

**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent/Year B**  
**March 17, 2024**  
**8am (*in person*) & 10am (*in person & on zoom*)**

*Lent*

**Pearl of the Week**

Joy is not the same as feeling happy. It's an interior gift which has to do with our union with Christ crucified. Perfect joy can come even when we are chained in prison, thrown into the snow, or living through a pandemic. Joy is a gift that God longs to give to each one of us. We can ask and pray for that gift in our lives.

*Br. Geoffrey Tristram, SSJE*

## Holy Eucharist: Rite Two

### Welcome/Announcements

**\*Opening Hymn\*** (H) 441

**Service begins** BCP 351

**Confession of Sin/Absolution** BCP 352

**Lord, have mercy** BCP 356

### Collect of the Day

**The Lessons** (*insert*)

Jeremiah 31:31-34

Psalms 119:9-16

Hebrews 5:5-10

**\*Sequence Hymn\*** (H) 635

John 12:20-33

### The Sermon

**The Nicene Creed** BCP 358

**The Prayers of the People/Form III** BCP 387

**The Peace**

**Offertory Sentence & \*Hymn\*** (H) 304

### The Holy Communion

**Eucharistic Prayer A** BCP 361

**\*Communion Hymns:** (*LEVS*)146 ; (*LEVS*)76

**Post Communion Prayer**

**Benediction/Blessing**

**\*Closing Hymn\*** (H) 473

**Dismissal**

## Prayers for the Universal Church

- \*Pray for the Church in Wales
- \*Good Shepherd, Huslia, AK
- \*Our companion congregations of Epiphany Church in Kivalina & St. Philip's in Wrangell
- \*In our parish: Steve, Amelia, Lisa, Tom, Judy

## Those Serving Today – 8am

Acolyte	Steve Gage
Jeremiah 31:31-34	Steve Gage
Psalms 119:9-16	Chip Camden
Hebrews 5:5-10	Amelia Gage
Worship Leader	Chip Camden
Celebrant	The Rev Julie Platson

## Those Serving Today – 10am

Acolytes	Elias Pfeiffer/Linda Trierschild
Jeremiah 31:31-34	Cheri Hample
Psalms 119:9-16	Marg Parsons
Hebrews 5:5-10	Lisa Moore
Prayers of the People	Nancy Jo Bleier/Kathryn
Deacon	The Rev Kathryn Snelling
Celebrant	The Rev Julie Platson

## Announcements

### **Sunday services**

- \*8:00am (in person) & 10am (in person/& on zoom)
- \*Sunday School Today: March 17
- \*\*\***MARCH 24/PALM SUNDAY: one service at 9am**\*\*\*
- \***Mon/March 18 @ 11am/Lent Books & Conversations/zoom**
- \***Wednesdays @12pm: Noonday Prayer Service on zoom**
- \***Wednesday March 20: Vestry meeting @ 6:30pm**
- \***March 23: Holy Week Quiet Day Retreat – RSVP by 3/21**
- \***March 31: Easter Services**
  - \* Easter Vigil on zoom only @ 6am
  - \* Easter HE Service @ 10am (church/&zoom)

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**Sunday Services**

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**Wednesday Services**

**\*12pm: Noonday Prayer Service (on zoom)**

*The church is open daily to stop in  
for quiet reflection and prayer...*

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