# ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH Shawnee, Kansas



## **Holy Eucharist Rite II**

THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

PROPER 7

June 25, 2023 10:30 a.m.

People standing as able.

## The Opening Hymn

Morning Has Broken The Hymnal 1982 #8



All standing, the Celebrant says

## **Opening Acclamation**

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

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

## **Collect of Purity**

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Ho - ly One,

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.* 

## **Song of Praise** The Hymnal 1982 #S279

Sung all together 1. Glo - ry God in the high - est,\_ and peace to his peo-ple on earth. 2. Lord God, King, al-might-y God and Fa - ther, we wor-ship you, we give you thanks, we on-ly Son of the praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je-sus Christ, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you take a - way the Fa - ther, of the sin world: have 5. you are seat-ed at the mer - cy on us; right hand of the Fa - ther:\_\_\_\_ re - ceive our prayer. 6. For you a -

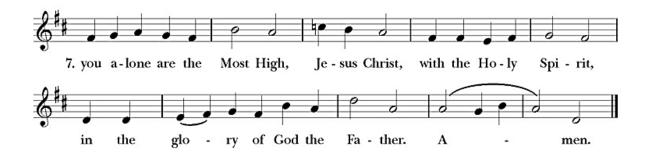
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#### **Collect of the Day**

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

O Lord, make us have perpetual love and reverence for your holy Name, for you never fail to help and govern those whom you have set upon the sure foundation of your loving-kindness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

Please be seated.

#### THE LESSONS

#### The Old Testament Genesis 21:8-21

The child grew, and was weaned; and Abraham made a great feast on the day that Isaac was weaned. But Sarah saw the son of Hagar the Egyptian, whom she had borne to Abraham, playing with her son Isaac. So she said to Abraham, "Cast out this slave woman with her son; for the son of this slave woman shall not inherit along with my son Isaac." The matter was very distressing to Abraham on account of his son. But God said to Abraham, "Do not be distressed because of the boy and because of your slave woman; whatever Sarah says to you, do as she tells you, for it is through Isaac that offspring shall be named for you. As for the son of the slave woman, I will make a nation of him also, because he is your offspring." So Abraham rose early in the morning, and took bread and a skin of water, and gave it to Hagar, putting it on her shoulder, along with the child, and sent her away. And she departed, and wandered about in the wilderness of Beer-sheba.

When the water in the skin was gone, she cast the child under one of the bushes. Then she went and sat down opposite him a good way off, about the distance of a bowshot; for she said, "Do not let me look on the death of the child." And as she sat opposite him, she lifted up her voice and wept. And God heard the voice of the boy; and the angel of God called to Hagar from heaven, and said to her, "What troubles you, Hagar? Do not be afraid; for God has heard the voice of the boy where he is. Come, lift up the boy and hold

him fast with your hand, for I will make a great nation of him." Then God opened her eyes and she saw a well of water. She went, and filled the skin with water, and gave the boy a drink.

God was with the boy, and he grew up; he lived in the wilderness, and became an expert with the bow. He lived in the wilderness of Paran; and his mother got a wife for him from the land of Egypt.

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

## The Psalm Psalm 86:1-10, 16-17

Inclina, Domine

- 1 Bow down your ear, O LORD, and answer me, \* for I am poor and in misery.
- 2 Keep watch over my life, for I am faithful; \* save your servant who puts his trust in you.
- 3 Be merciful to me, O LORD, for you are my God; \* I call upon you all the day long.
- 4 Gladden the soul of your servant, \* for to you, O LORD, I lift up my soul.
- 5 For you, O LORD, are good and forgiving, \* and great is your love toward all who call upon you.
- 6 Give ear, O LORD, to my prayer, \* and attend to the voice of my supplications.
- 7 In the time of my trouble I will call upon you, \* for you will answer me.
- 8 Among the gods there is none like you, O LORD, \* nor anything like your works.
- 9 All nations you have made will come and worship you, O LORD, \* and glorify your Name.
- 10 For you are great; you do wondrous things; \* and you alone are God.
- 16 Turn to me and have mercy upon me; \* give your strength to your servant; and save the child of your handmaid.
- 17 Show me a sign of your favor, so that those who hate me may see it and be ashamed; \* because you, O LORD, have helped me and comforted me.

A period of silence is kept.

## The Epistle Romans 6:1b-11

Should we continue in sin in order that grace may abound? By no means! How can we who died to sin go on living in it? Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? Therefore we have been buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life.

For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. We know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be destroyed, and we might no longer be enslaved to sin. For whoever has died is freed from sin. But if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. The death he died, he died to sin, once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God. So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

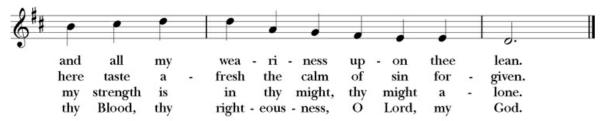
Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

Please stand as able.

## **Gospel Anthem**

Here, O My Lord The Hymnal 1982 #318





The Gospel Matthew 10:24-39

All stand as able.

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said to the twelve disciples, "A disciple is not above the teacher, nor a slave above the master; it is enough for the disciple to be like the teacher, and the slave like the master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebul, how much more will they malign those of his household!

"So have no fear of them; for nothing is covered up that will not be uncovered, and nothing secret that will not become known. What I say to you in the dark, tell in the light; and what you hear whispered, proclaim from the housetops. Do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell. Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground apart from your Father. And even the hairs of your head are all counted. So do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows.

"Everyone therefore who acknowledges me before others, I also will acknowledge before my Father in heaven; but whoever denies me before others, I also will deny before my Father in heaven.

"Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth; I have not come to bring peace, but a sword.

For I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law; and one's foes will be members of one's own household.

Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it."

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Please be seated.

#### The Sermon

#### The Nicene Creed

All stand and say together.

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 our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit

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 and 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

Please stand or kneel as able.



Prayers of the People
June 25, 2023
The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
Proper 7

In Christ, God reveals to us steadfast love and invites us into mercy. With grateful hearts, let us respond in prayer, saying: O gracious God, **hear our prayer**.

That we and all men and women of faith, and especially the leaders of the church,-Michael, Jonathan, Shawn- may know when propriety and order are overruled by the Spirit and may see the outcast and the insignificant as the true bearers of the word: O gracious God, *hear our prayer*.

For the capacity to endure the lashes of God's ruthless love, and for the patience to be conformed to the pattern of Christ's suffering, that we may know and proclaim the power of the resurrection: O gracious God, *hear our prayer*.

For the world's people in their brokenness and suffering, and for those who make peace and do justice, that they may be strong and courageous in the face of discouragement and opposition: O gracious God, *hear our prayer*.

For those who suffer, for the sick, for the lonely, for the hungry, for victims of political oppression, that mercy and compassion may transform their sorrow into joy: O gracious God, *hear our prayer*.

For the unemployed and for those demeaned or victimized by their work, that they may find new opportunities for joy and satisfaction; O gracious God, *hear our prayer*.

For all who have died, especially those whose witness has strengthened and encouraged us along the way: O gracious God, *hear our prayer*.

## In the World Council of Churches Cycle of Prayer:

Pray for the people of Kenya, Tanzania

## In the Kansas Cycle of Prayer:

Pray for St. Paul's, Marysville

O gracious God, hear our prayer.

For Those Serving in the Armed Forces: Devon Allen; Murphy Bright; Ben Dible; Coy Goodman; Michael Green; Harvey Hayselden; Benjamin Karpinski; Alex Shaw; Jose Te'o; Collin Kelly; Macauley Garton; Frank Bednar; Grant Bednar; Henry Kniggendorf; Sean Bess; Maxwell Hayselden;

O gracious God, hear our prayer.

For Health & Strength: Gloria Beaty and the Beaty Family; Bishop Michael Curry; Terry Rausin; Maxdon Fuller; Kyle Roberts; Trudy Vanderwide; Cindy Keller; Scott Forsen; Kay Allen; Riek, Fletcher, and Heitman families and especially Cindy Heitman; John Hoffman; Kathy Uhrmacher; Matt Hunnicutt; Susan St. John; Lisa Houghton; Jeanne and Bruce Miller; Kristy Maendele; Staci Hersh; John Birtwell and Family; Theresa Textor; Eloise and Claton Clevenger and family; Dalton Peavler; Craig and Jeanette Burris;

O gracious God, hear our prayer.

For Birthdays: Ella Hibbs; Stephan Mann; Kate Wood; Greg Pfau

For Anniversaries: James and Shannon Maendele; Dennis and Candi Phillips

O gracious God, hear our prayer.

God of steadfast love and mercy, hear our prayers, and receive the secret yearnings of our hearts. Grant our petitions in ways that are best for us and for those for whom we pray, and deepen within us an awareness of your mercy and a willingness to follow Christ, in whose name we pray. **Amen.** 

A period of silence is kept.

## **Birthday Prayer**

Watch over your children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 



## **Anniversary Prayer**

O gracious and ever living God, look mercifully upon these couples who come to you seeking your blessing on this their anniversary, continue assisting them with your grace, that with true fidelity and steadfast love they may honor and keep the promises and vows they have made; through Jesus Christ our Savior. *Amen* 

#### The Confession of Sin

*Celebrant* Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor. *The people kneel as they are able.* 

Celebrant and People

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.

Priest

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen*.

## The Exchange of Peace

All stand as able.

*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

*Greet each other safely.* 

#### **Announcements**

## **The Offertory Sentence**

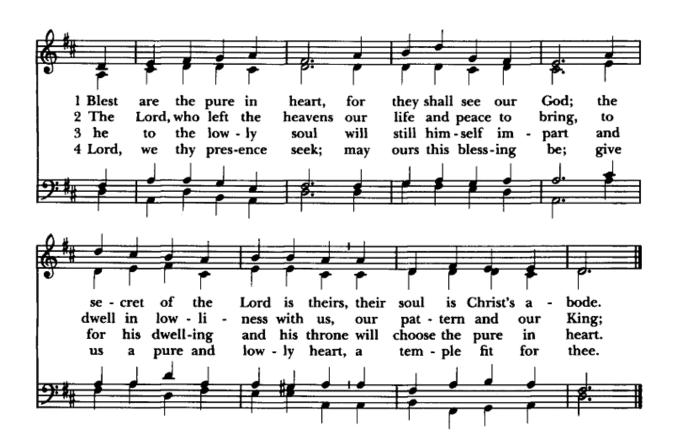
Celebrant

Ascribe to the Lord the honor due his Name; bring offering and come into his courts. *Psalm 96:8* 



**Offertory Anthem** 

Blessed are the Pure in Heart The Hymnal 1982 #656



### The Presentation of Bread



All stand as able.

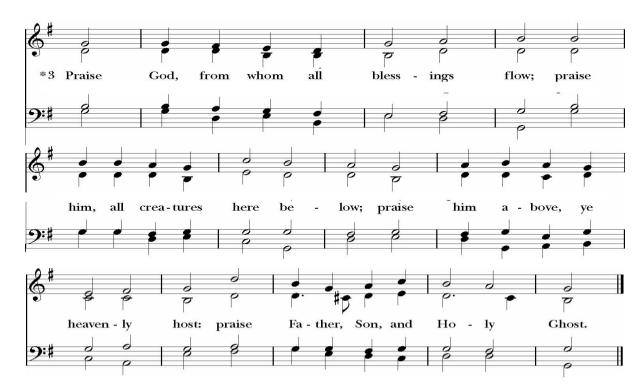


#### **Presentation of Gifts**

Representatives of the congregation bring the people's offerings of bread and wine.

**Doxology** 

The Hymnal 1982 #380 v. 3



Celebrant All things come from you O Lord.

People And of your own have we given you. Amen.

## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING Eucharistic Prayer A

Standing as you are able.

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.

#### Celebrant

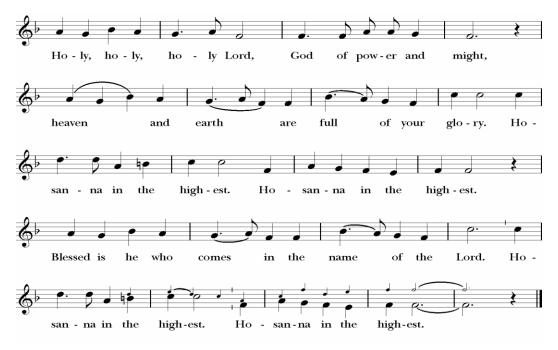
It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

For you are the source of light and life, you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

\*Celebrant and People\*\*

The Hymnal 1982 # S-125



The people stand or kneel.

#### Celebrant

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

#### Celebrant

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.** 

#### Celebrant

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

## The Lord's Prayer

(All together)

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,

## The Breaking of the Bread

A period of silence is kept.

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia

for ever and ever. Amen.

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that

Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with

thanksgiving.

Celebrant

The table of bread is now made ready.

It is the table of company with Jesus, and all who love him.

It is the table of sharing with the poor of the world, with whom Jesus identified himself.

It is the table of communion with the earth, in which Christ became incarnate.

So come to this table, you who have much faith, and you who would like to have more; you who have been here often, and you who have not been for a long time; you who have tried to follow Jesus, and you who have failed; come.

It is Christ who invites us to meet him here.



HOLY COMMUNION

persons are welcome to receive Holy Communion. If you are not baptized or if you prefer a blessing only, cross your arms over your chest at the altar.

**Holy Communion** All are welcome at the altar rail. All baptized

Gluten-free wafers are available; please make your needs known to the minister.

The choir will receive first. Please wait until the usher releases your pew. You may stand or kneel at the altar rail. Father Jonathan will intinct the wafer in consecrated wine. If you do not desire this please make your needs known.

**Communion Hymn** 

Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life The Hymnal 1982 #609



Kneel as you are able.

## **Post-Communion Prayer**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace,

and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## The Blessing

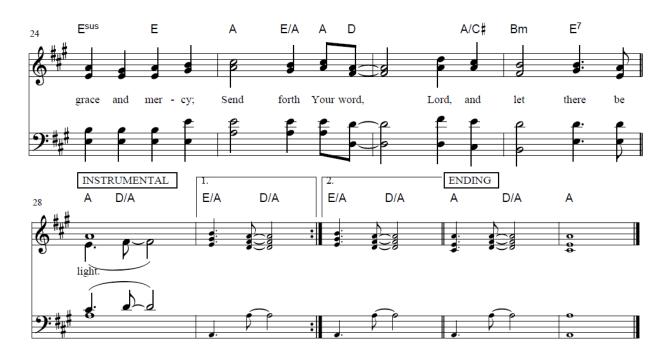
#### Celebrant

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. *Amen.* 

Stand as able.







#### The Dismissal

Celebrant Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia.



Flowers Given: In Thanksgiving for Ella's Birthday by Amanda Textor and Jerry Hibbs



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