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10:00 AM

THE EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

PROPER 12

The Rev. Leslie J. Hague is the celebrant and preacher today.

VOLUNTARY

Largo (from a voluntary)

John Travers (1703-1758)

Flute Piece

Thomas Thorley (18th Century)

Online participants are invited to sing

OPENING HYMN 615

"Thy kingdom come!"

St. Flavian

1. "Thy kingdom come!" on bended knee the passing ages pray;
and faithful souls have yearned to see on earth that kingdom's day.
4. The day to whose clear shining light all wrong shall stand revealed,
when justice shall be throned in might, and every hurt be healed;
5. When knowledge, hand in hand with peace, shall walk the earth abroad;
the day of perfect righteousness, the promised day of God.

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

People **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

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.**

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.
 Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,
 we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.
 Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God,
 you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us;
 you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.
 For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
 you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
 in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

THE 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.**

A READING FROM GENESIS 29:15-28

Laban said to Jacob, "Because you are my kinsman, should you therefore serve me for nothing? Tell me, what shall your wages be?" Now Laban had two daughters; the name of the elder was Leah, and the name of the younger was Rachel. Leah's eyes were lovely, and Rachel was graceful and beautiful. Jacob loved Rachel; so he said, "I will serve you seven years for your younger daughter Rachel." Laban said, "It is better that I give her to you than that I should give her to any other man; stay with me." So Jacob served seven years for Rachel, and they seemed to him but a few days because of the love he had for her.

Then Jacob said to Laban, "Give me my wife that I may go in to her, for my time is completed." So Laban gathered together all the people of the place, and made a feast. But in the evening he took his daughter Leah and brought her to Jacob; and he went in to her. (Laban gave his maid Zilpah to his daughter Leah to be her maid.) When morning came, it was Leah! And Jacob said to Laban, "What is this you have done to me? Did I not serve with you for Rachel? Why then have you deceived me?" Laban said, "This is not done in our country – giving the younger before the firstborn. Complete the week of this one, and we will give you the other also in return for serving me another seven years." Jacob did so, and completed her week; then Laban gave him his daughter Rachel as a wife.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

- 1 Give thanks to the LORD and call upon his Name; *
make known his deeds among the peoples.
- 2 Sing to him, sing praises to him, *
and speak of all his marvelous works.
- 3 Glory in his holy Name; *
let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice.
- 4 Search for the LORD and his strength; *
continually seek his face.
- 5 Remember the marvels he has done, *
his wonders and the judgments of his mouth,
- 6 O offspring of Abraham his servant, *
O children of Jacob his chosen.
- 7 He is the LORD our God; *
his judgments prevail in all the world.
- 8 He has always been mindful of his covenant, *
the promise he made for a thousand generations:
- 9 The covenant he made with Abraham, *
the oath that he swore to Isaac,
- 10 Which he established as a statute for Jacob, *
an everlasting covenant for Israel,
- 11 Saying, "To you will I give the land of Canaan *
to be your allotted inheritance."

45b Hallelujah!

A READING FROM ST. PAUL'S LETTER TO THE ROMANS 8:26-39

The Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose. For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, in order that he might be the firstborn within a

large family. And those whom he predestined he also called; and those whom he called he also justified; and those whom he justified he also glorified.

What then are we to say about these things? If God is for us, who is against us? He who did not withhold his own Son, but gave him up for all of us, will he not with him also give us everything else? Who will bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? It is Christ Jesus, who died, yes, who was raised, who is at the right hand of God, who indeed intercedes for us. Who will separate us from the love of Christ? Will hardship, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? As it is written,

“For your sake we are being killed all day long;
we are accounted as sheep to be slaughtered.”

No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Reader **The Word of the Lord.**

People **Thanks be to God.**

SEQUENCE HYMN 635 If thou but trust in God to guide thee

Wer nur den lieben Gott

- 1. If thou but trust in God to guide thee, and hope in him through all thy ways,
he'll give thee strength whate'er betide thee, and bear thee through the evil days,
who trusts in God's unchanging love builds on a rock that nought can move.**
- 2. Sing, pray, and keep his ways unswerving; so do thine own part faithfully,
and trust his word, though undeserving thou yet shalt find it true for thee;
God never yet forsook in need the soul that trusted him indeed.**

THE GOSPEL OF OUR LORD ACCORDING TO MATTHEW

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew
13:31-33,44-52.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus put before the crowds another parable: “The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed that someone took and sowed in his field; it is the smallest of all the seeds, but when it has grown it is the greatest of shrubs and becomes a tree, so that the birds of the air come and make nests in its branches.”

He told them another parable: “The kingdom of heaven is like yeast that a woman took and mixed in with three measures of flour until all of it was leavened.”

“The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which someone found and hid; then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field.

“Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant in search of fine pearls; on finding one pearl of great value, he went and sold all that he had and bought it.

“Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a net that was thrown into the sea and caught fish of every kind; when it was full, they drew it ashore, sat down, and put the good into baskets but threw out the bad. So it will be at the end of the age. The angels will come out and separate the evil from the righteous and throw them into the furnace of fire, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.

“Have you understood all this?” They answered, “Yes.” And he said to them, “Therefore every scribe who has been trained for the kingdom of heaven is like the master of a household who brings out of his treasure what is new and what is old.”

Gospeller The Gospel of the Lord.

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

THE SERMON

The Rev. Leslie J. Hague

A quiet time for reflection follows the sermon.

THE NICENE CREED

**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 for 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.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Celebrant Loving God, you search our hearts, and your Spirit intercedes for us with sighs too deep for words: Help us in our weakness to pray according to your will, that our good intentions, planted faithfully in your heart, may quietly and silently leaven the world with your healing grace, as we proclaim: We give you thanks, O God, and call upon your Name; we make known your deeds among the peoples.

Intercessor Gracious God, let your Church be as leaven to spread your Spirit throughout creation, that we who are called, justified and glorified may be conformed to the image of your Son. We give you thanks, O God, and call upon your Name;

People **we make known your deeds among the peoples.**

Intercessor God of Mercy and Justice, let this nation search for the Lord and for your strength and continually seek your face, that we may be an instrument of peace and reconciliation. We give you thanks, O God, and call upon your Name;

People **we make known your deeds among the peoples.**

Intercessor Compassionate One, look upon all who suffer throughout the world – with hardship, distress and persecution; famine, nakedness, peril and violence – and redeem our world’s brokenness through the love of Christ. We give you thanks, O God, and call upon your Name;

People **we make known your deeds among the peoples.**

Intercessor Bless this community with your abundance, O Holy One, that we may be a field of great value and a people of generous hospitality. We give you thanks, O God, and call upon your Name;

People **we make known your deeds among the peoples.**

Intercessor With mustard-seed faith we bring our concerns to you, O God, trusting that all things work together for good for those who love you, and remembering especially all those on our All Saints prayer list and for those we name either silently or aloud. *(Pause for quiet reflection)*

Accept our joy for all of the treasures that you give us, especially for those celebrating birthdays or anniversaries this week and for those we name either silently or aloud. *(Pause for quiet reflection)*

Believing that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord, we return

to your eternal arms those who have died, especially for Joyce Benedict and those we name either silently or aloud. *(Pause for quiet reflection)*

We give you thanks, O God, and call upon your Name;

People **we make known your deeds among the peoples.**

Celebrant With the abundant joy of those who have found great treasure we gratefully acknowledge you, our Creator and Source, trusting that as you have given us your beloved Son, you will also give us everything else that we may need: Confirm our faith that we may grow into the fullness of your Kingdom, where you live in loving union with our Savior Jesus Christ and the eternal Spirit, One God for ever and ever. **Amen.**

A Prayer for the Power of the Spirit Among the People of God

Celebrant and People

God of all power and love, we give thanks for your unfailing presence and the hope you provide in times of uncertainty and loss. Send your Holy Spirit to enkindle in us your holy fire. Revive us to live as Christ's body in the world: a people who pray, worship, learn, break bread, share life, heal neighbors, bear good news, seek justice, rest and grow in the Spirit. Wherever and however we gather, unite us in common prayer and send us in common mission, that we and the whole creation might be restored and renewed, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

CONFESSION OF SIN

The Officiant says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Minister 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.

A Priest, stands and says

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 PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

THE HOLY COMMUNION
THE HOLY EUCHARIST, PRAYER A

OFFERTORY SOLO *Ich will den Herren loben allezeit* Heinrich Schuetz (1685-1672)

Susan Sloan, soloist

Translation from German:

*Now will I praise the Lord with all my heart;
His praise continually shall be upon my lips. Alleluia!
My soul therefore shall be telling His praises,
That the poor and needy harken with rejoicing. Alleluia!
Praise ye with me the Lord God,
And let us all together to His name lift our voices. Alleluia!
For when I sought the Lord, He harkened to me,
And delivered me from all my fear and dread, Alleluia!*

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Celebrant All things come of thee O Lord.

People **And of thine own have we given thee.**

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 God 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.

(The Proper Preface is read here.)

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 sing

Sanctus

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**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

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

Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

Then the Celebrant continues

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.

The Celebrant continues

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.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

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.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

FRACTION ANTHEM

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Celebrant and People

**Alleluia, alleluia. alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

The Celebrant says the following Invitation

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.

A PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION SAID BY THOSE NOT PRESENT AT HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant and People

In union, O Lord, with the faithful of your Church where the Holy Eucharist is now being celebrated, we desire to offer you praise and thanksgiving. We present to you our souls and bodies with the earnest wish that we may always be united to you. And since we cannot now receive you sacramentally, we beseech you to come spiritually into our hearts. We unite ourselves with you and embrace you with all the love of our souls. Let nothing ever separate you from us. May we live in you, and may you live in us, both in this life and in the life to come. Amen.

COMMUNION SOLO My Lord, What a Morning

traditional arr. H.T. Burleigh (1866-1949)

My Lord, what a morning My Lord, what a morning

Oh, my Lord, what a morning

When the stars begin to fall.

Done quit all my worldly ways, gonna join that heavenly band.

My Lord, what a morning My Lord, what a morning

Oh, my Lord, what a morning When the stars begin to fall.

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

CLOSING HYMN 302 Father, we thank thee who hast planted *Rendez a Dieu*

- 1. Father, we thank Thee who hast planted Thy holy Name within our hearts.
Knowledge and faith and life immortal Jesus Thy Son to us imparts.
Thou, Lord, didst make all for Thy pleasure, didst give us food for all our
days, giving in Christ the Bread eternal; Thine is the pow'r, be Thine the
praise.**
- 2. Watch o'er Thy church, O Lord, in mercy, save it from evil, guard it still.
Perfect it in Thy love, unite it, cleansed and conformed unto Thy will.
As grain, once scattered on the hillsides, was in this broken bread made one,
so from all lands Thy church be gathered into Thy kingdom by Thy Son.**

DISMISSAL

Celebrant Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

VOLUNTARY

Trumpet Voluntary

Henry Heron (18th Century)

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BLESSINGS TO ALL CELEBRATING THIS WEEK OF JULY 26 – AUGUST 1

Birthdays Skylar Andrew, Spenser Andrew, Nancy Eliot,
 Nick Merolla, Kathryn Summer, Deidra Lovegren,
 Dennis Fitch, Carlos Barrera, Scott Cumming

Anniversary Dennis and Heather Glenn
 Rick Vaughan and Walter Sherman
 Lorraine Michels and Joan Van Ness
 John Mahannah and Angel Navedo

VIRTUAL COFFEE HOURS HELD EACH SUNDAY

Today, July 26, 2020 at 11:20 a.m.

Make a hot cup of Joe and join us for post-service conversation on Zoom.

Join Zoom Meeting

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Password: 417015

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GRIEF & STRESS RECOVERY SESSIONS

JULY 29

Presented online webinars by Rich Markiewicz

Have you or a loved one recently experienced increased irritability, bodily stress, restlessness, sleeplessness, depression, loneliness, anger or fear? If so, it's not surprising as any of these things can manifest when we are grieving. Many people are currently grieving the losses due to Covid-19, health issues or any of the over 40 known types of losses that humans can experience, including changes in your life or in our world. If any of these changes are impacting you in any way, not only are your reactions normal but please know that you are not alone. Join us at our upcoming webinar on [July 29 from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.](#)

in order to learn some tips on how you can begin to relieve the stress of grief in your life.

This webinar will be led by Rich Markiewicz, who is an Advanced Certified Grief Recovery Method Specialist® with training on grief and loss through the Grief Recovery Institute®. Attendance at each webinar is limited to 15 participants. Multiple members of the same household are invited to attend. Please copy the link below into your browser in order to enroll. Be sure to enroll early in order to hold your place for this event as registration closes 2 hours prior to the event. Once you enroll you will receive an e-mail invitation with your own personal link and instructions on how to join our on-line Zoom meeting. I look forward to your joining us. Thanks, Rich

<https://calendly.com/richardjmarkiewicz/grieving-losses>

Please join us online each Wednesday at 12:05 p.m. for our
WEDNESDAY HEALING AND PRAYER SERVICE
WITH THE HOLY EUCHARIST

JULY 29, 2020

**THIS WEEK IS THE COMMEMORATION OF MARY, MARTHA,
AND LAZARETH OF BETHANY**

Sisters and their brother that lived together in *Bethany*, a small town in Judaea,
near Jerusalem. They were faithful followers of Jesus.

Please join us online each Thursday evening at 6:30 p.m. for our
VESPERS ~ EVENING PRAYER RITE II

JULY 30, 2020

**THIS WEEK IS THE COMMEMORATION OF WILLIAM WILBERFORCE
AND ASHLEY COOPER,
Prophetic Witnesses**

They were two English politicians who fought tirelessly for social reform
and for the rights of those who were often overlooked.

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