SAINT JOHN THE EVANGELIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH JUNE 25, 2017 — THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II — 10:00 A.M.

THE WORD OF GOD

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Hearing-assistance devices are available — please request one from an usher.

The opening music offers a time for prayer and meditation. Please silence all devices.

GATHERING MUSIC

Concerto for Viola

G.F. Handel/J. Barbirolli

Larghetto — Allegro scherzando — Allegro giocoso

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Let us quiet our hearts and mind as we prepare for worship.

Please stand, as able, at the sound of the chimes.

OPENING ACCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Celebrant

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

People

And blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

HYMNAL #296

We Know That Christ Is Raised

ENGELBERG

COLLECT FOR ST. JOHN'S

Celebrant

Gracious God.

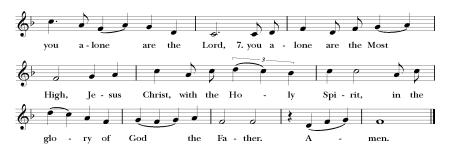
All

By your love you have called us to proclaim with joy the good news of your Son: So build us up in the knowledge and love of Him, that we may welcome all people into this community of faith, and show forth our service to you in our service to others; through Jesus Christ Our Lord. Amen.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

Robert Powell





COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant

The Lord be with you.

People

And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

O Lord, make us have perpetual love and reverence for your holy Name, for you never fail to help and govern those whom you have set upon the sure foundation of your loving-kindness; through Jesus Christ our Lord who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

People

Amen.

Please be seated after the Collect.

FIRST READING

Genesis 21: 8-21

(pew Bible, p. 16)

Reader **People**

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM 86: 1-10, 16-17

The refrain is first sung by the cantor, then repeated by all before and after the Psalm.



Solo 1 Bow down your ear, O Lord, and / answer / me, * for I am / poor and • in / mi-se- / ry.

2 Keep watch over my life, / for I • am / faithful; * save your servant who / puts his / trust in / you.

3 Be merciful to me, O LORD, for / you are • my / God; * I call up- / on you / all the • day / long.

4 Gladden the / soul of • your / servant, *

for to you, O / LORD, I / lift up • my / soul.

5 For you, O LORD, are / good and • for- / giving, * and great is your love toward / all who / call up- • on / you.

6 Give ear, O / LORD, to • my / prayer, * and attend to the / voice of • my / sup-pli- / cations.

7 In the time of my trouble I will / call up- • on / you, *

for / you will / answer / me. 8 Among the gods there is / none like • you, O / LORD, *

nor / <u>any</u>- • thing / like your / works.

9 All nations you have made will come and / <u>worship</u> • <u>you</u>, <u>O</u> / LORD, * and / glo-ri- / fy your / Name.

10 For you are great; you do / wondrous / things; *

and / you a- / lone are / God.

16 Turn to me and have / $\underline{mercy} \cdot up$ - / on me; * give your strength to your servant; and / save the / $\underline{child\ of} \cdot your$ / handmaid.

17 Show me a sign of your favor,

so that those who hate me may see it and / be a- / shamed; * because you, O LORD, have / helped me • and / comfort- • ed / me.

The refrain is repeated by all.



Please stand, as able, for the Alleluia, the verse and the Gospel.



Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

GOSPEL Matthew 10: 24-39

Pew Bible, p. 888

Gospeller The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

SERMON

A period of silence is observed following the sermon.

NICENE CREED

standing, if able

Book of Common Prayer, p. 358

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

standing or kneeling

Reader

I ask your prayers for God's people throughout the world...

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Deacon Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

All

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.

Celebrant

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.

People Amen.

Please stand, if able.

THE PEACE

Celebrant

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People

And also with you.

You are invited to share a sign of God's peace with those around you.

WELCOME

Please be seated.

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THE HOLY COMMUNION

All are invited to share at the Lord's table. At the altar railing you may stand or kneel to receive the bread and the wine. You may drink from the cup or touch the bread to the wine. If you prefer to receive a blessing, you may indicate so by crossing your arms. The common loaf is gluten-free.

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

SOLO Moderato from Album Leaves Hans Sitt

All

PRESENTATION

OLD 100TH sung by all, standing if able

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise him, all creatures here below, Praise him above, ve heavenly host, Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER A The prayer may be followed in the BCP on p. 361.

Celebrant The Lord be with you. People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord. People

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 every where

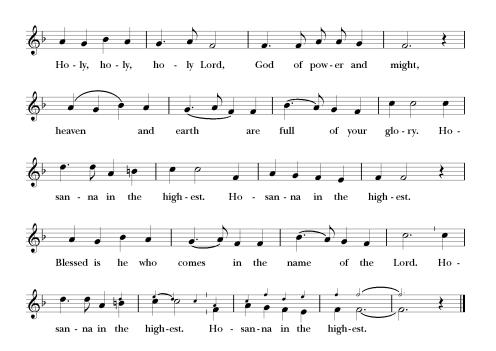
to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth...

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:

SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS

sung by all

Richard Proulx



Please remain standing or kneel, according to your custom.

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 ...

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Celebrant We celebrate the memorial of our redemption ...

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. **People**

LORD'S PRAYER

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

All 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.

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia. People

Celebrant The gifts of God for the People of God.

DISTRIBUTION

Communion hymns are found in the Summer Hymn Booklet in the pew rack.

COMMUNION MUSIC

BOOKLET # 18	I Come With Joy	LAND OF REST
BOOKLET # 6	Blessed Assurance	Phobe Knapp
BOOKLET # 5	Amazing Grace	NEW BRITAIN
BOOKLET #32	What a Fellowship	Anthony J. Showalter

SENDING FORTH OUR EUCHARISTIC VISITORS (as applicable)

Celebrant In the name of this congregation, I send you forth bearing these holy

gifts, that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion

of Christ's body and blood.

We who are many are one body, because we all share one bread, People

one cup.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

said by all, kneeling or standing

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.

Please stand as able for the closing hymn.

HYMNAL #537 Christ For the World We Sing! MOSCOW

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

Our worship here is ended; now let our service begin. Deacon

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God. **People**

VOLUNTARY Improvisation on "Moscow" Jayson R. Engquist

You are invited to listen to the voluntary in the choir stalls.

TODAY WE PRAY WITH

Chase, Mitch, Mae, Kathleen, Joan, Patricia, Amy, Irene, Kirby, Christopher, Jacki, Russ, Scott, Galen, Ginny, Camille, Susan, Christopher, Sydney, Sara, Sandy, Norma, Ann, Mildred, and those you would add.

ALTAR FLOWERS

In thanksgiving for the lives of Frank Bacon Sears; Sarah Patterson Spence; Stuart M. Baker.

ASSISTING IN THE SERVICE

CELEBRANT The Reverend Kate Bradtmiller The Reverend Jered Weber-Johnson **PREACHER**

ALTAR GUILD Dusty Mairs, Shirley Cooper, Phyllis Frisby, Patty Byrne

Pfalz, Bill Sherfey, Colleen Swope

ORGANIST/PIANIST Jayson R. Engquist Walter Cogswell, Viola Instrumentalist

Joan Potter CANTOR

ACOLYTES Caroline Krall, Linnea Krall, Sabine Krall

READERS Don Postema, Cammie Beattie

Eli Weinkauf VERGER

Gary & Paige Hagstrom, Diane Power, Shirley Sailors USHERS

GREETERS Lea Anne Schmidt, Jeff & Peggy Olsen

COFFEE HOUR Kate Bradtmiller

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