

## MORNING PRAYER

8:30 am

Morning Prayer begins at the bottom of p. 6. The psalms for today are Psalm 30 and 31, beginning on p. 374. The canticles after the lessons are the *Te Deum*, p. 10, and the *Benedictus Dominus*, p. 14.

## HOLY EUCHARIST

9:00 am

The service follows the order of the 1928 Book of Common Prayer (page 67 and following) with Minor Propers from the Anglican Missal.

11:00 am

Opening hymn, <i>Stuttgart</i> .....	<b>Hymnal 280</b>
Collect for Purity .....	BCP 67
Decalogue .....	BCP 68
Introit. <i>Vocem Jucunditatis</i> . Isa. 48.20	
WITH a voice of singing declare ye, tell this, alleluia : utter it even to the end of the earth : say ye, the Lord hath redeemed his people, alleluia, alleluia. *O be joyful in God, all ye lands, sing praises unto the honour of his Name : make his praise to be glorious. Glory be, etc. With a voice of singing, etc.	
<i>Kyrie, eleison</i> , ninefold (Hymnal 710)	
Collect for Easter V .....	BCP 175
Epistle, St. James i.22 .....	BCP 176
Alleluia & Versicles	
Alleluia, alleluia. Christ is risen, and hath shewed light unto us, whom he hath redeemed with his most precious Blood. Alleluia. I came forth from the Father, and am come into the world : again, I leave the world, and go to the Father. Alleluia.	
Gospel, St. John xvi.23 .....	BCP 176
Nicene Creed .....	BCP 71
Sermon.....	Father Athanaelos
Offertory sentence	
O PRAISE our God, ye people, and make the voice of his praise to be heard : who holdeth our soul in life, and suffereth not our feet to slip : praised be God, who hath not cast out my prayer, nor turned his mercy from me, alleluia.	
Presentation of alms & Doxology (Hymnal Supplement 822)	
Prayer for the Whole State of Christ's Church .....	BCP 74
Bidding to Confession & General Confession .....	BCP 75
Absolution & Comfortable Words .....	BCP 76
<i>Sursum corda</i> (Hymnal 734) .....	BCP 76
Preface of Easter .....	BCP 78
<i>Sanctus &amp; Benedictus qui venit</i> (Hymnal 797).....	BCP 77
Prayer of Consecration (Canon of the Mass).....	BCP 80
Our Father.....	BCP 82
Fracture, Pax & Embolism & <i>Agnus Dei</i> (Hymnal 712)	
Prayer of Humble Access.....	BCP 82
<i>Ecce, Agnus Dei</i> & Holy Communion	

Communion sentence

O SING unto the Lord, alleluia : sing unto the Lord, and praise his Name, be telling of his salvation from day to day, alleluia, alleluia.

Thanksgiving .....

*Gloria in excelsis* (Hymnal 713) .....

Postcommunion collects

GRANT, we beseech thee, O Lord : that we, whom thou hast fulfilled with the bounty of thy heavenly banquet, may evermore desire those things that are according to thy will, and effectually obtain all things that we desire. Through.

Dismissal: *Depart in peace*. Response: *Thanks be to God*.

Blessing (kneel).....

Closing hymn, *Dundee*.....

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The **flowers** this morning are given by Robert Graham and Beth Antley to the Glory of Almighty God and in loving memory of their father, Robert, on his year's mind.

The **sanctuary lamp** this morning is given by Austin Hattori to the Glory of Almighty God and in celebration of his graduation with a Bachelor of Arts and completion of his thesis.

We welcome our **visitors and guests** this morning. We are glad you are with us today. Please **fill out one of the guest cards** (located in the pew) and drop it in the offering plate. There are visitor's packets containing information about St. Stephen's and the Anglican Catholic Church in the narthex. You are invited to join us for Sunday School after the 9 am liturgy or for coffee hour after the 11 am liturgy.

**Pastoral Care:** If you would like a visit from the clergy, or if you know of someone who is sick or shut in, or if you would like someone put on the parish prayer list, please contact the Church office.

**Sunday Schools** for all ages meet every Sunday at 10 am. The adult class meets in Lewis Hall. The children's class meets in the lower level of the church.

The **Archbishop's Bible Study** will resume this Wednesday, May 9<sup>th</sup> at 6pm, preceded by Evening prayer at 5:30 in the church office.

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Please pray (BCP 597, For a Birthday) for those with known **birthdays** this week: Loretta Guy (5/6), Kelly Thomas and Nelly Sandra Ndounteng (5/7), and Matthew LePain and John Seglund (5/10).

Please pray also (BCP 303, Third Collect) for those with **anniversaries** this week: Carol and James Reap (5/6) and Karen Larsen and David Starkweather (5/9).

*Prayers and best wishes to them from all their parish family.*

Of your charity, pray (BCP 598, For an Anniversary of One Departed) for the blessed repose of the souls of Walter Frobos (5/8), Joan Bailey (5/9), John Ryan Seawright (5/10), and Emily Cotterell (5/11) on this their **year's mind**. *Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.*

Please remember the following parishioners and friends of St. Stephen's in your **daily prayers**: Hildegard, Elaine, Bill, Lena, and Victoria.

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The next **Women's Meet & Greet** is Saturday, May 12<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am at Mama Jewel's Kitchen (1075 Baxter Street, Athens). This is a wonderful opportunity for all women of the church to enjoy coffee/tea, sweets/treats and great conversation. There is no set agenda ... just time for fellowship.

The Women's Guild wants to thank everyone who participated in the **Holiday Charities** campaign benefiting The Ark. Due to your generosity, we will be able to donate **\$2,260** to this worthy cause to help those in need in our surrounding communities.

Our military personnel still need us to remember them and help in sending items that they want and need through the **Adopt-a-Soldier program**. Lists of desired items are in the narthex and posted on the bulletin board in the breezeway. A collection basket is in the narthex for item drop off.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!** There will be a cleaning of the Lewis Hall Kitchen on Saturday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at 10:00. St. Stephen's NEEDS your help!

### Upcoming Events

Tuesday, May 8, 10:30am	Women's Guild Meeting
Thursday, May 10, 8am and 6pm	Ascension Day Mass
Saturday, May 12, 10am	Women's Meet and Greet
Thursday, May 17, 6:30pm	Vestry Meeting
Saturday, May 19, 10am	Bereavement Gown Project
	Lewis Hall kitchen cleaning
Monday, May 28	Memorial Day-offices closed

**Please silence your cell phones...thank you**

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**Rector and Dean**

## The Fifth Sunday after Easter

Commonly called Rogation Sunday  
May 6, 2018

*The Holy Eucharist this week will be celebrated on  
Tuesday at 12 noon, Wednesday at 12 noon,  
**Thursday at 8 am and 6 pm, and Friday at 12  
noon.***