



# The Seventh Sunday after the Epiphany

*February 20th, 2022, 10:00 am*

A PARISH OF THE ANGLICAN DIOCESE OF NEW WESTMINSTER

*The Right Reverend John Stephens, Bishop*

*The Reverend Lorne Manweiler, Rector*

## Welcome!

*We're glad  
you're here!*

We are happy and honoured that you've joined us online this morning—whether in-person or online via Facebook and the parish website. If you need a place to take a break with your child, a nursery area is available. Washrooms are available on the main level of the church. Please ask a sidesperson or your neighbour if you have questions or need assistance. Due to the current wave of the Omicron variant, refreshments after the service are postponed.

## The Holy Eucharist

*Book of Alternative Services, pp. 185 ff.*

### - *The Gathering of the Community* -

**Prelude**

Minuet

*George Frideric Handel (1685-1759)*

**Welcome**

**Entrance Hymn** CP 366 – “Glory, in the highest Glory”

**Verses**

*Psalm 37*

*Celebrant*  
*All*

Commit your way to the LORD;  
**trust in him, and he will act.**

## Acknowledgement

*Celebrant* We begin by acknowledging that we live, work, play, and worship on the traditional and unceded territory of the Coast Salish peoples including the xʷməθkwəy̓əm (Musqueam), Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish) and Səlílwətaʔ (Tsleil-Waututh) Nations.

*All* **May our words and our actions reflect our awareness and appreciation of this.**

*A moment of silence for reflection is kept.*

*Celebrant* The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

*People* **And also with you.**

***Gloria in Excelsis—Hymn of Praise*** CP 371 – “To God be the Glory,” *all stanzas*

## Collect of the Day

*Celebrant* O Lord Jesus, make us instruments of your peace, that where there is hatred, we may sow love, where there is injury, pardon, and where there is depair, hope. Grant, O divine master, that we may seek to console, to understand, and to love in your name, for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

*All* **Amen.**

## Children’s Chat

## - The Proclamation of the Word -

### Old Testament Genesis 45:3-11

*read by Amanda Holley*

Joseph said to his brothers, 'I am Joseph. Is my father still alive?' But his brothers could not answer him, so dismayed were they at his presence. Then Joseph said to his brothers, 'Come closer to me.' And they came closer. He said, 'I am your brother Joseph, whom you sold into Egypt. And now do not be distressed, or angry with yourselves, because you sold me here; for God sent me before you to preserve life. For the famine has been in the land these two years; and there are five more years in which there will be neither ploughing nor harvest. God sent me before you to preserve for you a remnant on earth, and to keep alive for you many survivors. So it was not you who sent me here, but God; he has made me a father to Pharaoh, and lord of all his house and ruler over all the land of Egypt. Hurry and go up to my father and say to him, "Thus says your son Joseph, God has made me lord of all Egypt; come down to me, do not delay. You shall settle in the land of Goshen, and you shall be near me, you and your children and your children's children, as well as your flocks, your herds, and all that you have. I will provide for you there—since there are five more years of famine to come—so that you and your household, and all that you have, will not come to poverty." *NRSV*

*Reader* Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.  
*All* **Thanks be to God.**

### Psalm 37:1-11, 39-40

*Celebrant* Do not fret because of the wicked; do not be envious of wrongdoers,  
*Pulpit* for they will soon fade like the grass, and wither like the green herb.  
*Font* Trust in the LORD, and do good; so you will live in the land, and enjoy security.

- Celebrant* Take delight in the LORD, and he will give you the desires of your heart.
- All* **Commit your way to the LORD; trust in him, and he will act.**
- Celebrant* He will make your vindication shine like the light, and the justice of your cause like the noonday.
- Pulpit* Be still before the LORD AND wait patiently for him.
- Font* do not fret over those who prosper in their way, over those who carry out evil devices.
- All* **Refrain from anger and forsake wrath. Do not fret—it leads only to evil.**
- Celebrant* For the wicked shall be cut off, but those who wait for the LORD shall inherit the land.
- Pulpit* Yet a little while, and the wicked will be no more; though you look diligently for their place, they will not be there.
- Font* But the meek shall inherit the land and delight themselves in abundant prosperity.
- Celebrant* The salvation of the righteous is from the LORD; he is their refuge in the time of trouble.
- All* **The LORD helps them and rescues them; he rescues them from the wicked, and saves them, because they take refuge in him.**

## **Second Reading** 1 Corinthians 15:35-38, 42-50

read by Amanda Holley

But someone will ask, 'How are the dead raised? With what kind of body do they come?' Fool! What you sow does not come to life unless it dies. And as for what you sow, you do not sow the body that is to be, but a bare seed, perhaps of wheat or of some other grain. But God gives it a body as he has chosen, and to each kind of seed its own body. So it is with the resurrection of the dead. What is sown is perishable, what is raised is imperishable. It is

sown in dishonour, it is raised in glory. It is sown in weakness, it is raised in power. It is sown a physical body, it is raised a spiritual body. If there is a physical body, there is also a spiritual body. Thus it is written, 'The first man, Adam, became a living being'; the last Adam became a life-giving spirit. But it is not the spiritual that is first, but the physical, and then the spiritual. The first man was from the earth, a man of dust; the second man is from heaven. As was the man of dust, so are those who are of the dust; and as is the man of heaven, so are those who are of heaven. Just as we have borne the image of the man of dust, we will also bear the image of the man of heaven. What I am saying, brothers and sisters, is this: flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God, nor does the perishable inherit the imperishable. NRSV

*Reader* Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

*All* Thanks be to God.

### Alleluia & Verse

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,

al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

*Repeat alleluia*

*Alleluia. Love your enemies, and you will be children of | the Most High;  
forgive, and you will | be forgiven. Alleluia. (Lk 6:35, 37)*

## The Holy Gospel Luke 6:27-38

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*All* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

*All* **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. Do to others as you would have them do to you.

‘If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them. If you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. If you lend to those from whom you hope to receive, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, to receive as much again. But love your enemies, do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return. Your reward will be great, and you will be children of the Most High; for he is kind to the ungrateful and the wicked. Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful.

‘Do not judge, and you will not be judged; do not condemn, and you will not be condemned. Forgive, and you will be forgiven; give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap; for the measure you give will be the measure you get back.’

NRSV

*Celebrant* The Gospel of Christ.

*People* **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,

al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

## Affirmation of Faith – The Nicene Creed

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 human.

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.  
With the Father and the Son he is worshipped 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.

## The Prayers of the Community

*Diana Bragg, Intercessor*

### Confession and Absolution

*Celebrant* Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; he welcomes sinners and invites them to his table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

Most merciful God,

*All* We confess that we have sinned against you  
in thought, word and deed,  
by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.  
We have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.  
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.  
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us and forgive us,  
that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways,  
to the glory of your name. Amen.



*Celebrant* Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

*All* **Amen.**

## **The Peace**

*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

## **The Preparation of the Gifts and Offertory Hymn**

CP 379 – “Rejoice, the Lord is King”

### *- The Celebration of the Eucharist -*

## **Prayer over the Gifts**

*Celebrant* Merciful God, accept all we offer you this day. Lead us to love you with all our heart, and to love all people with your perfect love. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ.

*All* **Amen.**

## **The Great Thanksgiving**

*BAS; Ev Luth W Preface for Epiphany, Setting 1*

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you

*All* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts.

*All* **We lift them to the Lord.**

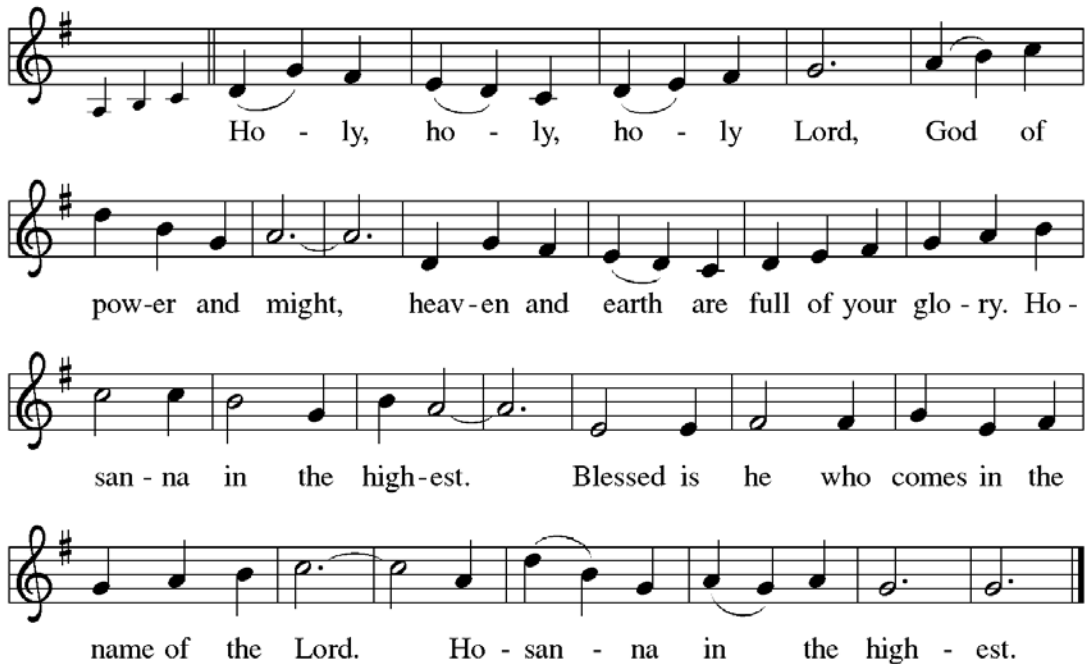
*Celebrant* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*All* **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

*Celebrant* It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and

merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ. By the leading of a star he was shown forth to all nations; in the waters of the Jordan you proclaimed him your beloved Son; and in the miracle of water turned to wine he revealed your glory. And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

*All*



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of  
 pow - er and might, heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -  
 san - na in the high - est. Blessed is he who comes in the  
 name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

*Celebrant*

God of our weary years, God of our silent tears, you have brought us this far along the way.

In times of bitterness you did not abandon us, but guided us into the path of love and light. In every age you sent prophets to make known your loving will for all humanity. The cry of the poor has become your own cry; our hunger and thirst for justice is your own desire. In the fullness of time, you sent your chosen servant to

preach good news to the afflicted, to break bread with the outcast and despised, and to ransom those in bondage to prejudice and sin.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

*All* **Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

Remembering, therefore, his death and resurrection, we await the day when Jesus shall return to free all the earth from the bonds of slavery and death. Come, Lord Jesus! And let the church say, Amen.

*All* **Amen!**

Send your Holy Spirit, our advocate, to fill the hearts of all who share this bread and cup with courage and wisdom to pursue love and justice in all the world.

Come, Spirit of freedom! And let the church say, Amen.

*All* **Amen!**

Join our prayers and praise with your prophets and martyrs of every age, that, rejoicing in the hope of the resurrection, we might live in the freedom and hope of your Son.

Through him, with him, in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is yours, almighty Father, now and forever.

*All* **Amen.**

## The Lord's Prayer

*Celebrant* As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,  
*All* Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and  
forever. Amen.

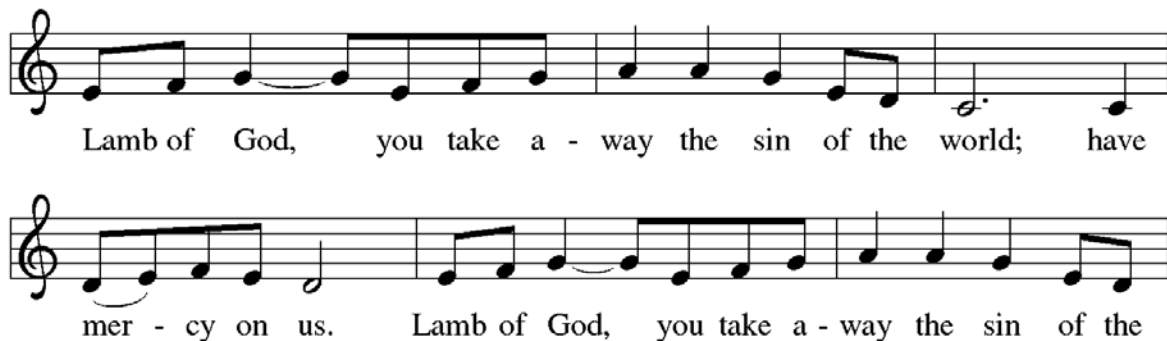
## The Breaking of the Bread

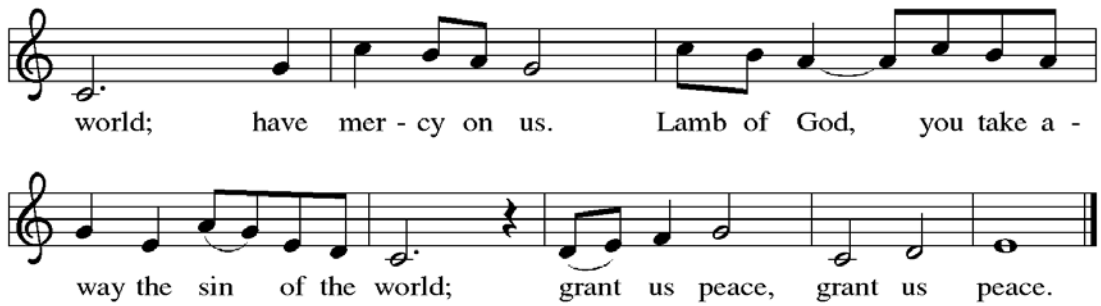
*Celebrant* Come to the banquet,  
*All* for all is now ready.

## The Communion

*Celebrant* The gifts of God for the people of God.  
*People* Thanks be to God.

## Agnus Dei—Lamb of God





*Some helps regarding Communion at St. Philip's during COVID-19:*

- *Please follow the direction of the ushers to come forward for Communion;*
- *the bread, the body of Christ, is offered at this time so that we all can more safely celebrate the Eucharist together; temporarily, the priest receives the wine, Christ's blood, from the chalice, on behalf of God's people;*
- *hand sanitizer should be used before communing and is available as you come forward;*
- *please commune individually or in your cohort group to ensure safer physical distancing.*

## The Distribution

Hymn CP 79 – “To you, O Kindly Jesus Christ”

Hymn CP 80 - “We Hail Thee Now, O Jesus”

## Prayer after Communion

*Celebrant* Gracious God, in the Eucharist we celebrate your love for us and for all people. Grant that strengthened by these holy gifts, we may show your love in our lives, and know its fulfilment in your presence. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

*All* Amen.

**Parish Announcements** *Given by the Churchwardens*

# - Sending the Community Forward into the World -

## Doxology

*Celebrant*

Glory to God,

*All*

Whose power, working in us,

can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine.

Glory to God from generation to generation,

in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever. Amen.

## Blessing and Benediction

*Celebrant*

The Lord Jesus Christ,

Son of the living God,

teach you to walk in his Way more trustfully,

to accept his truth more faithfully,

and to share his life more lovingly;

that by the power of the Holy Spirit

you may come as one family to the kingdom of the Father.

And the blessing of God almighty,

the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,

be among you and remain with you always.

*All*

**Amen.**

## Closing Hymn CP 425 – “Joyful, Joyful we Adore Thee”

## The Dismissal

*Celebrant*

Go forth in the name of Christ.

*All*

**Thanks be to God.**

## Postlude

Hornpipe

*George Frideric Handel (1685-1759)*

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## Notices for 7th Sunday after Epiphany Feb 20th 2022

### DATES TO NOTE

<b>Sun Feb 20</b>	<b>7th Sunday after Epiphany.</b>  Sunday worship is also online, live at 10 AM, or recorded for later. <a href="https://www.stphilipsdunbar.com">https://www.stphilipsdunbar.com</a> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/stphilipsanglicandunbar">https://www.facebook.com/stphilipsanglicandunbar</a>
<b>Sun Feb 20</b>	<b>Vestry Meeting. 1:00 - 3:00 PM on Zoom.</b> Register your attendance with <a href="#">Tiffany Ho</a>
<b>Mon Feb 21</b>	<b>Family Day</b> - the office will be closed
<b>Wed Feb 23</b>	<b>Prayer, Care and Share</b> with Lorne on Wednesdays at 10 AM <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83952804762">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83952804762</a>
<b>Sun Feb 27</b>	<b>8th Sunday of Epiphany. Coffee Hour is back.</b> We hope you stay and share fellowship.
<b>Tues Mar 22</b>	<b>Parish Council</b> at 7:30 pm. Meetings are on the 4th Tuesday, starting in March Trustees will meet on the Tuesday immediately following the Parish Council meeting.

### PRAYER LIST

Please pray for those who have asked for our prayers at this time: Ron Ramsay, Meghan, Nancy and Jim Oberdorff, Joyce Ramsay and her family, Ervin, Ann Ringgold, Billie, Brenda, Nassrin, Greg, Doris Menoche, Gwen, The Moore Family: Sean, Katherine, James and Allia; Tom and Rosie, Rob Wren, Peralea and Ignacio.

Please pray for all those who work in Health Care. May they find the strength to face challenges that never end.

Please pray for all those mourning recent losses at this time.

Let us pray for those who have died recently, remembering especially Geoff Ramsay.

### FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR

The flowers at the altar are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Penny and Peter West from their family.

If anyone would like to make a donation towards the church flowers in thanksgiving of a Birthday, Anniversary, or In Memory of a loved one, please contact the office at 604-224-3238. All donations are most appreciated.

### COVID PROTOCOLS AT ST PHILIP'S

Although some public health restrictions changed on Feb 17, you will see **no changes** during worship at St Philip's. Wearing a mask, sanitizing hands, and showing your vaccination passport remain protocols throughout the diocese.

These precautions protect us from severe disease. As of Feb 17, in-person gatherings may resume (YAY!) even with food and drink: Coffee Hour, Ash Wednesday, Shrove Tuesday, Luncheons. Read Bishop John's full pastoral letter [here](#).

We invite you to come back to church and attend gatherings as you used to, while following BC's health protocols.

### **VESTRY MEETING - Sunday Feb 20, 2022, at 1:00 PM on Zoom**

The Vestry meeting will be held on Zoom, as in 2021 when about 60 parishioners attended very successfully.

Parish Council considered moving it to an in-person meeting, but we hadn't yet heard from Bishop John until Wednesday, and the time was much too short to pivot that many people and, most importantly, feed us lunch!

The Zoom link will be emailed to you. If you don't get our emails, send [Tiffany Ho](#) your email address.

**Location:** Zoom at 1:00 PM. Sign in from 12:45.

**Register:** Register your attendance with [Tiffany Ho](#) so we know how many to expect and have records.

**Vestry Report 2022:** is available on paper at St Philip's now and has been emailed to parishioners.

**Nominations Close:** 1 PM on Fri. February 18. **There will be no nominations taken from the floor.**

**Prepare:** Read the Vestry Report carefully and prepare any questions that come to you.

**Questions:** To ensure all questions are heard and addressed, and to share the time effectively, send your questions by Fri. Feb 18 to [lorne@stpdunbar.com](mailto:lorne@stpdunbar.com) Impromptu questions will also be welcome during discussions, of course.

**Motions:** please prepare motions **in advance** and send them to Lorne by Fri Feb 18 at [lorne@stpdunbar.com](mailto:lorne@stpdunbar.com)

**ZOOM** If you have not yet tried Zoom, now is the time! <https://zoom.us/download> Try it out and watch the tutorials.

### **THANKS TO ALL WHO SUPPORTED THE VALENTINE'S DAY BAKE SALE**

Thanks to the bakers, the sorters, the helpers and the buyers, we raised \$850 on Sunday! A special thank you goes out to our checkout team: Holly Ainsbury, Andrew & Ali Wenzlaff, and their coach Pamela Meneilly. As Holly Ainsbury gleefully exclaimed after counting the results: "That's some money!!"

### **KNEELERS TASK FORCE**

A small task force has been charged with researching and developing various options for kneelers, and presenting their findings to Council for their careful consideration. Contact Lorne for more information [lorne@stpdunbar.com](mailto:lorne@stpdunbar.com)

### **CAPITAL CAMPAIGN**

The Capital Campaign began at Vestry three years ago. As we finish the campaign, if you have an outstanding pledge, or would like to give more, or have more recently joined St Philip's, please donate by cheque with Capital Campaign on the memo line. Or find out more about a gift of [Appreciated Securities](#) through the Diocese that saves you tax.

#### **DO YOU RECEIVE THE BULLETIN AND ORDER OF SERVICE BY EMAIL?**

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#### **Communicate With Us**

Thank you to all who have sent us questions, suggestions, reminders, and support. Please communicate with us about issues of interest to you.

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