

THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

August 5, 2018

THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE I – 8:00 A.M.

The Service begins on page 323 of The Book of Common Prayer.

Organ Prelude

THE WORD OF GOD

Opening Sentences

stand

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

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

The Collect for Purity

Priest: Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ saith:

Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.

Gloria in Excelsis

All: **Glory be to God on high, and on earth peace, good will towards men. We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee, we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glory, O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord; thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

The Collect of the Day

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: **And with thy spirit.**

Priest: Let us pray.

O Lord, we beseech thee, let thy continual pity cleanse and defend thy Church; and, because it cannot continue in safety without thy succor, preserve it evermore by thy help and goodness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

People: **Amen.**

The Lessons

Lector: A Reading from The Book of Exodus. (16: 2-4, 9-15) *sit*

The whole congregation of the Israelites complained against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness. The Israelites said to them, "If only we had died by the hand of the Lord in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the fleshpots and ate our fill of bread; for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger." Then the Lord said to Moses, "I am going to rain bread from heaven for you, and each day the people shall go out and gather enough for that day. In that way I will test them, whether they will follow my instruction or not." Then Moses said to Aaron, "Say to the whole congregation of the Israelites, 'Draw near to the Lord, for he has heard your complaining.'" And as Aaron spoke to the whole congregation of the Israelites, they looked toward the wilderness, and the glory of the Lord appeared in the cloud. The Lord spoke to Moses and said, "I have heard the complaining of the Israelites; say to them, 'At twilight you shall eat meat, and in the morning you shall have your fill of bread; then you shall know that I am the Lord your God.'" In the evening quails came up and covered the camp; and in the morning there was a layer of dew around the camp. When the layer of dew lifted, there on the surface of the wilderness was a fine flaky substance, as fine as frost on the ground. When the Israelites saw it, they said to one another, "What is it?" For they did not know what it was. Moses said to them, "It is the bread that the Lord has given you to eat."

The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 78: 23-29

23 So he commanded the clouds above
 and opened the doors of heaven.

24 **He rained down manna upon them to eat
 and gave them grain from heaven.**

25 So mortals ate the bread of angels;
 he provided for them food enough.

26 **He caused the east wind to blow in the heavens
 and led out the south wind by his might.**

27 He rained down flesh upon them like dust
 and wingèd birds like the sand of the sea.

28 **He let it fall in the midst of their camp
 and round about their dwellings.**

29 So they ate and were well filled,
 for he gave them what they craved.

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 forever. Amen.**

Priest: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John. *stand*
 (6: 24-35)

People: **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

On the next day, when the people who remained after the feeding of the five thousand saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they themselves got into the boats and went to Capernaum looking for Jesus. When they found him on the other side of the sea, they said to him, “Rabbi, when did you come here?” Jesus answered them, “Very truly, I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves. Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For it is on him that God the Father has set his seal.” Then they said to him, “What must we do to perform the works of God?” Jesus answered them, “This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent.” So they said to him, “What sign are you going to give us then, so that we may see it and believe you? What work are you performing? Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, ‘He gave them bread from heaven to

eat.’ ” Then Jesus said to them, “Very truly, I tell you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.” They said to him, “Sir, give us this bread always.” Jesus said to them, “I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.”

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

The Sermon: The Reverend Kelly B. Carlson	<i>sit</i>
The Nicene Creed	p. 326, <i>stand</i>
Prayers of the People	p. 328, <i>kneel</i>
Confession of Sin	p. 330
The Absolution	p. 332
<i>We exchange the Peace at the altar rail after receiving Communion.</i>	
Announcements	<i>sit</i>

THE HOLY COMMUNION

All baptized persons are invited to receive Communion.

If you would like to receive gluten-free bread, let the priest know at the altar rail.

The Offertory	Hymn 380, stanza 3	Old 100th, <i>stand</i>
All: Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.		
The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer II		p. 340
Sanctus and Benedictus		p. 341 <i>kneel</i>
The Lord’s Prayer		p. 336
Breaking of the Bread		p. 337
Administration of the Sacrament		<i>sit</i>

A Prayer of Thanksgiving

p. 339, *kneel*

The Blessing

The Dismissal

stand

Priest: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Organ Voluntary

*The altar flowers are given to the glory of God
in loving memory of Patricia A. Aitken by William Aitken.*

Lector/Eucharistic Ministers:

Ann Babington, Ann Randazzo

Ushers:

Randy and Cheryl Meyer

Altar Guild:

Connie Lohr, Vicky Pruellage Claudia McMillin

Nancy Grimes, Susan Schettler

Counters:

Bob Messey, Ann Randazzo

PRAYER LIST

For Family and Friends: Michael Curry, Etta Jane McCarty and Timothy Vowels.

For the Faithful Departed: Robert Bergquist, Josephine Pye and Frances Remington.

For those Committed to Our Ongoing Prayers: Donna Brookman, Lucy Dolan, Meg Fuller, Jimmy Grimmett, Patty Hecker, Marsha Hussung, Helen Jenks, Susan Kerkering, Sandy Lehrer, Sophia Mandl, Elizabeth Mendoza, Cheryl Meyer, Bryan Miller, Signe Myles, Jeffrey Rixleben, Ray Sellenriek, Dan Singer, Jane St. John and Dick Williams.

TODAY...

SUNDAY SCHOOL – Child care will be available throughout the summer from 10:00 a.m. through the conclusion of the 10:30 a.m. worship service, and Summer Sunday School for all students in kindergarten through 5th grade will be during the 10:30 worship service.

COFFEE HOUR – Due to construction, coffee hour on Sunday mornings is taking a summer hiatus. Perhaps invite a fellow parishioner out for coffee, or meet for brunch?

FOOD DRIVE SUNDAY – Thank you for your generosity for today’s “1st Sunday” food drive for the Trinity Episcopal Church food pantry. Watch for the posting of September’s list of food needs at the end of August.

THIS WEEK...

FAMILY SERVICE WEEK – As a Back to School gift to the community St. Peter’s has planned this year’s Family Service Week. Children and their parents, grandparents or caregivers are invited **this week, Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. until Noon**. We’ll be donating items to organizations, doing service work and visiting area ministries. Check your Sunday School email for each day’s activities or contact Ann Babington, Director of Christian Education, at annbabington@gmail.com.

CALLING ALL EIGHTH GRADERS! If you are a rising 8th Grader or older and would like to receive the sacrament of Confirmation next spring, please contact The Reverend Kelly Carlson this week by phone or email to join this year's Confirmation Class, which will begin meeting in early September.

NEWS DEADLINE – Please submit news to the Church Office by noon on Tuesdays.

ST. PETER'S CARES – Need a ride, a meal or a prayer? St. Peter's has a ministry that can help – that's St. Peter's Cares! Leave a voicemail or email (314-993-2306, ext. 125 or shepherd@stpetersepiscopal.org) and a Shepherd will contact you within 24 hours.

WOMAN'S GUILD – Bring your lunch and join us for our summer gatherings about noon on Tuesdays. Yoga will meet at 11:00 in the Little Building.

BACK TO SCHOOL SERVICE WEEKEND IN OLD NORTH! – Youth entering grades 6-12 are invited to cap off their summer break with a time of service, fellowship, worship, and fun. Led by The Reverend Loren Lasch, the youth of the Diocese will get the Deaconess Anne House ship-shape for the arrival of the new corps members. The fun begins at 6:00 p.m. on August 10th; pick-up is at 5:00 p.m. on the 11th. **Register at www.diocesemo.org/youth by tomorrow, August 6th.** (The registration fee is a can of food for the Little Food Pantry.) Loren would love to spend time with St. Peter's Youth!

UPCOMING EVENTS...

RECTOR'S FORUMS RETURN – In honor of our 150th anniversary the first series of Rector's Forums will focus on the History of St. Peter's Church. Join Luke Jernagan at 9:15 on Sunday mornings beginning August 19th.

BOOK GROUP – Our summer read is *The Alexandria Quartet* by Lawrence Durrell, so read at your leisure and plan to join us on Wednesday, October 3rd at 2:00 p.m.

SAVE THE DATE! We are excited to celebrate St. Peter's 150th anniversary on the weekend of October 13-14th. We will kick off the celebration on Saturday, October 13, with a parish-wide dinner at the Donald Danforth Plant Science Center. Look for an invitation soon, but please plan to join us for great food, fun, and fellowship!

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 5 - 12, 2018

Sunday	8/ 5		The Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost
			Food Drive Sunday
		8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
		10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Mon.-Fri.	8/6-10	10:00 a.m.	Family Mission Week Activities
Tuesday	8/ 7	11:00 a.m.	Summer Woman's Guild
Wednesday	8/ 8	5:30 p.m.	Holy Eucharist
		6:00 p.m.	Choristers
Sunday	8/12		The Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost
		8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
		10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist