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TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST A CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

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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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COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty and everlasting God, give unto us the increase of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain that which thou dost promise, make us to love that which thou dost command; through 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 - Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18

The LORD spoke to Moses, saying: Speak to all the congregation of the people of Israel and say to them: You shall be holy, for I the LORD your God am holy.

You shall not render an unjust judgement; you shall not be partial to the poor or defer to the great: with justice you shall judge your neighbour. You shall not go around as a slanderer among your people, and you shall not profit by the blood of your neighbour: I am the LORD.

You shall not hate in your heart anyone of your kin; you shall reprove your neighbour, or you will incur guilt yourself. You shall not take vengeance or bear a grudge against any of your people, but you shall love your neighbour as yourself: I am the LORD.

PSALM 1

- Happy are they who have not walked in the counsel of the wicked, * nor lingered in the way of sinners, nor sat in the seats of the scornful!
- 2 Their delight is in the law of the LORD, * and they meditate on his law day and night.
- 3 They are like trees planted by streams of water, bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that do not wither; * everything they do shall prosper.
- 4 It is not so with the wicked; * they are like chaff which the wind blows away.
- 5 Therefore the wicked shall not stand upright when judgment comes, * nor the sinner in the council of the righteous.
- 6 For the LORD knows the way of the righteous, * but the way of the wicked is doomed.

THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON - 1 Thessalonians 2:1-8

You yourselves know, brothers and sisters, that our coming to you was not in vain, but though we had already suffered and been shamefully maltreated at Philippi, as you know, we had courage in our God to declare to you the gospel of God in spite of great opposition. For our appeal does not spring from deceit or impure motives or trickery, but just as we have been approved by God to be entrusted with the message of the gospel, even so we speak, not to please mortals, but to please God who tests our hearts. As you know and as God is our witness, we never came with words of flattery or with a pretext for greed; nor did we seek praise from mortals, whether from you or from others, though we might have made demands as apostles of Christ. But we were gentle among you, like a nurse tenderly caring for her own children. So deeply do we care for you that we are determined to share with you not only the gospel of God but also our own selves, because you have become very dear to us.

THE GOSPEL LESSON - Matthew 22:34-46

When the Pharisees heard that he had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together, and one of them, a lawyer, asked him a question to test him. 'Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?' He said to him, ' "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind." This is the greatest and first commandment. And a second is like it: "You shall love your neighbour as yourself." On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.'

Now while the Pharisees were gathered together, Jesus asked them this question: 'What do you think of the Messiah? Whose son is he?' They said to him, 'The son of David.' He said to them, 'How is it then that David by the Spirit calls him Lord, saying,

"The Lord said to my Lord, 'Sit at my right hand, until I put your enemies under your feet' "?

If David thus calls him Lord, how can he be his son?' No one was able to give him an answer, nor from that day did anyone dare to ask him any more questions.

SERMON – The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough *A moment of silence and reflection follows the sermon.*

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BLESSING

DISMISSAL

ALTAR GUILD – Greer Broemel, Dede Clements, Hilary Hill FLOWER GUILD – Elaine Smyth, Lindsey Doster, Lisa DiScenza SACRISTAN – Bill Koch USHER – Richard Goode

PRAYERS

Today we pray for Max Steele, Will, Tom Johnson, the Rev. Becca Kello, Ken King, Katheryn Stevens, Ronnie Etter, John, David Bradley, Patti West, Scott Denton, Mavis Allen, Eleanor Wagner, Nancy Drake, and Fred Daniels.

We pray for those who have died, especially George Kemp; and Holly Westcott.

This week we also pray for the Nashville Rescue Mission Ministry, which offers food, clothing, shelter, and recovery programs to the vulnerable.

FLOWERS

The flowers in the Chancel are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Fred H. Harris, Elizabeth Ann Harris Cumming, and Novice Irene Sellers, husband, daughter, and mother of Patti Harris.

CHRISTIAN FORMATION 9:45-10:45 a.m.

ADULT CLASSES The Dean's Forum (Parish Hall) "The Bible for Beginners" Part 1 Presenter: The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough, Dean and Rector

Centering Prayer (Cathedral Annex Building) Into The Silent Land: A Guide to the Christian Practice of Contemplation by Martin Laird Led by Arlene Wilson, Susan Hilderbrand, Laura Copeland, John Wellborn, and Benetta Ligon

Faith & Family Matters (Chapel) Led by Maura Ammenhauser

Sitting with Scripture: (Room 4, Undercroft) Led by Ben Curtis, Paul Elledge, Lyonel Gilmer, and Rod Murray

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Age 3 (as of 08/16/2017) through 1st grade (Cheek Hall in the Undercroft) 2nd through 5th grades (Cathedral Annex Building)

YOUTH CLASSES (810 Broadway Building) Sunday School Break-Out Groups 6th-12th grades Sermon Notes:

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

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