

First Sunday after Epiphany

January 12, 2025

8:00 AM Rite I

The Liturgy of the Word

Book of Common Prayer

The Opening Sentences	P. 323
Collect of Purity	p. 324
Gloria	p.324
Collect of the Day	<i>insert</i>
The Lessons	
The First Lesson	Isaiah 43:1-7
Psalm 29	
The Second Lesson	Acts 8:14-17
The Gospel	Luke 3:15-17, 21-22
The Homily	The Rev. George H. Greer, Jr.
The Nicene Creed	p. 326
The Prayers of the People	p. 329
The Confession and Absolution	p. 331
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The Holy Communion

The Offertory	
The Great Thanksgiving	p. 333
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Prayer of Humble Access	p. 337
Administration of the Eucharist	
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Final Blessing	
Dismissal	

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Prayers of the People

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We look in faith today toward the Lord, the one on whom God's favor rests. In confidence, let us bring our petitions to the Lord's altar, saying, Lord, hear our prayer.

For those who lead the believing community throughout the world, that they might lead us on the path of faithful discipleship, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For the baptized gathered in this church, that we might follow in the path of John the Baptizer and always acknowledge Jesus as Lord, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For all those preparing for baptism and for their families, and for our newest members, that they might draw closer to the servant who is God's chosen, the light of the nations, and our light, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For the healing of all those who are blind to God's impartial love; for reconciliation among nations, races, creeds, and all that can divide us; for the gifts of unity and peace, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For the consolation and support of all who are imprisoned, physically, spiritually, emotionally; we pray also for all who are sick or in need of spiritual guidance, especially... may they and those who suffer in silence, know the healing power of your love; let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Almighty God, we commend to your gracious care and keeping all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad. Defend them day-by-day with your heavenly grace; strengthen them in their trials and temptations; give them courage to face the perils which beset them; and grant them a sense of your abiding presence wherever they may be; let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

We pray for those who have died and for those who mourn their loss... Let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Almighty and eternal God, so draw our hearts to you, so guide our minds, so fill our imaginations, so control our wills, that we may be wholly yours, utterly dedicated to you; and then use us we pray, as you will, and always to your glory and the welfare to your people; through Christ our Lord. Let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, hear our prayer.**

The celebrant adds the concluding collect.

All loving and ever faithful God, we thank you for the gift of your Son. As his disciples, we have offered our prayers. Hear them and answer them in his name Jesus your beloved Son and our beloved Lord, this day and forever. Amen.

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10:30 AM Rite II

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Hymnal

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48	<i>O day of radiant gladness</i>	
	The Opening Sentences	P. 355
	Collect of Purity	p. 355
	Gloria	
	Collect of the Day	<i>insert</i>
	The Lessons	
	The First Lesson	Isaiah 43:1-7
	Psalm 29	
	The Second Lesson	Acts 8:14-17
137	<i>O wondrous type! O vision fair (vs 1-3 prior to Gospel; vs 4-5 following Gospel)</i>	
	The Gospel	Luke 3:15-17, 21-22
	The Homily	The Rev. George H. Greer, Jr.
	The Nicene Creed	p. 358
	The Prayers of the People	Center Panel
	The Confession and Absolution	p. 360
	The Peace	
	<u>The Holy Communion</u>	
	The Offertory	
448	<i>O love, how deep, how broad, how high</i>	
	The Great Thanksgiving	p. 367
	Sanctus	
	The Lord's Prayer	
	The Fraction	
	Hymns during the Administration of the Eucharist	
	<i>You shall cross the barren desert</i>	
	<i>What star is this, with beams so bright</i>	
	<i>Earth has many a noble city</i>	
	The Post Communion Prayer	p. 366
	Final Blessing	
135	<i>Songs of thankfulness and praise</i>	
	Dismissal	

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