



Holy Cross EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost
October 23, 2022

The Service of the Word

Opening Voluntary: *Andrew Gregg (piano)*

Opening Hymn: “Mighty to Save”

*Everyone needs compassion a love that's never failing
Let mercy fall on me
Everyone needs forgiveness
The kindness of a Savior, the hope of nations*

(Refrain)

*Savior, He can move the mountains
My God is Mighty to save He is Mighty to save
Forever, Author of salvation
He rose and conquered the grave
Jesus conquered the grave*

*So take me as You find me all my fears and failures
And fill my life again I give my life to follow
Everything I believe in, now I surrender (Refrain)*

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

People ***And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever! Amen.***

The Collect for Purity

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL *** (Ages 4 – 10 years)

During the following hymn, children process with the leader to the Chapel for a lesson and singing; they return at The Peace.

Song of Praise: : “Come Thou Fount”

*Come, Thou Fount of every blessing,
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace
Streams of mercy, never ceasing,
Call for songs of loudest praise
Teach me some melodious sonnet,
Sung by flaming tongues above
Praise the mount oh fix me on it
Mount of God's unchanging love*

The Collect of the Day - *prayed by the Celebrant*

The First Reading: *2 Timothy 4:6-8,16-18*

I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

At my first defense no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever. *Amen.*

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People ***Thanks be to God.***

Psalm 84:1-6 (read responsively by whole verse)

- 1 How dear to me is your dwelling, O LORD of hosts!
My soul has a desire and longing for the courts of the LORD;
my heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God.
- 2 The sparrow has found her a house
and the swallow a nest where she may lay her young;
by the side of your altars, O LORD of hosts, my King and my God.
- 3 Happy are they who dwell in your house!
they will always be praising you.
- 4 Happy are the people whose strength is in you!
whose hearts are set on the pilgrims' way.
- 5 Those who go through the desolate valley will find
it a place of springs,
for the early rains have covered it with pools of water.
- 6 They will climb from height to height,
and the God of gods will reveal himself in Zion.

Sequence Hymn: : “Have it All”

*You can have it all Lord
Ev'ry part of my world
Take this life and breathe on
This heart that is now Yours*

The Gospel Reading: *Luke 18:9-14*

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

People **Glory to you Lord Christ.**

Jesus told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt: "Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, 'God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income.' But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted."

Reader The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you Lord Christ.**

Sermon

The Rev. Rob Dixon

The Nicene Creed (p. 358 BCP)

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the
dead, and his kingdom will have no end.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped & glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic* and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. *Amen.*

(*“catholic” means universal)

Prayers of the People

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God. *(Silence)*

For all people in their daily life and work; *For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone. (Silence)*

For this community, the nation, and the world; *For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace. (Silence)*

For the just and proper use of your creation; *For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression. (Silence)*

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble; *For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy. (Silence)*

We pray especially for the peoples in impoverished and war-torn areas; *Move every heart to yearn for peace, justice, and kindness for all people. (Silence)*

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation. – *(Pray aloud or silently for your own needs and concerns).* We pray especially for all who have died and for those who miss them. – *Pause.* Comfort and sustain us. Help us to trust in you and in the never-ending life you eternally offer all people.

We will exalt you, O God our King; *And praise your Name for ever and ever.*

And now, Heavenly Father, we pray to you for the forgiveness of our sins. *Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

The Peace: Welcome & Announcements

**For Giving
Electronically**

Point phone
camera at this
Image.

Thank You!





The Holy Communion

This portion of the service begins on p. 367 in the BCP however, you are encouraged to give your attention to the altar.

The Communion. *All baptized Christians are invited and welcome to receive Communion. Anyone who does not wish to receive communion is invited come forward, cross their arms over their chest, and receive a blessing. If you would like the clergy to bring communion to someone in the pews, please notify the ushers at the door of the church. For bread only, no wine, put one arm across your chest. Gluten Free available.*

Offertory: *Stephanie Backes (clarinet)
and Andrew Gregg (piano)*

The Doxology 380: (v. 3)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving (p. 367 BCP)

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.

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

Sanctus S-129

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Celebrant Therefore, according to his command, O Father.

People **We remember his death.
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory.**

Communion Hymn: "Bread for the Broken"

(Refrain)

*Bread for the broken, wine for the wounded
The Body and Blood of our Lord
Jesus the servant, brings love to the table
And healing for all is restored*

*I am the bread of life said the Lord
Believe in me and live
Believe in me and live (Refrain)*

*I am the wine of salvation and grace
Drink and you shall be free
Drink and you shall be free (Refrain)*

*I am the light of the world said the Lord
Come and follow me
Come and follow me (Refrain)*

Communion Hymn: "Better is One Day"

*How lovely is Your dwelling place
O Lord almighty
For my soul longs and even faints for You
For here my heart is satisfied
Within Your presence
I sing beneath the shadow of Your wings*

(Refrain)

*Better is one day in Your courts
Better is one day in Your house
Better is one day in Your courts
Than thousands elsewhere*

*My heart and flesh cry out for You the living God
Your Spirit's water to my soul
I've tasted and I've seen, come once again to me
I will draw near to You. I will draw near to You
(Refrain)*

Post Communion Prayer (p. 365 BCP)

*Almighty and everliving God,
we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food
of the most precious Body and Blood
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ;
And for assuring us in these holy mysteries
that we are living members of the Body of your Son,
and heirs of your eternal kingdom.
And now, Father, send us out
to do the work you have given us to do,
to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our
Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit,
be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.*

The Blessing

Closing Hymn 411: "O Bless the Lord, My Soul!"

*O bless the Lord, my soul!
His grace to thee proclaim!
And all that is with in me
Join to bless his holy Name!*

*O bless the Lord, my soul!
His mercies bear in mind!
Forget not all his benefits!
The Lord to thee is kind.*

*He will not always chide;
He will with patience wait;
His wrath is ever slow to rise
And ready to abate.*

Flower Dedications

John & Jane Briscione - In Honor of Our 51st Anniversary

Your Sermon Notes:

Prayer List

Requested Prayers will remain on the list for 4 weeks. Please let us know if you need to be on longer.

Requested Prayer

Ann, Arlie, Art, Axel, Barbara, Betty E., Beverly, Bob D., Bobby, Brad, Brandy, Brenda B., Brian, Brenna, Cheri, Chris, Curtis, Debby, Della, Dixie, Don D., Donnie, Ede, Elaine, Eleanor, Emily, Fay, Fr. Chris, Gary, Gene, Gordon, Gracey, Harold, Jack, Jackie Lap., Jerry H., John H. Jr., Joyce, Kathy M., Kelli, Kenneth, Laura G., Laura W., Linda D., Linda S., Lisa, Mabel, Madeleine, Manuel, Marilyn, Matthew C., Melissa, Mike, Nancy, Pamela, Patrick, Pedro, Phyllis S., Rachel H., Ralph, Regina, Ronda, Sally, Scott, Seth, Sherry Jo, Sylvia, Tammy, Thomas, Tom L., Tony, The Rev. Marguerite Alley, The Hardcastle Family, The Rev. Trisha Spencer, Valerie, Wade, Wendy, William B., & William Z.

Military

Adam Paris, Adam Thomas, Adam Zigler, Alexander Logan, Asa Ramsey, Ben Boyer, Benjamin Merriweather, Bruce Gough,

Cale Eggart, Chase Coleman, Christian Clark, Corbin Czeck, Daniel Payden, Donovan Chau, Doug Wiessman, Dylan Hoewt, Grant Hungerford, Hunter Bailey, Jackie Neville, James Madden, Jeremy Rice, Jessica Parker, Jose Hernandez, Kathryn Rubio, Kevin Kahl, Marc Ruiz, Mike Darrah, Nicholas Pinkston, Sean Haight, Shaun Southall, Stephen del Risco, Terry W. Triplett, Jr., T. J. Bossa, Tyler Post, William Verwoerd

Repose of the Soul

Ron Gyorkos
David Pete Howard
Brandy Burress
All Who Have Died in Hurricane Ian

New Beginnings

Barrett Hunter Walker born 10-04-2022 weighing 7'bs 9ozs
Son of John & Sarah Walker; Grandson of Hunter & Pam Walker

Prayers for Guidance & Peace

Leanne Beaumont
Craig Doshier

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