



Sunday, October 30, 2022

The Twenty First Sunday after Pentecost:

Proper 26

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Morning Prayer Rite 2

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The Entrance Rite

The Passing of the Peace

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

*People: And also with you.*

Sentence of Scripture (At any time) p 78

The hour is coming, and now is, when the true  
worshippers will worship the Father in spirit and in  
truth, for such the Father seeks to worship  
him. *John 4:23*

Confession of Sin p 79

Presider: 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*

Presider: 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*

Presider: 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

Presider: Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.

*People: Come let us adore him.*

Jubilate *Psalms 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.

Antiphon (on other Sundays...) p 81

Presider: Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.

*People: Come let us adore him.*

Psalms 119:137-144 *Justus es, Domine* p 774

137 You are righteous, O LORD, \*

and upright are your judgments.

138 You have issued your decrees \*

with justice and in perfect faithfulness.

139 My indignation has consumed me, \*

because my enemies forget your words.

140 Your word has been tested to the

uttermost, \*

and your servant holds it dear.

141 I am small and of little account, \*

yet I do not forget your commandments.

142 Your justice is an everlasting justice \*

and your law is the truth.

143 Trouble and distress have come upon me, \*

yet your commandments are my delight.

144 The righteousness of your decrees is

everlasting; \*

grant me understanding, that I may live.

*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 Habakkuk 1:1-4, 2:1-4

The oracle that the prophet Habakkuk saw.  
O LORD, how long shall I cry for help,  
and you will not listen?  
Or cry to you "Violence!"  
and you will not save?  
Why do you make me see wrong-doing  
and look at trouble?  
Destruction and violence are before me;  
strife and contention arise.  
So the law becomes slack  
and justice never prevails.  
The wicked surround the righteous--  
therefore judgment comes forth perverted.

I will stand at my watchpost,  
and station myself on the rampart;  
I will keep watch to see what he will say to me,  
and what he will answer concerning my  
complaint.

Then the LORD answered me and said:  
Write the vision;  
make it plain on tablets,  
so that a runner may read it.  
For there is still a vision for the appointed time;  
it speaks of the end, and does not lie.

If it seems to tarry, wait for it;  
it will surely come, it will not delay.  
Look at the proud!  
Their spirit is not right in them,  
but the righteous live by their faith.

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

People: *Thanks be to God*

Canticle 11 The Third Song of Isaiah p 87  
*Surge, illuminare Isaiah 60:1-3, 11a, 14c, 18-19*

Arise, shine, for your light has come, \*  
and the glory of the Lord has dawned upon you.  
For behold, darkness covers the land; \*  
deep gloom enshrouds the peoples.  
But over you the Lord will rise, \*  
and his glory will appear upon you.  
Nations will stream to your light, \*  
and kings to the brightness of your dawning.  
Your gates will always be open; \*  
by day or night they will never be shut.  
They will call you, The City of the Lord, \*  
The Zion of the Holy One of Israel.  
Violence will no more be heard in your land, \*  
ruin or destruction within your borders.  
You will call your walls, Salvation, \*  
and all your portals, Praise.  
The sun will no more be your light by day; \*  
by night you will not need the brightness of the

moon.

The Lord will be your everlasting light, \*  
and your God will be your glory.

*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 the  
Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12

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

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and  
the Lord Jesus Christ.

We must always give thanks to God for you,  
brothers and sisters, as is right, because your  
faith is growing abundantly, and the love of  
everyone of you for one another is increasing.  
Therefore we ourselves boast of you among the  
churches of God for your steadfastness and faith  
during all your persecutions and the afflictions  
that you are enduring.

To this end we always pray for you, asking that  
our God will make you worthy of his call and will  
fulfill by his power every good resolve and work  
of faith, so that the name of our Lord Jesus may

be glorified in you, and you in him, according to  
the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Presider: 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 19:1-10

Jesus entered Jericho and was passing through it. A  
man was there named Zacchaeus; he was a chief tax  
collector and was rich. He was trying to see who  
Jesus was, but on account of the crowd he could not,  
because he was short in stature. So he ran ahead and  
climbed a sycamore tree to see him, because he was  
going to pass that way. When Jesus came to the  
place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus,

hurry and come down; for I must stay at your house today." So he hurried down and was happy to welcome him. All who saw it began to grumble and said, "He has gone to be the guest of one who is a sinner." Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, "Look, half of my possessions, Lord, I will give to the poor; and if I have defrauded anyone of anything, I will pay back four times as much." Then Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, because he too is a son of Abraham. For the Son of Man came to seek out and to save the lost."

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

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

Presider: The Lord be with you.

*All: And also with you.*

Presider: Let us pray.

The Lord's Prayer

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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.

Suffrage A p 97

V. Show us your mercy, O Lord;  
R. And grant us your salvation.  
V. Clothe your ministers with righteousness;  
R. Let your people sing with joy.  
V. Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;  
R. For only in you can we live in safety.  
V. Lord, keep this nation under your care;  
R. And guide us in the way of justice and truth.  
V. Let your way be known upon earth;  
R. Your saving health among all nations.  
V. Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;  
R. Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.  
V. Create in us clean hearts, O God;  
R. And sustain us with your Holy Spirit.

Collect of the Day (Proper 26) p 235

Almighty and merciful God, it is only by your gift that your faithful people offer you true and laudable service: Grant that we may run without stumbling to obtain your heavenly promises; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for 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 Mission p 101

O God, you have made of one blood all the peoples of the earth, and sent your blessed Son to preach peace to those who are far off and to those who are near: 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  
May the God of hope fill us with all joy and peace in  
believing through the power of the Holy Spirit. *Amen.*  
*Romans 15:13*

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:

11/6 Morning Prayer Rite I, Todd Johnson  
11/13 Holy Eucharist Rite II, Pastor Richard Rentner  
11/20 Morning Prayer Rite I, Todd Johnson  
11/27 Morning Prayer Rite II, Joyce Holden

UPCOMING EVENTS:

10/31 Halloween  
11/8 Election Day  
11/11 Veterans' Day

SAINTS CELEBRATED THIS WEEK:

11/1 All Saints  
11/2 Commemoration of All Faithful Departed  
11/3 Richard Hooker, Priest, 1600

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.

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; St Paul's, Brighton; St Bartholomew's, San Cristobal, DR; St Barnabas', Pizarette, DR

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