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The Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost:
Proper 24

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Morning Prayer Rite 2

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The Entrance Rite

The Passing of the Peace

Officiant: The peace of the Lord be always with
you.

People: And also with you.

Sentence of Scripture (At any time) p 78

The Lord is in his holy temple; let all the earth keep
silence before him. *Habakkuk 2:20*

Confession of Sin p 79

Celebrant: Let us confess our sins against God and
our neighbor.

*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

Officiant:

Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life. *Amen.*

Invitatory and Psalter

All stand

Officiant: Lord, open our lips.

People: And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

All: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

Antiphon (on other Sundays...) p 81

Officiant: The earth is the Lord's for he made it.

People: Come let us adore him.

Jubilate *Psalm 100* p 82

Be joyful in the Lord, all you lands; *

serve the Lord with gladness

and come before his presence with a song.

Know this: The Lord himself is God; *

he himself has made us, and we are his;

we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving;

go into his courts with praise; *

give thanks to him and call upon his Name.

For the Lord is good;

his mercy is everlasting; *

and his faithfulness endures from age to age.

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Psalm 119:97-104 *Quomodo dilexi!* p 701

97 Oh, how I love your law! *

all the day long it is in my mind.

98 Your commandment has made me wiser

than my enemies, *

and it is always with me.

99 I have more understanding than all my

teachers, *

for your decrees are my study.

100 I am wiser than the elders, *

because I observe your commandments.

101 I restrain my feet from every evil way, *

that I may keep your word.

102 I do not shrink from your judgments, *

because you yourself have taught me.

103 How sweet are your words to my taste! *

they are sweeter than honey to my mouth.

104 Through your commandments I gain

understanding; *

therefore I hate every lying way.

*Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: **

as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

A reading from the Prophet Jeremiah 31:27-34
The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will sow the house of Israel and the house of Judah with the seed of humans and the seed of animals. And just as I have watched over them to pluck up and break down, to overthrow, destroy, and bring evil, so I will watch over them to build and to plant, says the LORD. In those days they shall no longer say:

"The parents have eaten sour grapes,
and the children's teeth are set on
edge."

But all shall die for their own sins; the teeth of everyone who eats sour grapes shall be set on edge.

The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt-- a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, says the LORD. But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the LORD: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they

shall be my people. No longer shall they teach one another, or say to each other, "Know the LORD," for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the LORD; for I will forgive their iniquity, and remember their sin no more.

Officiant: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

People: *Thanks be to God*

Canticle 10 The Second Song of Isaiah p 86

Quaerite Dominum *Isaiah 55:6-11*

Seek the Lord while he wills to be found; *

call upon him when he draws near.

Let the wicked forsake their ways *

and the evil ones their thoughts;

And let them turn to the Lord, and he will have compassion, *

and to our God, for he will richly pardon.

For my thoughts are not your thoughts, *

nor your ways my ways, says the Lord.

For as the heavens are higher than the earth, *

so are my ways higher than your ways,

and my thoughts than your thoughts.

For as rain and snow fall from the heavens *

and return not again, but water the earth,

Bringing forth life and giving growth, *

seed for sowing and bread for eating,

So is my word that goes forth from my mouth; *

it will not return to me empty;

But it will accomplish that which I have purposed, *
and prosper in that for which I sent it.

*Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy
Spirit: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for
ever. Amen.*

A reading from Paul's second letter to Timothy 3:14-
4:5

As for you, continue in what you have learned
and firmly believed, knowing from whom you
learned it, and how from childhood you have
known the sacred writings that are able to
instruct you for salvation through faith in Christ
Jesus. All scripture is inspired by God and is
useful for teaching, for reproof, for correction,
and for training in righteousness, so that
everyone who belongs to God may be proficient,
equipped for every good work.

In the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who
is to judge the living and the dead, and in view of
his appearing and his kingdom, I solemnly urge
you: proclaim the message; be persistent whether
the time is favorable or unfavorable; convince,
rebuke, and encourage, with the utmost patience
in teaching. For the time is coming when people
will not put up with sound doctrine, but having
itching ears, they will accumulate for themselves
teachers to suit their own desires, and will turn

away from listening to the truth and wander away
to myths. As for you, always be sober, endure
suffering, do the work of an evangelist, carry out
your ministry fully.

Officiant: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the
Church.

People: *Thanks be to God*

Canticle 19 The Song of Simeon p 93
Nunc Dimittis Luke 2:29-32

Lord, you now have set your servant free *
to go in peace as you have promised;
For these eyes of mine have seen the Savior, *
whom you have prepared for all the world to see:
A Light to enlighten the nations, *
and the glory of your people Israel.

*Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy
Spirit: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for
ever. Amen.*

The Gospel Lesson from Luke 18:1-8

Jesus told his disciples a parable about their need
to pray always and not to lose heart. He said, "In
a certain city there was a judge who neither
feared God nor had respect for people. In that
city there was a widow who kept coming to him
and saying, 'Grant me justice against my
opponent.' For a while he refused; but later he
said to himself, 'Though I have no fear of God

and no respect for anyone, yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will grant her justice, so that she may not wear me out by continually coming." And the Lord said, "Listen to what the unjust judge says. And will not God grant justice to his chosen ones who cry to him day and night? Will he delay long in helping them? I tell you, he will quickly grant justice to them. And yet, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?"

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People: *Thanks be to God*

Sermon Joyce Holden, Lay Worship Leader

The Apostles' Creed p 96
(Please stand, sit, or as you are most comfortable)

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth;
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the

dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Prayers

Officiant: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Officiant: Let us pray.

The Lord's Prayer

p 97

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen.

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V. Save your people, Lord, and bless your inheritance;

R. Govern and uphold them, now and always.
V. Day by day we bless you;
R. We praise your name for ever.
V. Lord, keep us from all sin today;
R. Have mercy upon us, Lord, have mercy.
V. Lord, show us your love and mercy;
R. For we put our trust in you.
V. In you, Lord, is our hope;
R. And we shall never hope in vain.
R. And sustain us with your Holy Spirit.

Collect of the Day (Proper 24) p 235
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 Collect for Sundays p 98
O God, you make us glad with the weekly remembrance of the glorious resurrection of your Son our Lord: Give us this day such blessing through our worship of you, that the week to come may be spent in your favor; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

A Collect for Hugh Latimer, Nicholas Ridley, & Thomas Cranmer
Keep us, O Lord, constant in faith and zealous in

witness, that, like your servants Hugh Latimer, Nicholas Ridley, and Thomas Cranmer, we may live in your fear, die in your favor, and rest in your peace; for the sake of Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

A Collect for Mission p 101
O God, you have made of one blood all the peoples of the earth, and sent your blessed Son to preach Grant that people everywhere may seek after you and find you; bring the nations into your fold; pour out your Spirit upon all flesh; and hasten the coming of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen..*

The people may offer their own prayers and thanksgivings at this time, either aloud or in their hearts.

The General Thanksgiving p 101
Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks for all your goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all whom you have made. We bless you for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for your immeasurable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your

mercies,
that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth
your praise,
not only with our lips, but in our lives,
by giving up our selves to your service,
and by walking before you
in holiness and righteousness all our days;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit,
be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.

A Prayer of St. Chrysostom p 102
Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time
with one accord to make our common supplication to
you; and you have promised through your well-
beloved Son that when two or three are gathered
together in his Name you will be in the midst of
them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as
may be best for us; granting us in this world
knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life
everlasting. *Amen.*

Officiant: Let us bless the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Announcements

Dismissal p 102
The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of
God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us
all evermore. *Amen. 2 Corinthians 13:14*

LECTOR for today's service: Sam Abraham

Visiting today? We welcome you to Christ Church and
invite you to join us for refreshments in the parish
hall immediately following the service!

UPCOMING SERVICES:

10/23 Holy Eucharist Rite II, Pastor Richard Rentner

10/30 Morning Prayer Rite II, Joyce Holden

UPCOMING EVENTS:

10/18 Dave & Stephanie Hayes' anniversary

10/21-10/22 Diocesan Annual Convention

SAINTS CELEBRATED THIS WEEK:

10/16 Hugh Latimer and Nicholas Ridley, Bishops,
1555, & Thomas Cranmer, Archbishop of
Canterbury, 1556

10/17 Ignatius, Bishop of Antioch, & Martyr, c. 115

10/18 Saint Luke the Evangelist

10/19 Henry Martyn, Priest, & Missionary to India
& Persia, 1812

CONTINUED PRAYERS: Bob; Bobbie; Sue; Ed &
Audrey; Joyce; Bob & Donna; Jamie & Marvin; Jill;
Julie; John; Nancy; Harriet; John; Margaret; Arnold;
Paul Barth; Linda; Carrie; Lily & Violet; Al; Vickie;
Lonnie; Corky; Sarah; Todd; Lonnie; JoAnn; Ted &
Julie; Sherri; Helen; Eleanor; Sam's sister & family;
Eric

PRAY FOR those who are suffering the effects of the
pandemic & the 1.05+M Americans who've lost their
lives.

PRAY FOR those who have suffered loss due to gun

violence, & those who live these threats every day.
PRAY FOR the underemployed, the unemployed &
the homeless

PRAY FOR THOSE IN HARM'S WAY especially our
service men & women

PRAY FOR the people of Ukraine

PRAY FOR refugees worldwide.

PRAY FOR the victims of flooding in Northeast India.

PRAY FOR the victims of Typhoon Noru in the
Philippines

PRAY FOR the victims of Hurricane Fiona in Puerto
Rico

PRAY FOR the victims of Hurricane Ian in Florida.

CYCLE OF PRAYER: Justin Welby, Archbishop of
Canterbury; Michael Curry, Presiding Bishop; Bonnie
Perry, our Bishop; Moises Quezada Mota, Bishop of
the Diocese of the Dominican Republic; Elizabeth
Eaton, ELCA Presiding Bishop; Donald P Kreiss, ELCA
Bishop, SE Michigan Synod; Craig A Satterlee, ELCA
Bishop, NW Lower Michigan Synod; our Diocesan
retired community household; Our Diocesan
household; Church of the Resurrection, Ann Arbor;
Nativity Church, Bloomfield Twp

VOTE FAITHFULLY EVENT: 10/19, 7 PM, on Zoom
This midterm election for MI includes new voting
districts and ballot initiatives. What is on the ballot
and how can you get "Ballot Ready"? *Citizen
Research Council of MI* will help us in this educational
event by sharing background on the ballot initiatives

(Prop 1, 2, 3). We'll also reflect on what it means to
vote faithfully and implement the [#VoteFaithfully](#)
resources from the Episcopal Church. This is a
nonpartisan event, and done in collaboration St.
John's (Royal Oak), St. Michael's (Lansing) and Trinity
in the Woods (Farmington Hills) Episcopal parishes.

Zoom link:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/91898248599#success>

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