

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL  
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TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
A CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

OCTOBER 2, 2016  
8:30 a.m.

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*Proclaim. Seek. Serve.*

## To Visitors

*Welcome! We are delighted that you have joined us for worship this morning. Page numbers refer to the Book of Common Prayer, which is the red book located in the rack on the back of the pew in front of you. The Hymnal is the blue book. Anyone sitting near you will be happy to answer questions about worship at Christ Church Cathedral and opportunities for fellowship, education, and servant ministry. Please complete a Visitor's Card and leave it with an usher or place it in the alms basin. You may also visit our website, [christcathedral.org](http://christcathedral.org), to learn more about the Cathedral. Thank you for joining us in worship!*

## HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

VOLUNTARY

Prelude in G major Opus 37, no. 2

Felix Mendelssohn  
(1809-1847)

### The Word of God

HYMN 535 – Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim

*Paderborn*

OPENING ACCLAMATION (*BCP, p. 355*)

COLLECT FOR PURITY (*BCP, p. 355*)

S280 – GLORIA

Robert Powell

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray, and to give more than we either desire or deserve: Pour upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid, and giving us those good things for which we are not worthy to ask, except through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ our Savior; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON – Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4

The oracle that the prophet Habakkuk saw.

O LORD, how long shall I cry for help,  
and you will not listen?

Or cry to you “Violence!”  
and you will not save?

Why do you make me see wrong-doing  
and look at trouble?

Destruction and violence are before me;  
strife and contention arise.

So the law becomes slack  
and justice never prevails.

The wicked surround the righteous,  
therefore judgment comes forth perverted.

I will stand at my watchpost,  
and station myself on the rampart;

I will keep watch to see what he will say to me,  
and what he will answer concerning my complaint.

Then the LORD answered me and said:  
Write the vision;  
    make it plain on tablets,  
    so that a runner may read it.  
For there is still a vision for the appointed time;  
    it speaks of the end, and does not lie.  
If it seems to tarry, wait for it;  
    it will surely come, it will not delay.  
Look at the proud!  
    Their spirit is not right in them,  
    but the righteous live by their faith.

PSALM 37:1-10

- 1 Do not fret yourself because of evildoers; \*  
    do not be jealous of those who do wrong.
- 2 For they shall soon wither like the grass, \*  
    and like the green grass fade away.
- 3 Put your trust in the LORD and do good; \*  
    dwell in the land and feed on its riches.
- 4 Take delight in the LORD, \*  
    and he shall give you your heart's desire.
- 5 Commit your way to the LORD and put your trust in him, \*  
    and he will bring it to pass.
- 6 He will make your righteousness as clear as the light \*  
    and your just dealing as the noonday.
- 7 Be still before the LORD \*  
    and wait patiently for him.
- 8 Do not fret yourself over the one who prospers, \*  
    the one who succeeds in evil schemes.
- 9 Refrain from anger, leave rage alone; \*  
    do not fret yourself; it leads only to evil.
- 10 For evildoers shall be cut off, \*  
    but those who wait upon the LORD shall possess the land.

THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON – 2 Timothy 1:1-14

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, for the sake of the promise of life that is in Christ Jesus,

To Timothy, my beloved child:

Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

I am grateful to God—whom I worship with a clear conscience, as my ancestors did—when I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. Recalling your tears, I long to see you so that I may be filled with joy. I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that lived first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, lives in you. For this reason I remind you to rekindle the gift of God that is within you through the laying on of my hands; for God did not give us a spirit of cowardice, but rather a spirit of power and of love and of self-discipline.

Do not be ashamed, then, of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner, but join with me in suffering for the gospel, relying on the power of God, who saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works but according to his own purpose and grace. This grace was given to us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Savior Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. For this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher, and for this reason I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know the one in whom I have put my trust, and I am sure that he is able to guard until that day what I have entrusted to him. Hold to the standard of sound teaching that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us.

THE GOSPEL LESSON – Luke 17:5-10

The apostles said to the Lord, “Increase our faith!” The Lord replied, “If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, ‘Be uprooted and planted in the sea,’ and it would obey you.

“Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from plowing or tending sheep in the field, ‘Come here at once and take your place at the table?’ Would you not rather say to him, ‘Prepare supper for me, put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink; later you may eat and drink?’ Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, ‘We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!’”

SERMON – The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough

*A moment of silence and reflection follows the sermon.*

THE NICENE CREED (*BCP, P. 358*)

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, FORM IV (*BCP, p. 388*)

CONFESSION OF SIN (*BCP, p. 359*)

THE PEACE

# The Holy Communion

## THE OFFERTORY

### ANTHEM

As torrents in summer

Edward Elgar  
(1857-1934)

As torrents in summer,  
half dried in their channels,  
suddenly rise, tho' the sky is still cloudless,  
for rain has been falling  
far off at their fountains;

So hearts that are fainting  
grow full to o'erflowing,  
and they that behold it marvel, and know not,  
that God at their fountains,  
far off has been raining!

*H.W. Longfellow*

## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (*Eucharistic Prayer A, p. 361*)

S129 – Sanctus

Robert Powell

The Lord's Prayer (*BCP, p. 364*)

The Breaking of the Bread (*BCP, p. 364*)

S154 – Christ Our Passover

David Hurd

*Please follow the direction of the ushers in order to receive Communion.  
Those who wish to receive the Laying on of Hands and Anointing  
may proceed to the chapel after receiving Communion.*

## MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

*Please join in the singing of the Communion hymn.*

Hymn 660 – O Master, let me walk with thee

*Maryton*

## POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER (*BCP, p. 365*)

### BLESSING

HYMN 655 – O Jesus, I have promised

*Nyland*

### DISMISSAL

### VOLUNTARY

Prelude in C minor Opus 37, no. 1

Felix Mendelssohn

ACOLYTES – Duncan Clark, Margaret Cook, Sarah Cook  
ALTAR GUILD – Wilburn Johnson, Linda Holt, Elise McMillan, Cindy Tyler  
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER – Melinda Balsler, Arnold Malcolm  
HEALING PRAYER – Natalie Dickson  
LECTORS – Jill Meese, Hannah Lavey, Jason Edwards  
SACRISTAN – John Coleman  
USHERS – Donald McKenzie (Head Usher), Julia Landstreet  
WAYFARERS – Fletch and Bill Coke

### PRAYERS

**Today we pray for** Roberta LaBour, David Paul Cotton, David Keister, Amelia Ingle, Gus, Ben Sanders, Chris Calico, Mimi Rock, Barbara Dillon, Will Glover, Lee Gallagher, John Meece.

**We give thanks** for the birth of Anna Edwards Goldman, daughter of Ellie and Lowell Goldman.

**St. Luke's Community House** (one of the agencies the Cathedral supports) serves low-income people of West Nashville by offering a variety of family-oriented services, such as child development programs and mobile meals to the elderly and handicapped.

### FLOWERS

The flowers in the Chancel are given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for the marriage of Florence Ann Page and Walter Cooper Brown IV.

## CHURCH SCHOOL 9:45-10:45 a.m.

### ADULT CLASSES

#### **Dean's Forum** (Parish Hall)

“Christian Stewardship, Week Two: “ The teaching of the Episcopal Church on tithes, wills, planned giving & budgets and what it says about Christian discipleship.”

Presenter: The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough, Dean and Rector

#### **Centering Prayer** (Cathedral Annex Building)

*Living Buddha, Living Christ*, by Thich Nhat Hanh

Led by Arlene Wilson, Susan Hilderbrand, Heather Rippetoe, John Wellborn, and Benetta Ligon

#### **Faith & Family Matters** (Chapel)

Led by Hannah and John Lavey

#### **Sitting with Scripture:** (Room 4, Undercroft)

Led by Ben Curtis, Paul Elledge, Lyonel Gilmer, and Rod Murray

### CHILDREN'S CLASSES (Cathedral Annex Building)

#### **Catechesis of the Good Shepherd**

Age 3 (as of 08/15/16) through 1st grade—Cheek Hall

2nd through 5th grade

### YOUTH CLASSES (810 Broadway Building)

6th-12th grades

**Sermon Notes:**

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**CELEBRANT AND PREACHER**

The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough, *Dean and Rector*

**ASSISTING**

The Reverend Canon Gene B. Manning, *Sub-Dean*  
Molly Payne-Hardin, *Seminarian*

**MUSICIANS**

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Michael Gebhart, *Assistant Organist and Choirmaster*  
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