



Welcome to Grace Episcopal “Internet” Church

In Epiphany season we celebrate those events in Jesus’ ministry which revealed him to be the Son of God. Note that Jesus Peter’s Mother-in-law “by the hand.” No respected religious leader would do so in Mark’s day, especially not on the Sabbath. Was she so seriously ill that Jesus could not wait a few hours to heal her until the Sabbath ended, thus avoiding controversy as to whether this healing could be done on the Sabbath?

In the reading from Isaiah, God speaks to the people of Israel through the prophet. “Heavens” and “tent” – the vault of heaven – are reminders of the ancient world view: there God lives in the highest of the heavens, all of them above the stars. Dynasties come and go, at God’s behest. God is “the Holy One”; God created the stars effortlessly – by simply naming them.

In the letter to the Corinthians Paul hopes to encourage the Christian community to follow his example. Proclaiming (boasting) the gospel is an obligation placed on him, so he has no grounds for bragging about his performance. He does not proclaim the good news of his own will, but rather as one commissioned to do so by God. In our Baptismal Covenant we also promise to “proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ.” We will with God’s help.

As the Fiskes leave Grace Episcopal Church let us rejoice with them in fellowship with Christ, who comes to us in Word and Sacrament. Jesus, then, is not only the prophet like Isaiah, who brings God’s Word; he is the word made flesh come among us in the Body and Blood.

Next week Stewards of the Service February 14

	Old Testament Lector
	New Testament Lector/Intercessions



Scripture Forecast for 6 Epiphany

- 2 Kings 2:1-12
- 2 Corinthians 4:3-6
- Mark 9:2-9
- Psalm 50:1-6

Those in need of prayer this week are Bruce, Dennis, Bert, Tony, Debbie, Wally

Long term care and prayers: Bruce, Dennis, Bert, Tony, *Eddie, Gabrielle, Jamie, Nick, Barbara, Jeff, Toby, Bambi, Nancy, Patty, Fran.*

Come and join us on Facebook for morning prayer at noon on Wednesday followed by Bible Study at 1pm.

Holy Eucharist is celebrated on Sunday (ZOOM) at 10:30am with drive up communion after service. Individual Communion after.

Next Food Box day is Saturday, February 13 from 11:30-1pm. From them on Food Box Distribution Days will be on the 2nd and last SATURDAY of each month. Contact Marcia at 435-275-7818 if you can help or donate.

Oops at Annual meeting January 10, 2021 Grace did not elect candidates to Diocesan Convention in April. There are Two Delegate seats and two Alternate seats open. The Office will receive nominations up to Feb 21 for Special congregational meeting and election Feb 28, 2021 @ 11:30.