Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Holy Communion Sunday, June 20, 2021

PRELUDE Adagio in c-sharp | Albert Becker

Gathering

Please turn and face the baptismal font at the rear of the nave.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

In the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

#398 PROCESSIONAL HYMN Holy Spirit, Truth Divine

Please turn and face the cross as the procession approaches the altar.

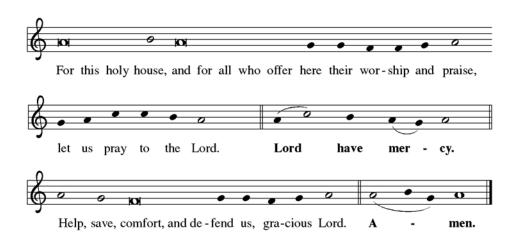
Apostolic Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.







PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray.

O God of creation, eternal majesty, you preside over land and sea, sunshine and storm. By your strength pilot us, by your power preserve us, by your wisdom instruct us, and by your hand protect us, through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Amen.

Word

Please sit.

FIRST READING Job 38:1-11

The Lord answered Job out of the whirlwind: "Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge? Gird up your loins like a man, I will question you, and you shall declare to me.

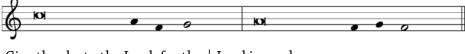
"Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding. Who determined its measurements—surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone when the morning stars sang together and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy?

"Or who shut in the sea with doors when it burst out from the womb?—when I made the clouds its garment, and thick darkness its swaddling band, and prescribed bounds for it, and set bars and doors, and said, "Thus far shall you come, and no farther, and here shall your proud waves be stopped'?"

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 107:1-3, 23-32

Sung responsively.



Give thanks to the Lord, for the | Lord is good, for God's mercy en- | dures forever.

Let the redeemed of the | Lord proclaim that God redeemed them from the hand | of the foe,

gathering them in | from the lands;

from the east and from the west, from the north and | from the south.

Some went down to the | sea in ships,

plying their trade | in deep waters.

They beheld the works | of the Lord,

God's wonderful works | in the deep.

Then God spoke, and a stormy | wind arose, which tossed high the waves | of the sea. They mounted up to the heavens and descended | to the depths; their souls melted away | in their peril.

They staggered and | reeled like drunkards, and all their skill was of | no avail.

Then in their trouble they cried | to the Lord,

and you delivered them from | their distress.

You stilled the storm | to a whisper

and silenced the waves | of the sea.

Then were they glad when \mid it grew calm,

when you guided them to the harbor \mid they desired.

Let them give thanks to you, Lord, for your | steadfast love and your wonderful works | for all people.

Let them exalt you in the assembly | of the people; in the council of the elders, let them sing | hallelujah!

SECOND READING 2 Corinthians 6:1-13

As we work together with him, we urge you also not to accept the grace of God in vain. For he says, "At an acceptable time I have listened to you, and on a day of salvation I have helped you."

See, now is the acceptable time; see, now is the day of salvation! We are putting no obstacle in anyone's way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, but as servants of God we have commended ourselves in every way: through great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, beatings, imprisonments, riots, labors, sleepless nights, hunger; by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, holiness of spirit, genuine love, truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left; in honor and dishonor, in ill repute and good repute. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; as unknown, and yet are well known; as dying, and see—we are alive; as punished, and yet not killed; as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing everything.

We have spoken frankly to you Corinthians; our heart is wide open to you. There is no restriction in our affections, but only in yours. In return—I speak as to children—open wide your hearts also.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand.

#174 GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Acclamation sung by all:



Verse (Sung by cantor): Now is the acceptable time; now is the day of salvation. *All repeat acclamation.*

GOSPEL Mark 4:35-41 Glory to you, O Lord.

When evening had come, Jesus said to the disciples, "Let us go across to the other side." And leaving the

crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him. A great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped. But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. He said to them, "Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?" And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?"

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Please sit. Sermon

Please stand.

#761 HYMN OF THE DAY Evening and Morning

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, 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, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come 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.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

... Lord in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

PEACE

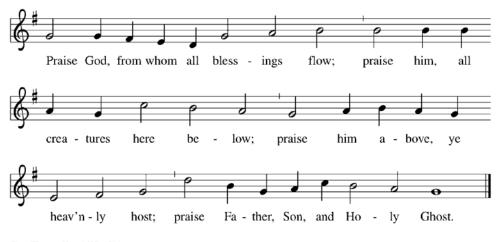
The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**

Meal

Please sit. **OFFERING**

MUSIC AT THE OFFERING Even Song | Kate Boundy

Please stand. **OFFERTORY** Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow



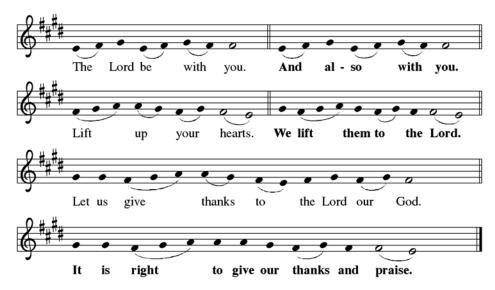
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OFFERTORY PRAYER

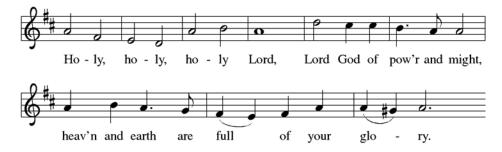
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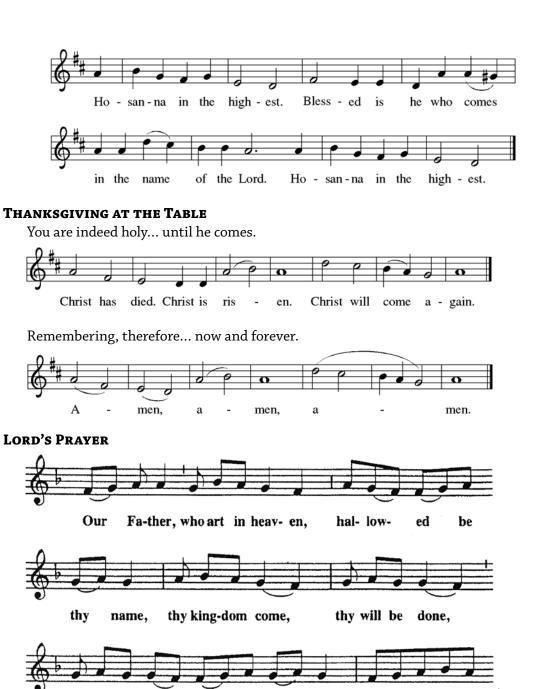
Blessed are you, O Lord our God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts. With them we offer ourselves to your service and dedicate our lives to the care and redemption of all that you have made, for the sake of him who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

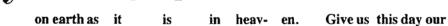
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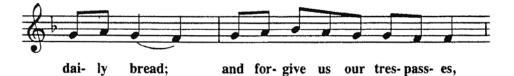




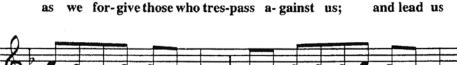


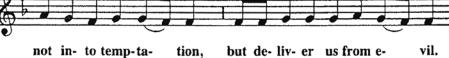














Please sit.

THE COMMUNION

All baptized Christians are welcomed to receive Holy Communion. We receive the Body of Christ (bread) in our open hands and the Blood of Christ (wine) by intinction. Christ is fully present in both bread and cup; persons unable to drink wine are encouraged to abstain from the cup and receive Christ in the bread.

#785 COMMUNION HYMN When Peace Like a River

Please stand. PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Sending

Blessing

Almighty God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever. **Amen.**

#763 RECESSIONAL HYMN My Life Flows On in Endless Song *Please turn and face the cross as the procession approaches the font.*

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE Alla Marcia | John Ireland

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