## EASTER SUNDAY 2022



We are risen with Christ from darkness.
In God's glory and light we now see that blessed, triumphant beginning given to you and to me.

~ Bobby E. Stinchcombe





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Rector/Pastor: The Rev. Michael J. Bridge



## The Holy Eucharist

#### **Pre-Service Music**

Lord I Lift Your Name On High

(Verse I)

Lord I lift Your name on high (echo) Lord I lift Your name on high Lord I love to sing Your praises

(echo) Lord I love to sing Your praises

(Verse 2)

I'm so glad You're in my life (echo) I'm so glad You're in my life I'm so glad You came to save us

(echo) I'm so glad You came to save us

(chorus)

You came from heaven to earth

To show the way

From the earth to the cross

My debt to pay

From the cross to the grave

From the grave to the sky

Lord I lift Your name on high

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**Announcements** – beginning at 9:55am; followed by a few minutes of silent reflection, prayer in preparation for worship. **Processional Song**Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

(Verse 1)

Jesus Christ is risen today Alleluia Our triumphant holy day Alleluia Who did once upon the cross Alleluia Suffer to redeem our loss Alleluia

(Verse 2)

Hymns of praise then let us sing Alleluia Unto Christ our heavenly King Alleluia Who endured the cross and grave Alleluia Sinners to redeem and save Alleluia (Verse 3)

But the pains that He endured Alleluia Our salvation have procured Alleluia Now above the sky He's King Alleluia Where the angels ever sing Alleluia

(Verse 4)

Sing we to our God above Alleluia Praise eternal as His love Alleluia Praise Him all ye heavenly host Alleluia Father Son and Holy Ghost Alleluia

## The Word of God

#### **Acclamation**

Celebrant: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

People: The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Gloria in Excelsis

said together

Celebrant: Let us glorify the Lord together.

All:

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us. You are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

#### Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you. And with your spirit. People

Celebrant: Let us pray: Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of the Lord's resurrection, may, by your life-giving Spirit, be delivered from sin and raised from death; through lesus Christ our Lord, who lives and

reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

#### First Reading Acts 10:34-43

A Reading from the book of Acts. Lector:

<sup>34</sup>So Peter opened his mouth and said: "Truly I understand that God shows no partiality, <sup>35</sup> but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. <sup>36</sup> As for the word that he sent to Israel, preaching good news of peace through Jesus Christ (he is Lord of all), <sup>37</sup> you yourselves know what happened throughout all Judea, beginning from Galilee after the baptism that John proclaimed: 38 how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power. He went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. 39 And we are witnesses of all that he did both in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree, 40 but God raised him on the third day and made him to appear, 41 not to all the people but to us who had been chosen by God as witnesses, who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. 42 And he commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one appointed by God to be judge of the living and the dead. 43 To him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

#### Psalm 118:14-17, 22-24 **Psalm**

Lector: We will read from Psalm 118 in unison.

The LORD is my strength and my song, and has become my salvation.

The voice of joy and deliverance is in the dwellings of the righteous; the right hand of the LORD brings mighty things to pass.

The right hand of the LORD is exalted; the right hand of the LORD brings mighty things to pass. 16

I shall not die, but live, and declare the works of the LORD.

The same stone which the builders refused has become the chief cornerstone. 22

This is the LORD's doing, and it is marvelous in our eyes. 23

This is the day that the LORD has made; we will rejoice and be glad in it. 24

## Second Reading Colossians 3:1-4

A Reading from Colossians. Lector:

If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. <sup>2</sup> Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth.

<sup>3</sup> For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. <sup>4</sup>When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

This is the Word of the Lord. Lector:

People: Thanks be to God.

Luke 24:1-12 Gospel

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

Glory to you, Lord Christ. People:

But on the first day of the week, at early dawn, they went to the tomb, taking the spices they had prepared. <sup>2</sup> And they found the stone rolled away from the tomb, <sup>3</sup> but when they went in they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus. 4While they were perplexed about this, behold, two men stood by them in dazzling apparel. <sup>5</sup> And as they

were frightened and bowed their faces to the ground, the men said to them, "Why do you seek the living among the dead? 6 He is not here, but has risen. Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, 7 that the Son of Man must be delivered into the hands of sinful men and be crucified and on the third day rise." 8 And they remembered his words, 9 and returning from the tomb they told all these things to the eleven and to

all the rest. 10 Now it was Mary Magdalene and Joanna and Mary the mother of James and the other women with them who told these things to the apostles, "but these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them. 12 But Peter rose and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; and he went

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Christ. People: The Rev. Michael J. Bridge Sermon

#### The Renewal of Baptismal Vows

Celebrant: Through the Paschal mystery, dear friends, we are buried with Christ by Baptism into his death, and raised with him to new-ness of life. I call upon you, therefore, now that our Lenten observance is ended, to renew the solemn promises and vows of Holy

> serve God faithfully in his one holy catholic and apostolic Church. Do you, here in the presence of God and the Church, renew the solemn promises and

> Baptism, by which we once renounced the devil and all his works, and promised to

yows made at your Baptism and commit yourself to keep them? I do.

Celebrant: Do you renounce the devil and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?

home marveling at what had happened.

People: I renounce them.

People:

Celebrant: Do you renounce the empty promises and deadly deceits of this world that corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?

I renounce them. People:

Celebrant: Do you renounce the sinful desires of the flesh that draw you from the love of God?

People: I renounce them.

Celebrant: Do you turn to Jesus Christ and confess him as your Lord and Savior? People: I do.

Celebrant: Do you joyfully receive the Christian Faith, as revealed in the Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments?

People: I do.

Celebrant: Will you obediently keep God's holy will and commandments, and walk in them all the days of your life?

I will, the Lord being my helper. People:

Celebrant: Let us now reaffirm our faith in the words of the ancient baptismal confession, the Apostles' Creed.

Celebrant: Do you believe and trust in God the Father?

I do. I believe in God the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. People:

Celebrant: Do you believe and trust in lesus Christ? I do. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the People:

Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. Celebrant: Do you believe and trust in the Holy Spirit?

People: I do. 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.

Celebrant: Let us pray. Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the Apostles and Prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone: Grant us so to be joined together in unity of spirit by their doctrine, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end. Amen.

#### Prayers of the People page 110-112 After each bidding, please silently or aloud offer your own prayers.

Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Almighty and everliving God, we are taught by your holy Word to offer prayers and supplications

and to give thanks for all people. We humbly ask you mercifully to receive our prayers. Inspire continually the universal Church with the spirit of truth, unity, and concord; and grant that all who

Silence Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

We pray that you will lead the nations of the world in the way of righteousness; and so guide and direct their leaders, especially Joseph Biden, our President, that your people may enjoy the blessings of freedom and peace. Grant that our leaders may impartially administer justice, uphold integrity

confess your holy Name may agree in the truth of your holy Word, and live in unity and godly love.

and truth, restrain wickedness and vice, and protect true religion and virtue. Silence

Lord, in your mercy

#### Hear our prayer.

Give grace, heavenly Father, to all Bishops, Priests, and Deacons, and especially to your servants Foley, our Archbishop, and Mark, our Bishop, and Michael, our Priest, that by their life and teaching, they may proclaim your true and life-giving Word, and rightly and duly administer your holy Sacraments. And to all your people give your heavenly grace, especially to this Congregation,

that with reverent and obedient hearts we may hear and receive your holy Word, and serve you in holiness and righteousness all the days of our lives.

Lord, in your mercy Hear our prayer.

Silence

Prosper, we pray, all those who proclaim the Gospel of your kingdom throughout the world, and strengthen us to fulfill your great commission, making disciples of all nations, baptizing them and teaching them to obey all that you have commanded, especially the leaders and staff of Campus Outreach and the Mossy Foot Project.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

For our brothers and sisters in Christ who are persecuted for their faith.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

We ask you in your goodness, O Lord, to comfort and sustain all who in this transitory life are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity [especially ].

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

We remember before you all your servants who have departed this life in the certain hope of the resurrection, in thanksgiving let us pray.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Celebrant: Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for the sake of Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

#### Confession and Absolution of Sin page 112-113

LEM:

People:

Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

Silence

Everyone my kneel as able and bray

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, maker and judge of us all: We acknowledge and lament our many sins and offenses, which we have committed by thought, word, and deed against your divine majesty, provoking most justly your righteous anger against us. We are deeply sorry for these our transgressions; the burden of them is more than we can bear. Have mercy upon us, Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; for your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may evermore serve and please you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Celebrant: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all

goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Celebrant: Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him.

God so loved the world, that he gave his only-begotten Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. John 3:16

Peace

Please stand

Celebrant: The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

And with your spirit. People:

Please greet one another in the name of the Lord.

## Offertory

Celebrant: As we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith. Galatians 6:10

#### **Offertory Song**

Shout To The Lord

(Verse I)

My Jesus my Saviour

Lord there is none like You

All of my days I want to praise The wonders of Your mighty love

My comfort my Shelter

Tower of refuge and strength

Let every breath all that I am

Never cease to worship You

(chorus)

Shout to the Lord

All the earth let us sing

Power and majesty Praise to the King

Mountains bow down

And the seas will roar

At the sound of Your name

I sing for joy

At the work of Your hands Forever I'll love You Forever I'll stand Nothing compares to the promise

I have in You (repeat all)

#### Doxology

Please stand as the offering is brought forward

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts.

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

## Offertory Prayer

Celebrant: Yours, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty: for everything in heaven and on earth is yours; yours is the Kingdom, O Lord, and you are exalted as Head above all. All things come from you, O Lord, and of your own have we given you.

## The Sacrament of Holy Communion

Please remain standing, if you are able to do so.

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord. People:

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

People:

It is just and right so to do.

Celebrant: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, but chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal

Lamb, who was offered for us, and has taken away the sin of the world; who by his death has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again has won for us everlasting life. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company

of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

All Sing:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

## **Prayer of Consecration**

Celebrant: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, in your tender mercy, you gave your only Son lesus Christ to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He offered himself and made, once for all time, a perfect and sufficient sacrifice for the sins of the whole world. He instituted this remembrance of his passion and death, which he commanded us to continue until he comes again. So now, Father, we ask you to bless and sanctify, with your Word and Holy Spirit, these gifts of bread and wine that we may partake of his most blessed Body and Blood.

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

After supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the forgiveness of sins: Whenever you drink it, do this in remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith.

#### People:

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

Lord and heavenly Father, with these holy gifts we celebrate the memorial instituted by your beloved Son, remembering his passion and death, his resurrection and ascension, and his promise to come again. Grant that by his merits and death, and through faith in his Blood, we and your whole Church may receive forgiveness of our sins and all other benefits of his passion, making us one body with him that he may dwell in us, and we in him. And here we offer to you, O Lord, ourselves, our souls and bodies, to be a living sacrifice, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

By him and with him and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever. Amen.

#### Lord's Prayer

Prayed together

Celebrant: And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray:

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, for ever and ever. Amen.

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover Lamb has been sacrificed, once for all upon the cross.

People:

Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

#### **Holy Communion**

Celebrant: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of the Lamb. John 1:29, Revelation 19:9

We invite all baptized Christians to join in Holy Communion. The ushers will guide you forward where you may receive Communion. The celebrant will offer you bread then a chalice bearer will offer you wine. Should you prefer not to drink from the cup, you may dip the bread into the chalice. If there is a reason you do not want to take bread or wine, you may remain seated or you are welcome to come to the front, to the left of the Communion service, where a member of our prayer team is available to quietly pray with and for you.

#### The Strife Is O'er Communion Hymn I

(chorus)

The powers of death have done their worst Alleluia alleluia alleluia But Christ their legions hath dispersed Alleluia alleluia alleluia Alleluia alleluia alleluia Let shouts of holy joy outburst Alleluia

(Verse I)

The strife is o'er the battle done The victory of life is won

The song of triumph has begun Alleluia

(Verse 3)

The three sad days are quickly sped Christ rises glorius from the dead

All glory to our risen head Alleluia

#### Communion Hymn I

The Strife Is O'er (continue)

(Verse 4)

He closed the yawning gates of hell

The bars from heaven's high portals fell Let hymns of praise His triumphs tell Alleluia

(chorus)

Alleluia alleluia alleluia Alleluia alleluia alleluia Alleluia alleluia alleluia (Verse 5)

Lord by the stripes that wounded Thee From death's dark sting Thy servants free That we may live and sing to Thee

Alleluia amen

#### **Post-Communion Prayer** Prayed together

Let us pray: Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior lesus Christ; and for assuring us, through this Sacrament, of your favor and goodness towards us: that we are true members of the mystical body of your Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of your everlasting kingdom. And we humbly ask you, heavenly Father, to assist us with your grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all the good works that you have prepared for us to walk in; through lesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

#### **Blessing**

Celebrant: The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. Amen

## **Recessional Hymn**

#### Alleluia Alleluia (Verse 3)

(chorus)

Alleluia alleluia

Give thanks to the Risen Lord

Alleluia alleluia Give praise to His Name

(Verse 1)

lesus is Lord of all the earth

He is the King of creation

(repeat chorus)

(repeat chorus)

(Verse 2) Spread the good news o'er all the earth

lesus has died and has risen

We have been crucified with Christ

Now we shall live forever

(repeat chorus) Charles Wesley | Francis Pott Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina

(Verse 4)

God has proclaimed the just reward Life for all men, alleluia

(repeat chorus)

(Verse 5) Come let us praise the Living God

Joyfully sing to our Saviour (repeat chorus)

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#### Dismissal

Celebrant: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

- To ACTIVATE THE PRAYER CHAIN please contact Ron Davis at 517.617.5015 or e-mail rsdavisgr@gmail.com or any member of the Prayer Chain Ministry. If you would like to be part of New Life's Prayer Chain please contact Ron.
- FR. MIKE'S OFFICE HOURS Tuesdays I 5pm, Wednesdays 2-5pm & Thursdays 9:30am 1pm

#### **OUTREACH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- MANNA: BAKING MIX- DRIVE for more information contact Lacy Bates 231-373-7997
- OUTREACH COMMITTEE MEETING in Ig classroom during coffee hour on the second Sunday of the month.
- FREE CLOTHING CLOSET Open by appointment contact Gretchen Lucky 231-622-2057

#### **WOMEN'S MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

• WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP LUNCH - meeting at noon on the first Thursday of the month Blanz Hall. Bring your own lunch. Don't miss this opportunity for fellowship!!

#### **MEN'S MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- MEN'S BREAKFAST meets each Wednesdays at 8:30am for food and fellowship at J.W. Filmore's.
- MEN'S BIBLE STUDY meets each Wednesdays at 10:30am, bring a bag lunch and join us in Fr. Mike's Office
- MEN'S MINISTRY PROGRAM meeting is Thursday, April 28th at NLAC. Our meetings will include fellowship 5:30 - 6:30p.m., dinner 6:30 - 7:30p.m. and a short teaching 7:30 - 8:00 p.m. Bring your beverage of choice. I hope you will join us.

#### **MEETING & EVENT ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL for children thru the 3rd grade during the service in the annex, upstairs, last room on the right.
- THURSDAY MORNING PRAYER Every Thursday at 8:30 am in Fr Mike's Office. All are welcome

#### THIS WEEK AT NEW LIFE (Unless otherwise indicated, all events are at the church)

Sunday 4/17	9:55 am	Announcements followed by Quiet Reflection
•	10:00am	Easter Sunday Service - The Rev. Michael J. Bridge
Happy Easter ~ No Coffee Hour Today		
Wednesday 4/20	8:30am	Men's Breakfast at J.W. Filmore's
,	10:30am	Men's Bible Study
Thursday 4/21	8:30am	Morning Prayer - in Fr. Mike's Office
Sunday 4/24	9:55 am	Announcements followed by Quiet Reflection
ŕ	10:00am	Sunday Service - The Rev. Michael J. Bridge

## After Service ~ Coffee Hour ~ downstairs in Blanz Hall

#### HOLY WEEK SERVING SCHEDULE

#### TODAY, EASTER APRIL 17:

Altar Karen Dielman Music: Ferd & Wes Lector: Dan Wandrie

Lay Minister: Howard Bates

Usher/Counter: Don L. / Dan W.

Greeter: The Flynns

Coffee Hour: Happy Easter

#### **NEXT SUNDAY, APRIL 24:**

Altar Guild: Karen Dielman

Music: Wes & Ferd

Lector: Karen Dielman

Lay Minister: Erika Dielman

Usher/Counter: Randy F. / Don L.

Greeter: The Bowmans

Coffee Hour: The Wandries

## Easter Lily Tributes

#### George & Carol Bowman

In Memory of Don & Edith Maynard

#### George & Carol Bowman

In Memory of Gert & Scotty Bowman

## Mickey Bridge

In Memory of Chris Cornell

#### The Dielmans

In Celebration of Our Risen Lord and Savior Jesus Christ

## The DuBois Family

In Memory of Dee & Jim Colby

## Robert & April Honeycutt

In Celebration of McKenna Honeycutt

## Robert & April Honeycutt eluia/

In Memory of David Honeycutt, James & Jim Wandrie

## Don & Gretchen Lucky

In Memory of Wayne & Sue Lucky Don & Marge Nelson

## Wally & Betty Stansbury

In Memory of Little Wally II, who's up in heaven

#### Dan & Darlene Wandrie

In Memory of George Ellison, Jr. James Wandrie

#### HOLY WEEK AND EASTER

We began our journey into Holy Week with Jesus entry in to Jerusalem. As we progress on his walk we hear of the last supper and foot washing with the disciples on Maundy Thursday. Good Friday... the goodness of our sins paid with the death of our Lord and Savior. Easter... the rising of the Son! As Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw the stone rolled away and the tomb empty. She runs and cries, "they have taken him and we don't know where he is". The disciples go, see, and believe. Scriptures fulfilled. On the third day



#### Who We Are

We, the Members of New Life Anglican Church, form a welcoming and loving Anglican community. As followers of Jesus Christ, we love and praise God, and love our neighbors as ourselves. We celebrate liturgy and the sacraments, engage in lifelong formation through the Holy Spirit, and proclaim God's reign of justice, mercy and peace.

#### **Our Vision**

We will glorify God by deepening the roots of our Anglican faith, and bringing people to new life in Jesus Christ.

#### **Our Mission**

We will achieve the Great Commission through fulfillment of spiritual needs of our Church and community.

#### Our Motto

Deep Roots, New Life

#### **Our Beliefs**

We believe in the Trinity; Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

We believe that the Bible is the inspired word of God.

We believe that through the sin of Adam in the Garden of Eden, all of mankind has fallen and been corrupted by sin, and that God gave his only Son, Jesus, to die upon the cross for the forgiveness of our sins.

We believe that The Nicene Creed and The Apostles Creed summarize the essentials of the Christian faith.

We believe that God the Holy Spirit dwells within us, and empowers us to a life of transformation and sanctification.

We believe in spiritual gifts.

We believe in the power of prayer.

#### **Our Core Values**

We value God's word.

We value God's creation.

We value holiness and spirit filled living.

We value life from conception to death.

We value generosity, charity and giving in the spirit of Jesus Christ.

We value spiritual growth.

We value the sacrament of Marriage as ordained by God.

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#### If You Are Visiting For The First Time

We welcome you, and we pray you will encounter the Lord in this place.

If you have any special needs, please tell one of our greeters or ushers. One is usually seated at the back of the room during the service.

Bathrooms are at the bottom of the stairs: the ladies' room is to the right; the men's room is down the hallway on the left.

Please join us for coffee and refreshments downstairs.

We invite you to sign our guest book.

If you need additional prayer after services, please ask someone on the prayer team.

If you would like to learn more about New Life, please let us know.

We pray God will bless your day, and we hope to see you here next Sunday.