

WELCOME TO ST. MARK'S BETHANY

We're so glad you're worshiping with us today. At St. Mark's, our mission is to build a family of believers who glorify God and help one another become fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ. As we step into a new year together, we pray you find hope, encouragement, and a place to belong here.

January 11, 2026, 11:00 A.M.



EPIPHANY

WELCOME LITURGY

The heavens are telling the glory of God;
and the firmament proclaims his handiwork.

Day to day pours forth speech, and night to night declares knowledge.

There is no speech, nor are there words; their voice is not heard;

**yet their voice goes out through all the earth,
and their words to the end of the world.**

INVOCATION OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

HYMN

Honey In The Rock

HYMN

Give Me Jesus

PRAYER

Open Altar

STATEMENT OF FAITH

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried.

On the third day he rose from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Exodus 33:17-23

17 The Lord said to Moses, "I will also do this thing that you have asked, for you have found favor in my sight, and I know you by name." 18 Moses said, "Please show me your glory." 19 And he said, "I will make all my goodness pass before you and will proclaim before you the name, 'The Lord,' and I will be gracious to whom I will be gracious and will show mercy on whom I will show mercy. 20 But," he said, "you cannot see my face, for no one shall see me and live." 21 And the Lord continued, "See, there is a place by me where you shall stand on the rock, 22 and while my glory passes by I will put you in a cleft of the rock, and I will cover you with my hand until I have passed by; 23 then I will take away my hand, and you shall see my back, but my face shall not be seen."

MESSAGE

EPIPHANY / BAPTISM OF THE LORD "THE HE MIGHT BE REVEALED"

John 1:29-34

THE GOSPEL

29 The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him and declared, "Here is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world! 30 This is he of whom I said, 'After me comes a man who ranks ahead of me because he was before me.' 31 I myself did not know him, but I came baptizing with water for this reason, that he might be revealed to Israel." 32 And John testified, "I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it remained on him. 33 I myself did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water said to me, 'He on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain is the one who baptizes with the Holy Spirit.' 34 And I myself have seen and have testified that this is the Chosen One."

COMMUNION LITURGY

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, forever. Amen.

COMMUNION

HYMN

Daily Bread

PRAYER

HYMN #37

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing

CHURCH LIFE

BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION RESPONSE

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.

Go in peace, carrying Christ's love into the world.

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