

# CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

## ORDER OF WORSHIP



### SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

#### A CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST

OCTOBER 6, 2019  
8:30 a.m.

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## To Visitors

*Welcome! We are delighted that you have joined us for worship this morning. Page numbers in your bulletin refer to the **Book of Common Prayer**, which is the red book located on the rack in front of you; the blue book is the **Hymnal**. Anyone sitting near you will be happy to answer questions about our community here at Christ Church Cathedral. Additionally, we invite you to fill out the Newcomer's Card and drop it in the offering plate. Even better, come meet one of the clergy after the service in front of the lectern with the angel and we'll be happy to make your acquaintance. Peace and welcome!*

## HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

VOLUNTARY

Chorale prelude on *O Gott, du frommer Gott*  
O God, thou faithful God

Johannes Brahms  
(1833-1897)

## THE WORD OF GOD

HYMN 610 – Lord, whose love through humble service

*Blaenhafren*

OPENING ACCLAMATION

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

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

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

GLORIA S 280

*Sp page numbers are found in the front of the hymnal.*

Robert Powell

COLLECT OF THE DAY

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

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.

*Lector* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

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.

*Lector* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

#### THE GOSPEL LESSON – Luke 17:5-10

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

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

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!’”

*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*)

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

*Lector* Lord, in your mercy

*People* **Hear our prayer.**

CONFESSION OF SIN AND ABSOLUTION (*BCP, p. 360*)

THE PEACE

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE OFFERTORY

HYMN 655 – O Jesus, I have promised *Please join in singing the Offertory hymn.*

*Nyland*

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (*BCP, p. 361 A*)

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts.

*People* **We lift them 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.*

## MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

*Please join in singing the Communion hymn.*

Hymn 312 – Strengthen for service, Lord

*Malabar*

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER (*BCP, p. 365*)

BLESSING

HYMN 607 – O God of every nation

*Llangloffan*

DISMISSAL

VOLUNTARY

*Suite du Premier Ton*  
*-Grand Plein Jeu*  
*-Dialogue sur les Grands Jeux*

Louis-Nicolas Clérambault  
(1676-1749)

ACOLYTES – Jackson Kirkby, Caroline Kirkby  
ALTAR GUILD – Susan Standbrook, Elise McMillan, Nancy Drake  
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS – Cynthia Curtis, Ken Sheesley, Jere Lane  
EUCCHARISTIC VISITOR – Becca Ingle  
LECTORS – Jill Meese, Sandra Aud, Robin Ferguson  
SACRISTAN – Caroline Rossini  
USHER – Doug Chappell

## PRAYERS

**Today we pray for** Katheryn Stevens, Susan Dupont, Conway Bilbo Hubbard, Laura Temple, Jim Welch, Wes Green, Barbara S., and Rebecca Hutcheson.

**We give thanks for** the marriages of Leigh Collins Smith and William Matt Brown Reasor; and Stephanie Lee Benjamin and Tucker Jules Moore.

**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 Stephanie Lee Benjamin and Tucker Jules Moore.

## CHRISTIAN FORMATION

9:45-10:45 A.M.

### ADULT CLASSES

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

"Food in the Bible & Why It Matters: An Overview"

Presenter: The Very Timothy Kimbrough, *Dean and Rector*

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

*The Naked Now: Learning to See as the Mystics See*, by Richard Rohr

Led by Arlene Wilson, Susan Hilderbrand, Benetta Ligon, John Wellborn, and Laura Copeland

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

Led by Ben Curtis, Paul Elledge, and Lyonel Gilmer

### CHILDREN'S CLASSES

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

3 – 6 year olds through 1st grade (Cheek Hall)

7 – 10 year olds from 2nd through 5th grade (Cathedral Annex Building)

#### **YOUTH CLASSES** (810 Broadway Building)

Sunday School Break-Out Groups

6th-12th grades

### SERMON NOTES:

FOR SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2019  
8:30 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

CELEBRANT

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

PREACHER

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

DEACON

The Reverend Matthew W. Lewis, *Assistant to the Rector*

MUSICIAN

Canon Dr. Michael Velting, *Organist and Choirmaster*

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