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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, to learn more about the Cathedral. Thank you for visiting!

HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE I

The Word of God

OPENING ACCLAMATION (BCP, p. 323)

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GLORIA (BCP, p. 324)

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty and everlasting God, who in Christ hast revealed thy glory among the nations: Preserve the works of thy mercy, that thy Church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of thy Name; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON - Genesis 32:22-31

The same night Jacob got up and took his two wives, his two maids, and his eleven children, and crossed the ford of the Jabbok. He took them and sent them across the stream, and likewise everything that he had. Jacob was left alone; and a man wrestled with him until daybreak. When the man saw that he did not prevail against Jacob, he struck him on the hip socket; and Jacob's hip was put out of joint as he wrestled with him. Then he said, "Let me go, for the day is breaking." But Jacob said, "I will not let you go, unless you bless me." So he said to him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Jacob." Then the man said, "You shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel, for you have striven with God and with humans, and have prevailed." Then Jacob asked him, "Please tell me your name." But he said, "Why is it that you ask my name?" And there he blessed him. So Jacob called the place Peniel, saying, "For I have seen God face to face, and yet my life is preserved." The sun rose upon him as he passed Penuel, limping because of his hip.

PSALM 121

- 1 I lift up my eyes to the hills; * from where is my help to come?
- 2 My help comes from the LORD, * the maker of heaven and earth.
- 3 He will not let your foot be moved * and he who watches over you will not fall asleep.
- 4 Behold, he who keeps watch over Israel * shall neither slumber nor sleep;
- 5 The LORD himself watches over you; * the LORD is your shade at your right hand,
- 6 So that the sun shall not strike you by day, * nor the moon by night.
- 7 The LORD shall preserve you from all evil; * it is he who shall keep you safe.
- 8 The LORD shall watch over your going out and your coming in, * from this time forth for evermore.

THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON - 2 Timothy 3:14 - 4:5

As for you, continue in what you have learned and firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it, and how from childhood you have known the sacred writings that are able to instruct you for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. All scripture is inspired by God and is useful for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, so that everyone who belongs to God may be proficient, equipped for every good work.

In the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who is to judge the living and the dead, and in view of his appearing and his kingdom, I solemnly urge you: proclaim the message; be persistent whether the time is favorable or unfavorable; convince, rebuke, and encourage, with the utmost patience in teaching. For the time is coming when people will not put up with sound doctrine, but having itching ears, they will accumulate for themselves teachers to suit their own desires, and will turn away from listening to the truth and wander away to myths. As for you, always be sober, endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist, carry out your ministry fully.

THE GOSPEL LESSON - Luke 18:1-8

Jesus told his disciples a parable about their need to pray always and not to lose heart. He said, "In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor had respect for people. In that city there was a widow who kept coming to him and saying, 'Grant me justice against my opponent.' For a while he refused; but later he said to himself, 'Though I have no fear of God and no respect for anyone, yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will grant her justice, so that she may not wear me out by continually coming.' And the Lord said, "Listen to what the unjust judge says. And will not God grant justice to his chosen ones who cry to him day and night? Will he delay long in helping them? I tell you, he will quickly grant justice to them. And yet, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?"

SERMON – The Reverend Canon Gene B. Manning A moment of silence and reflection follows the sermon.

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BLESSING

DISMISSAL

ALTAR GUILD – Deborah Brewington, Chris Isbell, Hosanna Banks FLOWER GUILD – Debby Koch, Marlin Sanders SACRISTAN – Bill Koch USHER – Roz Bordain

PRAYERS

Today we pray for Roberta LaBour, David Paul Cotton, Gus, Ben Sanders, Chris Calico, Lee Gallagher, Mimi Rock, and Mary Bocking.

We give thanks for the birth of Simon Bradley Kimbrough, son of Katie and Josh Kimbrough, grandson of Dean Timothy and Darlene Kimbrough.

Church in the Yard (one of the agencies the Cathedral supports) offers a meal to the hungry. On the first Sunday of the month, the Cathedral serves a meal in the Parish Hall or, weather permitting in the Church yard of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church.

FLOWERS

The flowers in the Chancel are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of our aunts, Misses Rebecca and Matilda Porter, by Gloria and David Graves.

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

ADULT CLASSES

Dean's Forum (Parish Hall)

"Witnesses From Riverbend: Christ Church Cathedral & Death Row"

Facilitators: Dean Kimbrough and Joe Ingle

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 will join the Dean's Forum

in the Parish Hall this morning.

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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The Reverend Canon Gene B. Manning, Sub Dean

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The Reverend Matthew W. Lewis, Assistant to the Rector

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