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CHURCH

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Sunday Worship

January 25, 2015 – 10:00 AM

Third Sunday after the Epiphany

The Word of God

Welcome & Quiet Time (* indicates when to stand) Welcome to worship today. We're glad you've come to glorify God with us. We invite you to take part in everything today. Follow the singing with the words in this bulletin. Come to the Table for communion. You are invited to stay for refreshments after the service.

Prelude

***Gathering Song:** Take My Life and Let It Be – Hymn 707

Take my life, and let it be consecrated, Lord, to thee; take my moments and my days, let them flow in ceaseless praise. Take my hands, and let them move at the impulse of thy love; take my feet, and let them be swift and beautiful for thee.

Take my voice, and let me sing always, only, for my King; take my lips, and let them be filled with messages from thee. Take my silver and my gold, not a mite would I withhold; take my intellect, and use every power as thou shalt choose.

Take my will and make it thine; it shall be no longer mine; take my heart, it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne. Take my love; my Lord, I pour at thy feet its treasure store; take myself, and I will be ever, only, all for thee.

Priest: Blessed be God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

All: And blessed be His kingdom now and forever. Amen.

Priest: 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:** Love the Lord – Lincoln Brewster

Love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength;
Love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength.
With all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, with all your strength; Love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength.

I will serve the Lord with all my heart, with all my soul, with all my mind, and with all my strength; I will serve the Lord with all my heart, with all my soul, with all my mind, and with all my strength; With all my heart, with all my soul, with all my mind, with all my strength; I will serve the Lord, with all my heart, with all my soul, with all my mind, and with all my strength.

I will love you; (*I will love you*) I will praise you; (*I will praise you*) I will serve you; (*I will serve you*) I will trust You, Lord. (*I will trust You*)

With all my heart, with all my soul, with all my mind, with all my strength; With all my heart, with all my soul, with all my mind, with all my strength; I will love You, Lord, with all my heart, with all my soul, with all my mind, and with all my strength; I will love You, Lord, with all my heart, with all my soul, with all my mind, and with all my strength. I will love You, Lord, with all my heart, with all my soul, with all my mind, and with all my strength.

***All:** Give 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. Amen.

A Reading from 1 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.

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

***Gradual Song:** Lord, I'll Give You My Heart - Reuben Morgan

This is my desire to honour You. Lord with all my heart I worship You. All I have within me I give You praise and all that I adore is in You.

(*Chorus:*) Lord, I give You my heart. I give You my soul. I live for You alone. Every breath that I take. Every moment I'm awake. Lord, have Your way in me.

***The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ According to Mark**

(1:14-20)

All: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Now after 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.

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you Lord Christ.

Sermon (please be seated)

***Leader:** Let us stand and profess our faith using 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.

***Prayers of the People**

Leader: 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)* Lord, in your mercy:

All: Hear our prayer.

Leader: 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. *(Silence)* Lord, in your mercy:

All: Hear our prayer.

Leader: 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)* Lord, in your mercy:

All: Hear our prayer.

Leader: 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, especially (prayers are offered silently or out loud). *(Silence)* Lord, in your mercy:

All: Hear our prayer.

Leader: For Zenegy Massage, Jody Hauschild, owner, that many people in this area would experience increased health through this practice. *(Silence)* Lord, in your mercy:

All: Hear our prayer.

Leader: For all clergy and lay delegates of the diocese of Virginia. *(Silence)* Lord, in your mercy:

All: Hear our prayer.

Leader: For All Souls, Atlee, Amilee Wilmer, Vicar, and St. Gabriel's, Leesburg, Daniel Velez-Rivera, vicar, that each would fulfill its God given purpose through the power of the Holy Spirit. *(Silence)* Lord, in your mercy:

All: Hear our prayer.

Leader: To overcome ignorance, indifference, resentment, and bitterness with regard to race in both private and public life. *(Silence)* Lord, in your mercy:

All: Hear our prayer.

Leader: 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. *(Silence)* Lord, in your mercy:

All: Hear our prayer.

Leader: We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom. *(Silence)* Lord, in your mercy:

All: Hear our prayer.

Leader: Let us commend the world, to which Christ showed the way, to the mercy and protection of God.
Amen.

Leader: We pray to You also for the forgiveness of our sins.

All: Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Priest: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him, have mercy upon us, pardon and deliver us from all our sins, confirm and strengthen us in all goodness, and bring us to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

*Exchange of Peace

Priest: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.

The Holy Communion

Offertory: 10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord) – Matt Redman

(Chorus:) Blessed the Lord, oh my soul, o my soul; worship His holy name; sing like never before, oh my soul; I'll worship Your holy name.

The sun comes up, it's a new day dawning; it's time to sing Your song again; whatever may pass, and whatever lies before me, let me be singing when the evening comes. *(Chorus)*

You're rich in love, and You're slow to anger; Your name is great, and Your heart is kind; for all Your goodness, I'll keep on singing ten thousand reasons for my heart to find. *(Chorus)*

And on that day when my strength is failing, the end draws near and my time has come, still my soul will sing your praise unending ten thousand years and then forevermore. *(Chorus – two times)*

***Doxology:** 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.**

*Eucharistic Prayer B

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Priest: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

All (Sung): Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of his glory. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

Priest: 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 many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me." Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

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

Priest: And we offer this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord 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 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. **Amen.**

Priest: And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray,

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 priest breaks the consecrated bread and says:

Priest: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

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

Priest: The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

[NOTE: All are welcome to receive Communion, whatever your faith tradition. Please receive the bread in the open palm of your hand. Then, either consume the bread and move to a chalice and receive from the chalice by guiding the base of the chalice to your mouth or take the chalice from the chalice minister. Or, you may intinct or dip the bread into the chalice and consume it. The glass chalice contains non-alcoholic wine for those who do not wish to consume alcohol for any reason. If you do not wish to receive communion but would like a blessing, please come forward with your arms crossed over your chest.]

Communion Song: Breathe on Me, Breath of God – Hymn 508

Breathe on me, Breath of God, fill me with life anew, that I may love what thou dost love, and do what thou wouldst do.

Breathe on me, Breath of God, until my heart is pure, until with thee I will one will, to do or to endure.

Breathe on me, Breath of God, till I am wholly thine, till all this earthly part of me glows with thy fire divine.

Breathe on me, Breath of God, so shall I never die; but live with thee with perfect life of thine eternity.

***Post-Communion Prayer (All):** Lord, make us instruments of your peace. Where there is hatred, let us sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is discord, union; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy. Grant that we may not so much seek to be loved as to love. For it is in giving that we receive; it is in pardoning that we are pardoned; and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.

***Blessing**

***Song of Dismissal: I Will Hold On – Nigel Briggs**

My times are in your hands. I know I'll never understand but I'll trust in you. Sometimes my heart grows cold. I'm sorry when I take control. How I'm needing You.

And even when I fall You help me stand. Even when I'm lost You take my hand.

(Chorus:) I will hold on, I will hold on, I will hold on, Yes I will trust in you.

My life is in your hands. You hold the key to who I am and I'll trust in you. Sometimes my heart is stone. I'm sorry when I walk alone. How I'm needing You.

And even when I fall You help me stand. Even when I'm lost You take my hand.

(Chorus- 2 times)

Priest: Alleluia. Let us bless the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia.

Remember in your prayers:

John Maher, Sr.
Richard Carchman

Larry Kidd, Jr.
Paula Gordon

Linda Eggleston
Hedy Walker and family

Your Vestry Members are:

Senior Warden: Jack Martin
Other Members: Larry Kidd

Junior Warden: Bill Weatherford
Richard Walker

Register: Marian Elam

Treasurer: Susan Kidd

Below is the schedule for greeters, lay readers, and chalicers. If you have a problem with the dates on this schedule, please let Larry Kidd know as soon as possible, and he will try to make adjustments. Otherwise, you will need to find a substitute if you are unable to be at church on your assigned date.

<u>Worship Service Date</u>	<u>Scripture Reader</u>	<u>Prayer Reader</u>	<u>Chalicers</u>	<u>Greeters/Ushers</u>
25-Jan	Jack Martin	Larry Kidd	Jack Martin, Susan Kidd	Bill Weatherford, Larry Kidd
1-Feb	Bill Weatherford	MJ Weatherford	Susan Kidd, Jack Martin	Richard Walker, Larry Kidd

~ Announcements ~

Upcoming Important Dates:

Sunday, February 1	Communion Service	St. Francis	10:00 a.m.
Sunday, February 8	Communion Service followed by Pot Luck Lunch	St. Francis	10:00 a.m.
Wednesday, February 11	Vestry Meeting	St. Francis	4:00 p.m.
Sunday, February 15	Communion Service	St. Francis	10:00 a.m.
Wednesday, February 18	Ash Wednesday Service	St. Francis	6:15 p.m.

Food Collection for the Goochland Free Clinic and Family Services Food Pantry every Sunday. Please bring non-perishable food to donate. Place your donation in the box provided in the vestibule.

Financial Update - If you have any questions about any of this data, please don't hesitate to ask your treasurer, Susan Kidd.

	2014	Operating Funds		Net Gain or (Loss)
		<u>Deposits</u>	<u>Expenses</u>	
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1st Quarter		\$21,208.00	\$22,425.59	(\$2,217.59)
2nd Quarter		\$22,568.00	\$20,086.30	\$2,481.70
3rd Quarter		\$19,716.50	\$21,206.99	(\$1,490.49)
4th Quarter		<u>\$22,373.00</u>	<u>\$22,057.53</u>	<u>\$315.47</u>
2014 Year-To-Date		\$85,865.50	\$86,776.41	(\$910.91)
	2015			
January		\$3,946.00	\$4,652.11	(\$706.11)
February		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
March		<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>	<u>\$0.00</u>
1st Quarter		\$3,946.00	\$4,652.11	(\$706.11)
2015 Year-To-Date		\$3,946.00	\$4,652.11	(\$706.11)
Checking Account Balance		<u>Beginning</u>	<u>Ending</u>	
YTD 2015		\$32,005.82	\$31,299.71	(\$706.11)

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