

CHRIST CHURCH ANGLICAN/EPISCOPAL



THE FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

September 3, 2023

Holy Eucharist - Rite II (Proper 17)

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| 9:30 a.m. | Holy Eucharist (English, spoken service) |
| 11:00 a.m. | Holy Eucharist (English, with organ & choir) |
| 1:00 p.m. | Santa Eucaristía (Spanish, with piano) |

Welcome! The order for worship is in the Book of Common Prayer (BCP), the red book on the back of the pews. Hymns are in the blue book unless the lyrics are printed in the bulletin. Hymns with "S" before the number are grouped at the beginning of the hymnal.

You may add your prayer requests to the Prayers of the People in the notebook on the Ushers' Desk at the rear of the nave.

The Liturgy of the Word

The Entrance Hymn

Hymnal # 401

The Salutation

BCP p. 355



The Gloria – Glory be to God

Hymnal S-204

The Collect of the Day

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: Graft in our hearts the love of your Name; increase in us true religion; nourish us with all goodness; and bring forth in us the fruit of good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Lessons

The First Lesson: A Reading from the Book of Exodus (3:1-15)

Moses was keeping the flock of his father-in-law Jethro, the priest of Midian; he led his flock beyond the wilderness, and came to Horeb, the mountain of God. There the angel of the LORD appeared to him in a flame of fire out of a bush; he looked, and the bush was blazing, yet it was not consumed. Then Moses said, “I must turn aside and look at this great sight, and see why the bush is not burned up.” When the LORD saw that he had turned aside to see, God called to him out of the bush, “Moses, Moses!” And he said, “Here I am.” Then he said, “Come no closer! Remove the sandals from your feet, for the place on which you are standing is holy ground.” He said further, “I am the God of your father, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob.” And Moses hid his face, for he was afraid to look at God.

Then the LORD said, “I have observed the misery of my people who are in Egypt; I have heard their cry on account of their taskmasters. Indeed, I know their sufferings, and I have come down to deliver them from the Egyptians, and to bring them up out of that land to a good and broad land, a land flowing with milk and honey, to the country of the Canaanites, the Hittites, the Amorites, the Perizzites, the Hivites, and the Jebusites. The cry of the Israelites has now come to me; I have also seen how the Egyptians oppress them. So come, I will send you to Pharaoh to bring my people, the Israelites, out of Egypt.”

But Moses said to God, “Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh, and bring the Israelites out of Egypt?” He said, “I will be with you; and this shall be the sign for you that it is I who sent you: when you have brought the people out of Egypt, you shall worship God on this mountain.” But Moses said to God, “If I come to the Israelites and say to them, ‘The God of your ancestors has sent me to you,’ and they ask me, ‘What is his name?’ what shall I say to them?” God said to Moses, “I AM WHO I AM.” He said further, “Thus you shall say to the Israelites, ‘I AM has sent me to you.’” God also said to Moses, “Thus you shall say to the Israelites, ‘The LORD, the God of your ancestors, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has sent me to you: This is my name forever, and this my title for all generations.’”

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 105:1-6, 23-26, 45c

BCP p. 738-740

*Antiphon: Make known the deeds of the Lord among the peoples.
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!*

The Second Lesson: A Reading from Paul's Letter to the Romans (12:9-21)

Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with mutual affection; outdo one another in showing honor. Do not lag in zeal, be ardent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, persevere in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints; extend hospitality to strangers.

Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. Live in harmony with one another; do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly; do not claim to be wiser than you are. Do not repay anyone evil for evil, but take thought for what is noble in the sight of all. If it is possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all. Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave room for the wrath of God; for it is written, "Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord." No, "if your enemies are hungry, feed them; if they are thirsty, give them something to drink; for by doing this you will heap burning coals on their heads." Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

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

The Sequence Hymn

Hymnal # 675

The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew (16:21-28)

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and undergo great suffering at the hands of the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, "God forbid it,

For our Bishop Sally Sue, and for all the clergy and people of this Diocese, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For Andrés Manuel López Obrador, for the leaders of the nations, and for all in authority, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For Mexico City, and especially for the children living and working on her streets, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For seasonable weather, and for an abundance of the fruits of the earth, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the good earth which God has given us, and for the wisdom and will to conserve it, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the aged and infirm, for the widowed and orphans, for the residents and staff of the Casa Hogar La Divina Providencia, and for the sick and the suffering, especially: Dora Herrera, Carlos, Yolanda, Ma. Esther, Alejandra, Judith, Janine, Humberto, Mariloli, Cata, Ignacio, Tatis, Jennifer M., Brenda, and Andy, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the poor and the oppressed, for the unemployed and the destitute, for prisoners and captives, and for all who remember and care for them, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For all who have died in the hope of the resurrection, and for all the departed, including Julián Felipe, Rosalie, Felipe, and Jack, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For deliverance from all danger, violence, oppression, and degradation, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

We thank you, Lord, for all the beautiful blessings of this life, including David, Ogba, Nicola, Diana W., Diana B., Erika, and Karen, who will celebrate birthdays this week.



The People may add their own thanksgivings, silently or aloud.

That we may end our lives in faith and hope, without suffering and without reproach, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

In the communion of all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life, to Christ our God.

To thee, O Lord our God.

Silence.

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

The Confession

BCP p. 360

The Peace

Celebrant	The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People	And also with you.

All are invited to share a sign (word, handshake, hug, fist bump) of Christ's peace with one another, saying, "God's peace be with you."

The Liturgy of Holy Communion

The Offertory Interlude

Antonio Ortega Rivera

Meditation on Ubi Caritas

Composed by Carlota Ferrari

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A

BCP, p. 361

The Sanctus

Hymnal S-130

The Lord's Prayer

BCP p. 364



The Fraction Anthem/Agnus Dei

Hymnal S-164

The Music During Communion

Antonio Rivera Ortega

Adagio D.178

Composed by Franz Schubert

An Invitation to Holy Communion

(All baptized persons are welcome to receive Holy Communion. You may also choose to come forward and simply receive a blessing. To indicate this to the priest, cross your arms over your chest.)

The Hymn during Communion – I, the Lord of Sea and Sky

- 1 I, the Lord of sea and sky,
I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in deepest sin
My hand will save.
I who made the stars of night,
I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them?
Whom shall I send?

Refrain

*Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night
I will go, Lord, if you lead me,
I will hold your people in my heart.*

- 2 I, the Lord of snow and rain,
I have borne my people's pain.

I have wept for love of them,
They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone,
Give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them.
Whom shall I send?
Refrain

3 I, the Lord of wind and flame,
I will tend the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them.
My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide
Till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life to them.
Who shall I send?
Refrain

The Post-Communion Prayer

BCP p. 365

The Blessing

The Greetings & Announcements

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The Recessional Hymn

Hymnal # 665

The Dismissal

Deacon Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of
the Spirit.

People Thanks be to God.

*The Flowers today are given for God's glory; in loving memory
of Joy, Daphne & Tony Elverson; and in celebration of Lisa
Sinclair's visit.*

Thanks to all those who are serving today, including:

Lay Ministry Coordinator: Alix Elverson

Readers: David Muñoz, Missy Holden

Intercessor: Heber Longhurst

Ushers: Sonia Suárez, Missy Holden, Alix Elverson

Children's Teachers: Tasha Asikaogu & Marisela Ayohua

Acolytes: Pepe Gutiérrez, Kenny Asikaogu, Ariel (Miguel) Rico Arce, & Jaime González Sánchez

Organist: Antonio Ortega Rivera

Community Announcements

Children ages 2-12 may begin in the nursery (the room to the left of the church offices) and return to their parents' care as Holy Communion begins.

Are you a youth [or a parent of a youth] hoping to be confirmed next Spring/Summer... and/or learn more about Anglican expressions of Christian faith? Please contact Rev. Elisabeth ASAP.

Are you a baptized Christian with at least 2 years of regular attendance at an Anglican/Episcopal parish, and do you want to become part of our home Eucharistic ministry, carrying the blessed Sacrament to homebound church members? An 8-week Tuesday evening, required diocesan class will start in September. Please contact Rev. Elisabeth to learn more.

Are you ready to move into a dedicated office space? We have one room available on the first floor upstairs from the main offices of Christ Church. Please contact the parish secretary Mary Rosa Casar for more information.

Thank you to the anonymous donors who so kindly bring cakes and cookies for us to enjoy each Sunday for coffee hour.

***Save the date** for this upcoming fundraiser event to support Christ Church’s music program &/or sound system: Architectural tour, musical concert, & snacks at Christ Church on Saturday, October 7th, 6-8 p.m.

****Also save this date: On December 2, 2023,** Christ Church will hold our annual Christmas Bazaar! The Bazaar is an annual fundraiser and social event featuring “stalls” where vendors sell their wares: art, food, clothing, etc.

- If you, or somebody you know, would like to participate as a vendor—or if you would like to offer a few hours as a volunteer to bake, help set up, offer hospitality during the event, etc.—please contact the Guild president Linda Saucedo via email at: lindasaucedog@hotmail.com . If you are able to donate gifts for the Tombola and Raffle stalls, please contact Alix Elverson (alixelverson@aol.com) or Linda Saucedo.
- This team event is a wonderful opportunity to connect with our wider neighborhood to introduce them to our faith community and share with them the love and joy of Christ. (See Mark of Mission #1: *To Proclaim the Good News of the Kingdom*)

It's time for our last 2023 collection for La Casa Hogar La Divina Providencia. The items will be delivered in late October. The entire list is printed on the following page, but please use the “sign up” at the outdoor table to claim the items you plan to buy. Thank you for your generosity!

Stainless steel scouring pads
Dish cleaning sponges
Brooms
Detergent
Razors Men/ Women
Tooth paste
Tooth brushes
Diapers adult/ children
Rice
Beans
Sugar
Chicken broth powder
Cooking oil
Milk
Chocolate powder
Instant coffee
Bath soap
Shampoo
Body cream
Deodorants Men/ Women
Toilet paper

Fibras para cazuelas de fierro
Fibras para lavar trastes
Escobas
Detergente para lavar la ropa
Rastrillos Hombre/ Dama
Pasta de dientes
Cepillos de dientes
Panales adulto/ninos
Arroz
Frijol
Azucar
Consome en polvo
Aceite para cocinar
Leche
Chocolate en polvo
Cafe instantaneo
Jabon de bano
Shampoo
Crema corporal
Desodorantes Hombre/ Dama
Papel sanitario