

St. James' Episcopal Church

A Celebration of the Holy Eucharist for Thanksgiving Day

Welcome

Opening Hymn 433 We gather together

Presider Blessed be God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

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

The Presider prays the Collect for Purity, and the People respond, 'Amen.'

Presider The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Presider Let us pray.

The Presider prays the Collect of the Day, and the People respond, 'Amen.'

First Reading Deuteronomy 8: 7-18

After the Reading:

Lector Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People Thanks be to God.

The Psalter Psalm 65 (BCP, p. 672)

Second Reading II Corinthians 9: 6-15

After the Reading:

Lector Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People Thanks be to God.

Sequence Hymn 290 Come, ye thankful people

The Holy Gospel

Luke 17:11-19

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

After the Gospel is proclaimed:

Presider The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Homily

The Litany of Thanksgiving

The Presider leads the People in the Litany. After each petition:

Presider Gracious God,
People We thank you.

The Peace

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer B

Presider The Lord be with you.
People And also with you.
Presider Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The Presider continues until the Sanctus.

All Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might.

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

After recalling Christ's Last Supper, the Presider and People pray:

Presider Therefore, according to his command, O Father:

People We remember his death. We proclaim his resurrection. We await his coming in glory.

The Presider continues, and the prayer is concluded with a loud, AMEN!

The Lord's Prayer

The Presider breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.

Presider Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

Presider Let us pray.

All 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 forever in the risen

life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

The Presider gives the final blessing.

Closing Hymn 397 Now thank we all our God

The Dismissal is given, and the People respond, 'Thanks be to God.'