



# Emmanuel Episcopal Church

The Third Sunday after Epiphany  
January 21, 2024  
8:00am & 10:30am

*As we gather before the service begins,  
We encourage people to use the time as a centering for prayer and meditation.*

*We also ask you to silence your cell phones.*

<b>Prelude</b>	Restoration	<i>George Shearing</i>
<b>Processional Hymn</b>	<i>Christ for the world we sing!</i>	<b>Hymn #537</b>
<b>The Opening Acclamation</b>		BCP pg. 355
<b>The Collect for Purity</b>		BCP pg. 355
<b>The Gloria</b>		<b>S280</b>
<b>The Collect for the Third Sunday after the Epiphany</b>		
<b>G</b> ive us grace, O Lord, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ and proclaim to all people the Good News of his salvation, that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of his marvelous works; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. <i>Amen.</i>		
<b>Old Testament</b>		see insert
<b>Psalm</b>		see insert
<b>New Testament</b>		see insert
<b>Gradual Hymn</b>	<i>They cast their nets</i>	<b>Hymn #661</b>
<b>The Gospel</b>		see insert
<b>Sermon</b>	The Reverend Douglas Rogers, Deacon	
<b>Nicene Creed</b>		BCP pg. 358
<b>The Prayers of the People</b>		BCP pg. 387
<b>Confession</b>		BCP pg. 360
<b>The Peace &amp; Announcements</b>		
<b>Offertory Anthem</b>		see insert

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;  
praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.*

<b>Eucharistic Prayer B</b>		BCP pg. 367
<b>Sanctus</b>		<b>S129</b>
<b>The Lord's Prayer</b>		BCP pg. 364
<b>Agnus Dei</b>		<b>S163</b>
<b>Communion Hymn</b>	<i>Jesus calls us</i>	<b>Hymn #550</b>
<b>Postcommunion Prayer</b>		BCP pg. 365
<b>Blessing</b>		
<b>Recessional Hymn</b>	<i>Thy strong word</i>	<b>Hymn #381</b>
<b>Dismissal</b>		
<b>Postlude</b>	Ebenezer	<i>Aaron David Miller</i>

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**Birthdays** Eileanora Cramer 1/21 and Norma Cameron 1/25

**Sick list** Byron, Amber, Patrick, Larry, Roger the victims of gun violence, the people of Rockford, and Ukraine, Israel, Palestine, and Iran

**Those serving in the military:** Pierce, Hayden, Nate, Colin, Tyler, and Josh

### Announcements

**The food collection continues.** Dry or canned. We're also collecting pet food.

**Annual Meeting:** January 28<sup>th</sup> in the undercroft, one service at 10:00 a.m.

**Mardi Gras:** Tuesday, February 13 from 530p to 730p. Bring an appetizer or dessert.

**Ash Wednesday:** February 14th Noon and 6:00pm Imposition of Ashes and Holy Eucharist

**Book Club:** will meet on March 12, due to Shrove Tuesday on February 13.

**The Dining Out Group:** Will meet next at 11:30 on Thursday, January 25 at Thunder Bay Grille. Please call Mary Nielsen for your reservation, 815-654-8995.

## Readings, Psalm, and Offertory

### Old Testament

*Jonah 3:1-5, 10*

The word of the Lord came to Jonah a second time, saying, "Get up, go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim to it the message that I tell you." So Jonah set out and went to Nineveh, according to the word of the Lord. Now Nineveh was an exceedingly large city, a three days' walk across. Jonah began to go into the city, going a day's walk. And he cried out, "Forty days more, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!" And the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast, and everyone, great and small, put on sackcloth.

When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it.

### The Word of the Lord

*Thanks be to God*



### Psalm 62:6-14

6 For God alone my soul in / silence waits; \*  
truly / my hope is in him.

- 7 He alone is my rock and / my salvation, \*  
my stronghold, so that / I shall not be shaken.
- 8 In God is my safety / and my honor; \*  
God is my / strong rock and my refuge.
- 9 Put your trust in him / always, O people, \*  
pour out your hearts before him, for / **God** is our refuge.
- 10 Those of high degree are but a / fleeting breath, \*  
even those of low e-/state cannot be trusted.
- 11 On the scales they are lighter / than a breath, \*  
-/all of them together.
- 12 Put no trust in extortion;  
in robbery take no / empty pride; \*  
though wealth increase, set / not your heart upon it.
- 13 God has spoken once, twice have / I heard it, \*  
that / power belongs to God.
- +14 Steadfast love is / yours O Lord, \*  
for you repay everyone ac-/cording to his deeds.

## New Testament

*I Corinthians 7:29-31*

**I** mean, brothers and sisters, the appointed time has grown short; from now on, let even those who have wives be as though they had none, and those who mourn as though they were not mourning, and those who rejoice as though they were not rejoicing, and those who buy as though they had no possessions, and those who deal with the world as though they had no dealings with it. For the present form of this world is passing away.

## The Word of the Lord

*Thanks be to God*

## The Gospel *(stand)*

### The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

*Mark 1:14-20*

*Glory to you, Lord Christ.*

**A**fter John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, and saying, “The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news.”

As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the sea—for they were fishermen. And Jesus said to them, “Follow me and I will make you fish for people.” And immediately they left their nets and followed him. As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

The Gospel of the Lord.  
*Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

## Offertory Anthem

My God Is A Rock

*arr. Robert Shaw*

*Joe Sweeney, solo*

*Refrain: My God is a rock in a weary land, shelter in a time of storm.*

*Stop ‘n’ let me tell you ‘bout Chapter One, when the Lord God’s work was just begun.*

*Stop ‘n’ let me tell you ‘bout Chapter Two, when the Lord God’s written His Bible through.*

*Stop ‘n’ let me tell you ‘bout Chapter Three, when the Lord God died on Calvary. (Refrain)*

*Stop ‘n’ let me tell you ‘bout Chapter Four, when the Lord God visit among the poor.*

*Stop ‘n’ let me tell you ‘bout Chapter Five, when the Lord God brought the dead alive.*

*Stop ‘n’ let me tell you ‘bout Chapter Six, He went to Jerusalem and healed the sick. (Refrain)*

*Stop ‘n’ let me tell you ‘bout Chapter Seven, Died and risen and went to Heaven.*

*Stop ‘n’ let me tell you ‘bout Chapter Eight, John seen Him standing at the Golden Gate.*

*Stop ‘n’ let me tell you ‘bout Chapter Nine, Lord God turned the water to wine.*

*Stop ‘n’ let me tell you ‘bout Chapter Ten, John says He’s coming in the world again. (Refrain)*

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### Assisting in the Liturgy

8:00 a.m.

Lector: Mary Kowing

10:30 a.m.

Crucifer/Server: Stacey LaRosa

1st Reading: Travis Castrey

2nd Reading: Elizabeth Castrey

Prayers of the People: Thailer Castrey

Altar Guild: Maryanne Theyerl

Ushers: David & Kay Hatch

*Please join us in the undercroft for coffee hour each Sunday from 11:30 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.*

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