

Saint John the Evangelist Episcopal Church

February 17, 2019
Sixth Sunday after Epiphany

Holy Eucharist 10:00 a.m.
Rite II, Prayer B



*Hearing-assistive devices and large print bibles
are available from the ushers at the back of the church.*

The Word of God

Voluntary *Adagio, BWV 564* Johann Sebastian Bach

Hymn #427 When morning gilds the skies *Laudes Domini*

Opening Acclamation and Response

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever.**
Amen.

Collect for Purity *Book of Common Prayer, p. 355*

Song of Praise *Hymnal S280*

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, the strength of all who put their trust in you:
Mercifully accept our prayers; and because in our weakness
we can do nothing good without you, give us the help of your
grace, that in keeping your commandments we may please
you both in will and deed; through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God,
for ever and ever.

People **Amen.**

First Reading Jeremiah 17:5-10 *Pew Bible, p. 705*

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

*The congregation is invited to join the choir in the following Anglican
chant as indicated in bold.*

Psalm 1



1 Happy are they who have not walked in the | counsel of the | wicked, *
nor lingered in the way of sinners,
nor | sat in the | seats of the | scornful!

2 Their delight is in the | law of the | Lord, *
and they meditate on his | law | day and night.

3 They are like trees planted by streams of water,
bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that | do not | wither; *
| ---- | everything they | do shall | prosper.

4 It is not | so with the | wicked; *
they are like | chaff which the | wind blows a | -way.

5 Therefore the wicked shall not stand upright when | judgment |
comes, nor the sinner in the | council | of the | righteous.

6 For the Lord knows the | way of the | righteous, *
but the | way of the | wicked is | doomed.

Second Reading 1 Corinthians 15:12-20 *Pew Bible p. 1050-1051*

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Sequence Hymn #458 My song is love unknown (vs. 1,4,5,7)
Love Unknown

Gospeller

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

People

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Gospel

Luke 6:17-26

Pew Bible, p. 941

Gospeller

The Gospel of the Lord.

People

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon

The Rev. Craig Lemming, *Associate Rector*

Nicene Creed

Book of Common Prayer p. 358

Prayers of the People

standing or kneeling, as is your custom

Reader

We pray to you, O God,

All

Fill us with your light.

Reader

Gracious God

All

**By your love you have called us to proclaim with joy the
good news of your Son: So build us up in the knowledge and
love of Him, that we may welcome all people into this
community of faith, and show forth our service to you in our
service to others; through Jesus Christ Our Lord. Amen.**

— *The Collect for St. John's*

Confession and Absolution

standing or kneeling, as is your custom

Celebrant

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

All

**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.**

Celebrant

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

People

Amen.

The Peace

Celebrant

The peace of Christ be always with you.

People

And also with you.

