

THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
July 21, 2019 – 8:00 A.M.
THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE I

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.

Almighty God, the fountain of all wisdom, who knowest our necessities before we ask and our ignorance in asking: Have compassion, we beseech thee, upon our infirmities, and those things which for our unworthiness we dare not, and for our blindness we cannot ask, mercifully give us for the worthiness of thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

People: **Amen.**

The Lessons

Lector: A Reading from The Book of Genesis. (18: 1-10)

sit

The Lord appeared to Abraham by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the entrance of his tent in the heat of the day. He looked up and saw three men standing near him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent entrance to meet them, and bowed down to the ground. He said, "My lord, if I find favor with you, do not pass by your servant. Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree. Let me bring a little bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on—since you have come to your servant." So they said, "Do as you have said." And Abraham hastened into the tent to Sarah, and said, "Make ready quickly three measures of choice flour, knead it, and make cakes." Abraham ran to the herd, and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to the servant, who hastened to prepare it. Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared, and set it before them; and he stood by them under the tree while they ate. They said to him, "Where is your wife Sarah?" And he said, "There, in the tent." Then one said, "I will surely return to you in due season, and your wife Sarah shall have a son."

The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 15

- 1 Lord, who may dwell in your tabernacle?
who may abide upon your holy hill?
- 2 **Whoever leads a blameless life and does what is right,
who speaks the truth from his heart.**
- 3 There is no guile upon his tongue;
he does no evil to his friend;
he does not heap contempt upon his neighbor.
- 4 **In his sight the wicked is rejected,
but he honors those who fear the Lord.**
- 5 He has sworn to do no wrong
and does not take back his word.
- 6 **He does not give his money in hope of gain,
nor does he take a bribe against the innocent.**
- 7 Whoever does these things
shall never be overthrown.

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 Luke. *stand*
(10: 38-42)

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

As Jesus and his disciples went on their way, Jesus entered a village where a woman named Martha welcomed him into her home. She had a sister named Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to what he was saying. But Martha was distracted by her many tasks; so she came to him and asked, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her then to help me." But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things; there is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her."

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

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

The Sermon: The Reverend Susie Skinner

sit

The Nicene Creed

p. 326, *stand*

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 (<i>Hymn 380, stanza 3</i>)	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, <i>kneel</i>
The Blessing	
The Dismissal	<i>stand</i>
<i>Priest:</i> Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.	
<i>People:</i> Thanks be to God.	
Organ Voluntary	

*The altar flowers are given to the glory of God by Witt Fowler,
in loving memory of Claire Fowler and Linda Kerner.*

Lector/Eucharistic Ministers:

Brig Buettner, Jane Gilbert

Ushers:

Randy and Cheryl Meyer

Altar Guild:

Merrill Buettner, Frances Gay, Cheryl Gelstein, Holly Parks

PRAYER LIST

For Parishioners: Bryan Miller and Libby Weinman.

For Family and Friends: Susan Bartlett and Maddie Minton.

For the Men and Women of the Armed Forces: Zach Greata.

For the Faithful Departed: Carolyn N. Hager and Gary J. Haller.

For those Committed to Our Ongoing Prayers: Dana Brodeur, Donna Brookman, Chris Canepa, Elizabeth Clarke, Charlotte Constance, Robert Craft, Ed Dewein, Kathryn Dewein, Laura Munson-Dewein, Mary Edwards, Carol Fisher, Patty Hecker, Susan Kerkering, Rick Ledbetter, Doug McNair, Elizabeth Mendoza, Cheryl Meyer, Signe Myles, Jere Pastore, Scott Peterson, Louisa Rix, Jeffrey Rixleben, Sarah Roberts, Ray Sellenriek, Gerald Spencer, Jane St. John, Kathy Sheehan, Martine Smith, Jake Stromsborg, Sally Von Lehmann, Buzz Wall, Dick Williams, Justin Williamson and Adam Wright.

TODAY...

WELCOME – This morning we welcome the Rev. Susie Skinner as our guest preacher for both services.

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 – Join us in the Undercroft for Coffee Hour after each of this morning's services.

UNDERCROFT RESTROOMS OPEN – The restrooms downstairs at the south end of the Undercroft are open once again.

THIS WEEK...

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@stpeterseiscopal.org) and a Shepherd will contact you within 24 hours.

WOMAN’S GUILD – Join us on Tuesday morning to visit and to work on projects. Bring your lunch! Yoga classes are at 11:00 in the Undercroft each Tuesday morning.

UPCOMING EVENTS...

ORGAN OPEN HOUSE: The Mander organ in the church supports our worship services, and it is also used at concerts and recitals. But have you ever seen the organ up close? Have you ever played it? Starting **next Sunday**, July 28, everyone is invited to a five-minute organ demonstration after the service. Afterward, the organ will be open for all to play.

Sunday, July 28

Look ma, no hands! All about the organ pedals.

Sunday, August 4

Meet the Pipes, all 3,040 of them

Sunday, August 11

Buttons and pedals and knobs. Oh my! What does it all do?

CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION – It’s that time of the year again when we invite youth to continue their formation and prepare to confirm their faith. Students entering eighth grade in the Fall of 2019 (and others who have not yet been confirmed), we hope you will join our Confirmation Class! We will meet once a month on Sunday mornings at 9:15 a.m. beginning on Sunday, September 8th. To register, please contact Fr. Joseph @ josephww@stpeterseiscopal.org.

WORK DAY – Deaconess Anne House will host a work day to help prepare the house for the newest Corps members on Saturday, July 27th, 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Lunch will be provided. If you can lend a hand, contact jsmith@diocesemo.org.

REALM

If the Church Office has your email address, you should have received an email from St. Peter's, inviting you to create a Realm login. This new online resource offers convenient tools to support everyone's involvement in the life of our parish. Using Realm, you can update your contact information, access the parish directory, and control your family's privacy settings. In addition, you can view your giving history, sign up for paperless statements, and much more!

If you did not receive your invitation, please sign up at the Welcome Table in the Undercroft, or email our Director of Communications, Jacquelyn VanWeelden, at office@stpetersepisopal.org, and provide the full name and preferred email address for each family member requesting a login.

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 21 - 28, 2019

Sunday	7/21		The Sixth Sunday after Pentecost
		8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
		9:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour
		10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
		11:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour
Tuesday	7/23	11:00 a.m.	Summer Woman's Guild
Wednesday	7/24	5:30 p.m.	Holy Eucharist
Sunday	7/28		The Seventh Sunday after Pentecost
		8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
		9:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour
		10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
		11:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour