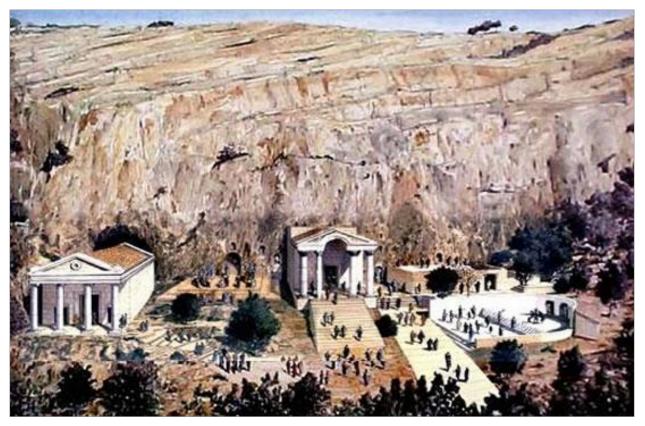
ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH Shawnee, Kansas



Ancient City of Caesarea Philippi: Who Do You Say That I Am?

Holy Eucharist Rite II

THE THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

PROPER 17

August 27, 2023 10:30 a.m.

People standing as able. **The Opening Hymn**

Praise the Lord, Rise Up Rejoicing The Hymnal 1982 #334



All standing, the Celebrant says

Opening Acclamation

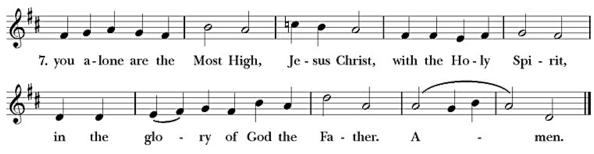
CelebrantBlessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.PeopleAnd blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Collect of 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.*

Song of Praise *The Hymnal 1982 #S279*

Sung all together 1. Glo - ry to God in the high - est,_ 2. Lord God, and peace to his peo-ple on earth. hea-ven - ly King, Ø you, we give you thanks, we al-might-y God and Fa - ther, we wor-ship 0 praise you for your 3. Lord Je-sus glo - ry. Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you take a - way the sin of the world: have seat - ed at the mer - cy on us; 5. you are right hand of the 6. For you a -Fa ther:_ re - ceive our prayer. Ho - ly One, lone are the you a - lone the Lord, are



Collect of the Day

Celebrant	The Lord be with you.
People	And also with you.
Celebrant	Let us pray.

Grant, O merciful God, that your Church, being gathered together in unity by your Holy Spirit, may show forth your power among all peoples, to the glory of your Name; 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 Exodus 1:8-2:10

Now a new king arose over Egypt, who did not know Joseph. He said to his people, "Look, the Israelite people are more numerous and more powerful than we. Come, let us deal shrewdly with them, or they will increase and, in the event of war, join our enemies and fight against us and escape from the land." Therefore they set taskmasters over them to oppress them with forced labor. They built supply cities, Pithom and Rameses, for Pharaoh. But the more they were oppressed, the more they multiplied and spread, so that the Egyptians came to dread the Israelites. The Egyptians became ruthless in imposing tasks on the Israelites, and made their lives bitter with hard service in mortar and brick and in every kind of field labor. They were ruthless in all the tasks that they imposed on them.

The king of Egypt said to the Hebrew midwives, one of whom was named Shiphrah and the other Puah, "When you act as midwives to the Hebrew women, and see them on the birthstool, if it is a boy, kill him; but if it is a girl, she shall live." But the midwives feared God; they did not do as the king of Egypt commanded them, but they let the boys live. So the king of Egypt summoned the midwives and said to them, "Why have you done this, and allowed the boys to live?" The midwives said to Pharaoh, "Because the Hebrew women are not like the Egyptian women; for they are vigorous and give birth before the midwife comes to them." So God dealt well with the midwives; and the people multiplied and became very strong. And because the midwives feared God, he gave them families. Then Pharaoh commanded all his people, "Every boy that is born to the Hebrews you shall throw into the Nile, but you shall let every girl live."

Now a man from the house of Levi went and married a Levite woman. The woman conceived and bore a son; and when she saw that he was a fine baby, she hid him three months. When she could hide him no longer she got a papyrus basket for him, and plastered it with bitumen and pitch; she put the child in it and placed it among the reeds on the bank of the river. His sister stood at a distance, to see what would happen to him.

The daughter of Pharaoh came down to bathe at the river, while her attendants walked beside the river. She saw the basket among the reeds and sent her maid to bring it. When she opened it, she saw the child. He was crying, and she took pity on him, "This must be one of the Hebrews' children," she said. Then his sister said to Pharaoh's daughter, "Shall I go and get you a nurse from the Hebrew women to nurse the child for you?" Pharaoh's daughter said to her, "Yes." So the girl went and called the child's mother. Pharaoh's daughter said to her, "Take this child and nurse it for me, and I will give you your wages." So the woman took the child and nursed it. When the child grew up, she brought him to Pharaoh's daughter, and she took him as her son. She named him Moses, "because," she said, "I drew him out of the water.".

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

The Psalm Psalm 124

Nisi quia Dominus

- 1 If the LORD had not been on our side, * let Israel now say;
- 2 If the LORD had not been on our side, * when enemies rose up against us;
- 3 Then would they have swallowed us up alive * in their fierce anger toward us;
- 4 Then would the waters have overwhelmed us * and the torrent gone over us;
- 5 Then would the raging waters * have gone right over us.
- 6 Blessed be the LORD! *

he has not given us over to be a prey for their teeth.

7 We have escaped like a bird from the snare of the fowler; * the snare is broken, and we have escaped.

8 Our help is in the Name of the LORD, * the maker of heaven and earth.

A period of silence is kept.

The Epistle Romans 12:1-8

I appeal to you therefore, brothers and sisters, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what is the will of God-- what is good and acceptable and perfect.

For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of yourself more highly than you ought to think, but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned. For as in one body we have many members, and not all the members have the same function, so we, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually we are members one of another. We have gifts that differ according to the grace given to us: prophecy, in proportion to faith; ministry, in ministering; the teacher, in teaching; the exhorter, in exhortation; the giver, in generosity; the leader, in diligence; the compassionate, in cheerfulness.

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

Gospel Anthem Jesus Name Above All Names name a-bove beau-ti-ful 1. Je - sus, all names, Sav - ior, Vine of the branch-es, 2. Je - sus, lov - ing Shep-herd, glo - ri - ous Lord. Em man – u – el, God; Prince of Peace, Son ____ of God _____ with. bless - ed Re is us, Won – der – Coun ful lor, Lord of the se --deem Liv Word. - er. ing Light of u _ ni-verse, the world.

Please stand as able.

The Gospel Matthew 16:13-20

All stand as able.

CelebrantThe Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.PeopleGlory to you, Lord Christ.

When Jesus came into the district of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, "Who do people say that the Son of Man is?" And they said, "Some say John the Baptist, but others Elijah, and still others Jeremiah or one of the prophets." He said to them, "But who do you say that I am?" Simon Peter answered, "You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God." And Jesus answered him, "Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah! For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father in heaven. And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not prevail against it. I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven." Then he sternly ordered the disciples not to tell anyone that he was the Messiah.

Celebrant	The Gospel of the Lord.
People	Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Please be seated.

The Sermon The Reverend Jonathan Brice

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 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 August 27, 2023 The Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Through the power of God, Peter saw Jesus in spirit and truth. For the power of God to be felt in our own times, let us offer intercessions, saying: **Lord**, **hear us.**

For all peoples of the earth and powers of the world who have not yet recognized Jesus as the Christ, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, hear us.*

For the unity of the churches, and for their common witness to the possibility of faith, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, hear us.*

For those who struggle to believe in the earthly manifestations of Christ in the church, in the liturgy, and in daily life, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, hear us.*

For those who suffer at the hands of the church, and for those who are oppressed in the name of God, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, hear us.*

For ourselves, our families, and our communities, who are daily faced with questions of faith, let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, hear us.*

In the World Council of Churches Cycle of Prayer:

Pray for the people of Cape Verde, The Gambia, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Senegal

In the Kansas Cycle of Prayer:

Pray for oung adult and campus ministries across the diocese, especially St. Anselm's Canterbury in Lawrence and St. Francis Canterbury in Manhattan

let us pray to the Lord. Lord, hear us.

For Those Serving in the Armed Forces: Devon Allen; Murphy Bright; Ben Dible; 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;

let us pray to the Lord. Lord, hear us.

For Health & Strength: Trudy Vanderwide; Scott Forsen; The Holmberg family;; Craig and Jeanette Burris; Katherine Riggins & family; Kenneth Cox & family; Gloria Beaty and the Beaty Family; Maxdon Fuller; Kyle Roberts; Jeanne and Bruce Miller; John Birtwell and Family; Theresa Textor; Eloise and Claton Clevenger and family; Dalton Peavler;

let us pray to the Lord. *Lord, hear us.*

For Birthdays: Brittany Boffman; Grace Rohrer; Melissa Jaquish

let us pray to the Lord. Lord, hear us.

Living God, you wish to be among us in your Son and in his church. Hear the petitions we place before you. Increase our faith that we may see your works more clearly; purify our actions that we may reveal your love more surely. We ask this in the name of Jesus, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. **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

Blessings from God

days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. 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.

The Offertory Sentence

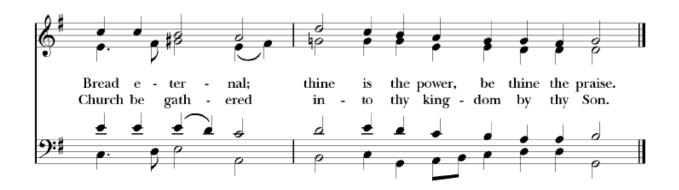
Celebrant Ascribe to the Lord the honor due his Name; bring offering and come into his courts. *Psalm 96:8*



Offertory Anthem

Father, We Thank Thee Who Hast Planted The Hymnal 1982 #302





The Presentation of Bread

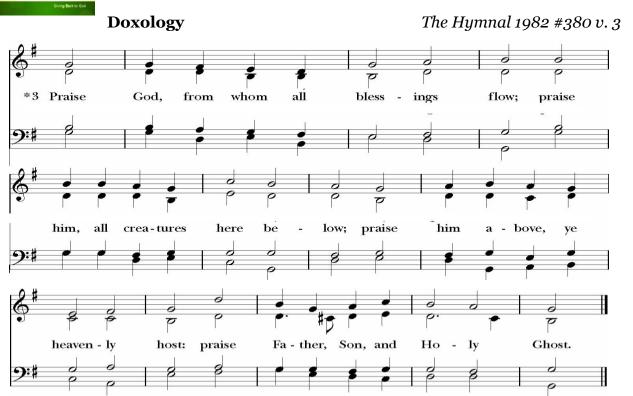
All stand as able.





Presentation of Gifts

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



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.

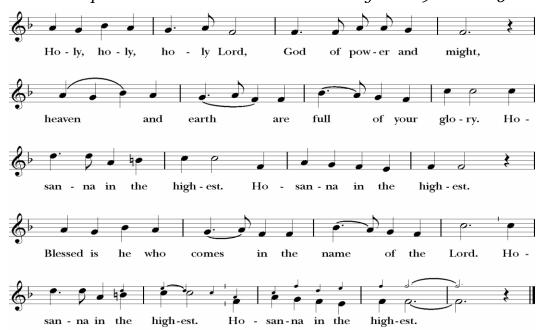
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Celebrant	The Lord be with you.
People	And also with you.
Celebrant	Lift up your hearts.
People	We lift them to the Lord.
Celebrant	Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People	It is right to give him thanks and praise.

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 PeopleThe 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,
for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

A period of silence is kept.

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

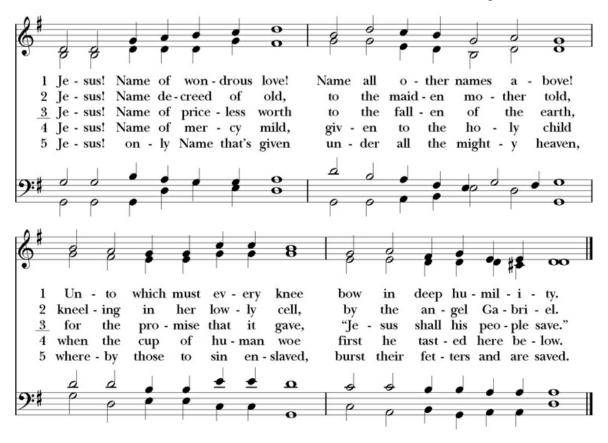
It is Christ who invites us to meet him here.



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

Jesus! Name of Wondrous Love The Hymnal 1982 #252



6 Jesus! Name of wondrous love! Human Name of God above; pleading only this we flee, helpless, O our God, to thee.

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

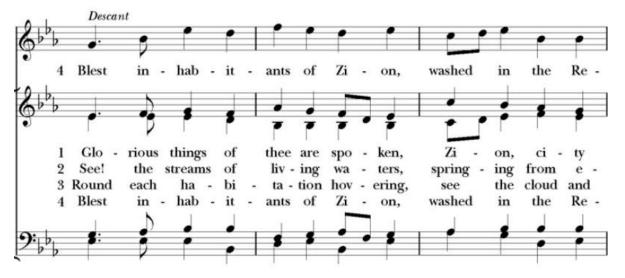
The peace of God, which passes all understanding , keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. *Amen.*

Announcements

Stand as able.

The Closing Hymn

Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken The Hymnal 1982 #522







The Dismissal

CelebrantLet us go forth in the name of Christ.PeopleThanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia.



Flowers Given: In Memory of Charles by Pat Smith and Family



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