

Good Shepherd Episcopal Church

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The *fear of the Lord* is
the beginning of *wisdom*

Psalm III:10
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Participating in Today's Service:

Russell Rheault, Maria Gurriere, Kathy Ossene (A/V Team), Karen & Earl Taylor (Greeter), Russell Rheault (Eucharistic Minister), John McLaughlin (Crucifer), Betty Blodgett (Lector), VESTRY & VOLUNTEERS (Counters), Carol Uppgard, Coffee Hour Coordinator

FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

January 28, 2024

Good Shepherd Episcopal Church, Oxford



Welcome to Good Shepherd Episcopal Church. We're glad you are here! All are invited to receive Communion at Christ's Table. The Worship service/Mass is projected on the screen. Our Book of Common Prayer (BCP) contains all prayers & services. Hymns are in the hymnal blue book (H).

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Processional Hymn: #359 (H) *“God of the Prophets”, (v1,2,5)*

Opening Prayers p355 (BCP)

The Gloria

Collect for the Fourth Sunday after Epiphany p215 (BCP)

Almighty and everlasting God, you govern all things both in heaven and on earth: Mercifully hear the supplications of your people, and in our time grant us your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Lessons

Old Testament: **Deuteronomy 18:15-20**

Psalms 111 p669(BCP)

New Testament: **1 Corinthians 8:1-13**

Sequence Hymn: #644 (H) *“How Sweet the Name” (v1-2)*

Gospel: **Mark 1:21-28**

Sequence: #644 (H) (v4)

Sermon: The Reverend Julia Dunbar

The Nicene Creed p358 (BCP)

Prayers of the People Form V p389 (BCP)

(In the Anglican cycle of prayer, we pray for **The Anglican Church of Southern Africa**. In the Diocesan cycle of prayer, we pray for **St. John’s, Athol; Church Without Walls, Springfield; Spouses of deceased clergy; The House of Deputies; Jubilee Ministries.**)

Confession of Sin p360 (BCP)

The Peace p360 (BCP)

ANNOUNCEMENTS (see bottom of next page)

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Sentence

Offertory Hymn: #440 (H) *“Blessed Jesus, At Thy Word”, (v1-3)*

Doxology: #380 (H) *“Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow” (v3)*

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A p361 (BCP)

The Lord’s Prayer p364 (BCP)

The Breaking of the Bread

INVITATION TO ALL TO RECEIVE COMMUNION

Distribution of Communion

Communion Hymn: #686 (H) *“Come, Thou Fount”, (v1-3)*

Post Communion Prayer p365 (BCP)

Recessional Hymn: #376 (H) *“Joyful, Joyful”, (v1-3)*

Happy Birthday!!



Jan 31- Adam Carrier, Feb 2- Glynne Levesque

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- *Annual Meeting & Potluck: February 11th, following the Mass/Worship service. Sign-up sheet in back of church.*
- *Tithing envelopes will be here in time for the Annual Meeting.*