ST. AMBROSE EPISCOPAL CHURCH TWENTY FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JAZZ MASS NOVEMBER 15, 2015 9:15 A.M.



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THE WORD OF GOD

PRELUDE The JMQ

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

410 Praise, my soul, the King of heaven

LAUDA ANIMA

ACCLAMATION

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

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

THE GLORIA L-243

Haywood

Repeat 2x: Glory, Glory Hallelujah, Lord we praise your Holy Name.

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,

Repeat 2x: Glory, Glory Hallelujah, Lord we praise your Holy Name.

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.

Repeat 2x: Glory, Glory Hallelujah, Lord we praise your Holy Name.

THE SALUTATION

Celebrant God be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: Grant us so to hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

THE LESSON

1 Samuel 1:4-20

Reader The Word of the Lord. **People Thanks be to God**

ANTHEM

God of Great and God of Small

Sleeth

God of great and God of small, God of one and God of all, God of weak and God of strong, God to whom all things belong, Alleluia, Alleluia, Praised be Thy Name.

God of land and sky and sea, God of life and destiny, God of never-ending pow'r, Yet beside me ev'ry hour, Alleluia, Alleluia, Praised be Thy Name.

God of silence, God of sound, God in whom the lost are found, God of day and darkest night, God whose love turns wrong to right, God of heav'n and God of earth, God of death and God of birth, God of now and days before, God who reigns forevermore, Alleluia, Alleluia, Praised be Thy Name, Praised be Thy Name.

THE COVENANT CHOIR

THE RESPONSE 1 SAMUEL 2:1-10

Hannah prayed and said,

"My heart exults in the LORD;

my strength is exalted in my God.

"There is no Holy One like the LORD,

no one besides you;

there is no Rock like our God.

Talk no more so very proudly,

let not arrogance come from your mouth;

for the LORD is a God of knowledge,

and by him actions are weighed.

The bows of the mighty are broken, but the feeble gird on strength.

Those who were full have hired themselves out for bread, but those who were hungry are fat with spoil.

The barren has borne seven,

but she who has many children is forlorn.

The LORD kills and brings to life;

he brings down to Sheol and raises up.

The LORD makes poor and makes rich;

he brings low, he also exalts.

He raises up the poor from the dust;

he lifts the needy from the ash heap,

to make them sit with princes

and inherit a seat of honor.

For the pillars of the earth are the LORD's,

and on them he has set the world.

"He will guard the feet of his faithful ones,

but the wicked shall be cut off in darkness;

for not by might does one prevail.

The LORD! His adversaries shall be shattered;

the Most High will thunder in heaven.

The LORD will judge the ends of the earth;

he will give strength to his king, and exalt the power of his anointed."

SEQUENCE HYMN Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord, God Almighty

NICAEA

Minister The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

THE GOSPEL Mark 13:1-8

Minister The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON

The Reverend Jemonde Taylor

Silence follows for reflection and meditation.

THE NICENE CREED (All)

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

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;

That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;

That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest.

Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy; May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

Please add your prayers and thanksgivings either silently or aloud.

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

CONFESSION OF SIN

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor. 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.

THE ABSOLUTION

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of Christ be always with you.

People And also with you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HOLY COMMUNION

OFFERTORY

Wade in the Water

THE DANCE MINISTRY

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer 2 from Enriching our Worship

All young people are invited to come and stand around the altar.

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give our thanks and praise.

We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant.

[The Eucharistic Prayer continues]

And so this day we join with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we sing

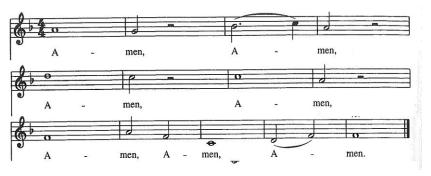
Holy, Holy, God of power and might.
Holy, Holy, God of power and might.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.

[The Eucharistic Prayer continues]

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever.

THE GREAT AMEN

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THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father which 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Celebrant We break this bread to share in the Body of Christ.

People We who are many are one body, for we all share in the one

bread.

Lamb of God (Repeat Singing Three Times)

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, Have mercy!

COMMUNION MUSIC

L-52 God has smiled on me

SMILED ON ME

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

RECESSIONAL HYMN L-130 Glory, Glory, Hallelujah GLORY

GLORY, GLORY

PRAYER

DISMISSAL Response Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE The JMQ

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FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR to the glory of God given by the Flower Ministry.

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE FOR FULLER ELEMENTARY-

Donate non-perishables to Fuller's food pantry until November 22 in the narthex. Contact Michaela Anderson with One Church, One School Ministry (OCOS) at the church for information.

NEW TESTAMENT COURSE – Starting January 19, St. Augustine's will offer REL 234: New Testament Survey. Eager for a deeper understanding of the New Testament please see Mother Nita.

<u>CHURCH DIRECTORIES</u> – 2016 Church Directories are available in the church office. Please review and complete an information form found in the back of the church with corrections and/or additions by December 13. An addendum will available December 20.

<u>WELCOME CARDS</u> – We invite Worshiping Guests to fill out the Welcome Card in the pew. All may use them for prayer requests and/or comments. Thanks to the Stewardship Ministry for these cards. Place in the offering plate.

COVENANT CHOIR looks forward to welcoming all those in 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th Grades. So much music, so many opportunities, so much FUN! Join us on Monday, 5:45-6:40 pm in the Music Room.

<u>TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY</u> – Please join the Bible Study group, with Christ Church, led by The Rev. Meg Buerkel Hunn every Tuesday morning, at St. Ambrose, from 9:30-11:00am.

"BEHOLD THAT STAR!" AUDITIONS - High School Youth and Adult auditions for readings and roles in our Christmas Pageant will be on Wednesday, November 18th from 6:30-7:30 pm and Sunday, November 21st from 12:30-1:30 pm in the Sanctuary. Plan to come to one or the other. Rehearsals will be kept to a minimum. The Pageant: December 20th at 4:00 pm. St. Ambrose is talent in abundance! See you at auditions!

<u>CHERUB CHOIR</u> looks forward to welcoming all those in Kindergarten and 1st Grade as we explore the gift of Music. Wednesday, 5:30-6:10 pm in the Music Room. It's a Great Day to "SING FOR JOY!"

<u>2016 MINISTRY BUDGET REQUEST</u> – Ministries get your budget requests in! Please email them to the church office, kmorgan@stambroseraleigh.org

<u>CHOIR REHEARSALS</u> are open to those in High School and all Adults. Rehearsal options include our traditional Thursdays, 6:30PM in the Music Room, and <u>WEDNESDAY SINGERS</u>, rehearsing on Wednesdays at 1:00 pm, by "popular demand". The St. Ambrose Choir welcomes all congregants to either rehearsal

FAITH FORMATION WEDNESDAY, 6PM- <u>Dreams: God's Forgotten Language</u> book by Fr. John A. Sanford

HIGHLIGHTS AT SAINT AMBROSE

December 3 – Advent Evening of Jazz

December 4-6-Bee Empowered Weekend

December 4, 5PM-Church Leaders Pledge Meeting

December 4, 6:30PM-8:30PM-Young Family Session

December 5, 12noon-2PM-Seniors Session

December 5, 6PM-8PM-"The Rest of Us" Session

December 6, Sunday-Pledge Card Blessing during worship with Peter Saros as preacher

December 20 - Behold That Star! Christmas Pageant

LIFE AT ST. AMBROSE

Sunday, November 15 8:00am Contemplative Mass 9:15am Jazz Mass 11:15am Choral Mass 1:00pm Vestry Meeting

MONDAY, November 16 12:15pm Midday Bible Study

5:45pm COVENANT CHOIR Rehearsal [2nd-5th gr]

TUESDAY, November 17 Morning Bible Study

9:30am Narcotics Anonymous 6:30pm

WEDNESDAY, November 18 12:15pm Midweek Eucharist

1:00pm WEDNESDAY SINGERS Rehearsal [Adults]

5:30pm CHERUB CHOIR Rehearsal [K-1st grade]

6:00pm Faith Formation 6:30pm "Behold that Star!"

Auditions

Thursday, November 19

6:30pm St. Ambrose Choir Rehearsal

Friday, November 20

Saturday, November 21

9:00am Flower Ministry

9:00am Choir Sectional Rehearsals 9:30am Dance Ministry Rehearsal

2:00pm Chess Team

8:00pm Alcoholics Anonymous

Sunday, November 22

8:00am Contemplative Mass 9:15am Jazz Mass 11:15am Choral Mass 12:30pm "Behold that Star!"

Auditions

November 15

Lectors & Intercessors

8:00 Donna Haywood Orrin Haywood Jada Bing

9:15 Hortense Francis Patrice Hardy

11:15 Pat Johnson Lori Wiggins Ronald Johnson

LEMs

8:00 Odell Watson 9:15 Phyllis Hilliard 11:15 Joe Springer

Ushers

9:15 Joseph Winters Carolyn Winters Percy Merritt 11:15 Karen Stroud

Larry Stroud

Acolytes

9:15 Server Elizabeth Hardy Crucifer Maurice Clarke Torches 11:15

Server Jordan Peterson Crucifer Kristina Peterson Torches

November 22 **Lectors & Intercessors**

8:00 Donna Haywood Orrin Haywood Jada Bing

9:15 Peter Henderson Bobby Moody 11:15 James Revis Adrienne Chalmers

Fav Bowen

LEMs

8:00 Hilda Ragland 9:15 Emily Cadogan

11:15 Jackie Reid

Ushers

9:15 Betty Hudson Kathy Hudson Phyllis Hilliard 11:15 Levi Bowen

Ron Reid

Acolytes 9:15

Server Scott Hardy Crucifer Elizabeth Hardy Torches

11:15 Server Jordan Peterson Crucifer Jade Peterson **Torches**

PRAYER LIST For Those Who are Sick Marie H. Adams Ioan Barrax Levi Bowen Mamie Brewington Gary Bryson Anna Burnside Betty Camp Patricia Caple Alois Chalmers Gwen Chunn Lauren Creech Stephanie Cross Lemuel Delany George W. Flemming Antoinette Foxwell Maggie Gill Nathaniel Harris Rose R. Haves Esther Haves Marielle Haywood-Posey Norma Haywood Marshall Harvey Steven Hawkins Eddie Jacobs Harold Johnson Amos Link Gladys Lundy Oscar Mayers Stan McElveen Maggie Melvin Gloria Mooney Brodie Patterson Enid Patterson Elaine Perry Katie Probst Aura Radlin Carolyn Roberts Charlsie Royster Sylvia Solomon Glenda Springer Mary Thomas Doris Young Antoinette Venable Richmond Wall, Jr. Crystal Walton Harold Webb Lucille Webb Margaret Whitaker Tim Whitaker Naomi Williams For Those Who Grieve The Anders Family The Abron Family The Bowen Family Kathleen and Jake Breland Dr. Pat Caple The Cloud Family Dr. Deidre Crumbley The Faheem Family

The Handy Family

Jessie Harris

The Haywood Family

Lythel Hickerson Family

The Hilliard Family

The Horton Family

Elbert Laws

The Mallette Family

The McKnight and Dunn Families

The Moody Family Lou Padro and Family

James Revis

The Sams Family

Charles Seberry Family Joe and Glenda Springer The Taylor Family

The Watson Family The Winters Family

Mable Wright

For Those in Need of Special Prayer

Jake and Kathy Breland

The Ellison Family Keenan Henderson

The Hudson Family

The Lee Family

Glen & Francesca Kamery Anthony Perry

Joe and Chelsea Price

Percy and Linda Taylor

Donna Wright

President Barack Obama The Unemployed

The Armed Forces

The people of Haiti

For Those Who Have Died

Lillian B. Abron

Purdie Anders

Thelma Anders

The Rev. Joseph H. Banks

Harold N. Breland I. Dave Breland

John Brown

Bobby Cannady

The Rev. Wilson Carter

Sylvellie Cloud

Kenneth Echols

Karen Dunn

Doreatha Handy

David L. Haywood, Sr.

Hubert Eugene Hayes, III

Lythel Hickerson

Charles Higgs

Arthur Johnson Mae Johnson

Melissa Legister

David Mallette, Sr.

Mary Mallette Pamela Mangum

Shirley B. Page

Almetta Revis

Robert Wendell Sams

Charles Seberry

Mable Winters

Mercedes Winters Burgess

Avisse Young

For Those Who are in Rest Homes/

Assisted Living

Dorothea Chavis

Elaine Perry

Doris Young

CHURCH STAFF

Jesus Christ, Head of the Church All Baptized Members, Ministers of the Church

The Most Rev. Michael Curry, Presiding Bishop

The Rt. Rev. Anne Hodges-Copple, Bishop Pro Tem of North Carolina

The Rev. Jemonde Taylor, Rector The Rev. Nita Byrd, Assisting Clergy

Mrs. Ruth W. Hoffman - Minister of Music/Organist

Mr. Bobby Moody, Director - Jazz Mass Quartet

Ms. Krysta Morgan, Parish Administrator

THE VESTRY				
<u>Class of 2015</u>	<u>Class of 2016</u>	Class of 2017		
Peter Henderson	Jada Bing	Harold Mallette		
Deidra Hudson	Carl Harper	Phyllis Pickett		
George Jones	Jackie Reid	Allison Williams		
Bobby Moody	Larry Stroud	Ashley Winters		

LEADERS IN LAV MINISTRY

LEADERS IN LAY MINISTRY				
Senior Warden	Jackie Reid			
Junior Warden	Carl Harper			
Clerk of the Vestry	Brandi Delany			
Treasurer	Phyllis Gray			
Financial Secretary	Jada Bing			
Christian Education				
Adult Church School				
Youth Church School	Patrice Hardy			
Vacation Church School	Jackie Reid			
	Norman C. Camp III			
Communications & Technology Committee	Allison Williams			
	Carl Harper			
Altar Guild Directress	Lillian B. Currin			
Flower Ministry	Brandi Delany			
Head Ushers	Phyllis Hilliard & Joe Winters			
Acolyte Wardens	Vanessa French-Harris, Fay Bowen & Paul Flanagan			
Lay Eucharistic Ministry	Gloria Merritt			
Hospitality Committee	Mellisa Smith & Tamika Henderson			
Absalom Jones Prayer Guild	Enid D. Patterson			
Outreach Committee				
Care Givers Guild	Angela B. Cloud			
Episcopal Church Women	Benita Merritt & Emily Cadogan			
Episcopal Laymen	Orrin Haywood			
Episcopal Young Church People	Tiffany & Paul Flanagan			
Young Adult Ministry	Adonya Hood			

November Birthdays! Patricia Johnson 1, Sydney Roberts 3, Lauren Creech 4, Michael Gordon, 7, Cameron Hudson 11, Carolyn Winters 11, Eddie Jacobs 11, Rosalind Lane 13, Ron Johnson 14, Lori Wiggins 15, Jimmy Wiggins 17, Dorothy Johnson 22, Bobby Moody 28, Joan Barrax 28, Julius Mallette 28, Elizabeth Sintim 28, Tamani Powell 28, Mellisa Smith 28, Monica Cloud 30, Larry Stroud Sr. 30

November 22 Lessons

2 Samuel 23:1-7, Psalm 132:1-13, (14-19), Revelation 1:4b-8, John 18:33-37