



Holy Cross

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Twelfth Sunday After

PENTECOST

August 28, 2022

Opening Voluntary: *Sam Klauss*

Opening Hymn: “Holy, Holy, Holy”

*Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee:
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty,
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!*

*Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,
Casting down their golden crowns
Around the glassy sea;
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
Which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.*

*Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,
Though the sinful human eye thy glory may not see,
Only thou art holy; there is none beside thee,
Perfect in power, in love, and purity.*

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 400: “All Creatures of Our God & King”

*All creatures of our God and King
Lift up your voices and let us sing,
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Bright burning sun with golden beams,
Pale silver moon that gently gleams!
O praise Him! O praise Him!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

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

The First Reading: *Romans 12:1-5*

And so, dear brothers and sisters, I plead with you to give your bodies to God because of all he has done for you. Let them be a living and holy sacrifice-- the kind he will find acceptable. This is truly the way to worship him. Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think. Then you will learn to know God's will for you, which is good and pleasing and perfect. Because of the privilege and authority God has given me, I give each of you this warning: Don't think you are better than you really are. Be honest in your evaluation of yourselves, measuring yourselves by the faith God has given us. Just as our bodies have many parts and each part has a special function, so it is with Christ's body. We are many parts of one body, and we all belong to each other.

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

Psalm 112 (read responsively by whole verse)

- 1 Hallelujah!
Happy are they who fear the Lord
and have great delight in his commandments!
- 2 Their descendants will be mighty in the land;
the generation of the upright will be blessed.
- 3 Wealth and riches will be in their house,
and their righteousness will last for ever.
- 4 Light shines in the darkness for the upright;
the righteous are merciful and full of compassion.
- 5 It is good for them to be generous in lending
and to manage their affairs with justice.
- 6 For they will never be shaken;
the righteous will be kept in everlasting remembrance.
- 7 They will not be afraid of any evil rumors;
their heart is right;
they put their trust in the Lord.
- 8 Their heart is established and will not shrink,
until they see their desire upon their enemies.
- 9 They have given freely to the poor,
and their righteousness stands fast for ever;
they will hold up their head with honor.
- 10 The wicked will see it and be angry;
they will gnash their teeth and pine away;
the desires of the wicked will perish.

Sequence Hymn: "I Surrender All"

*All to Jesus I surrender,
All to Him I freely give;
I will ever love and trust Him,
In His presence daily live*

*I surrender all,
I surrender all.
All to Thee, my blessed Savior,
I surrender all.*

The Gospel Reading: Luke 14:1, 7-14

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

People **Glory to you Lord Christ.**

On one occasion when Jesus was going to the house of a leader of the Pharisees to eat a meal on the sabbath, they were watching him closely.

When he noticed how the guests chose the places of honor, he told them a parable. "When you are invited by someone to a wedding banquet, do not sit down at the place of honor, in case someone more distinguished than you has been invited by your host; and the host who invited both of you may come and say to you, 'Give this person your place,' and then in disgrace you would start to take the lowest place. But when you are invited, go and sit down at the lowest place, so that when your host comes, he may say to you, 'Friend, move up higher'; then you will be honored in the presence of all who sit at the table with you. For all who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted."

He said also to the one who had invited him, "When you give a luncheon or a dinner, do not invite your friends or your brothers or your relatives or rich neighbors, in case they may invite you in return, and you would be repaid. But when you give a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, and the blind. And you will be blessed, because they cannot repay you, for you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous."

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

Sermon *The Rev. Rob Dixon*

The Apostles' Creed (in unison)

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. *Amen*

(*“catholic” means universal)

Prayers of the People

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

Almighty Father, for the peace and unity of the Church of God; *For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.*

Breathe your Holy Spirit into our families, our church, and our nation, *Help us to know you and to follow your ways.*

Move your Spirit within our hearts and minds, *Enable us to live boldly for love, truth, justice, and peace.*

Bless and sanctify our jobs, our work, and our leisure, *So that our entire lives will be a blessing to you, to us, and to our neighbor.*

Embrace within your Spirit all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble; *Help us to answer your call to tend to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.*

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation – *Silence.* We pray especially for all who have died and for those who miss them. – *Silence.* We also pray for all those on our church’s prayer list; *Fill their lives with the healing power of your loving Spirit.*

We will exalt you, O God our King - Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, *And praise your Name for ever and ever.*

The Confession

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. *Amen.*

The Peace: Welcome & Announcements



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: "It Is Well With My Soul"

*When peace like a river, attendeth my way,
When sorrows like sea billows roll
Whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say
It is well, it is well, with my soul*

*(Refrain) It is well. With my soul
It is well, it is well with my soul*

*My soul is at rest in the Lord God alone; From God
Comes salvation and hope. With God as my rock, I shall
Not be disturbed: All is well, all is well with my soul.*

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: "O Come to the Altar"

*Are you hurting and broken within?
Overwhelmed by the weight of your sin, Jesus is calling.
Have you come to the end of yourself?
Do you thirst for a drink from the well, Jesus is calling.*

(Refrain)

*O come to the altar, The Father's arms are open wide
Forgiveness was bought with
The precious blood of Jesus Christ*

*Leave behind your regrets and mistakes
Come today, there's no reason to wait,
Jesus is calling.*

*Bring your sorrows and trade them for joy
From the ashes a new life is born,
Jesus is calling. (Refrain)*

*Oh what a Savior, isn't He wonderful?
Sing hallelujah! Christ is risen!
Bow down before Him, for He is Lord of all.
Sing hallelujah! Christ is risen! (Refrain)*

Communion Hymn: "How Great is Our God"

*The splendor of a King, clothed in majesty
Let all the Earth rejoice, all the Earth rejoice
He wraps himself in light, and darkness tries to hide
And trembles at His voice, trembles at His voice*

(Refrain)

*How great is our God, sing with me
How great is our God, and all will see
How great, how great is our God*

*Age to age He stands, and time is in His hands
Beginning and the end, beginning and the end
The Godhead Three in One; Father, Spirit, Son,
The Lion and the Lamb, the Lion and the Lamb.
(Refrain)*

Post Communion Prayer (p. 832 BCP)

*Almighty and eternal God, so draw our hearts to you,
so guide our minds, so fill our imaginations, so control
our wills, that we may be wholly yours, utterly
dedicated to you; and then use us, we pray, as you will,
and always to your glory and the welfare of your
people; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.
Amen*

The Blessing

Closing Hymn: "You Are My All in All"

*You are my strength when I am weak
You are the treasure that I seek. You are my all in all
Seeking You as a precious jewel Lord, to give up
I'd be a fool You are my all in all*

*(Refrain) Jesus, Lamb of God. Worthy is Your name
Jesus, Lamb of God. Worthy is Your name*

*Taking my sin, my cross, my shame
Rising again I bless Your name.
You are my all in all When I fall down
You pick me up, when I am dry you fill my cup.
You are my all in all. When I am dry You fill my cup
You are my all in all (Refrain)*

Flower Dedications

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

Amy, Axel, Barbara, Betty E., Beverly, Bob D., Bobby, Brenda B., Brian, Brenna, Carmen, Cheri, Chris, Curtis, D'Anna, Dean D., Don D., Donnie, Ede, Emily, Erica, Fay, Fr. Chris, Chris D., Gary, Gene, Gordon, Gracey, Gretchen, Harold, Jack, Jackie, Jane, Jerry H., Johnny, John H. Jr., Joseph, Joyce, Kathy M., Kelli, Kenneth, Ksenya, Andris & Anastasia K., Laura G., Laura W., Linda, Lisa, Mabel, Manuel, Matthew C., Melissa, Michele, Michelle, Mike, Nancy, Pamela, Patrick, Paula, Pedro, Phyllis S., Rachel H., Ralph, Ron H., Sally, Scott, Seth, Sherry Jo, Sylvia, Tammy, Tom B., Tom L., Tony, The Rev. Marguerite Alley, The Rev. Trisha Spencer, Valerie, Wade, William B., William Z., & Zach

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, 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

New Beginnings

Genevieve Susan Simpler - born on 08-19-2022

Daughter of Jeffrey & Amy Simpler; Sister of Daniel & McKenzie Simpler, & Granddaughter of Susan Karl

Rest of the Soul

Joanne Gee

All Who Have Died in the Ukrainian & Russian War

Prayers for Guidance & Peace

Leanne Beaumont

Craig Doshier

Clergy

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