



THE HOLY EUCHARIST

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The Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

AUGUST 22, 2021

OUR IN-PERSON PROCEDURES HAVE CHANGED.

YOU NO LONGER NEED A RESERVATION TO COME TO WORSHIP.

MASKS

Masks are welcome, and we strongly encourage you to wear a mask indoors. Masks are required for those who are not fully vaccinated.

PLEASE DO NOT ATTEND IN PERSON IF:

- You are not feeling well.
- You have been exposed to someone with COVID-19 in the last two weeks.

MODIFICATIONS TO OUR SERVICE:

- Please pass the peace while remaining socially distanced.
- At communion we will distribute the bread. While cases are elevated in our community, we will not receive from the chalice. Our tradition teaches us that receiving in one kind either the bread or the wine conveys the full benefit of the sacrament.

The Word of God

PRELUDE Froehlich soll mein Herzen Springen

Ernst Pepping

ENTRANCE RITE

HYMN 304 I come with joy to meet my Lord

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant Blessed be the one, holy and living God.

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

COLLECT FOR PURITY

Celebrant Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known,

and from you no secrets are hid:

Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord.

People Amen.

SONG OF PRAISE Gloria in excelsis deo

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- I Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.
- 2 Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.
- 3 Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God,
- 4 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.
- 5 For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
- 6 you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Grant, O merciful God, that your Church,

being gathered together in unity by your Holy Spirit,

may show forth your power among all peoples,

 $to the glory of your \, Name; \\$

through Jesus Christ our Lord,

who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,

one God, for ever and ever.

People Amen.

24: I-2A, I4-I8

Lector Joshua gathered all the tribes of Israel to Shechem, and summoned the elders, the heads, the judges, and the officers of Israel; and they presented themselves before God. And Joshua said to all the people, "Thus says the Lord, the God of Israel:

"Now therefore revere the Lord, and serve him in sincerity and in faithfulness; put away the gods that your ancestors served beyond the River and in Egypt, and serve the Lord. Now if you are unwilling to serve the Lord, choose this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your ancestors served in the region beyond the River or the gods of the Amorites in whose land you are living; but as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord."

Then the people answered, "Far be it from us that we should forsake the Lord to serve other gods; for it is the Lord our God who brought us and our ancestors up from the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, and who did those great signs in our sight. He protected us along all the way that we went, and among all the peoples through whom we passed; and the Lord drove out before us all the peoples, the Amorites who lived in the land. Therefore we also will serve the Lord, for he is our God." NRSV The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

PSALM 34: 15-22 Benedicam Dominum

Choir The eyes of the Lord are upon the righteous,* and his ears are open to their cry. The face of the Lord is against those who do evil, * to root out the remembrance of them from the earth.

> The righteous cry, and the Lord hears them * and delivers them from all their troubles. The Lord is near to the brokenhearted * and will save those whose spirits are crushed.

> Many are the troubles of the righteous, * but the Lord will deliver him out of them all. He will keep safe all his bones; * not one of them shall be broken.

Evil shall slay the wicked, * and those who hate the righteous will be punished. The Lord ransoms the life of his servants, * and none will be punished who trust in him.

Today's Reading

Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18 Joshua, the Hebrew warrior-prophet, leads his people in their conquest of Canaan, following the Exodus and Sinai wilderness events.

Ephesians 6:10-20 Pauluses the image of the soldier's armor to encourage the Ephesian Christians in their battle with the forces of evil.

John 6:56-69 Jesus encountered opposition to his teaching during his earthly ministry.

-Bennett, Bill Short Introductions to the Bible Readings for the Revised Common Lectionary.

Lector Be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his power. Put on the whole armor of God, so that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. For our struggle is not against enemies of blood and flesh, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers of this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. Therefore take up the whole armor of God, so that you may be able to withstand on that evil day, and having done everything, to stand firm. Stand therefore, and fasten the belt of truth around your waist, and put on the breastplate of righteousness. As shoes for your feet put on whatever will make you ready to proclaim the gospel of peace. With all of these, take the shield of faith, with which you will be able to quench all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.

Pray in the Spirit at all times in every prayer and supplication. To that end keep alert and always persevere in supplication for all the saints. Pray also for me, so that when I speak, a message may be given to me to make known with boldness the mystery of the gospel, for which I am an ambassador in chains. Pray that I may declare it boldly, as I must speak.

NRSV

The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



Cantor Your words, Lord, are Spirit and Life; you have the words of everlasting life.

THE GOSPEL John 6:56-69

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Gospeller Jesus said, "Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so who ever eats me will live because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live forever." He said these things while he was teaching in the synagogue at Capernaum.

When many of his disciples heard it, they said, "This teaching is difficult; who can accept it?" But Jesus, being aware that his disciples were complaining about it, said to them, "Does this offend you? Then what if you were to see the Son of Man ascending to where he was before? It is the spirit that gives life; the flesh is useless. The words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life. But among you there are some who do not believe." For Jesus knew from the first who were the ones that did not believe, and who was the one that would betray him. And he said, "For this reason I have told you that no one can come to me unless it is granted by the Father."

Because of this many of his disciples turned back and no longer went about with him. So Jesus asked the twelve, "Do you also wish to go away?" Simon Peter answered him, "Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and know that you are the Holy One of God."

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

¶ Children ages 3 years – 5th grade may exit the service now to participate in Children's Chapel on The Common.

We pray for those...

In need of comfort

Peggy Luna Emily Anne Jarvis Fred & Paula Lively

Ed Poole J-Lynn David Barrow Mateo

Mateo Andy

Diana Stockebrand

Elizabeth
Peter Quoiyeser
John
Ava Paul
Gennie

Barbara Eckert Meredith Skogman

Jim Prentice
June Rector
Peter Fuller
Ernie Dean
Pat Jones
Ann Whiting
Sam Perry
Mollie Shands
Tom

Julie Harrington Coleman Horton

Anne

Harriet Rutland

Michael Taylor

Cromwell family Duncan family McAden family Troop family Celebrant Let us stand and profess our faith.

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 AND CONFESSION

The Anglican Church of Canada (Adapted)

Celebrant: Blessed are you, eternal God.

People: To be praised and glorified for ever.

Celebrant: Hear us as we pray for the church, the nation and the world.

People Lord, hear and have mercy.

Leader For the Church of the living God throughout the world, and the congregations of our

diocese, let us ask the riches of God's grace.

People Lord, hear and have mercy.

Leader For Andy, Jeff, Kai and Hector, our Bishops; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; and all who

proclaim the word of truth; let us ask the infinite wisdom of Christ.

People Lord, hear and have mercy.

Leader For all who have consecrated their lives to the kingdom of God, and for all struggling to

follow the way of Christ, let us ask the gifts of the Spirit.

People Lord, hear and have mercy.

Leader For our nation, for her integrity and wisdom, her harmony and justice,

let us ask the inspiration of Christ.

People Lord, hear and have mercy.

People Lord, hear and have mercy.

Leader For all who have passed from this life in faith and obedience, let us ask the peace of Christ.

People Lord, hear and have mercy.

Leader For having injured or offended others, let us ask the forgiveness of Christ.

People Lord, hear and have mercy.

Leader For our waste and pollution of creation, let us ask the healing of Christ

People Lord, hear and have mercy.

Leader For grace to amend our lives and to further the reign of God.

People Lord, hear and have mercy.

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy on you,

+ forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness,

and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

People Amen.

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

Expecting the birth of a child

Sara Oswalt

Jacquelyn Greenwood Hill

Allie Wills

Meredith Spears

Katherine Jones Atkinson

Abby Burke Henderson

Margaret Jones

CoCo Robertson

Haley Hill

Rebecca Bauer

Addy Armstrong Riley

McCall Cunningham Adams

Courtney Hill Utt Margaret Long

Caitlin Bauer

Lee Lee Paschal

Births

Thomas Robert Tiemann Shepard Roy Smithers Vivian Marie Deskins

Deaths

Mary Reynolds Duncan Charles McAden

Serving in the armed forces

Caleb Hayen

Staton Jobe

Shay Archer

Connor Downing

Alexandra Mauro

Michael Hart

Nico Barrangan

Joseph Turner

Davis Brown

Brandon Sharp

Jim Lively

Andrew Gray

Claten Bechtol

Zachary Pierce

Altar Flowers

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the marriage of Geng John Wang and Lorraine Hee-eun Chu.

The Holy Communion

THE OFFERTORY

ANTHEM Behold, the Tabernacle of God

William Harris

Behold, the tabernacle of God is with you, and the Spirit God dwelleth within you.

For the temple of God is holy, which temple ye are.

For the love of whom ye do this day celebrate the joys of the temple

with a season of festivity. Alleluia.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

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.

PREFACE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

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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.

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER A

(P.361)

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Celebrant Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith,

People Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Celebrant And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

All Our Father, who 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 trespasses,

as we forgive those who trespass against us.

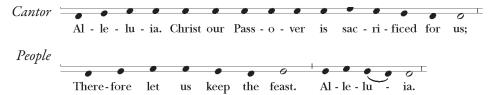
And lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,

for ever and ever. Amen.

FRACTION ANTHEM S152



Celebrant The gifts of God for the People of God

THE COMMUNION

ANTHEM O Sacred and Blessed Feast

THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Celebrant Let us pray.

All Almighty and everliving God,

we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food

of the most precious Body and Blood

of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ;

and for assuring us in these holy mysteries

that we are living members of the Body of your Son,

and heirs of your eternal kingdom.

And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do,

to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord.

To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit,

be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

SOLEMN BLESSING

Celebrant The Lord be with you

People And also with you

Celebrant May Christ, who has nourished us with himself the living bread,

make you one in praise and love, and raise you up at the last day.

And the blessing of Almighty God, + Father, Son and Holy Spirit,

be among you and remain with you forever

People Amen.

HYMN 408 Sing praise to God who reigns above

DISMISSAL

Celebrant Go in peace, to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE Improvisation on "Mit Freuden Zart"

About Communion

Peter Fay

We are an open and inclusive community, committed to the unity of Christ's Body, the Church, and to welcoming all to the Table of the Lord. Gluten free wafers are always available.

If you do not wish to receive Communion but would like to receive a blessing, please come forward and cross your arms against your chest.

C. Oelkers

WELCOME

WORSHIP

The Holy Eucharist – readings from and responses to the Bible and the celebration of Holy Communion – is the central act of Sunday worship in the Episcopal Church. This leaflet contains the text and hymn references necessary to participate in this service.

PARKING

In addition to on-campus parking, space is available (Sunday mornings only) at Tarrytown Shopping Center across Windsor and Wells Fargo Bank one block east on Windsor. If you park on a street, please be sure that you are not parked in a fire lane or blocking a driveway.

RESTROOMS

Public restrooms are available in the narthex and the Parish Life Center atrium.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

If you are new to Good Shepherd or are interested in learning more about our community, please fill out a newcomer card located in the pew racks, narthex, or Parish Life Center atrium and drop it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher or clergy person. You can also fill out a newcomer card online at www.gsaustin.org > connect > let's connect.

Call the parish office at 512.476.3523 if you have questions about baptisms, weddings, membership, or any other needs.

UPCOMING EVENTS

SEPTEMBER

12 SUNDAY, SEPT. 12

Formation Kick-off: coffee hour conversations resume after our 10:30 a.m. services, and children and youth formation begins for the new school year. Weekly formation groups resume this week.

15 WEDS, SEPT. 15

Wednesdays on Windsor dinners begin: Mid-week meet up with a home-cooked meal served by Chef Robert from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. at Windsor. RSVP required. Children and youth groups begin meeting this evening.

OCTOBER

15 FRIDAY, OCT.15

Candlelight Concert Series: First program of the season. Join us for a wonderful evening of classical guitar music, performed by guitarist Mark Cruz. 7:30 p.m. in the Windsor Campus Church Building.

23 SATURDAY, OCT. 23

Celebration of New Ministry and Formal Installation of the Rev. Channing Smith

WEEKLY EMAILS

You can find more information in our weekly parish-wide email. Please contact dawn@gsaustin.org to subscribe.

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