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# OCTOBER 22, 2023 10:30 AM THE TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II

Proper 24

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

**PRELUDE** 

Voluntary on St. Elizabeth

arr. Warren G. Allred

PROCESSIONAL HYMN 391 Before the Lord's eternal throne

Winchester New

#### THE WORD OF GOD

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

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

Celebrant 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.** 

#### A SONG OF PRAISE

## Glory to God

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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.

#### **COLLECT**

The Lord be with you.

People

And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, in Christ you have revealed your glory among the nations: Preserve the works of your mercy, that your Church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession 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.** 

#### A READING FROM ISAIAH 45:1-7

Thus says the LORD to his anointed, to Cyrus, whose right hand I have grasped to subdue nations before him and strip kings of their robes, to open doors before him --and the gates shall not be closed:

I will go before you and level the mountains, I will break in pieces the doors of bronze and cut through the bars of iron, I will give you the treasures of darkness and riches hidden in secret places, so that you may know that it is I, the LORD, the God of Israel, who call you by your name.

For the sake of my servant Jacob, and Israel my chosen, I call you by your name, I surname you, though you do not know me. I am the LORD, and there is no other; besides me there is no god. I arm you, though you do not know me, so that they may know, from the rising of the sun and from the west, that there is no one besides me; I am the LORD, and there is no other.

I form light and create darkness, I make weal and create woe; I the LORD do all these things.

Reader

The word of the Lord.

People

Thanks be to God.

#### **PSALM 96:1-9**

- 1 Sing to the LORD a nëw song; \*
  sing to the LORD, all the whole earth.
- 2 Sing to the LORD and bless his Name; \*
  proclaim the good news of his sal vation from day to day.
- 3 Declare his glory almong the nations and his wonders almong all peoples.
- 4 For great is the LORD and greatly to be praised; \*
  he is more to be feared than all gods.
- †5 As for all the gods of the nations, they are but idols; \* but it is the LORD who made the heavens.



- 6 Oh, the majesty and mag'nificence of his presence! \*
  Oh, the power and the splendor of his sanctuary!
- 7 Ascribe to the LORD, you families of the peoples; \* ascribe to the LÖRD honor and power.
- 8 Ascribe to the LORD the honor due his Name; \* bring offerings and come in to his courts.
- 9 Worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness; \* let the whole earth tremble be fore him.

#### A READING FROM PAUL'S FIRST LETTER TO THE THESSALONIANS 1:1-10

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ:

Grace to you and peace.

We always give thanks to God for all of you and mention you in our prayers, constantly remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labor of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. For we know, brothers and sisters beloved by God, that he has chosen you, because our message of the gospel came to you not in word only, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction; just as you know what kind of persons we proved to be among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for in spite of persecution you received the word with joy inspired by the Holy Spirit, so that you became an example to all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For the word of the Lord has sounded forth from you not only in Macedonia and Achaia, but in every place your faith in God has become known, so that we have no need to speak about it. For the people of those regions report about us what kind of welcome we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols, to serve a living and true God, and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead-- Jesus, who rescues us from the wrath that is coming.

Reader The word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

SEQUENCE HYMN 706 In your mercy, Lord you called me Halton Holgate

#### THE GOSPEL

Gospeler The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew 22:15-22. *People* **Glory to you, Lord Christ.** 

The Pharisees went and plotted to entrap Jesus in what he said. So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, "Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality. Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not?" But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, "Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? Show me the coin used for the tax." And they brought him a denarius. Then he said to them, "Whose head is this, and whose title?" They answered, "The emperor's." Then he said to them, "Give therefore to the emperor the things that are the emperor's, and to God the things that are God's." When they heard this, they were amazed; and they left him and went away.

Gospeler 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.

All standing

#### 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.

#### THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*Intercessor* Father, we pray for your holy catholic Church;

People That we all may be one.

Intercessor Grant that every member of the church may truly and humbly serve you;

People That your Name may be glorified by all people.

*Intercessor* We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;

People That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

*Intercessor* We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the

world;

People That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

*Intercessor* Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

People That our works may find favor in your sight.

*Intercessor* Give to the departed eternal rest.

People Let light perpetual shine upon them.

Intercessor We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;
People May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

*Intercessor* Let us pray for our own needs and those of others. We raise up to you all those who are in need of our prayers, especially those on the All Saints prayer list, and those we name either silently or aloud. *Silence* 

Intercessor We thank you for our many blessings and give thanks for those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries this week, especially those we name either silently or aloud. Silence

*Intercessor* We lift up to you those we love but see no longer, and those we name either silently or aloud. *Silence* 

The Celebrant adds a concluding collect.

#### **CONFESSION OF SIN**

The Officiant says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept. The congregation may stand or kneel.

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 ANTHEM

Cantate Domino

Nancy Hill Cobb (b. 1951)

Sing to the Lord a new song. Sing to the Lord all the earth. Sing to the Lord, bless his name. Declare his glory among the nations, his wonders among all people. For the Lord is great and greatly to be praised.

**OFFERTORY HYMN 383** 

**Fairest Lord Jesus** 

St. Elizabeth

#### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

CelebrantPeopleCelebrantThe Lord be with you.And also with you.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.

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

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The people stand or kneel as they so choose.

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

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

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

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.

## COMMUNION ANTHEM Eja mater fons amoris Giovanni Battista Pergolesi (1710-1736) Sylvia Aycock, Mezzo Soprano

O Mother, fount of love. Let me feel the strength of your pain, so I can cry with you.

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

Celebrant 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.** 

#### 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.

#### SENDING FORTH OF THE EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Officiant Mother Leslie, we send you out to share communion this week with our

fellow Episcopalians and friends at John Knox Village.

People May you carry the prayers of all of us as you take this sacrament of

Christ's presence.

Officiant May those who receive it from you be strengthened and encouraged in

that community we have together in our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

#### THE BLESSING

RECESSIONAL HYMN 544 Jesus shall reign where'er the sun

**Duke Street** 

#### **DISMISSAL**

Celebrant Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia! Alleluia!

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

POSTLUDE Song of Praise Mary Ellen Kerrick

# Thanks to Dan Bishop, Sylvia Aycock and the All Saints Choir for providing today's music.

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#### BLESSINGS TO ALL CELEBRATING THIS WEEK OF OCTOBER 22-28

Birthdays Bob Adams

Anniversaries Bob Adams and Andy Li

Chris Broomfield and Bob Everson

Thomas and Diane Harmon Brian and Kim Ouellette

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# The Altar Flowers this week are given to the Glory of God and in celebration of our first wedding anniversary, by Bob Adams and Andy Li.

The Sanctuary Candle this week is given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Reverend Elder Jean French Russo, MDiv, on the 10th anniversary of her passing, by Bob Adams.



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

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2023
THE COMMEMORATION OF TABITHA (DORCAS) OF JOPPA

She followed Jesus's teachings about how to treat others. She always did good and helped those in need.

Please join us in person or online each Thursday evening at 6:30 p.m.

for our
VESPERS ~ EVENING PRAYER RITE I
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2023
THE COMMEMORATION OF ALFRED THE GREAT

King of the West Saxons, 899

Please join us online each evening, except Thursday, at 8:30 p.m. for our SERVICE OF COMPLINE.

#### **BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE**

"And remember, I am with you always. Even to the end of the age."

Matthew 28:20

Thursday, November 2, is All Souls Day. There is a register in the Narthex where you can record the names of your loved ones that have passed in the last year that you want to be remembered.

We will commemorate All Souls at the Thursday Vespers and Holy Eucharist service on November 2nd in St. Luke's Chapel at 6:30 pm.

You can also send an email to office@allsaintsfl.org if you would like to add a loved one to the list.



## THE BISHOP IS COMING NOVEMBER 5! JOURNEY TO FAITH CLASSES HAVE BEGUN

Journey to Faith classes for those who wish to be confirmed/received or just want to learn more about the Episcopal Church and All Saints have begun. Our classes will be hybrid with Zoom and in-person sessions. Zoom sessions are recorded and are available if you miss a session or want to check out any session. All are welcome! Zoom Sessions led by Mother Leslie will be Wednesdays, 6:30-8:00PM, link:

### https://bit.ly/Journey-to-Faith

In-person Sessions led by Deb Greene will be in the Parish House on Sundays from 9:00-10:15AM.

#### Wednesday, October 25 (Zoom)

Session 6 Living into our Beliefs - The Baptismal Covenant

#### Sunday, October 29 (In Person)

Session 7 Pain to Power – Spiritual Growth Throughout Our Lives (with Mother Leslie)

# PEANUT BUTTER AND JAMBOREE IS BACK!! October 29th, after the 10:30 service

The Outreach Committee is sponsoring another Peanut Butter Jamboree event! We will be making sandwiches on Sunday, October 29 in the Narthex after the 10:30 service. We have used all our backstock, so we need supplies. We need peanut butter (creamy), jam (it's easier to spread), and white sandwich bread. We also need ziptop sandwich bags, and parchment paper. Please join us for this fun and important event. The sandwiches will be given out by the Holy Grill from St. Nicholas Episcopal Church.

We are also collecting food on a regular basis for St. Ambrose and their food pantry. Please grab a few extra things on your next shopping trip for this crucial ministry.



# **Special Offering for**

# American Friends of the Episcopal Diocese of Jerusalem

## For Holy Land Relief

Prayer candles lit by pilgrims at the Church of the Holy Sepulchre in Jerusalem. The church contains the sites of Jesus' crucifixion and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. It is the holiest place for Christians. Picture taken by Mother Leslie on April 18, 2023.

Today All Saints Episcopal Church is taking up a special collection for the American Friends of the Episcopal Diocese of Jerusalem. AFEDJ supports the ministries of the Episcopal Diocese of Jerusalem. These institutions and programs serve all people of Palestine and Israel regardless of faith or nationality. One of these institutions is the Al Ahli Hospital in Gaza, an Anglican hospital severely damaged in two explosions in a week, including the horrific damage from what appears to have been an errant rocket from a rebel terrorist group in Gaza on Tuesday, October 17.

You may make out checks to All Saints and note "Holy Land relief" in the memo line. Cash gifts may be placed in one of the envelopes in your pews and note "Holy Land relief." Do donation online, click our red Donate button at the top of our webpage <a href="www.allsaintsfl.org">www.allsaintsfl.org</a>; choose "Other" and in the note write "Holy Land relief." We are working to add "Holy Land relief" as a choice in our online donation dropdown menu.

I sent out an email with reflections, information, and prayers for praying for the Holy Land and how to help those who are suffering. If you did not receive it, please contact office@allsaintsfl.org.

Please pray for all who hold positions of authority in Israel, the West Bank, Gaza, and throughout the Middle East, that their hearts may be turned to peace and justice. May the love of God, the peace of Christ, and the strength of the Holy Spirit be present in the suffering of these children of God who share a father in Abraham.

#### --Mother Leslie

There is a recording of the livestream prayer service Mother Leslie led on October 17 for the Day of Prayer and Fasting for the Holy Land: <a href="https://vimeo.com/875313835?">https://vimeo.com/875313835?</a> <a href="https://vimeo.com/875313835?">share=copy</a>