



## **What does it mean to be an “Episcopalian”?**

Grace Church is a congregation of the Episcopal Church. The Episcopal Church has around 2 million members in the United States and additional members in 165 nations on all 7 continents.

We are part of the worldwide Anglican Communion. Anglicanism seeks to be a middle way between the Roman Catholic Church and Protestantism. We draw from the rich traditions of worship, theology, and spirituality across the whole history of Christianity and adapt those traditions to the local contexts in which we live. We embrace reason as well as faith; we welcome questions, doubts, and dialogue as we try to become more faithful disciples of Jesus Christ.

The word “Episcopal” refers to the way our church is organized. We are divided geographically into dioceses led by bishops, who are elected by diocesan conventions. Grace Church is a parish of the Diocese of Milwaukee.