heart is established and will not **shrink**, *
 until they see their desire upon their **enemies**.
- 9 They have given freely to the **poor**, *
 and their righteousness stands fast for ever;
 they will hold up their head with **honor**.
- 10 The wicked will see it and be angry;
 they will gnash their teeth and pine **away**; *
 the desires of the wicked will **perish**.

THE READINGS

THE FIRST READING

Shout out, do not hold back! Lift up your voice like a trumpet! Announce to my people their rebellion, to the house of Jacob their sins. Yet day after day they seek me and delight to know my ways, as if they were a nation that practiced righteousness and did not forsake the ordinance of their God; they ask of me righteous judgments, they delight to draw near to God.

“Why do we fast, but you do not see? Why humble ourselves, but you do not notice?” Look, you serve your own interest on your fast day, and oppress all your workers. Look, you fast only to quarrel and to fight and to strike with a wicked fist. Such fasting as you do today will not make your voice heard on high. Is such the fast that I choose, a day to humble oneself? Is it to bow down the head like a bulrush, and to lie in sackcloth and ashes? Will you call this a fast, a day acceptable to the Lord?

Is not this the fast that I choose: to loose the bonds of injustice, to undo the thongs of the yoke, to let the oppressed go free, and to break every yoke? Is it not to share your bread with the hungry, and bring the homeless poor into your house; when you see the naked, to cover them, and not to hide yourself from your own kin? Then your light shall break forth like the dawn, and your healing shall spring up quickly; your vindicator shall go before you, the glory of the Lord shall be your rear guard. Then you shall call, and the Lord will answer; you shall cry for help, and he will say, Here I am. *-Isaiah 58:1-9a*

Lector: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

CANTICLE 15 8:00 (Spoken) *Book of Common Prayer, page 91*

10:00 Hymn S185 *Magnificat*

Antiphon



He that is might-y hath mag - ni-fied me: and ho - ly is his Name.

THE SECOND READING

Jesus said, “You are the salt of the earth; but if salt has lost its taste, how can its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything, but is thrown out and trampled under foot.

“You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill cannot be hid. No one after lighting a lamp puts it under the bushel basket, but on the lampstand, and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven.

“Do not think that I have come to abolish the law or the prophets; I have come not to abolish but to fulfill. For truly I tell you, until heaven and earth pass away, not one letter, not one stroke of a letter, will pass from the law until all is accomplished. Therefore, whoever breaks one of the least of these commandments, and teaches others to do the same, will be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great in the kingdom of heaven. For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.”

-Matthew 5:13-20

Lector: The word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

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CANTICLE 20 8:00 (Spoken) *Book of Common prayer, page 94*

10:00 Hymn S 278 *Glory to God (Mathias)*

THE SERMON

Dr. Chloë Starr

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THE APOSTLE’S CREED, *Book of Common Prayer, page 96*

THE PRAYERS

Book of Common Prayer, page 97

THE LORD’S PRAYER, *traditional*

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THE COLLECT OF THE DAY, *prayed by all*

Set us free, O God, from the bondage of our sins, and give us the liberty of that abundant life which you have made known to us in your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

THE COLLECTS

ANTHEM

Bright Morning Stars

Kentucky Folk Song

Bright morning stars are rising. Day is breaking in my soul.

Oh, where are our dear fathers? They are in the valley praying. Day is breaking in my soul.

Oh, where are our dear mothers? They are gone, gone to heaven shouting. Day is breaking in my soul.

THE INTERCESSIONS

THE GENERAL THANKSGIVING, *Book of Common Prayer, p. 101*

A PRAYER OF ST. CHRYSOSTOM

HYMN 490

I want to walk as a child of the light

THE DISMISSAL

Officiant: Let us bless the Lord

People: Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE

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Volunteers this week

Officiant: Andy Ross Readers: Nick Brown, Carolyn Swiggart

Ushers: Jere Wells, Glenna Randall Coffee Hour: Debbie DeAscentis, Doris Shaw

Altar Guild: Sandy Chapman, Bobby Gaines, Brian Ladley, Margery Cousens

Financial offerings are received during the Anthem in our Morning Prayer service.

Office hours are Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to Noon in the Library. Everyone is invited to stop by for a warm drink and conversation (and church business, of course). Some folks even come to read, knit, enjoy the fire, etc.

Office hours *Valentines Edition* is February 14 with special music.

This Sunday's preacher, *Dr. Chloë Starr*, is Professor of Asian Christianity and Theology at the Yale Divinity School. Her credentials include the B.A. and M.A. from University of Cambridge; Kennedy Scholar at Harvard University; and the Doctor of Philosophy from University of Oxford. She taught previously at the universities of Durham, where she was Senior Tutor of St. John's College, and Oxford, where she taught classical Chinese literature.

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