



WELCOME!

We are delighted to have you with us today. You are invited to God's table to receive communion and to share in our community. If you are visiting, please introduce yourself and fill out a Welcome Card. Place the card in the offering plate or hand it to an usher. If you are looking for a church to call home, you are welcome here!

CHILDREN AT ST. JOHN'S

Children's Chapel is offered for ages ten and under during the Gospel and Sermon, with infant and toddler care in the nursery. We enjoy a family worship service and Children's Sermon on the second Sunday of the month.

THE WORD OF GOD

OPENING HYMN

"God of Grace and God of Glory" vs. 1-4, The Hymnal 594

The People stand as able for the Hymn and opening

THE OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant

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

People

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

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

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

GATHERING HYMN

"We Have Come Into His House" v. 1, Lift Every Voice and Sing 245

We have come in - to His house and gath-ered in His name to
 wor - ship Him, We have come in - to His house and
 gath-ered in His name to wor - ship Him; We have
 come in - to His house and gath - ered in His name to
 wor-ship Christ, the Lord, Wor-ship Him, Christ the Lord. *Repeat*

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, the strength of all who put their trust in you: Mercifully accept our prayers; and because in our weakness we can do nothing good without you, give us the help of your grace, that in keeping your commandments we may please you both in will and deed; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

THE LESSONS

The People Sit

A READING FROM THE HEBREW SCRIPTURES

JEREMIAH 17:5-10

Thus says the Lord: “Cursed are those who trust in mere mortals and make mere flesh their strength, whose hearts turn away from the Lord. They shall be like a shrub in the desert, and shall not see when relief comes. They shall live in the parched places of the wilderness, in an uninhabited salt land. Blessed are those who trust in the Lord, whose trust is the Lord. They shall be like a tree planted by water, sending out its roots by the stream. It shall not fear when heat comes, and its leaves shall stay green; in the year of drought it is not anxious, and it does not cease to bear fruit. The heart is devious above all else; it is perverse—who can understand it? I the Lord test the mind and search the heart, to give to all according to their ways, according to the fruit of their doings.”

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 1

Remaining seated, the Lector and the People say the Psalm responsively

- 1 Happy are they who have not walked in the counsel of
 the wicked, *
 **nor lingered in the way of sinners,
 nor sat in the seats of the scornful!**
- 2 Their delight is in the law of the Lord, *
 and they meditate on his law day and night.
- 3 They are like trees planted by streams of water,
 bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that do not wither; *
 everything they do shall prosper.
- 4 It is not so with the wicked; *
 they are like chaff which the wind blows away.
- 5 Therefore the wicked shall not stand upright when
 judgment comes, *
 nor the sinner in the council of the righteous.
- 6 For the Lord knows the way of the righteous, *
 but the way of the wicked is doomed.

A READING FROM THE NEW TESTAMENT

1 CORINTHIANS 15:12-20

Now if Christ is proclaimed as raised from the dead, how can some of you say there is no resurrection of the dead? If there is no resurrection of the dead, then Christ has not been raised; and if Christ has not been raised, then our proclamation has been in vain and your faith has been in vain. We are even found to be misrepresenting God, because we testified of God that he raised Christ—whom he did not raise if it is true that the dead are not raised. For if the dead are not raised, then Christ has not been raised. If Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile

and you are still in your sins. Then those also who have died in Christ have perished. If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied. But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died.

Lector The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

SEQUENCE HYMN

“Be Thou My Vision, O Lord of My Heart” The Hymnal 488

The People stand as able for the hymn and the Gospel

Verses 1-2 are sung before the Gospel and verse 3 is sung after the Gospel

All children age ten and under are invited to follow the Cross to Children’s Chapel.

Chapel will end in time for the children to join the congregation for the Peace and complete the service with their families.

1 Be thou my vi - sion, O Lord of my heart;
2 Be thou my wis - dom, and thou my true word;
3 High King of hea - ven, when vic - tory is won,
all else be nought to me, save that thou art—
I ev - er with thee and thou with me, Lord;
may I reach hea - ven’s joys, bright hea - ven’s Sun!
thou my best thought, — by day or by night,
thou my great Fa - ther; thine own may I be;
Heart of my heart, — what - ev - er be - fall,
wak - ing or sleep - ing, thy pres - ence my light.
thou in me dwell - ing, and I one with thee.
still be my vis - ion, O Ru - ler of all.

THE HOLY GOSPEL

LUKE 6:17-26

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus came down with the twelve apostles, and stood on a level place, with a great crowd of his disciples and a great multitude of people from all Judea, Jerusalem, and the coast of Tyre and Sidon. They had come to hear him and to be healed of their diseases; and those who were troubled with unclean spirits were cured. And all in the crowd were trying to touch him, for power came out from him and healed all of them. Then he looked up at his disciples and said: “Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled. Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh. Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets. But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation. Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry. Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep. Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.”

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

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THE SERMON

The People may be seated

A moment of silence will be observed for reflection after the sermon

Brian Nystrom

THE NICENE CREED

The People stand as able and say together

BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER (BCP): P. 358

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The Intercessor and People pray responsively, kneeling or standing

BCP: FORM IV, P. 388

CONFESSION OF SIN

The People kneel or stand as able

BCP: P. 360

THE PEACE

The People stand as able

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The People sit. The Revelations Newsletter is available in the Narthex and Hansen Hall for more information on what is happening around the parish.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

OFFERTORY

“Up to the Mountain” by Patty Griffin—Kirsten Farney, solo

I went up to the mountain
Because you asked me to
Up over the clouds
To where the sky was blue
I could see all around me Everywhere
Sometimes I feel like
I’ve never been nothing but tired
And I’ll be walking Till the day I expire
Sometimes I lay down No more can I do
But then I go on again Because you ask me to
Some days I look down Afraid I will fall
And though the sun shines I see nothing at all
Then I hear your sweet voice, oh
Oh, come and then go, come and then go
Telling me softly You love me so
The peaceful valley Just over the mountain
The peaceful valley Few come to know
I may never get there
Ever in this lifetime
But sooner or later
It’s there I will go
Sooner or later
It’s there I will go

PRESENTATION HYMN

“Awake, My Soul, and with the Sun” v. 4, The Hymnal 11

The People stand as able

*4 Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; praise
him, all crea - tures here be - low; praise him a - bove, ye
heaven - ly host: praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

BCP: EUCHARISTIC PRAYER A, p. 361

The People remain standing

SANCTUS

“Holy, Holy, Holy Lord” The Hymnal S125

The Celebrant & the People sing together

The People kneel or stand as the Celebrant continues with the Great Thanksgiving

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

As the Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread, a period of silence is kept

“Christ our Passover” The Hymnal S155

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le -
lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. Christ our Pass - o - ver is
sac - ri - ficed for us; There - fore let us keep the feast.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Celebrant

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

This is Christ's table, and Christ is our host at this feast. Children of any age and people of any denomination are welcome to receive communion. Gluten-free hosts are available upon request. If you are unable to come forward, but desire Communion, please notify an usher. If, for whatever reason, you do not wish to receive bread or wine, you are invited to come forward for a blessing.

A member of St. John's Healing Ministry is available to be a companion in prayer in the Columbarium to the left of the main altar during Communion.

COMMUNION HYMNS

The People are invited to sing

“My Jesus, I Love Thee” Lift Every Voice and Sing 89

1. My Je - sus, I love thee, I know thou art mine,
2. I love thee be - cause thou hast first lov - ed me,
3. I'll love thee in life, I will love thee in death,
4. In man - sions of glo - ry and end - less de - light,

1. For thee all the fol - lies of sin I re - sign;
2. And pur - chased my par - don on Cal - va - ry's tree,
3. And praise thee as long as thou lend - est me breath;
4. I'll ev - er a - dore thee in heav - en so bright;

1. My gra - cious Re - deem - er, my Sav - ior are thou: ___
2. I love thee for wear - ing the thorns on thy brow: ___
3. And say when the death - dew lies cold on my brow, ___
4. I'll sing with the glit - ter - ing crown on my brow, ___

1. If ev - er I loved thee, my Je - sus, 'tis now.
2. If ev - er I loved thee, my Je - sus, 'tis now.
3. "If ev - er I loved thee, my Je - sus, 'tis now."
4. "If ev - er I loved thee, my Je - sus, 'tis now."

1. I am weak but thou art strong; _____
2. Through this world of toil and snares, _____
3. When my fee - ble life is o'er, _____
Refrain: Just a clos - er walk with thee, _____

1. Je - sus, keep me from all wrong; _____ I'll be sat - is - fied as
2. If I fal - ter, Lord, who cares? _____ Who with me my bur - den
3. Time for me will be no more; _____ Guide me gent - ly, safe - ly
Refrain: Grant it, Je - sus, is my plea, _____ Dai - ly walk - ing close to

D.C. for Refrain
1. long _____ As I walk, let me walk close to thee.
2. shares? _____ None but thee, dear Lord, none but thee.
3. o'er _____ To Thy king - dom shore, to thy shore.
Refrain: thee, _____ Let it be, dear Lord, let it be.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

The People kneel or stand as able

Celebrant

Let us pray.

Celebrant

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

& People

BLESSING

The Priest blesses the people

CLOSING HYMN

“Tell Out, My Soul, the Greatness of the Lord” vs. 1-3, The Hymnal 437

THE DISMISSAL

As the procession passes down the aisle, you are invited to face the doors of the church for the Dismissal

Deacon

Alleluia, Alleluia. Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People

Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

POSTLUDE

We invite you to join us for Coffee Hour in Hansen Hall after the service.



THANK YOU FOR JOINING US TODAY!

To learn more about St. John's Episcopal Church go to our website, stjohnsjackson.org.

The Reverend Jimmy Bartz, Rector

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