



St. John's Episcopal Church, Georgetown Parish
Sunday, July 24, 2016 10:00 AM
The Tenth Sunday after Pentecost
Holy Eucharist—Rite II

Page references are for the Book of Common Prayer
Hymns are found in the blue Hymnal 1982

Prelude

Communion from Une messe dominicale

Pierre Cocheareau, transcribed by FRANÇOIS LOMBARD

Processional Hymn 408

Sing praise to God

MIT FREUDEN ZART

Opening Acclamation

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

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

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.

Gloria in excelsis Hymnal S 278

WILLIAM MATHIAS

Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: Let us pray.

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: Increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that, with you as our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal, that we lose not the things eternal; 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 First Lesson

Genesis 18:20-32

A Reading from the Book of Genesis

The LORD said to Abraham, "How great is the outcry against Sodom and Gomorrah and how very grave their sin! I must go down and see whether they have done altogether according to the outcry that has come to me; and if not, I will know."

So the men turned from there, and went toward Sodom, while Abraham remained standing before the LORD. Then Abraham came near and said, "Will you indeed sweep away the righteous with the wicked? Suppose there are fifty righteous within the city; will you then sweep away the place and not forgive it for the fifty righteous who are in it? Far be it from you to do such a thing, to slay the righteous with the wicked, so that the righteous fare as the wicked! Far be that from you! Shall not the Judge of all the earth do what is just?" And the LORD said, "If I find at Sodom fifty righteous in the city, I will forgive the whole place for their sake." Abraham answered, "Let me take it upon myself to speak to the Lord, I who am but dust and ashes. Suppose five of the fifty righteous are lacking? Will you destroy the whole city for lack of five?" And he said, "I will not destroy it if I find forty-five there." Again he spoke to him, "Suppose forty are found there." He answered, "For the sake of forty I will not do it." Then he said, "Oh do not let the Lord be angry if I speak. Suppose thirty are found there." He answered, "I will not do it, if I find thirty there." He said, "Let me take it upon myself to speak to the Lord. Suppose twenty are found there." He answered, "For the sake of twenty I will not destroy it." Then he said, "Oh do not let the Lord be angry if I speak just once more. Suppose ten are found there." He answered, "For the sake of ten I will not destroy it."

Reader: "The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God**

Psalm 138

- 1 I will give thanks to you, O LORD, with my whole heart; *
before the gods I will sing your praise.
- 2 I will bow down toward your holy temple
and praise your Name, *
because of your love and faithfulness;
- 3 For you have glorified your Name *
and your word above all things.
- 4 When I called, you answered me; *
you increased my strength within me.
- 5 All the kings of the earth will praise you, O LORD, *
when they have heard the words of your mouth.
- 6 They will sing of the ways of the LORD, *
that great is the glory of the LORD.
- 7 Though the LORD be high, he cares for the lowly; *
he perceives the haughty from afar.
- 8 Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you keep me safe; *
you stretch forth your hand against the fury of my enemies;
your right hand shall save me.
- 9 The LORD will make good his purpose for me; *
O LORD, your love endures for ever;
do not abandon the works of your hands.

Please stand for the sequence hymn and remain standing until the sermon begins.

Sequence Hymn 615 *“Thy kingdom come!” on bended knee*

ST. FLAVIAN

The Holy Gospel

Luke 11:1-13

The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ According to Luke.

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples." He said to them, "When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. Give us each day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial."

And he said to them, "Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set before him.' And he answers from within, 'Do not bother me; the door has already been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything.' I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, at least because of his persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs.

"So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for a fish, will give a snake instead of a fish? Or if the child asks for an egg, will give a scorpion? If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"

The Gospel of the Lord

People: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Please be seated for the sermon.

Sermon

The Rev. Gini Gerbasi, Rector

Please stand for the Creed.

The Nicene Creed

BCP P 358

The Prayers of the People Form III

BCP P 387

Confession of Sin

BCP P 360

Absolution

The Peace

All stand. The Celebrant says to the people
The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People: And also with you.

Welcome & Announcements

The Offertory

The Offertory Hymn 184

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!

From LEVAS



1. Bless - ed as - sur - ance, Je - sus is mine!____ O what a
2. Per - fect sub - mis - sion, per - fect de - light,____ Vi - sions of
3. Per - fect sub - mis - sion, all is at rest,____ I in my



1. fore-taste of glo - ry di - vine!____ Heir of sal - va - tion, pur - chase of
2. rap - ture now burst on my sight;____ An - gels de - scend - ing, bring from a -
3. sav - ior am hap - py and blest;____ Watch - ing and wait - ing, look - ing a -



1. God,____ Born of His spir - it, washed in His blood.____
2. bove____ Ech - oes of mer - cy, whis - pers of love.____
3. bove,____ Filled with His good - ness, lost in His love.____

This is my sto - ry, this is my song, Prais - ing my

sav - ior all the day long; This is my sto - ry, this is my

song, Prais - ing my sav - ior all the day long.

Doxology

OLD HUNDREDTH

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 HOLY COMMUNION

Eucharistic Prayer

Enriching our Worship 1

The people remain standing.

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 our thanks and praise.**

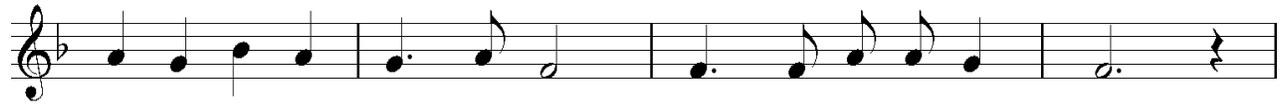
It is truly right, and good and joyful, to give you thanks, all-holy God, source of life and fountain of mercy. You have filled us and all creation with your blessing and fed us with your constant love; you have redeemed us in Jesus Christ and knit us into one body. Through your Spirit you replenish us and call us to fullness of life.

Therefore, joining with Angels and Archangels and with the faithful of every generation, we lift our voices with all creation as we sing:

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Sanctus

RICHARD PROULX



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,



heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -



san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.



Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -



san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

The people may stand or kneel as the celebrant continues.

Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love. You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards and show forth your bountiful grace.

But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love. Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people.

Through Abraham and Sarah you called us into covenant with you. You delivered us from slavery, sustained us in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation. Then, in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

On the night before he died for us, Our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

As supper was ending, Jesus 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 poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ's Body in the world. Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your daughters and sons, that with all your saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever. **AMEN.**

And now, as our savior Jesus Christ has taught us, we are bold to say:

The Lord's Prayer

BCP P 364

People and Celebrant

**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.**

Then may be sung or said

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People: Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia

The Administration of Communion

All those who seek a closer relationship with God in Christ are welcome to receive communion at St. John's. If you would prefer to receive a blessing, please cross your arms over your chest as you reach the communion minister.

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

Recessional Hymn 423

Immortal, invisible, God only wise

ST. DENIO

The Dismissal

Celebrant: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

Prelude in C, BWV 547

JOHANN SEBASTIAN BACH



Hyde-Addison Parking Lot

Please note: The gates to the parking lot in Hyde-Addison will be locked one hour after the 10:00 am service ends, every Sunday.



Service Participants

Crucifer

Stephanie Hood

Minister of the Word & Intercessor

Daniel Wassim

Ushers

Scott & Jill Altman

Gospel Bearer

Sumner Hood

Chalicians

Cara Rockhill & Tim Watt

Altar Guild

Kristina Cartwright

Guest Organist

Robert McCormick

Announcements

Child care is available in the atrium.

Please see an usher if you need assistance.

Guest Organist, Robert McCormick has been the Director of Music at St. Paul's Parish, K St. in Washington, DC for the past eight years. He begins his new position as Organist and Choirmaster at St. Mark's Episcopal Church, Locust St. in Philadelphia in August. We wish him well and blessings in his new position.

Summer Worship Service Schedule through September 11

We are on our summer worship schedule with one combined service at 10:00 am followed immediately with lemonade, cookies and popsicles on the front lawn! Childcare will be provided from 9:45–11:30 am. Parking at Hyde-Addison Elementary School will be available from 9am to 12:15 pm. If you stay in Georgetown after church for brunch or shopping, please move your vehicle to a parking spot on the street so the lot can be locked.



Luncheon TODAY after our combined 10:00 am worship service. Come catch up and spend time with friends!

Spiritual Growth for Children and Families - A Conversation after the Super Hero service, August 14 - from 11:00 - 12:00

- If you are a parent, or are interested in the spiritual growth of children, please stay until noon (we'll have snacks, activities, and childcare for your kids while we talk!) so we can begin a discussion of how to deepen the spiritual lives of children and families at St. John's.

If you can't come, but are interested in being a part of the conversation, please call me or email me! If there are enough people interested who can't come, we'll find another time and day before Labor Day!

**KEEP
CALM
AND
COME CHILL
WITH US**

SUMMER HIGHLIGHTS AT ST. JOHN'S

- Today: Potluck Summer Lunch following the Service
- August 14: **Superhero Sunday** - dress up as your favorite hero (superhero, real-life heroes or biblical heroes).
- August 21: Chill with **Cool Jazz Sunday**
Parish Potluck Luncheon
- August 28 Lego My Bible - (Details Coming Soon!)
- September 4: **Blessing of the Backpacks** - we honor and bless students and teachers as they go back-to-school; Grandparents Day
- September 11: **Celebration Sunday and Ministry Fair** - St. John's Choir resumes 6-8 pm, **Light the City** - evening tour of Georgetown Churches
- September 18: We resume our regular schedule with **2 services at 9 and 11 am**



Samuel Carabetta, Artistic Director

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Sunday, November 13, 2016 at 5 pm
TICKETS @ \$40. EACH
PATRICK QUIGLEY, ARTISTIC DIRECTOR
NATHAN LAUBE
GRAMMY AWARD-WINNING ORGANIST



JEWELS OF PARIS
THE FAURÉ & DURUFLÉ REQUIEMS

NATHAN GUNN, BARITONE
JULIE GUNN, PIANO
SUNDAY, MAY 7, 2017 AT 5 PM
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Saint John's Services Calendar

Today: Sunday, July 24th

Holy Eucharist Rite II

10:00 am Summer Worship Schedule
through September 11

*Sunday School Resumes in September.

Tuesdays Centering Prayer Holy Eucharist Service, 5:30pm
Chapel of the Carpenter

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