

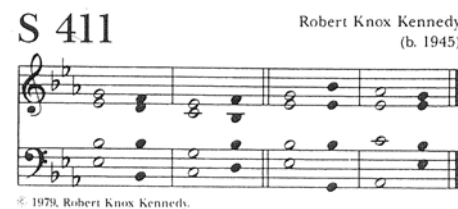
WE GATHER

Voluntary Bill Ducworth, Organist/Choirmaster
 The Procession *God, my King, thy might confessing* Hymn #414
 The Liturgy Begins Book of Common Prayer 355
 Song of Praise S-280

Collect of the Day: O God, the strength of all who put their trust in you: Mercifully accept our prayers; and because in our weakness we can do nothing good without you, give us the help of your grace, that in keeping your commandments we may please you both in will and deed; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

WE LISTEN

First Reading Ecclesiasticus 15:15-20
 If you choose, you can keep the commandments, and to act faithfully is a matter of your own choice. He has placed before you fire and water; stretch out your hand for whichever you choose. Before each person are life and death, and whichever one chooses will be given. For great is the wisdom of the Lord; he is mighty in power and sees everything; his eyes are on those who fear him, and he knows every human action. He has not commanded anyone to be wicked, and he has not given anyone permission to sin.



Psalm 119:1-8

- 1 Happy are they whose way is blameless, *
who walk in the law of the LORD!
- 2 Happy are they who observe his decrees *
and seek him with all their hearts!
- 3 Who never do any wrong, *
but always walk in his ways.
- 4 You laid down your commandments, *
that we should fully keep them.
- 5 Oh, that my ways were made so direct *
that I might keep your statutes!
- 6 Then I should not be put to shame, *
when I regard all your commandments.
- 7 I will thank you with an unfeigned heart, *
when I have learned your righteous judgments.
- 8 I will keep your statutes; *
do not utterly forsake me.

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 3:1-9

Brothers and sisters, I could not speak to you as spiritual people, but rather as people of the flesh, as infants in Christ. I fed you with milk, not solid food, for you were not ready for solid food. Even now you are still not ready, for you are still of the flesh. For as long as there is jealousy and quarreling among you, are you not of the flesh, and behaving according to human inclinations? For when one says, "I belong to Paul," and another, "I belong to Apollos," are you not merely human? What then is Apollos? What is Paul? Servants through whom you came to believe, as the Lord assigned to each. I planted, Apollos watered, but God gave the growth. So neither the one who plants nor the one who waters is anything, but only God who gives the growth. The one who plants and the one who waters have a common purpose, and each will receive wages according to the labor of each. For we are God's servants, working together; you are God's field, God's building.

Gospel Hymn

Strengthen for service, Lord

Hymn #312

Holy Gospel

Matthew 5:21-37

Jesus said, "You have heard that it was said to those of ancient times, 'You shall not murder'; and 'whoever murders shall be liable to judgment.' But I say to you that if you are angry with a brother or sister, you will be liable to judgment; and if you insult a brother or sister, you will be liable to the council; and if you say, 'You fool,' you will be liable to the hell of fire. So when you are offering your gift at the altar, if you remember that your brother or sister has something against you, leave your gift there before the altar and go; first be reconciled to your brother or sister, and then come and offer your gift. Come to terms quickly with your accuser while you are on the way to court with him, or your accuser may hand you over to the judge, and the judge to the guard, and you will be thrown into prison. Truly I tell you, you will never get out until you have paid the last penny. "You have heard that it was said, 'You shall not commit adultery.' But I say to you that everyone who looks at a woman with lust has already committed adultery with her in his heart. If your right eye causes you to sin, tear it out and throw it away; it is better for you to lose one of your members than for your whole body to be thrown into hell. And if your right hand causes you to sin, cut it off and throw it away; it is better for you to lose one of your members than for your whole body to go into hell. "It was also said, 'Whoever divorces his wife, let him give her a certificate of divorce.' But I say to you that anyone who divorces his wife, except on the ground of unchastity, causes her to commit adultery; and whoever marries a divorced woman commits adultery. "Again, you have heard that it was said to those of ancient times, 'You shall not swear falsely, but carry out the vows you have made to the Lord.' But I say to you, Do not swear at all, either by heaven, for it is the throne of God, or by the earth, for it is his footstool, or by Jerusalem, for it is the city of the great King. And do not swear by your head, for you cannot make one hair white or black. Let your word be 'Yes, Yes' or 'No, No'; anything more than this comes from the evil one.

Sermon

The Rev. Jack Hardaway

WE RESPOND

The Nicene Creed Book of Common Prayer p.358
 The Prayers of the People –Form V Book of Common Prayer p.389
 Confession of Sin Book of Common Prayer p.360
 The Peace Book of Common Prayer p.360

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WE OFFER UP

Organ Anthem *Preludium Alleluia* Rodgers
 The Great Thanksgiving, Eucharistic Prayer B Book of Common Prayer p. 367
 "Holy, Holy, Holy" Hymn #S-129
 The Lord's Prayer Book of Common Prayer p. 364
 The Fraction Anthem Hymn #S-154

WE ARE FED

Communion Hymns: *And now, O Father* Hymn #337
I come with joy Hymn #304

Sending out of Lay Eucharistic Minister

Celebrant: In the name of this congregation, I send you forth bearing these holy gifts to Earle Rice that he may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood.

All: We who are many are one body, because we all share one bread, one Cup.

The Post-Communion Thanksgiving Book of Common Prayer p. 366

The Blessing

The Procession *Joyful, joyful, we adore thee* Hymn #376

WE ARE SENT OUT

The Sending Forth Book of Common Prayer p. 366

Having been fed the body and blood of Christ we are compelled to go out into the world to proclaim the Good News of God in Christ, to seek and serve Christ in all persons, to strive for justice and peace among all people, and to respect the dignity of every human being.

ANNOUNCEMENTS**Interested in Confirmation, Baptism or Church Membership?**

Or in learning more about Christianity? Then this class is for you: Episcopal Christianity. We will be meeting Sunday mornings at 9:15 in the Rector's office.

8th Partnership Cange, Haiti Meeting—Saturday, March 12th

1:00—4:30 pm (after lunch) **Christ Church, Greenville.** For More Information: Reggie Brooker 864-271-0520 pbroo10157@aol.com, Rev. Jon Chalmers- Christ Church 864-271-8773.

Parish Family Weekend has been canceled due to calendar conflict.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER

February 16, 2011

Menu: Oven Roasted Chicken, Rice pilaf, Green peas, Barbara's baby biscuits w/butter, Cookies and Ice Cream.

Catered by Barbara Scott

\$6.00 per person

\$3.00 for children under 7

NAME: _____

PERSON (S) : _____

CHILDREN UNDER 7 : _____

Scoop some soup for Clean Start—Thursday, February 24th—11:00 am—2:00 pm. Dine In or Carry Out. Chili or Vegetable Soup, Cornbread & Crackers, Iced Tea & a Brownie. All proceeds go to Clean Start.

Tenth Anniversary Gala Concert of our Zimmer Organ—

Friday, February 25th at 7:30 p.m. Grace Episcopal Church. Brink Bush, Concert Organist. Reception followed hosted by the choir. Free Admission

Grace Church Ton of Food 2011—We are gathering 2,000 pounds of food to benefit the hungry of our community. So far we have gathered 303 pounds. We have 1607 to go! Items needed: Any non-perishable food items of average size. Can openers, plastic grocery bags.

Those Who Serve:

Vestry: Lee Hancock **Lectors:** Mary Winiarski, Justin Durham
Intercessor/Chalice Bearer: Sara Cheek, Bob Prince
Presenters: Jeff, Talin, Warren & Lucine Hohn
Ushers: Justin Durham, Pat Bradham, Jerry Powell, Ken Cheek
Ist Crucifer: JT Cooper
Server: Sally Hancock
Torchbearers: Sam Elner, Caroline Woodson
Linen Guild: Phyllis Crosby
Altar Guild: Pat Larsen, Frances Mack
Coffee Hour Hospitality: Beau Langer, Catherine Cutting, Pam Herold
Newcomer Ministry: Phyllis & Pete Crosby

Prayers
Pray for healing and comfort

Julie Kent
 John Bostater
 Karlann Bostater -chronic leukemia,cancer
 John Josey
 Leif Jacobsen
 Anna May Jacobsen
 Barb Flagel
 David Rutledge
 Wilma Eady –health issues
 Rick Fletcher-cancer
 Jesse Cheek-health issues
 Betty Halverson-pancreatic cancer—mother of Mary Waldo
 Ellen Dollar –cancer
 Wendie Cheek –cancer
 Smith Pruitt-multiple myeloma
 Rita Swofford
 Mark Hellstrom
 Lee Morris
 David Cullen
 Cathy Baughman
 The family of Earl Ramey
 Jo Trent
 Lucas Swann
 Sharon Reynolds
 Don Ross
 Beau Langer
 Judith Feltman
 Trent Gilbert-breathing difficulties
 Margie Osburn
 John Aronson

Expectant Families: Kelly & John Peebles, Heiko & Mandy Erlenkeuser, Caroline & Chris Ripley.

Deaths: George Rogers—February 2, 2011

Requested by

Kathy Bostater
 Kathy Bostater

Greta Jacobsen
 Greta Jacobsen

Anne Radnor
 Billy Croy
 Dudley Jenkins
 Family
 Jack Hardaway
 Jack Hardaway
 Sara Cheek
 Mary Winiarski
 Don Cleveland
 Janie Hellstrom
 Lynn Prince
 John Cullen
 Cindy Baker
 Ed Rampey

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The Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany

February 13, 2011

10:30 A.M.

Welcome to Grace Church!

We invite your participation in our life and ministry. Please fill out a visitor card and drop it in the offering plate so we can contact you. All baptized Christians, including children, are invited to share in Holy Communion. The ushers will direct you to the altar rail. Hold your outstretched hands to receive the bread. Please help guide the chalice to your lips. If you do not desire to receive the sacrament, please cross your arms across your chest, indicating you desire a blessing. Thank you for worshipping with us!

This Week's Events February 13-19		
<u>Sunday</u>	8:00 am	HE Rite I
	9:15 am	Sunday School
	9:15 am	Episcopal Christianity
	10:30 am	HE Rite II
	11:30 am	Coffee Hour
		5-7
	7-9	Twenties, Thirties and Forties Group
<u>Tuesday</u>	10:00 am	Staff Meeting
<u>Wednesday</u>	11:00 am	Women's Bible Study
	5:30 pm	Children's Choir
	6:00 pm	Supper-Barbara Scott
	7:00 pm	Adult Choir
<u>Thursday</u>	12:00 Noon	Men's Prayer Group