HOLY EUCHARIST: Rite II

THE FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY (transferred)

January 5, 2025 ♦ 10 a.m.

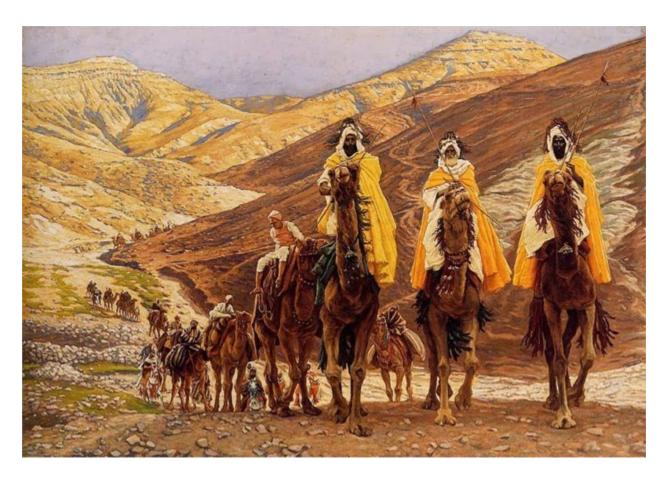
Welcome to St. Barnabas, we are delighted that you're here. We hope you'll participate fully in our worship through singing, praying, hearing the Good News of Jesus Christ, and coming to communion. May God richly bless you as you bless us!

PRELUDE

Angels, from the realms of glory

C.S. Lang

 \P All stand as able at the sound of the tower bell.



Journey of the Magi, c. 1894 James Tissot HYMNAL 93



Words: James Montgomery (1771-1854), alt. Music: Regent Square, Henry Thomas Smart (1813-1879).

OPENING ACCLAMATION

PresiderBlessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.PeopleAnd blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever.
Amen.

Presider and People

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

SONG OF PRAISE



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Music: Wareham, melody William Knapp (1698–1768), alt.; harm. Hymns: Ancient and Modern, 1875, after James Turle (1802–1882).

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider	May God be with you.
People	And also with you.
Presider	Let us pray.

O God, by the leading of a star you manifested your only Son to the peoples of the earth: Lead us, who know you now by faith, to your presence, where we may see your glory face to face; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE WORD OF GOD

THE FIRST READING

READER: A reading from the prophet Isaiah.

A rise, shine; for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you. For darkness shall cover the earth, and thick darkness the peoples; but the Lord will arise upon you, and his glory will appear over you. Nations shall come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your dawn. Lift up your eyes and look around; they all gather together, they come to you; your sons shall come from far away, and your daughters shall be carried on their nurses' arms. Then you shall see and be radiant; your heart shall thrill and rejoice, because the abundance of the sea shall be brought to you, the wealth of the nations shall come to you. A multitude of camels shall cover you, the young camels of Midian and Ephah; all those from Sheba shall come. They shall bring gold and frankincense, and shall proclaim the praise of the Lord.

ReaderHear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.PeopleThanks be to God.

Silence is marked by the ringing of a bell.

THE PSALM The reader and people read responsively.

1 Give the King your justice, O God, *

and your righteousness to the King's Son;

2 That he may rule your people righteously *

and the poor with justice;

3 That the mountains may bring prosperity to the people, *

and the little hills bring righteousness.

4 He shall defend the needy among the people; *

he shall rescue the poor and crush the oppressor.

5 He shall live as long as the sun and moon endure, *

from one generation to another.

6 He shall come down like rain upon the mown field, *

like showers that water the earth.

7 In his time shall the righteous flourish; *

there shall be abundance of peace till the moon shall be no more.

10 The kings of Tarshish and of the isles shall pay tribute, *

and the kings of Arabia and Saba offer gifts.

11 All kings shall bow down before him, *

and all the nations do him service.

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Psalm 72:1-7,10-14

Isaiah 60:1-6

12 For he shall deliver the poor who cries out in distress, *

and the oppressed who has no helper.

13 He shall have pity on the lowly and poor; *

he shall preserve the lives of the needy.

14 He shall redeem their lives from oppression and violence, *

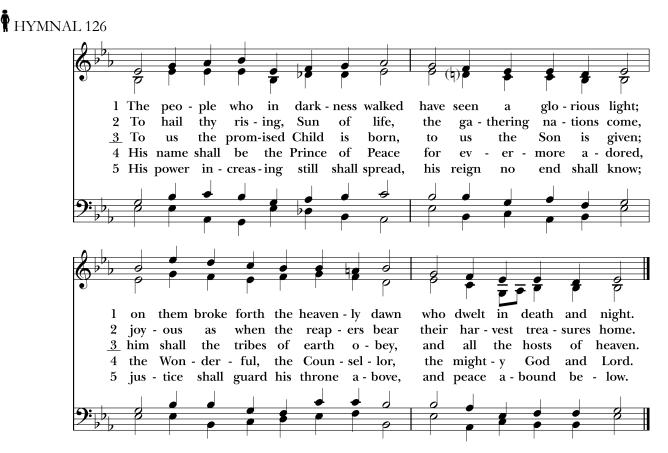
and dear shall their blood be in his sight.

THE SECOND READING

READER: A reading from Paul's letter to the Ephesians.

This is the reason that I Paul am a prisoner for Christ Jesus for the sake of you Gentiles—for surely you have already heard of the commission of God's grace that was given me for you, and how the mystery was made known to me by revelation, as I wrote above in a few words, a reading of which will enable you to perceive my understanding of the mystery of Christ. In former generations this mystery was not made known to humankind, as it has now been revealed to his holy apostles and prophets by the Spirit: that is, the Gentiles have become fellow heirs, members of the same body, and sharers in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel. Of this gospel I have become a servant according to the gift of God's grace that was given me by the working of his power. Although I am the very least of all the saints, this grace was given to me to bring to the Gentiles the news of the boundless riches of Christ, and to make everyone see what is the plan of the mystery hidden for ages in God who created all things; so that through the church the wisdom of God in its rich variety might now be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly places. This was in accordance with the eternal purpose that he has carried out in Christ Jesus our Lord, in whom we have access to God in boldness and confidence through faith in him.

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Words: John Morison (1749-1798), alt.; para. of Isaiah 9:2-7. Music: *Dundee*, melody *The CL Psalmes of Davis*, 1615; harm. Thomas Ravenscroft (1592-1635?), alt.

Ephesians 3:1-12

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.*People* Thanks be to God.

The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Matthew.*People* Glory to you, Lord Christ.

In the time of King Herod, after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, asking, "Where is the child who has been born king of the Jews? For we observed his star at its rising, and have come to pay him homage." When King Herod heard this, he was frightened, and all Jerusalem with him; and calling together all the chief priests and scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Messiah was to be born. They told him, "In Bethlehem of Judea; for so it has been written by the prophet: 'And you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; for from you shall come a ruler who is to shepherd my people Israel." Then Herod secretly called for the wise men and learned from them the exact time when the star had appeared. Then he sent them to Bethlehem, saying, "Go and search diligently for the child; and when you have found him, bring me word so that I may also go and pay him homage." When they had heard the king, they set out; and there, ahead of them, went the star that they had seen at its rising, until it stopped over the place where the child was. When they saw that the star had stopped, they were overwhelmed with joy. On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they left for their own country by another road.

The Gospel of the Lord.PeoplePraise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON

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Karen Haig

THE NICENE CREED

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 The Leader and People pray responsively.

Loving and gracious God, in this most holy time we bring to you our deepest hopes:

For the unity and faithful witness of your Church throughout the world, that our common life would manifest the love and blessing which you desire for the whole human family, we pray to you: **Loving God, hear our prayer.**

For all who exercise power in the nations and economies of the world, that their actions would be guided by wisdom, justice and compassion, we pray to you: **Loving God, hear our prayer.**

For those who live in situations of conflict, violence and oppression, especially the peoples of the Holy Land, and for all who work for justice, freedom, reconciliation and peace, we pray to you: **Loving God, hear our prayer.**

For deliverance from the shadows of hate and fear, that the Light of Christ may dispel every darkness, and bring the dawn of human flourishing, we pray to you: **Loving God, hear our prayer.**

For refugees, immigrants, and for unhoused people everywhere, that like the Holy Family they may find places of welcome and shelter, we pray to you: Loving God, hear our prayer.

For all who are suffering in body, mind or spirit, that they may find confidence and hope in the midst of their troubles; and for all who minister to them in the name of the healing Christ, we pray to you:

Loving God, hear our prayer.

For those who are experiencing loss, or grief, or sadness, that your unquenchable love would lighten their darkness; give them the comforting balm of your healing touch, we pray to you: **Loving God, hear our prayer.**

For those who have not felt your closeness, and those who do not yet know how dearly you love them, that they too would receive the blessing of this holy season, we pray to you: **Loving God, hear our prayer.**

For the precious web of life, that we would respect all created beings, live gently on the earth, and see the divine beauty in the world you have made, we pray to you: **Loving God, hear our prayer.**

For ourselves, that we would see the face of Christ in one another, and show forth Christ's love in everything we do, we pray to you: **Loving God, hear our prayer.**

For everyone whose needs and yearnings are in our hearts, especially..., and those we now name... [the people offer particular names and concerns] We pray to you: Loving God, hear our prayer.

For all who have died, especially..., and those we now name... [the people offer particular names] that in communion with all the saints they may forever rejoice in your presence; grant them your peace, and let light perpetual shine upon them, we pray to you: **Loving God, hear our prayer.**

In thanks and praise for the Incarnation of your beloved Christ, who has shown us the fullness of our true humanity, we offer ourselves, all that we have and all that we are, that your Kingdom would come to dwell in our hearts and in our stories. We pray to you: **Loving God, hear our prayer.**

Presider

Rejoicing in communion with Mary the ever-blessed Mother of Jesus, Saint Barnabas, and the saints in every generation who have shone with the light of Christ, we praise you, God who loves us. For when we ask, you give; when we seek, you show the way; when we knock, you open. Praise to you for your unfailing grace. Make us now your faithful people, we pray in the name of Jesus. **Amen.**

THE PEACE

PresiderThe peace of God be always with you.**People**And also with you.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Prayer for a Birthday:

Watch over your child, O Lord, as her days increase; bless and guide her wherever she may be. Strengthen her when she stands; comfort her when discouraged or sorrowful; raise her up if she fall; and in her heart may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of her life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer for a Wedding Anniversary:

O God, you have so consecrated the covenant of marriage that in it is represented the spiritual unity between Christ and his Church: Send therefore your blessing upon these your servants, that they may so love, honor, and cherish each other in faithfulness and patience, in wisdom and true godliness, that their home may be a haven of blessing and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

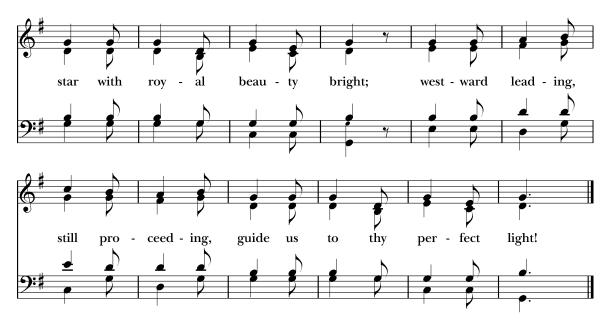
THE HOLY COMMUNION

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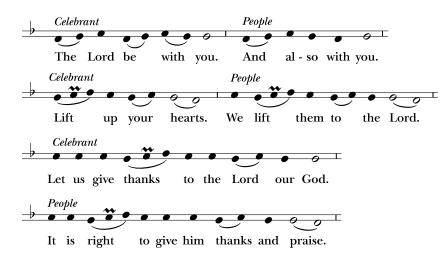


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PRESENTATION ANTHEM

Presider	All things come from you, O God,
People	And of your own have we given you.

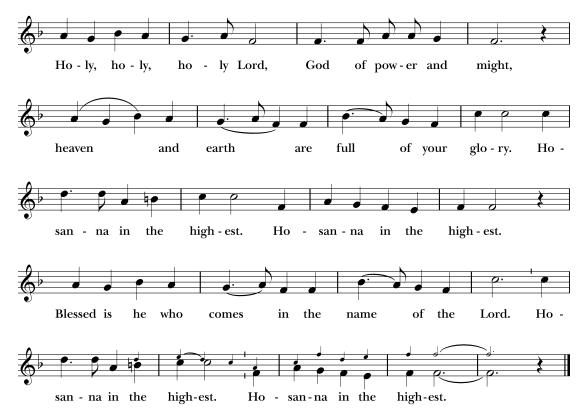
THE GREAT THANKSGIVING



It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:



Music: From A Community Mass; Richard Proulx (b. 1937). Copyright © 1971, 1977 GIA Publications, Inc.

🖆 or 🕴 The people kneel or remain standing.

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me." Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

Presider and People

We remember his death, We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory;

Presider continues

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O God of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with blessed Barnabas and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.

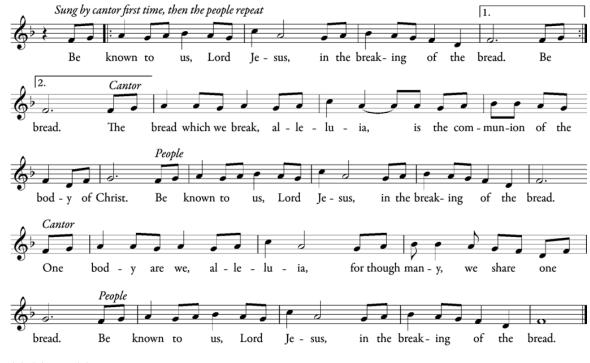


And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

ACCLAMATION AFTER THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD



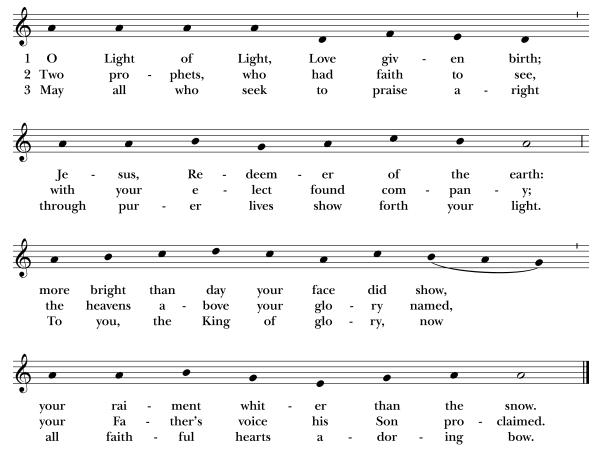
THE INVITATION TO COMMUNION

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

This is Jesus's table where all are welcome to share in the Bread and Wine of Holy Communion. If you prefer to receive a blessing, or not to receive Wine, fold your arms across your chest as a sign. Gluten–free wafers are available, please ask the priest.

An Act of Spiritual Communion for those worshipping online.

My Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. I love you above all things, and long for you in my soul. Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, come spiritually into my heart. As though you have already come, I embrace you and unite myself entirely to you; never permit me to be separated from you. Amen. –*St. Alphonsus Liguori*



Words: Latin, 10th cent.; tr. Laurence Housman (1865-1959), alt. Music: *Jesu dulcis memoria*, plainsong, Mode 2; acc. James McGregor (b. 1930).

COMMUNION MUSIC

The Wexford Carol

arr. Christian Morris

▲ or THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Loving God, we give you thanks for restoring us in your image and nourishing us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood. Now send us forth a people forgiven, healed, renewed; that we may proclaim your love to the world and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

THE BLESSING



"Ideo gloria in excelsis Deo!" is Latin for "Therefore, glory to God in the highest!" Words: Piae Cantiones, 1582; tr. Jane M. Joseph (1894-1929) Music: Personent hodie, melody from Piae Cantiones, 1582

DISMISSAL

Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit. *People* Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

In dulci jubilo

J. S. Bach

MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY Presider and Preacher | The Reverend Karen Haig Deacon | The Reverend Dan Fowler Music Director & Organist | Sheila Bristow Musicians | Joshua Schulz, cantor; Tenor and Bass Guests Lectors |

Eucharistic Ministers |

Ushers |

Greeter | Barbara Bolles, Roy Clark Altar Guild | Steve Schmitz, Helene Schmitz, Heidi O'Brien, Becky Raymond, Diane Walworth Coffee Hour Team | Lisa-Marie MacKenzie, Sue Ellen Case, Stephanie Neill, Marnie Arlen Welcome Table | Barb Herrick Videographer | Michael Ditmore & Charlie Helming

CLERGY

Presiding Bishop | The Most Reverend Sean Rowe Bishop | The Rt. Reverend Philip LaBelle Rector | The Reverend Karen Haig Deacon | The Reverend Dan Fowler Assisting Priests | The Reverends Dr. Judith M. McDaniel, Nancy Tiederman, Patricia Rome Robertson, Dr. Jan C. Heller, Jim Friedrich, and Steve Best

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CONVENTION DELEGATES

Delegates | Heidi O'Brien, George Robertson, Brian Andvik, Laura Carroll Alternates | Peggy & Kirk Eichenberger, Sue Ellen Case, Beth Gudmundson

This Week at St. Barnabas

Monday | January 6 | Feast of the Epiphany

9 p.m. | Compline | Zoom

Tuesday | January 7

9 a.m. | Centering Prayer | Sanctuary Noon | Staff Meeting | Zoom

Wednesday | January 8

1:30 p.m. | Senior Ministry | Fieldstone2 p.m. | Shakespeare Discussion Group | Library9 p.m. | Compline | Zoom

Thursday | January 9

9 a.m. | Healing Eucharist | Sanctuary 1:45 p.m. | Senior Ministry | The Madison

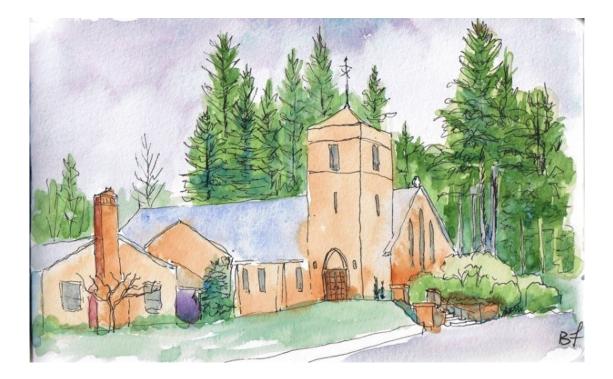
Friday | January 10

9 p.m. | Compline | Zoom

Sunday | January 12

8 a.m. | Holy Eucharist, Rite I | Sanctuary Post–Service Coffee Hour | Parlor 9:45 a.m. | Godly Play, Grades PreK-5 | Youth Room 10 a.m. | Holy Eucharist, Rite II | Sanctuary Post-Service Coffee Hour & Formation Forum | Holy Baptism 2-4 p.m. | Youth Group, Grades 6-12 | Youth Room

*Email etienna@stbbi.org to be added to the Compline Zoom email list.



WHO ARE WE? We are a community of faith that welcomes and values all people. We commit to follow Christ, serve others, grow in faith, and transform the world by sharing God's love.

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church acknowledges that we gather on the traditional land of the first people of this island, the Suquamish People, who are still here, and we honor with gratitude the land itself and the life of the Suquamish Tribe.

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