

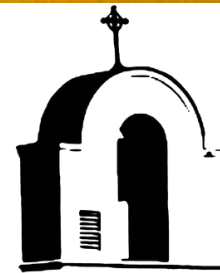


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**ST. MARY'S**  
**EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

**ASCENSION SUNDAY**

*May 17, 2026*

**HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II 5:00 P.M. & 10:30 A.M.**

†Please stand as you are able.

<b>Prelude</b>	<i>I. Vivace II. Largo III. Allegro from Sonata in F by Georg Philipp Telemann</i>		
	<b>Amy Clark, flute</b>		
		<b>Prayer Book (BCP)</b>	<b>Hymnal</b>
†ProceSSIONAL Hymn	<i>Hail Thee, Festival Day!</i>		<b>216</b>
<b>Opening Sentences</b>		<b>355</b>	
<b>Benedictus es, Domine</b>			<b>S-236</b>
<b>Collect and Scripture Readings</b>	(See insert)		
†Gradual Hymn	<i>Hail the Day that Sees Him Rise</i>		<b>214</b>
†The Gospel (Opening Response: <i>Glory to You, Lord Christ.</i> Closing Response: <i>Praise to You, Lord Christ.</i> )			
<b>The Sermon</b>			
†Nicene Creed		<b>358</b>	
<b>Prayers of the People Form III</b>		<b>387</b>	
†The Peace		<b>360</b>	
<b>Announcements</b>			
<b>Offertory Anthem</b>	<i>Worthy Is the Lamb from The Messiah by G. F. Handel</i> <i>(St. Mary's Choir)</i>		
†Doxology "Praise God..."			
<b>Holy Communion Eucharistic Prayer A</b>		<b>361</b>	
<b>Sanctus</b>			<b>S-128</b>
<b>The Lord's Prayer (Sung)</b>			
<b>Communion Music</b>	<i>Prayer by Amanda Harberg</i> <i>All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!</i>		<b>450</b>
<b>Post Communion Prayer</b>		<b>365</b>	
<b>Blessing</b>			
†Recessional Hymn	<i>See the Conqueror Mounts in Triumph</i>		<b>215</b>
<b>Dismissal</b>			
<b>Postlude</b>	<i>Jubilate Domino by Deitrich Buxtehude</i>		

*The red book with the cross is the Book of Common Prayer (BCP or Prayer Book).*

*The blue book is the Hymnal 1982 which contains the music.*

*The S-numbers (Service Music - Gloria, Sanctus) are at the beginning of the hymnal.*

**We invite all baptized Christians, of all denominations, to receive Communion.**

**T** *To use our hearing loop, activate the telecoil on your hearing aid/cochlear implant. Adjust the volume as needed.*

**WEEKLY SERVICE SCHEDULE**

**Saturday 5:00 p.m.** *Rite II Eucharist, No Music*

**Sunday 7:30 a.m.** *Rite I Eucharist, No Music*

**\*Sunday 9:00 a.m.** *Contemporary Family Worship with Praise Band*

**\*Sunday 10:30 a.m.** *Traditional Rite II Eucharist with Music*

**\*A Nursery for Infants - Age 3 is available from 8:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.**

**Wednesday 9:30 a.m.** *Morning Prayer & Anglican Rosary*

**Thursday 10:00 a.m.** *Rite II Eucharist, No Music*

**Thursday 12:10 p.m.** *Healing Service and Eucharist*

**HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE I 7:30 A.M.**

This "Rite I" service uses traditional language that highlights our rich Anglican heritage.

	<i>Prayer Book</i>
<b>The Word of God</b>	<b>323</b>
<b>Collect and Scripture Readings (See insert)</b>	
<b>The Sermon</b>	
<b>Prayers of the People</b>	<b>328</b>
<b>Eucharistic Prayer II</b>	<b>340</b>
<b>Post Communion Prayer</b>	<b>339</b>
<b>The Blessing &amp; Dismissal</b>	

Reminder: Next Sunday is a United at 10 AM service in the Pittenger Center/Ross Hall.

The 10:30 AM Traditional service is suspended for this week.

The 5PM and 7:30AM services remain unchanged.