

THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II SUNDAY, MAY 29TH, 2022 | 10:15 AM MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVATION

THE WORD OF GOD

PROCESSIONAL HYMNAL #718 GOD OF OUR FATHERS

Please stand as you are comfortable.



OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

Please remain standing or kneel as you are comfortable.

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. *Amen*.

GLORY TO GOD (CANTICLE 20)



THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: Do not leave us comfortless, but send us your Holy Spirit to strengthen us, and exalt us to that place where our Savior Christ has gone before; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. *Amen.*

THE LESSON

Please be seated.

Reader A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

Acts 16:16-34

¹⁶[With Paul and Silas, we came to Philippi of Macedonia, a Roman colony, and] as we were going to the place of prayer, we met a slave-girl who had a spirit of divination and brought her owners a great deal of money by fortune-telling. ¹⁷While she followed Paul and us, she would cry out, "These men are slaves of the Most High God, who proclaim to you a way of salvation." ¹⁸She kept doing this for many days. But Paul, very much annoyed, turned and said to the spirit, "I order you in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her." And it came out that very hour.

¹⁹But when her owners saw that their hope of making money was gone, they seized Paul and Silas and dragged them into the marketplace before the authorities. ²⁰When they had brought them before the magistrates, they said, "These men are disturbing our city; they are Jews ²¹and are advocating customs that are not lawful for us as Romans to adopt or observe." ²²The crowd joined in attacking them, and the magistrates had them stripped of their clothing and ordered them to be beaten with rods. ²³After they had given them a severe flogging, they threw them into prison and ordered the jailer to keep them securely. ²⁴Following these instructions, he put them in the innermost cell and fastened their feet in the stocks.

²⁵About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them. ²⁶Suddenly there was an earthquake, so violent that the foundations of the prison were shaken; and immediately all the doors were opened and everyone's chains were unfastened. ²⁷When the jailer woke up and saw the prison doors wide open, he drew his sword and was about to kill himself, since he supposed that the prisoners had escaped. ²⁸But Paul shouted in a loud voice, "Do not harm yourself, for we are all here." ²⁹The jailer called for lights, and rushing in, he fell down trembling before Paul and Silas. ³⁰Then he brought them outside and said, "Sirs, what must I do to be saved?" ³¹They answered, "Believe on the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household." ³²They spoke the word of the Lord to him and to all who were in his house. ³³At the same hour of the night he took them and washed their wounds; then he and his entire family were baptized without delay. ³⁴He brought them up into the house and set food before them; and he and his entire household rejoiced that he had become a believer in God.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

THE RESPONSE

Reader Please join me in reading today's Psalm responsively by whole verse.

The Reader leads the Psalm; the People respond as indicated by bold italics.

Psalm 97

¹The LORD is King;

let the earth rejoice; *

let the multitude of the isles be glad.

²Clouds and darkness are round about him, * righteousness and justice are the foundations of his throne.

³A fire goes before him *

and burns up his enemies on every side.

⁴His lightnings light up the world; * the earth sees it and is afraid.

⁵The mountains melt like wax at the presence of the LORD, * at the presence of the Lord of the whole earth.

⁶The heavens declare his righteousness, * and all the peoples see his glory.

⁷Confounded be all who worship carved images and delight in false gods! *

Bow down before him, all you gods.

⁸Zion hears and is glad, and the cities of Judah rejoice, * because of your judgments, O LORD.

⁹For you are the LORD,

most high over all the earth; *

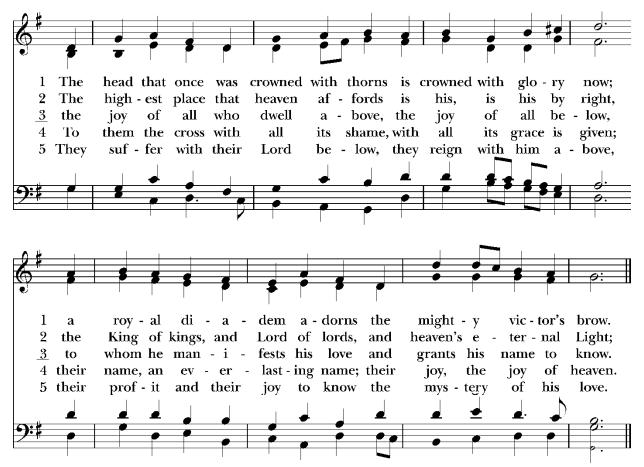
you are exalted far above all gods.

¹⁰The LORD loves those who hate evil; *
he preserves the lives of his saints
and delivers them from the hand of the wicked.

¹¹Light has sprung up for the righteous, * and joyful gladness for those who are truehearted.

¹²Rejoice in the LORD, you righteous, * and give thanks to his holy Name.

SEQUENCE HYMNAL #483 THE HEAD THAT ONCE WAS CROWNED WITH THORNS



6 The cross he bore is life and health, though shame and death to him: his people's hope, his people's wealth, their everlasting theme.

THE GOSPEL

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

John 17:20-26

[Jesus prayed for his disciples, and then he said,] ²⁰"I ask not only on behalf of these, but also on behalf of those who will believe in me through their word, ²¹that they may all be one. As you, Father, are in me and I am in you, may they also be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me. ²²The glory that you have given me I have given them, so that they may be one, as we are one, ²³I in them and you in me, that they may become completely one, so that the world may know that you have sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me. ²⁴Father, I desire that those also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to see my glory, which you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world.

²⁵ Righteous Father, the world does not know you, but I know you; and these know that you have sent me. ²⁶I made your name known to them, and I will make it known, so that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them."

Gospeler The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



THE SERMON THE REVEREND MIKE WYCKOFF

THE NICENE CREED

Reader Please join me in affirming our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed.

Please stand as you are comfortable.

All say together

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 [FORM III]

Please remain standing or kneel as you are comfortable. The Reader leads the prayer; the People respond as indicated in bold italics.

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, especially those on our Parish Prayer List;

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.

The People may add their own petitions.

Let us give thanks for heroic service:

O Judge of the nations, we remember before you with grateful hearts the men and women of our country who in the day of decision ventured much for the liberties we now enjoy. Grant that we may not rest until all the people of this land share the benefits of true freedom and gladly accept its disciplines. This we ask in the Name of Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.* [BCP 839]

Let us pray for peace in Ukraine:

Almighty God, kindle, we pray, in every heart the true love of peace, and guide with your wisdom those who take counsel for the nations of the earth, that in tranquility your dominion may increase until the earth is filled with the knowledge of your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.* [BCP 258]

Let us pray in unison for the search for a new Rector:

Almighty God, giver of every good gift: Look graciously on your Church, and so guide the minds of those who shall choose a Rector for this parish, that we may receive a faithful pastor, who will care for your people and equip us for our ministries; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. [BCP 818]

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY PRAYER

Celebrant and People say together

O God, you have so consecrated the covenant of marriage that in it is represented the spiritual unity between Christ and his Church: Send therefore your blessing upon these your servants, that they may so love, honor, and cherish each other in faithfulness and patience, in wisdom and true godliness, that their home may be a haven of blessing and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

BIRTHDAY PRAYER

Celebrant and People say together

Watch over your children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please be seated.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

OFFERTORY Celebrant

The Celebrant begins the Offertory with a sentence of Scripture.

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Offertory My country, 'tis of thee (America) [words by Samuel Francis Smith]

My country, 'tis of thee, sweet land of liberty, of thee I sing; land where my fathers died, land of the pilgrim's pride, from every mountainside let freedom ring.

My native country, thee, land of the noble free, thy name I love; I love thy rocks and rills, thy woods and templed hills; my heart with rapture thrills like that above.

Please stand as you are comfortable.

The gifts are presented and placed on the Altar.

Let music swell the breeze, and ring from all the trees sweet freedom's song; let mortal tongues awake, let all that breathe partake, let rocks their silence break, the sound prolong.

Our fathers' God, to thee, author of liberty, to thee we sing; long may our land be bright with freedom's holy light; protect us by thy might, great God, our King.

Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, praise him all creatures here below;
Praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING [EUCHARISTIC PRAYER D]

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 him thanks and praise.

Celebrant

It is truly right to glorify you, Father, and to give you thanks; for you alone are God, living and true, dwelling in light inaccessible from before time and for ever.

Fountain of life and source of all goodness, you made all things and fill them with your blessing; you created them to rejoice in the splendor of your radiance.

Countless throngs of angels stand before you to serve you night and day; and, beholding the glory of your presence, they offer you unceasing praise. Joining with them, and giving voice to every creature under heaven, we acclaim you, and glorify your Name, as we say,

THE SANCTUS

Celebrant and People say or sing together

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

Celebrant

Please sit or kneel as you are comfortable.

We acclaim you, holy Lord, glorious in power. Your mighty works reveal your wisdom and love. You formed us in your own image, giving the whole world into our care, so that, in obedience to you, our Creator, we might rule and serve all your creatures. When our disobedience took us far from you, you did not abandon us to the power of death. In your mercy you came to our help, so that in seeking you we might find you. Again and again you called us into covenant with you, and through the prophets you taught us to hope for salvation.

Father, you loved the world so much that in the fullness of time you sent your only Son to be our Savior. Incarnate by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, he lived as one of us, yet without sin. To the poor he proclaimed the good news of salvation; to prisoners, freedom; to the sorrowful, joy. To fulfill your purpose he gave himself up to death; and, rising from the grave, destroyed death, and made the whole creation new.

And, that we might live no longer for ourselves, but for him who died and rose for us, he sent the Holy Spirit, his own first gift for those who believe, to complete his work in the world, and to bring to fulfillment the sanctification of all.

When the hour had come for him to be glorified by you, his heavenly Father, having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end; at supper with them he took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Father, we now celebrate this memorial of our redemption. Recalling Christ's death and his descent among the dead, proclaiming his resurrection and ascension to your right hand, awaiting his coming in glory; and offering to you, from the gifts you have given us, this bread and this cup, we praise you and we bless you.

Celebrant and People say together

We praise you, we bless you, we give thanks to you, and we pray to you, Lord our God.

Celebrant

Lord, we pray that in your goodness and mercy your Holy Spirit may descend upon us, and upon these gifts, sanctifying them and showing them to be holy gifts for your holy people, the bread of life and the cup of salvation, the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ.

Grant that all who share this bread and cup may become one body and one spirit, a living sacrifice in Christ, to the praise of your Name.

Remember, Lord, your one holy catholic and apostolic Church, redeemed by the blood of your Christ. Reveal its unity, guard its faith, and preserve it in peace.

And grant that we may find our inheritance with St. Luke and all the saints who have found favor with you in ages past. We praise you in union with them and give you glory through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, all honor and glory are yours, Almighty God and Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

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

Celebrant and People say together

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.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Celebrant

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

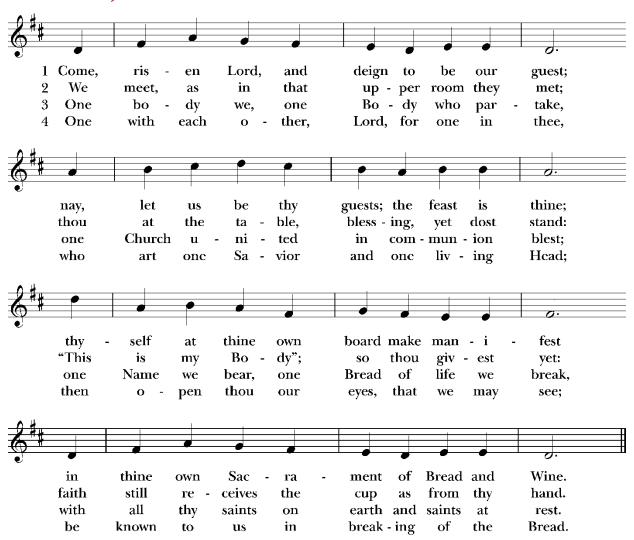
- † All baptized people of any age or Christian denomination are welcome to participate in Holy Communion.
- † Anyone is welcome to receive a blessing.

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

- † The consecrated host [blessed wafer] represents full Communion.
- † You may also take consecrated wine by intinction [dipping] of your wafer.

- † If you need a gluten-free wafer, let the priest know by cupping your hands.
- † To receive a blessing, cross your arms over your chest.

HYMNAL #306 COME, RISEN LORD



POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Celebrant Let us pray.

Celebrant and People say together

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,

THE BLESSING

The Celebrant says a blessing over the people.

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 for ever. Amen.



THE DISMISSAL

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

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia.

WORSHIP MINISTERS

Preacher & Celebrant: The Reverend Mike Wyckoff
Altar Guild: Team 1 Bonnie Conner/Yi-Ming Harrison | Floral Guild: Sue DeVos
Daughters of the King Flower Delivery: Sue DeVos | Vestry: Anne Steichen
Worship Support: Michael Balli, Barbara Frazell, Kym Hall, Lori Ann Lavallee,
Jacob Leal, Nancy Phillips, Brad Powell

Reader: Jim Rollins | Chalice Bearers: Linda Davis, Jim Rollins
Acolytes: Paige Cussimanio, Jackson Diver | Ushers | Greeters: Team 5 John Frazell
Guest Choir Director: Michael Mikulka | Organist: Stephen McElroy
Flags: Boy Scout Troop 201: Daniel Garces, Assistant Scoutmaster

PARISH PRAYER LIST

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation, especially:

These Members and Loved Ones Serving Our Country: Javen; Christine; Brian; Jordan; & Phillip.

Those Whose Needs Have Been Made Known to Us: Addie & Bill; Ann; Beverly; Chris G.; Chris M.; Chris K.; Craig; Dana; Debbie; Don; George; Glenn; Hester; Jana, Trent & Judy; Janice; JoAnne; John; Kristen; Liz; Marilyn; Mark; Mary Alice; Nelle; Pam; Pat; Rachel; Sarah-Nelle; Scott; Susan; Suzanne.

Those Who Have Died: John DeVos, brother of Sue DeVos; Barbara Dressler, friend of Sue DeVos; Charlotte Ward Williamson.

FEATURED ANNOUNCEMENTS

- † Save the Dates!
 - o Saturday, June 4th: Honduras Good Works Packing Party 9:00a 2:00p Parish Hall
 - o Sunday, June 5th: Pentecost Sunday [Note: Potluck Brunch postponed]/VBS Training
 - o Sunday, June 12th: Fr. Mike Appreciation/VBS Setup
 - o Monday, June 13th-Friday, June 17th: VBS 2022
 - o Sunday, June 19th: Interim Rector Rev. Ann McLemore Welcome
- † Vacation Bible School 2022 Mon 6/13-Fri 6/17 9a-12p Daily Registration Open!/Help Needed
 - O Ready to cook up some VBS fun? Join us at St. Luke's for a Food Truck Party as we get on a roll with God! Register or volunteer at www.stukesonthelake.org. Contact LoriAnn Lavallee at lalavallee@stlukesonthelake.org with questions.



† St. Luke's Cares Here to Help

- St. Luke's Cares exists at Saint Luke's so that not one of us must walk alone in times of life's changes. We offer the following services:
 - Prayer
 - Home and hospital visits by lay chaplains
 - Meals brought to your home
- O **You are part of our family; let us help.** Contact Pat Beachy at 512.318.4001 or pkbeachy@att.net. All information is confidential.



ADDITIONAL READING

Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21

¹²"See, I am coming soon; my reward is with me, to repay according to everyone's work. ¹³I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end."

¹⁴Blessed are those who wash their robes, so that they will have the right to the tree of life and may enter the city by the gates.

¹⁶"It is I, Jesus, who sent my angel to you with this testimony for the churches. I am the root and the descendant of David, the bright morning star."

¹⁷The Spirit and the bride say, "Come."

And let everyone who hears say, "Come."

And let everyone who is thirsty come.

Let anyone who wishes take the water of life as a gift.

²⁰The one who testifies to these things says, "Surely I am coming soon."

Amen. Come, Lord Jesus!

²¹The grace of the Lord Jesus be with all the saints. Amen.

Welcome to St. Luke's on the Lake Episcopal Church

Welcome to St. Luke's as we celebrate together the Resurrection of Jesus Christ. Whether you are joining us today for the first time, or have journeyed with us for years, we pray that you will connect with God in new and powerful ways in our community. Let us open our hearts in this Easter season to a deeper relationship with a God who loves us and longs to be in relationship with us, and longs for us to be in relationship with one another.

Are You New?

- **† About You** We would love to connect with you so we can respond to your needs. Please help us by filling out a *Connection Card* [found in the pew racks/in the Lobby/from the ushers/on-line via this QR code here/on the front page of our website. We will follow up with you in whatever way you prefer. And please stop by the *Welcome Table* in the lobby for a special gift.
- **About Our Worship** Our worship style is interactive. We use the *Episcopal Book of Common Prayer* (BCP)] as our guide. You will see people sitting, standing, or kneeling depending on whether we are listening, singing, or praying. You will hear people responding during the service as prompted. Please do whatever feels comfortable.
- **† About Communion** All baptized people of any age or Christian denomination are invited to take Holy Communion.
- † **Restrooms** are located downstairs at the bottom of the staircase to the right.
- † Questions? Please ask a greeter, an usher, or anyone near you for directions or help.

Especially For Children

- † Children of all ages are always welcome in our service.
- **† Kinder-5**th **Grade "Kids' Church"** is an interactive, kid-friendly worship service. Children will be invited before the service to go downstairs to the Fellowship Hall. They will return midway through the service. Parents are always invited to Kids' Church.
- † Infant-Age 5 are invited to our professionally staffed childcare area in the lower level of our complex. We offer *Little Liturgy*, a worship time with lessons, using "Godly Play" and Montessori models. Ask for help finding check-in desk at the bottom of the stairs in Riker Hall.

Connect with Us

- † Visit <u>www.stlukesonthelake.org</u> anytime for St. Luke's information.
- † E-mail|call the office [office@stlukesonthelake.org|512.266.2455] with any questions you may have; we're here to help.