CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL Order of Worship



THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST A CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

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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, to learn more about the Cathedral. Thank you for joining us in worship!

HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

VOLUNTARY

Homage to Louis Vierne

David Bednall (b. 1979)

King's Weston

The Word of God

OPENING ACCLAMATION (BCP, p. 355)

COLLECT FOR PURITY (BCP, p. 355)

SONG OF PRAISE Hymn 435 – At the name of Jesus Stanza 1

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: Graft in our hearts the love of your Name; increase in us true religion; nourish us with all goodness; and bring forth in us the fruit of good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. *Amen*.

THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON - Jeremiah 15:15-21

O Lord, you know; remember me and visit me, and bring down retribution for me on my persecutors. In your forbearance do not take me away; know that on your account I suffer insult. Your words were found, and I ate them, and your words became to me a joy and the delight of my heart; for I am called by your name, O LORD, God of hosts. I did not sit in the company of merrymakers, nor did I rejoice; under the weight of your hand I sat alone, for you had filled me with indignation. Why is my pain unceasing, my wound incurable, refusing to be healed? Truly, you are to me like a deceitful brook, like waters that fail.

Therefore, thus says the LORD:
If you turn back, I will take you back,
and you shall stand before me.
If you utter what is precious, and not what is worthless,
you shall serve as my mouth.
It is they who will turn to you,
not you who will turn to them.
And I will make you to this people
a fortified wall of bronze;
they will fight against you,
but they shall not prevail over you,
for I am with you
to save you and deliver you,
says the LORD.
I will deliver you out of the hand of the wicked,
and redeem you from the grasp of the ruthless.
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PSALM 26:1-8

- Give judgment for me, O LORD, for I have lived with integrity; *
 I have trusted in the LORD and have not faltered.
- 2 Test me, O LORD, and try me; * examine my heart and my mind.
- 3 For your love is before my eyes; * I have walked faithfully with you.
- 4 I have not sat with the worthless, * nor do I consort with the deceitful.
- 5 I have hated the company of evildoers; * I will not sit down with the wicked.
- 6 I will wash my hands in innocence, O LORD, * that I may go in procession round your altar,
- 7 Singing aloud a song of thanksgiving * and recounting all your wonderful deeds.
- 8 LORD, I love the house in which you dwell * and the place where your glory abides.

THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON - Romans 12:9-21

Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with mutual affection; outdo one another in showing honor. Do not lag in zeal, be ardent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, persevere in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints; extend hospitality to strangers.

Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. Live in harmony with one another; do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly; do not claim to be wiser than you are. Do not repay anyone evil for evil, but take thought for what is noble in the sight of all. If it is possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all. Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave room for the wrath of God; for it is written, "Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord." No, "if your enemies are hungry, feed them; if they are thirsty, give them something to drink; for by doing this you will heap burning coals on their heads." Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

THE GOSPEL LESSON - Matthew 16:21-28

Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and undergo great suffering at the hands of the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, "God forbid it, Lord! This must never happen to you." But he turned and said to Peter, "Get behind me, Satan! You are a stumbling block to me; for you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things."

Then Jesus told his disciples, "If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it. For what will it profit them if they gain the whole world but forfeit their life? Or what will they give in return for their life?

"For the Son of Man is to come with his angels in the glory of his Father, and then he will repay everyone for what has been done. Truly I tell you, there are some standing here who will not taste death before they see the Son of Man coming in his kingdom."

SERMON – The Reverend Naomi Tutu A moment of silence and reflection follows the sermon

THE NICENE CREED (BCP, p. 358)

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

CONFESSION OF SIN (BCP, p. 359)

THE PEACE

The Holy Communion

THE OFFERTORY

HYMN 439 - What wondrous love is this

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

Sanctus S 128

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

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

Christ our Passover S 154

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.

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER (BCP, p. 365)

BLESSING

HYMN 675 - Take up your cross, the Savior said

DISMISSAL

ALTAR GUILD – Jane Boram, Susan Canon, Susan Standbrook, Hilary Hill, Kate O'Day EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS – Harrison Stuart, Maggie Cox, Laura Lee Dobie, Cynthia Curtis FLOWER GUILD – Lindsey Doster, Lydie-Claire Brown, Melanie Leader HEALING PRAYER – Geoffrey Fleming LECTORS – Gibson Pritchard, Becca Ingle, Ken King SACRISTAN – John Whitaker WAYFARER – David Kiester Wondrous love

Robert Powell

David Hurd

Bourbon

PRAYERS

Today we pray for Roberta LaBour, David Paul Cotton, Mimi Rock, Ellen Burnett, Deborah Hatton, Lauren Houck, David Graves, David Kiester, Beth, Jackie, Skip, Karen, Aldrich Finegan, Wes Green, Stephanie Vlahos, Gabriel King, Audrey Eldridge, Ray Faust, Max Steele, the Reverend Rod Murray, Peyton Cooke, Judy Maxfield, Leigh MacMillan, Peg Morton, Jan Morton, Anne Moore, Martha Jackson, Katheryn Stevens, and Bill Whitaker.

We pray also for those who have died, especially Billy J. Snider, father of Shawanna Snider.

This week we also pray for Safe Haven Family Shelter, the only 24-hour shelter in Nashville where homeless families can stay together. In addition to meals, clothing, and shelter, Safe Haven provides training in family budgeting, assistance in finding permanent housing, job training, job placement assistance, and help with home furnishings.

FLOWERS

The flowers in the Chancel are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Sally Frierson Cook, by Charlie and Mary Cook.

Sermon Notes:

FOR SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2017 8:00 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

Celebrant

The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough, Dean and Rector

PREACHER The Reverend Naomi Tutu, *Curate*

ASSISTING The Reverend Lissa Smith, Associate for Pastoral Care and Cathedral Life

> **DEACON** The Reverend Roger Saterstrom, *Deacon*

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