

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

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TRINITY SUNDAY

FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

A CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

MAY 27, 2018

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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 visiting!

HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

VOLUNTARY

Kyrie, Gott Vater in Ewigkeit BWV 672
Kyrie, Eternal God and Father

Johann Sebastian Bach
(1685-1750)

Christe, aller Welt Trost BWV 673
Christ, Comforter of the world

Kyrie, Gott heiliger Geist BWV 674
Kyrie, God the Holy Ghost

The Word of God

THE OPENING ACCLAMATION (*BCP, p. 355*)

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

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

THE SONG OF PRAISE 368 – Holy Father, great Creator (*stanza 1*)

Regent Square

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given to us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of your divine Majesty to worship the Unity: Keep us steadfast in this faith and worship, and bring us at last to see you in your one and eternal glory, O Father; who with the Son and the Holy Spirit live and reign, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON – Isaiah 6:1-8

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty; and the hem of his robe filled the temple. Seraphs were in attendance above him; each had six wings: with two they covered their faces, and with two they covered their feet, and with two they flew. And one called to another and said:

“Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts;
the whole earth is full of his glory.”

The pivots on the thresholds shook at the voices of those who called, and the house filled with smoke. And I said: “Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!”

Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding a live coal that had been taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. The seraph touched my mouth with it and said: “Now that this has touched your lips, your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out.” Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?” And I said, “Here am I; send me!”

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 29

- 1 Ascribe to the LORD, you gods, *
ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.
- 2 Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his Name; *
worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness.
- 3 The voice of the LORD is upon the waters
the God of glory thunders; *
the LORD is upon the mighty waters.
- 4 The voice of the LORD is a powerful voice; *
the voice of the LORD is a voice of splendor.
- 5 The voice of the LORD breaks the cedar trees; *
the LORD breaks the cedars of Lebanon;
- 6 He makes Lebanon skip like a calf, *
and Mount Hermon like a young wild ox.
- 7 The voice of the LORD splits the flames of fire;
the voice of the LORD shakes the wilderness; *
the LORD shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.

8 The voice of the LORD makes the oak trees writhe *
and strips the forests bare.

9 And in the temple of the LORD *
all are crying, “Glory!”

10 The LORD sits enthroned above the flood; *
the LORD sits enthroned as King for evermore.

11 The LORD shall give strength to his people; *
the LORD shall give his people the blessing of peace.

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON – Romans 8:12-17

So then, brothers and sisters, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh—for if you live according to the flesh, you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, “Abba! Father!” it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ—if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

THE GOSPEL LESSON – John 3:1-17

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

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

There was a Pharisee named Nicodemus, a leader of the Jews. He came to Jesus by night and said to him, “Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God; for no one can do these signs that you do apart from the presence of God.” Jesus answered him, “Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above.” Nicodemus said to him, “How can anyone be born after having grown old? Can one enter a second time into the mother’s womb and be born?” Jesus answered, “Very truly, I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. What is born of the flesh is flesh, and what is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not be astonished that I said to you, ‘You must be born from above.’ The wind blows where it chooses, and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit.” Nicodemus said to him, “How can these things be?” Jesus answered him, “Are you a teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand these things?”

“Very truly, I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen; yet you do not receive our testimony. If I have told you about earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you about heavenly things? No one has ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.

“For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life. Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.”

Gospeller The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

THE SERMON – The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough

A moment of silence and reflection follows the sermon.

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

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

THE PEACE

The Holy Communion

THE OFFERTORY

HYMN 362 – Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty

Nicaea

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (*Eucharistic Prayer D, p. 372*)

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Sanctus S 129

Robert Powell

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

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

Fraction Anthem S 154

New Plainsong

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.*

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

THE BLESSING

May God the Holy Trinity make you strong in faith and love, defend you on every side, and guide you in truth and peace; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

HYMN 423 – Immortal, invisible, God only wise

St. Denio

THE DISMISSAL

ALTAR GUILD – Deborah Brewington, Elise McMillan, Nancy Drake

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS – George Paine, Ken Sheesley, Harrison Stuart

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HEALING PRAYER – Jenni Joy

LECTORS – John Whitaker, Martha Ivester, John Teasley

SACRISTAN – Pete Stringer

WAYFARER – Ken Penegar

PRAYERS

Today we pray for Katheryn Stevens, David Paul Cotton, Ray Wright, John Lewis, Lee Gallagher, Mimi Rock, Shirley Edwards, Paul Alexis, Robert Barnes, Nancy Arnold, Donna Turner, Jesse McLevain, Charlie Reasor, and Mama Maria Eugenia.

This week we also pray for the Wayfarers Ministry, which provides assistance to transients and homeless people who come to the Cathedral on Sundays seeking help.

FLOWERS

The flowers in the Chancel are given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for the marriage of Graycie Wingo and Edgar Soto.

SERMON NOTES:

FOR SUNDAY, MAY 27, 2018
8:00 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

CELEBRANT

The Reverend Naomi Tutu, *Curate*

PREACHER

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

DEACON

The Reverend Roger Saterstrom, *Deacon*

MUSICIAN

Canon Dr. Michael Velting, *Organist and Choirmaster*

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