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SAINT BARNABAS ON THE DESERT

February 15, 2026  
7:45am

# The Last Sunday after the Epiphany





## Welcome to Saint Barnabas

**Welcome!** We're delighted you've joined us for worship today and we invite you to participate fully in our service. Everything you need is contained in this bulletin and everyone is invited to receive Holy Communion during the service. Children of all ages are welcome and celebrated at Saint Barnabas and are invited to receive Holy Communion.

**Childrens' Chapel** ages 3+ meets on the playground at 10:00am. Chapel begins at 10:15am in the Jim Clark Contemplative Chapel.

**Infant and Toddler Nursery** for ages 0 - 3 years is available in the Children's Center. Parents are welcome to attend with their children to help them feel at home and an usher will be happy to show you the location.

**Individual receivers are available** in the narthex. Also, the Sanctuary is looped for sound. Just switch your hearing aid to T-coil.

**If you would like to know more** about Saint Barnabas, please fill out a visitor's card in the pew rack in front of you and hand it to an usher or clergy. We'll be in touch with you! Or visit our website at [www.saintbarnabas.org](http://www.saintbarnabas.org).

First Tuesday of every month  
Taizé Worship, 7:00pm in the Sanctuary

Wednesday Night Prayer Service  
5:30-6:00pm in the Chapel

Sunday Worship Times  
7:45am 10:15am

***We are an open and affirming Christian community in the Episcopal branch of the Jesus movement. We strive to be a community where all are welcome.***

***We gratefully acknowledge the Native Peoples on whose ancestral homelands we gather, as well as the diverse and vibrant Native communities who make their home here today.***

**We continue to pray for:**

Isla Aker, Amy, John Brooks, Julie Brooks, Lawrence Brooks, Toby Bush, Blake Carter, Win Charles, Michelle Cleave, Thomas Coghlan, Amy DeCaussin, Margaret Ellison, Ellen FitzSimons, Tom FitzSimons, Ramona Hancock, Jan Hansen, Ted Harden, Denise and Brad Hess, Carolyn Inabinet, Jeri, Joyce, Karen, Debra Kem, Kara, Barbara Klein, Don, Rita, Sherri Kress, Julliana Lane, Fran Langley, Sue Lund, Brendan McClendon, Deanna McNeilly, Kelly McQueen, Jaryd Owens, Jan Petty, Kit Platz, Giles Remick, Jeannette Reynolds, Robert, Jim Shelby, Eric Shenefield, Andy Shriver, Emily Shriver, Eileen Smith, Susan Smith, Dan Sullivan, Teresa, Allie Tossberg, Jaina Trujillo, Morena Trujillo, David Vasquez, Ashley Wilcox.

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER those who are currently serving in our Armed Forces as well as our First Responders:** Connor Bell, Nyssa Burdick, Mark Christie, Phillip Ellis, Lukas Feury, Woody Francis, Josh Garber, Amanda Gilbert, Roy Hill, Dylan Hollings, Jack Holtestaul, Tori Holtestaul, Keith Imig, Philip Krein, Juston Kuch, Michael LaTempt, Caroline Liddy, Grant MacWilliam, Stacy Madson, Jake Nuss, Dare O'Ravitz, Carter Statham, Molly Bess Tilley, Dean Tomlinson, Chris Walters, C.J. Walters, Rob Welsh, and Nicholas Wessman.

# Holy Eucharist—Rite One

Prelude

Elevation Toccata  
Michael Salazar, organist

Girolamo Frescobaldi (1583-1643)

Please stand.

Opening Hymn

O wondrous type! O vision fair  
*Wareham*

Hymnal 137, vs. 1,2,4,5

1 O won - drous type! O vi - sion fair of glo - ry  
2 With Mo - ses and E - li - jah nigh the in - car - nate  
4 And faith - ful hearts are raised on high by this great  
5 O Fa - ther, with the e - ter - nal Son, and Ho - ly

1 that the Church may share, which Christ up - on the  
2 Lord holds con - verse high; and from the cloud, the  
4 vi - sion's mys - ter - y; for which in joy - ful  
5 Spi - rit, ev - er One, vouch - safe to bring us

1 moun - tain shows, where bright - er than the sun he glows!  
2 Ho - ly One bears re - cord to the on - ly Son.  
4 strains we raise the voice of prayer, the hymn of praise.  
5 by thy grace to see thy glo - ry face to face.

The Opening Acclamation

Presider Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.

People **Glory to God for ever and ever.**

The Collect for Purity

BCP 323

Presider Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Summary of the Law

BCP 324

Presider Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ saith: Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.

1. Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and  
peace to his peo - ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heaven - ly  
King, al - might - y God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we  
give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus  
Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you  
take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy  
on us; 5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re -  
ceive our prayer. 6. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One,  
you a - lone are the Lord, 7. you a - lone are the Most  
High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the  
glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

## The Collect of the Day

BCP 165

Presider The Lord be with you.

People **And with thy spirit.**

Presider Let us pray (*silence...*). O God, who before the passion of thy only-begotten Son didst reveal his glory upon the holy mount: Grant unto us that we, beholding by faith the light of his countenance, may be strengthened to bear our cross, and be changed into his likeness from glory to glory; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Please be seated.

The First Lesson

Exodus 24:12-18

Reader            A reading from the Book of Exodus.

The Lord said to Moses, "Come up to me on the mountain, and wait there; and I will give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the commandment, which I have written for their instruction." So Moses set out with his assistant Joshua, and Moses went up into the mountain of God. To the elders he had said, "Wait here for us, until we come to you again; for Aaron and Hur are with you; whoever has a dispute may go to them."

Then Moses went up on the mountain, and the cloud covered the mountain. The glory of the Lord settled on Mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it for six days; on the seventh day he called to Moses out of the cloud. Now the appearance of the glory of the Lord was like a devouring fire on the top of the mountain in the sight of the people of Israel. Moses entered the cloud, and went up on the mountain. Moses was on the mountain for forty days and forty nights.

Reader            The Word of the Lord.

People            **Thanks be to God.**

The Psalm

Psalm 99

Reader            Please join me in praying the psalm in unison.

**The Lord is King; let the people tremble;**

**He is enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth shake.**

**The Lord is great in Zion;**

**He is high above all peoples.**

**Let them confess his Name, which is great and awesome;**

**He is the Holy One.**

**"O mighty King, lover of justice, you have established equity;**

**You have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob."**

**Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God and fall down before his footstool;**

**He is the Holy One.**

**Moses and Aaron among his priests, and Samuel among those who call upon his Name,**

**They called upon the Lord, and he answered them.**

**He spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud;**

**They kept his testimonies and the decree that he gave them.**

**O Lord our God, you answered them indeed;**

**You were a God who forgave them, yet punished them for their evil deeds.**

**Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God and worship him upon his holy hill;**

**For the Lord our God is the Holy One.**

Reader A reading from the second letter of Peter.

We did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty. For he received honor and glory from God the Father when that voice was conveyed to him by the Majestic Glory, saying, "This is my Son, my Beloved, with whom I am well pleased." We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven, while we were with him on the holy mountain.

So we have the prophetic message more fully confirmed. You will do well to be attentive to this as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts. First of all you must understand this, that no prophecy of scripture is a matter of one's own interpretation, because no prophecy ever came by human will, but men and women moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand.

The Gospel

Matthew 17:1-9

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. Then Peter said to Jesus, "Lord, it is good for us to be here; if you wish, I will make three dwellings here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." While he was still speaking, suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud a voice said, "This is my Son, the Beloved; with him I am well pleased; listen to him!" When the disciples heard this, they fell to the ground and were overcome by fear. But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Get up and do not be afraid." And when they looked up, they saw no one except Jesus himself alone.

As they were coming down the mountain, Jesus ordered them, "Tell no one about the vision until after the Son of Man has been raised from the dead."

Reader The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

Please be seated.

Sermon

The Rev. Jennifer Tucker

*A period of silent meditation follows the sermon.*

## The Nicene Creed

Reader Please stand as we affirm our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed.

All **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 the 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.**

## The Prayers of the People (Form IV)

BCP 388

Reader You may remain standing, kneel, or be seated as is your preference for prayer.  
Let us pray for the Church and for the world. Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world.

*Silence*

Reader Lord, in your mercy,

People **Hear our prayer.**

Reader Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good. We pray especially for our President, Donald, and our Governor, Katie.

*Silence*

Reader Lord, in your mercy,

People **Hear our prayer.**

Reader Help us to honor the knowledge of our Indigenous neighbors, to listen through them to your call to renew the life of the earth, and to live together as your people. We pray especially for the Fort McDowell Yavapai Nation.

*Silence*

Reader Lord, in your mercy,

People **Hear our prayer.**

Reader Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory.

*Silence*

Reader Lord, in your mercy,

People **Hear our prayer.**

Reader Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us.

*Silence*

Reader Lord, in your mercy,

People **Hear our prayer.**

Reader Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation. We pray especially for **Fran** (Baker), **Liza** (Bell), **Voni** (Bell), **Carolyn** (Brady), **Bill** (Bruneau), **Grace**, **Win** (Charles), **Coleen** (Charski), **Rachel** (Coffin), **Connie**, **Lynda** (Cumiskey), **Phil** (D'Alessandro), **Ray** (Estrada), **Emma** (Finelli), **Karen** (Grayson), **Keith** (Grayson), **Carolie** (Greig), **Ken** (Greig), **Nicole** (Guina), **Bruce** (Gurley), **Linda** (Harden), **Karen** (Henninger), **Margaret** (Inness), **Carol** (Jeffryes), **Kaye** (Jenista), **Julian and Divina**, **Jane** Kinkaid), **Chrissy** (Klosterman), **Anne** (Lorimor), **Dale** (Love), **Teresa**, **Alice** (MacArthur), **McLennan** (Maxwell), **Becky** (McCabe), **Kristen** (McCoy), **Vince** (Miaso), **Mona** (Mohan), **Kevin**, **Todd** (Nagle), **Jim** (Newman), **Michelle** (Ofstun), **Dare and Lynn**, **Patty**, **Amy** (Percival), **Deborah** (Phillips), **Caroline** (Pierson), **Kim** (Ptak), **Rachel**, **Elsa** (Rector), **Ralph** (Sabatino), **Mike** (Sackett), **Sam**, **Clarice** (Schields), **Dana** (Shaw), **Maurice** (Sigman), **Dick** (Smith), **Amy** (Staples), **Jeannette** (Steele), **Natalie** (Taylor), **Tammy** (Underwood), **Brian** (Vance), **Rainer** (Von Minden), **Wafa**, **Brittany** (Webster), **Millie** (Welsh), **Robert** (Welsh), **Rachel** (White), **Erica** (Williams), **Delpha** (Wright), **Greg** (Zermeño).

*Silence*

Reader Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

Reader We commend to your mercy all who have died, especially The Rev. Cn. Dr. Robin Hollis and Jan Eastburn, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

*Silence*

Reader Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

*After a period of silence is observed, the Presider adds a concluding Collect.*

The Confession and Absolution

BCP 331

Presider Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God. *(silence...)*

All **Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against thee in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved thee with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of thy Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in thy will, and walk in thy ways, to the glory of thy Name. Amen.**

The Peace

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And with thy spirit.**

*The congregation greets one another with a sign of God's peace: a handshake, hug, smile, or nod along with the greeting, "Peace" or "The Peace of the Lord" are all wonderful gestures of sharing in this time together. Also feel free to ask someone's name and/or to introduce yourself so we can get to know one another better!*

The Announcements

*At this time, we hear about news and upcoming events in the life of Saint Barnabas. If you have a birthday or anniversary or other special time of celebration in your life, please come forward when it's announced for a blessing.*



# The Holy Communion

## The Bidding

Offertory Anthem

"This is My Father's World"

Elaine Hagenberg

This is my Father's world, and to my listening ears, all nature sings, and round me rings the music of the spheres. This is my Father's world, I rest me in the thought of rocks and trees, of skies and seas, His hand the wonders wrought. This is my Father's world, the birds their carols raise, the morning light, the lily white, declare their Maker's praise. This is my Father's world, He shines in all that's fair, in the rustling grass I hear Him pass, He speaks to me everywhere. This is my Father's world, O let me ne'er forget that though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the Ruler yet. This is my Father's world, the battle is not done, Jesus who died will be satisfied and heaven and earth be one.

Please stand.

Doxology

Hymnal 380. v.3

**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. Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving

BCP 333

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And with thy spirit.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

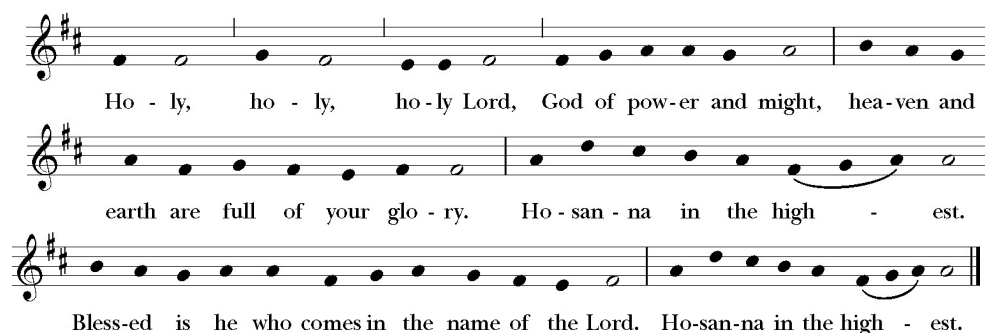
Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is meet and right so to do.**

Celebrant It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God...Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

The Sanctus

Hymnal S-124



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and might, hea-ven and  
earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.  
Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high - est.

Please remain standing, kneel, or be seated as is your preference for prayer.

*The Celebrant praises God for the salvation of the world through Jesus Christ, recalls the events of the Last Supper, and prays that all may receive the benefits of Jesus Christ's work and the renewal of the Holy Spirit.*

The Lord's Prayer

Celebrant And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say:

All **Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.**

The Fraction

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

The Communion of the People

*All who seek Christ are invited to receive communion. If you would prefer to receive a blessing instead, please cross your arms over your chest when you come to the rail. For communion, you may receive both bread and wine, only bread, or only wine. To receive the bread, cup your hands in front of you. Please indicate if you would like a gluten-free wafer. You may then consume the wafer and drink from the cup, or you may dip the wafer into the wine. If refraining from the wine, please cross your arms over your chest when the chalice is offered. If you would like to receive healing prayers for yourself or a loved one, please come to the Healing Station in the front right corner of the Sanctuary after you receive communion. Children are welcome.*

Communion Anthem

"Bread of Heaven"

David White

Bread of heaven, on thee we feed: for thy Flesh is meat indeed: ever may our souls be fed with this true and living Bread; day by day with strength supplied through the life of Him who died. Vine of heaven, thy Blood supplies this blest cup of sacrifice; Lord, thy wounds our healing give, to thy cross we look and live: Jesu, may we ever be grafted, rooted, built in thee.

Please kneel, stand or be seated.

The Post-Communion Prayer

BCP 339

Celebrant Let us pray.

All **Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.**

The Blessing

*Mowsely*

1 Christ up - on the moun - tain peak stands a - lone in  
 2 Trem - bling at his feet we saw Mo - ses and E -  
 3 Swift the cloud of glo - ry came. God pro - claim - ing  
 4 This is God's be - lov - ed Son! Law and pro - phets

glo - ry blaz - ing; let us, if we dare to speak,  
 li - jah speak - ing. All the pro - phets and the Law  
 in its thun - der Je - sus as his Son by name!  
 fade be - fore him; first and last and on - ly One,

with the saints and an - gels praise him. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 shout through them their joy - ful greet - ing. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Na - tions cry a - loud in won - der! Al - le - lu - ia!  
 let cre - a - tion now a - dore him! Al - le - lu - ia!

## The Dismissal

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

## Closing Voluntary

Joie et Clar  t des Les Corps Glorieux Olivier Messiaen (1908-1992)

Michael Salazar, organist



## The Rt. Rev. Jennifer A. Reddall, BISHOP of THE EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF ARIZONA

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**The flowers on the altar** are given to the Glory of God; and in Loving Memory of Pauline Mundy by her family; for Richard Armstrong Steiner, the stellar husband, father and partner. We know you are watching over us, Jan Steiner and sons; and in Loving Memory of my brother, Vjay, happy birthday brother. Rest with God and the Angels, and for my husband, David Muniz by Anil Coelho.

### BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

#### February 15

Shirley Gregory

#### February 16

Belle Alfonso, Eric Silvernail

#### February 17

Bob E. Wood

#### February 18

Maryann Clifford, Bob Feltman

#### February 19

Jeff Roberts

#### February 20

Bronwyn Maxwell

#### February 21

John Lokey, Milt Percival,  
Nancy Riegel

### BOOK AND GIFT SHOP HOURS

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Sundays 8:30am - 12:00pm

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