

3rd Sunday after Epiphany



January 25, 2026 9:00am
Ante-Communion
Emmanuel Episcopal Church
Coos Bay, Oregon

*** Music today is from the 1982 Hymnal.**

Prelude: *The King of Love My Shepherd Is* arranged by Harold Friedell

Call to Worship: *Church Bells will ring*

(all stand, as are able, and remain standing until the Collect)

Processional Hymn: #525 *The Church's one foundation*

Opening Acclamation:

Celebrant Blessed be God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit

People ***And blessed be his kingdom now and forever. Amen.***

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.***

Gloria

The Hymnal 1982, Service Music, #280

1. Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and
peace to his peo - ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heaven - ly
King, al - mighty God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we

give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus

Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you

take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy

on us; 5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re -

ceive our prayer. 6. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One,

you a - lone are the Lord, 7. you a - lone are the Most

High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the

glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

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The Collect of the Day *(3rd Sunday after Epiphany)*

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

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

Celebrant: Let us pray.

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.***

The Liturgy of the Word

(all are seated)

First Lesson: Isaiah 9:1-4

There will be no gloom for those who were in anguish. In the former time he brought into contempt the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, but in the latter time he will make glorious the way of the sea, the land beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the nations.

The people who walked in darkness
 have seen a great light;
those who lived in a land of deep darkness--
 on them light has shined.
You have multiplied the nation,
 you have increased its joy;
they rejoice before you
 as with joy at the harvest,
 as people exult when dividing plunder.
For the yoke of their burden,
 and the bar across their shoulders,

the rod of their oppressor,
you have broken as on the day of Midian.

After the reading, the Lector will say: The Word of the Lord.

People: ***Thanks be to God.***

The Psalm Appointed: Psalm 27:1, 5-13

- 1 The LORD is my light and my salvation;
whom then shall I fear? *
the LORD is the strength of my life;
of whom then shall I be afraid?
- 5 One thing have I asked of the LORD;
one thing I seek; *
that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life;
- 6 To behold the fair beauty of the LORD *
and to seek him in his temple.
- 7 For in the day of trouble he shall keep me safe in his shelter; *
he shall hide me in the secrecy of his dwelling
and set me high upon a rock.
- 8 Even now he lifts up my head *
above my enemies round about me.
- 9 Therefore I will offer in his dwelling an oblation
with sounds of great gladness; *
I will sing and make music to the LORD.
- 10 Hearken to my voice, O LORD, when I call; *
have mercy on me and answer me.
- 11 You speak in my heart and say, "Seek my face." *
Your face, LORD, will I seek.

- 12 Hide not your face from me, *
nor turn away your servant in displeasure.
- 13 You have been my helper;
cast me not away; *
do not forsake me, O God of my salvation.

The Second Lesson from New Testament: 1 Corinthians 1:10-18

Now I appeal to you, brothers and sisters, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that all of you be in agreement and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be united in the same mind and the same purpose. For it has been reported to me by Chloe's people that there are quarrels among you, my brothers and sisters. What I mean is that each of you says, "I belong to Paul," or "I belong to Apollos," or "I belong to Cephas," or "I belong to Christ." Has Christ been divided? Was Paul crucified for you? Or were you baptized in the name of Paul? I thank God that I baptized none of you except Crispus and Gaius, so that no one can say that you were baptized in my name. (I did baptize also the household of Stephanas; beyond that, I do not know whether I baptized anyone else.) For Christ did not send me to baptize but to proclaim the gospel, and not with eloquent wisdom, so that the cross of Christ might not be emptied of its power. For the message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.

Lector will say: The Word of the Lord.

People: ***Thanks be to God.***

Gradual Hymn: #441 *In the cross of Christ I glory* (verses 1-3)

Gospel: **Matthew 4:12-23** *(All stand as are able)*

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People: ***Glory to you, Lord Christ.***

When Jesus heard that John had been arrested, he withdrew to Galilee. He left Nazareth and made his home in Capernaum by the sea, in the territory of Zebulun and Naphtali, so that what had been spoken through the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled:

“Land of Zebulun, land of Naphtali,
on the road by the sea, across the Jordan, Galilee of the
Gentiles—
the people who sat in darkness
have seen a great light,
and for those who sat in the region and shadow of death
light has dawned.”

From that time Jesus began to proclaim, “Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.”

As he walked by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea—for they were fishermen. And he said to them, “Follow me, and I will make you fish for people.” Immediately they left their nets and followed him. As he went from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John, in the boat with their father Zebedee, mending their nets, and he called them. Immediately they left the boat and their father, and followed him.

Jesus went throughout Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom and curing every disease and every sickness among the people.

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.
People: ***Praise to you, Lord Christ***

Sermon

Sr. Amy Linder, OP

Special Music: *Holy Ghost, with Light Divine* by Andrew Reed, arranged by Richard Hillert

***The Nicene Creed** *(All stand as are able)*

***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:

For the peace from above, for the loving-kindness of God, and for the salvation of our souls; Lord, in your mercy, ***Hear our prayer.***

For the peace of the world, for the welfare of the Holy Church of God, and for the unity of all peoples; Lord, in your mercy, ***Hear our prayer.***

For our Bishop Diana, and for all the clergy and people of the Diocese of Oregon; Lord, in your mercy, ***Hear our prayer.***

For all vowed religious – living as monks, nuns, sisters, brothers, and friars – on this celebration of Religious Life Sunday: Lord, in your mercy,
Hear our prayer

For our President, for the leaders of all the nations, and for all those in authority; Lord, in your mercy, ***Hear our prayer.***

For the aged and infirm, for the widowed and orphans, and for all who are suffering greatly, in body, mind or spirit. Grant to each healing, peace and courage; Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

For the poor and the oppressed, for the unemployed and the destitute, for prisoners and captives, and for all who remember and care for them; Lord, in your mercy,

Hear our prayer.

For the members of the armed services at home or abroad and for all first responders of law enforcement and fire and medical service. For all who put their lives at risk even now as we are gathered to pray; Lord, in your mercy,

Hear our prayer.

For all those who are on our hearts and minds today who are in need of prayer, who are lonely or alone. Let us pray for them silently or aloud.....

Lord, in your mercy,

Hear our prayer.

For all who have died in the hope of the resurrection, and for all the dearly departed; Lord, in your mercy,

Hear our prayer.

In the communion of all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life, to Christ our God.

To thee, O Lord our God.

Shine your love and mercy throughout the earth that we may see your glory revealed and lives filled with your holy love and power. ***Amen.***

Prayer of Confession and the Absolution *(All kneel as are able)*

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

A time of silence is kept.

***Most merciful God,
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 neighbors 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.***

Absolution is said in unison

Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. Amen.

The Peace *(all stand)*

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

People: And also with you.

Announcements

Offertory Hymn: #645 *The King of love my shepherd is*

(Ushers come forward and pass the offering plates through the pews to receive the offering. When the music is finished, they walk forward and hand the plates to the Presider who places the offering on the altar.)

Prayer of Thanksgiving (unison)

Almighty God, giver of every good and perfect gift, teach us to render thanks to you for all that we have and all that we are, that we may praise you, not with our lips only, but with our whole lives, turning the duties, the sorrows, and the joys of all our days into a living sacrifice of praise, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

***Recessional Hymn:** #518 *Christ is made the sure foundation*

***Dismissal:**

Presider: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord!

People: **Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Postlude: *Christ is made the sure foundation* arranged by George Towers

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***We are so glad you are with us this morning. Please ask the usher or priest for a visitor information packet if you would like to learn more about Emmanuel Church.***

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Parish Prayer List: Tyler, Lisa G., Janelle, Conner, David B., Dana, Ellen Jones, Jonathan, Ralph, Beth, Judy Ann, Mary K., Janet, Chris, Chris Hewitson, Lucious and Sarah, Michael, Eddie, Lance & His Family, Nick & Megan, Elizabeth R., Jeff Hines, David B., Matt, Ryan, Tina Jones, Tim, Belle, Carol & Ron, Hayden Reeves, Jim, Maylee Brock, Amy Grile, Carol-lee, Sally Johnson, Ron, Tracy W., Susie & Scott Hines, David, Gail Lewis, Kathy, Jack, Dale, Luke, Judy, Terri Davenport, Harper S., Sally, Jamie, Peter, Renee, Kelly Bustany, Carol, Kathleen, Eric Nelson, Liz Allman, Wayne, Betty, Jeff K., Brian & Ingrid Sullivan, Grant, Dedee, Diane, Erin, Rodney, Ruthie, William L., Mason, Bill & Linda Grile, Liza H., Elizabeth R., Daniel, Sharon, Sandy Harper, Travis C., Joydee, Betty Jo, Kelly & Tina Milburn, Loanne, Jet Tolley, Floyd & Family, Bob & the Richardson Family, Ben McMorran

EVENTS next week:

- Coos Food Cupboard M-W-F 12:00pm-2:00pm, Thurs 5:00pm-7:00pm
- Tuesdays, 6:00pm, Contemporary Choir Rehearsals
- Wednesday's, 7:30am, Morning Prayer with Sr. Amy Linder, OP
- Wednesdays, 2:00pm, Emmanuel Choir Rehearsals

****Please note Rev. Sr. Patti Hale will be out of the office Monday, January 12 – Saturday, January 31.**

Server's This Sunday 1/25/26: Ante-Communion

9:00am Lector: Chuck Wall LEM/Intercessor: Al Rumsch

Music Director/Organist: Tom Collins

Audio/Visual: Sr. Amy Linder, OP and Nancy Layne

Ushers: Brian Sullivan, Jay Davidson, Mark Jennings

Presider: Sr. Amy Linder, OP

Coffee Hour: John & Teri Whitty

Counters: Nat Jaeggli, Sally Jaeggli

Altar Guild #4: Janet Huggins, Barbara Tellian, Ingrid Sullivan, Loanne Lark

Nursery Volunteer: Cindy Harper

Server's Next Sunday 2/1/26: Choral Eucharist, Rite II

9:00am Lector: Chuck Wall LEM/Intercessor: Terrye Laird
Music Director/Organist: Tom Collins
Audio/Visual: Sr. Amy Linder, OP and Nancy Layne
Ushers: Brian Sullivan, Jay Davidson, Mark Jennings
Preacher: Rev. Sr. Patti Hale, OPA
Coffee Hour: ANNUAL MEETING AND POTLUCK
Counters: Liz Cowden, Nancylee Stewart
Altar Guild #1: Sue Wall, Dedee Ousley, Diana Wall
Nursery Volunteer: **VOLUNTEER NEEDED**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Parish Annual Meeting and Potluck

February 1, 2026

Please plan to join us on Sunday, February 1, after the 9:00am service for our annual Parish Meeting. We will be having a potluck brunch so please consider bringing an item to share. The sign-up sheet is in the church entryway.

2025 Pledge Statements

Pledge statements for 2025 were mailed out Thursday, January 15. Please let Kerri know if you don't receive yours within the expected timeframe or if there are any corrections that need to be made.

Name Badges

Please wear your name badge to help our new members and visitors feel more comfortable and welcome. If you haven't received a name badge or need a replacement one, please write the name you prefer to be printed on the sign-up sheet in the church entryway, and one will be made for you. Thank you!

Community Meal



Come enjoy a **Free meal with us.**

Community Meal available to all.

“5th Saturday” of January 31, 2026

11:00am – 1:00pm

At Harmony Methodist Church

123 Ocean Blvd SE, Coos Bay

Menu:

A Culinary Creation made from the Heart

Served by Emmanuel Episcopal Church

Also requesting support from 9:00am to 11:00am for preparing the meal and then from 11:00am - 1:30pm for serving and cleaning up.

Any questions?

Please contact Nancy Layne @ 541-435-0054.

Vestry

Nancylee Stewart, *Sr. Warden*.....Al Rumsch, *Jr. Warden*
Jennifer HopeJason Davidson
Beth Bennison.....Kent Sharman
Susan Foreman.....Dave Kronsteiner.....Pam Chaney
Diana Wall, Clerk Bob Huggins, Treasurer

Parish Staff

Kerri Coldren, Administrator
Rodney Eure, Sexton
Tom Collins, Music Director
The Rev. Sr. Patti Hale, OPA, Rector

Parish Office Hours

Mon - Fri. 9:00AM to 5:00 PM**

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Rector's Office Hours

Tues, Wed, Fri 9:00am-Noon

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Useful Websites

Emmanuel Parish: www.episcopalcoosbay.org

The Episcopal Church: www.episcopalchurch.org

The Lectionary Page: www.lectionarypage.net

Forward Movement: www.forwardmovement.org

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