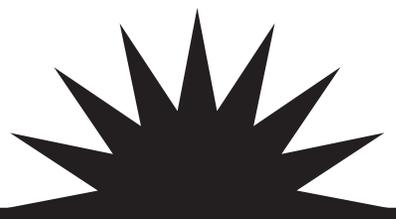




**THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER
PENTECOST**

JULY 31, 2016 | 10:00

You Are Welcome



Some Helpful Things to Know Today

Can I receive Communion?

Yes. Everyone, without exception, is invited to receive Communion.

When am I supposed to stand?

At any point in the service, it's perfectly fine for you to remain seated as you're comfortable. We do have customary times when we stand or kneel; these are indicated by the italicized instructions throughout the service. There are also times when it is customary to cross ourselves, and if you wish to do so, the + indicates that.

Are children welcome here?

Yes. Children are invited to participate actively in the service. Coloring pages, crayons, and books are at the entrances to the church. Nursery care is available 9:00a - 12:30p for children ages 0-3; the Nursery is down the southwest stairs. And finally, changing tables are in the downstairs restrooms and the Nursery.

Where are the restrooms?

There are single-user, gender-neutral restrooms down the southwest stairs and also through the northeast door of the sanctuary. See the map on the Welcome Table for details.

How do I find my way around?

There's a map at the Welcome Table near the west entrance to the church. Also feel free to ask anyone to help you around.

Is there wheelchair accessibility?

Yes. An accessible restroom is through the northeast door of the sanctuary. There is also a lift to take you downstairs, through the southeast door. See the map on the Welcome Table for details. Everyone is invited to remain seated at any point during the service as they need.

How about hearing assistance?

We can help there, too. Hearing-assistance devices are available from the ushers.

A Little About St. Paul & the Redeemer

Our Vision

We seek to become a community that mirrors the radical hospitality practiced by Jesus. We do that in five important ways:



We Praise God



We Invite All



We Connect Lives



We Nurture Faith



We Serve Neighbor

Let's Get Connected

We look forward to getting to know you and telling you about this community:

1) Fill out one of these cards, which you can find in the backs of the chairs:

A small card titled "Let's Get Connected" with a sunburst icon at the top. It contains a form with the following fields: "Your Name()", "Your Email (please print clearly)", "Your Preferred Phone Number" (with a dropdown menu), and "Your Mailing Address" (with checkboxes for "Mobile" and "Landline"). A "Over" button with a right arrow is at the bottom right.

2) Stop by the Welcome Table, which is near the west entrance to the church.

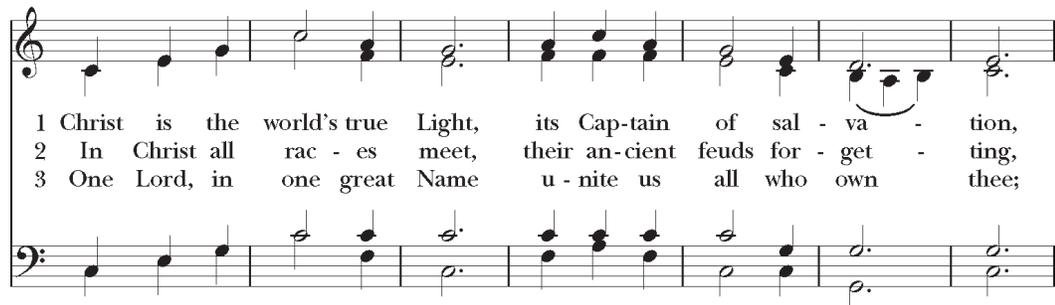


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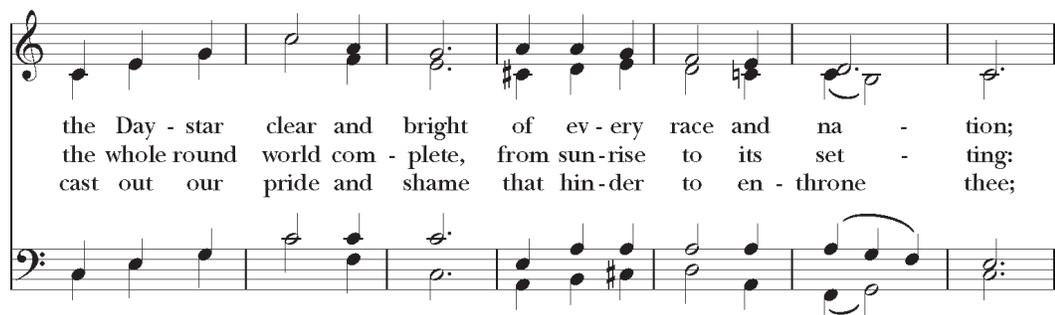
THE WORD OF GOD

Prelude

When the bell rings, please stand as able and sing:



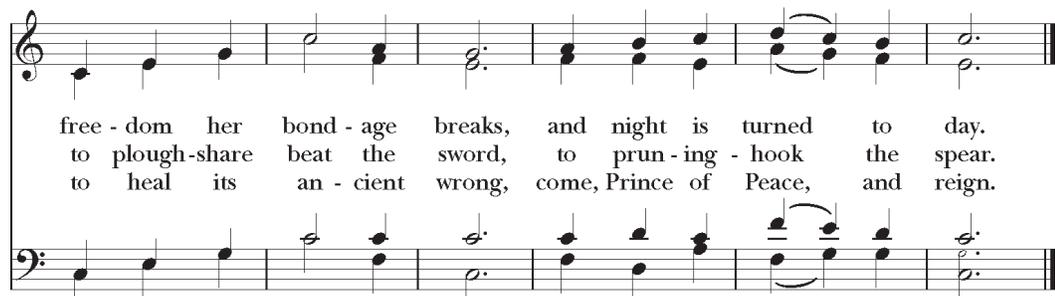
1 Christ is the world's true Light, its Cap-tain of sal - va - tion,
2 In Christ all rac - es meet, their an-cient feuds for - get - ting,
3 One Lord, in one great Name u - nite us all who own thee;



the Day - star clear and bright of ev - ery race and na - tion;
the whole round world com - plete, from sun-rise to its set - ting;
cast out our pride and shame that hin - der to en - throne thee;



new life, new hope a - wakes, for all who own his sway:
when Christ is throned as Lord all shall for - sake their fear,
the world has wait - ed long, has tra - vailed long in pain;



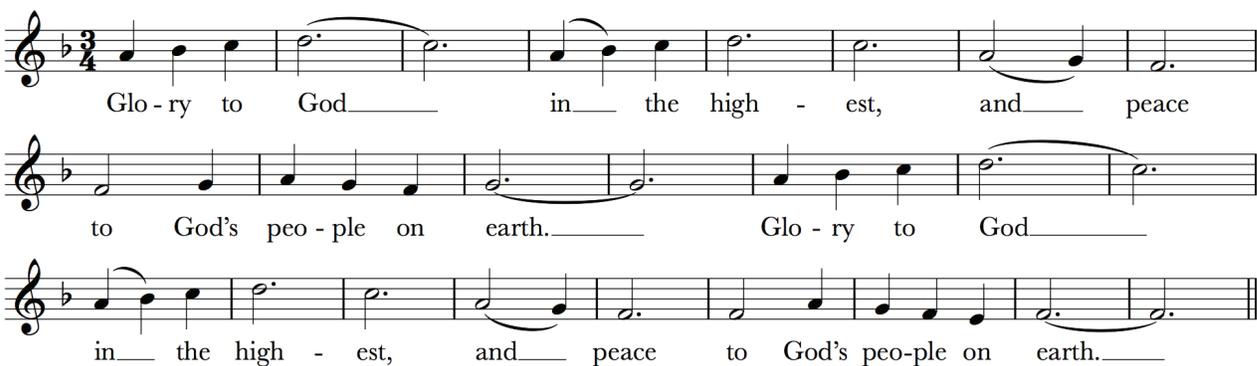
free - dom her bond - age breaks, and night is turned to day.
to plough-share beat the sword, to prun - ing - hook the spear.
to heal its an - cient wrong, come, Prince of Peace, and reign.

Words: George Wallace Briggs (1875-1959), alt.
Music: *St. Joan*, 67. 67. 66. 66, Percy E. B. Collier (1895-?)
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Presider: + Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.
People: **Glory to God, for ever and ever.**

All sing:

Refrain



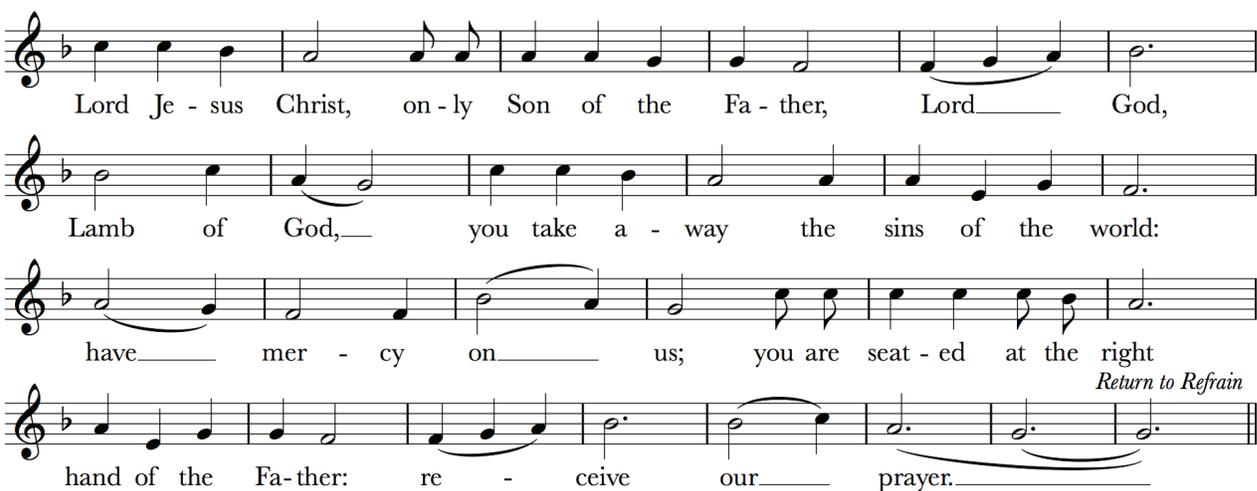
Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and peace
to God's peo - ple on earth. Glo - ry to God
in the high - est, and peace to God's peo - ple on earth.

Verse 1



Lord God, heav - en - ly King, al - - might - y
God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glo - ry.

Verse 2



Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God,
Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world:
have mer - cy on us; you are seat - ed at the right
hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer.



Verse 3

For you a - lone are the Ho - ly one, you a - lone are the Lord, you a - lone are the
 Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the *Continue to the ending*
 glo - ry of God the Fa - ther.

Ending

Glo - ry to God in the high - est,
 A - men, a - - - - men.

Music: James Capers (b. 1948)
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Presider: God be with you.
 People: **And also with you.**

Presider: Let us pray.
 People: **Let your continual mercy, O Lord,
 cleanse and defend your Church;
 and, because it cannot continue in safety without your help,
 protect and govern it always by your goodness;
 through Jesus Christ our Lord,
 who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
 one God, for ever and ever. Amen.**

Please be seated.

The Lessons

Lector:

A reading from the book of Ecclesiastes.

Vanity of vanities, says the Teacher, vanity of vanities! All is vanity. I, the Teacher, when king over Israel in Jerusalem, applied my mind to seek and to search out by wisdom all that is done under heaven; it is an unhappy business that God has given to human beings to be busy with. I saw all the deeds that are done under the sun; and see, all is vanity and a chasing after wind. I hated all my toil in which I had toiled under the sun, seeing that I must leave it to those who come after me -- and who knows whether they will be wise or foolish? Yet they will be master of all for which I toiled and used my wisdom under the sun. This also is vanity. So I turned and gave my heart up to despair concerning all the toil of my labors under the sun, because sometimes one who has toiled with wisdom and knowledge and skill must leave all to be enjoyed by another who did not toil for it. This also is vanity and a great evil. What do mortals get from all the toil and strain with which they toil under the sun? For all their days are full of pain, and their work is a vexation; even at night their minds do not rest. This also is vanity.

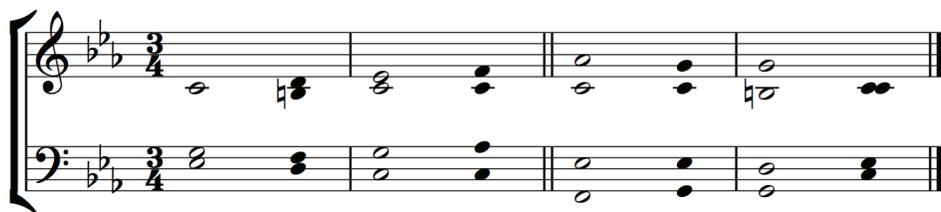
Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14; 2:18-23

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People:

Thanks be to God.

All sing:



Hear this, all you peoples; hearken, all you who / **dwell in the world,** *
you of high degree and low, / **rich and poor together.**
My mouth shall speak of / **wisdom,** *
and my heart shall / **meditate on understanding.**

I will incline my ear to a / **proverb** *
and set forth my / **riddle upon the harp.**
Why should I be afraid in / **evil days,** *
when the wickedness of those at my heels sur/rounds me,
† The wickedness of those who put their / **trust in their goods,** *
and boast of their / **great riches?**

We can never / **ransom ourselves,** *
or deliver to God the / **price of our life;**
For the ransom of our life is / **so great,** *
that we should never have e/nough to pay it,
† In order to live for / **ever and ever,** *
and never see the / **grave.**

For we see that the wise die also; like the dull and stupid they / **perish** *
and leave their wealth to those who come / **after them.**
Their graves shall be their homes for ever, their dwelling places from / **generation to generation,** *
though they call the lands after / **their own names.**
† Even though honored, they can/**not live for ever;** *
they are like the beasts that / **perish.**

Psalms 49.1-11

Music: Simplified Anglican chant by Robert Knox Kennedy (b. 1945)

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Lector:

A reading from Paul's letter to the Colossians.

If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory. Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient. These are the ways you also once followed, when you were living that life. But now you must get rid of all such things – anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive language from your mouth. Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. In that renewal there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

Colossians 3:1-11

People:

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

Thanks be to God.

All stand as able and sing.

The Refrain is sung twice, followed by the first verse and the final Refrain.

Hal - le - lu - jah! We sing your prai - ses! All our hearts are filled with glad - ness!
Ha - le - lu - ya! Pe - lo tsa ro - na, di tha - bi - le ka - o - fe - la.

Fine

Hal - le - lu - jah! We sing your prai - ses! All our hearts are filled with glad - ness!
Ha - le - lu - ya! Pe - lo tsa ro - na, di tha - bi - le ka - o - fe - la.

Christ the Lord to us said: "I am wine, I am bread, I am
Je - sus says to us still: "All who do the Lord's will, all who

wine, I am bread, give to all who thirst and hun - ger!"
do the Lord's will are my sis - ters and my bro - thers." **D.C.**

Words: South Africa

Music: *Haleluya! Palo tso rona*, Irr., South Africa

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At the + below, you are invited to trace a cross over your forehead, your mouth, and over your heart.

Presider: + The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People: **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Presider: Someone in the crowd said to Jesus, "Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me." But he said to him, "Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?" And he said to them, "Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions." Then he told them a parable: "The land of a rich man produced abundantly. And he thought to himself, 'What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?' Then he said, 'I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, "Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry." But God said to him, 'You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?' So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich toward God."

Luke 11:1-13

The Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Children's Chapel

Children in preschool to second grade are invited to their own liturgy in the Chapel. They will return at the Peace.

The Sermon

Today's Preacher: The Reverend Dan Puchalla, Associate Rector.

We ask that parents take crying infants to the Narthex or Nursery.

The Nicene Creed

Presider: Let us confess the faith of the Church.

People:

**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit
and the Virgin Mary
and became truly human.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and
the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son
is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic
and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism
for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

The Prayers of the People

Leader: In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Leader: For all people in their daily life and work;

People: **For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.**

Leader: For this community, the nation, and the world;

People: **For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.**

Leader: For the just and proper use of your creation;

People: **For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.**

Leader: For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

People: **For those who minister to them, to the sick, to the friendless, and to the needy.**

Leader: For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

People: **For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.**

Leader: For **Michael** Curry, Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church; for **Jeffrey** Lee, Bishop of Chicago; and for all bishops and other ministers;

People: **For all who serve God in the Church.**

Leader: For the special needs and concerns of this congregation. We pray for **Penny** Johnson (sister of Peter Pereira), **Mike** Clough (father of Christian Clough), **Mitch** Micielica, **Hari** Crenson (sister of John Crenson), **Mary Ann** Becklenberg and her husband **John, George & Olive** Whitley, and **Alexis** Okoroh, as well as for their caregivers. Hear us, Lord;

People: **For your mercy is great.**

Leader: We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom. We pray for **Percy** Owens (7/31), **Eta** Zuckerman (8/1), **Gregory** Collins (8/2), **Kelly Ann** Reid (8/3), and **Margaret** Davis (aunt of Brenda Kilpatrick), who died last Monday.

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

People: **Who put their trust in you.**

Leader: We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life: for those celebrating birthdays, including **Melanie** Brown Okoroh (8/1), **Jordan** Clark (8/2), **June** Farris (8/2), **Meryl** Prochaska (8/5), **Edie** Bagrowski (8/6), and **Toya** Moseley (8/6), and those celebrating anniversaries, including **Jonathan** Daly & **Sophia** Villafuerte (7/31), **Barton & Michelle** Dassinger (7/31), **Anne** Harlan & **Roger** Ferlo (7/31), **Kate & Steve** Benson (8/1), **Mark** Wilson & **Chris** Garbrecht (8/3), **Stephenie & Naaman** Landers (8/6), and **Heather & Mark** Serice (8/6),

We will exalt you, O God,

People: **And praise your Name for ever and ever.**

Leader: I invite you to offer your own prayers and thanksgivings, ending each with "Lord, in your mercy."

Presider: O merciful Creator, your hand is open wide to satisfy the needs of every living creature: Make us always thankful for your loving providence; and grant that we, remembering the account that we must one day give, may be faithful stewards of your good gifts; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever.

People: **Amen.**

Form VI, *Book of Common Prayer*, 392-393.

Collect: *Book of Common Prayer*, 259.

Confession and Absolution

Presider: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

All bow or kneel as able.

All: **God of all mercy;
we confess that we have sinned against you,
opposing your will in our lives,
We have denied your goodness in each other,
in ourselves, and in the world you have created.
We repent of the evil that enslaves us,
the evil we have done,
and the evil done on our behalf.
Forgive, restore, and strengthen us
through our Savior Jesus Christ,
that we may abide in your love
and serve only your will. Amen.**

Presider: Almighty God have mercy on you, + forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

All: **Amen.**

All stand.

The Peace

Presider: The peace of God be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

All greet one another and return to their seats.

Some announcements will be given, but there's much more to find out in the back pages of this bulletin.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory

"I've decided to make Jesus my choice"

1

Some folk would rather have houses and land.
Some folk choose silver and gold.
These things they treasure and forget about their soul;
I've decided to make Jesus my choice.

*The road is rough, the going gets tough,
and the hills are hard to climb,
I've started out a long time ago,
there's no doubt in my mind;
I've decided to make Jesus my choice.*

2

These clothes may be ragged that I'm wearing.
Heavy is the load that I'm bearing
These old burdens that I'm carrying
I've decided to make Jesus my choice. *Refrain*

Words & Music: Harris Johnson

The Great Thanksgiving

Please stand as able when the clergy go to the altar.

Presider: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Presider: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Presider: It is right..

All sing:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and earth are full of your glo -
- ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Blessed is the one who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It consists of three systems of music. Each system has a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 6/8. The lyrics are: 'Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.' The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand.

Music: from *Unity Mass*, Norah Duncan, IV
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Presider: We give thanks to you ...

Presider: ... Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

People: **Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.**

Presider: And we offer ...

Presider: ... Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, Almighty God, now and for ever.

People: **AMEN.**

The Book of Common Prayer (1979), Eucharistic Prayer B

Presider: As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

People:

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.

The Breaking of the Bread

All sing:

The musical score is written for three voices on a single staff in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It features three lines of lyrics. The first two lines are identical: 'Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have mer - cy on us.' The third line is: 'Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.' The melody includes several triplet markings over the words 'take a - way' and 'sin of the world'.

Music: James Capers (b. 1948)

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Presider: The gifts of God for the people of God.

All, without exception, are invited to receive Communion. If you want gluten-free bread, tell the priest. If you would like a blessing in place of Communion, cross your arms over your chest.

The ushers will help each section up to the altar. But don't worry; all will be fed.

All sing:

No - bod - y knows the trou - ble I've seen,

No - bod - y knows but Je - sus, No - bod - y knows the

trou - ble I've seen, — Glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah. **Fine**

1. Some - times I'm up, some - times I'm down, Oh, yes, Lord, Some-
2. Al - though you see me going 'long so, Oh, yes, Lord, I

1. times I'm al - most to the ground, — Oh, yes, — Lord.
2. have my trou - bles here be - low, — Oh, yes, — Lord. **D.C.**

Words: traditional
Music: Negro spiritual

All sing:



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.

Words: Irish, ca. 700; versified Mary Elizabeth Byrne (1880-1931); tr. Eleanor H. Hull (1860-1935), alt.

Music: Slane, 10 10. 9 10, Irish ballad melody; adapt. *The Church Hymnary*, 1927; harm. David Evans (1874-1948)

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Sending Forth

Presider: Let us pray.

Please stand as able.

People: **God of abundance,
you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation,
you have united us with Christ and one another;
and you have made us one
with all your people in heaven and on earth.
Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit,
that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world
and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.**

The Presider blesses the People. You are invited to ✚ cross yourself as the Presider traces a cross over the congregation.

All sing:

$\text{♩} = 50$



1. All my hope on God is found - ed; he doth still my
2. Mor - tal pride and earth - ly glo - ry, sword and crown be -
3. God's great good - ness e'er en - dur - eth, deep his wis - dom
4. Dai - ly doth the al - might - y Giv - er boun - teous gifts on
5. Still from earth to God e - ter - nal sac - ri - fice of



1. trust re - new, me through change and chance he guid - eth,
2. tray our trust; though with care and toil we build them,
3. pass - ing thought: splen - dor, light, and life at - tend him,
4. us be - stow; his de - sire our soul de - light - eth,
5. praise be done, high a - bove all prais - es prais - ing



1. on - ly good and on - ly true. God un - known, he a -
2. tower and tem - ple fall to dust. But God's power, hour by
3. beau - ty spring - eth out of nought. Ev - er - more from his
4. plea - sure leads us where we go. Love doth stand at his
5. for the gift of Christ, his son. Christ doth call one and



1. lone calls my heart to be his own.
2. hour, is my tem - ple and my tower.
3. store new - born worlds rise and a - dore.
4. hand; joy doth wait on his com - mand.
5. all: ye who fol - low shall not fall.

Words: Robert Seymour Bridges (1844-1930), alt., after Joachim Neander (1650-1680)

Music: *Michael*, Herbert Howells (1892-1983)

Meter: 87. 87. 337

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Presider: Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude



BUILDING OUR FUTURE

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN | ANNUAL GIVING

THE LATEST

See the goals and timeline at sp-r.org/giving

SAVE THE DATE!

Saturday, October 22 | 6:00p

We will kick off the Campaign with
a great party in the Sanctuary,
featuring good food and Nate Bakkum's awesome band.

RSVP NOW at sp-r.org/party

KEEP TALKING

Your input is very important to the Vestry throughout this process.

Ways to get in touch:

CampaignFeedback@sp-r.org

talk to any member of the Campaign Leadership Team or the Vestry

call Peter Lane (773) 624-3185

Connections

SUNDAY FORMATION CLASSES

All Formation Classes are on break for the summer. They will resume on Sunday, Sep 11.

Godly Play

Children are spiritual. They have incredible capacity to listen, wonder, and make meaning out of the biblical stories they hear. This is the foundation for Godly Play, our Christian formation program for children on Sundays.

Youth Formation

All middle and high school youth are invited for conversations about things that matter and to eat donuts.

Adult Formation

On Sundays we host speakers and discussions about matters of faith and topics relevant to current events.

REGULAR GATHERINGS

Youth Group

Regularly scheduled youth group is over for the program year, but check back here for info on periodic outings throughout the summer.

Women's Group

We'll resume on Saturday, Sep 17, 3:00–5:00 in the Byllesby Room. All women are welcome to come for a few munchies and good conversation about why we are a women's group, whether we are serving the purposes we want to serve, and how we can be sure we are welcoming everyone who would like to attend. Contact Anne Harlan, harlanferlo@gmail.com, for more information.

Fiber Arts Group

Everyone interested in knitting, sewing, or other fiber arts is invited to be part of this group. The group is on break until September. Stay tuned for updates.

Arts Committee

Join other creative minds in planning art shows for our Chapel. Next meeting is Sunday, Aug 14, right after the 10:00 service, in the Chapel.

Yoga Classes – Changed for the Summer!

Integrate spirit and body on Fridays, 9:00-10:00a, Chapel. (Mondays will resume in the fall.) Contact Sharla Stewart: sharla.a.stewart@gmail.com



Lydia Gajdel Named Administrative Assistant

Lydia will work 19 hours a week with a focus on creating bulletins; communicating announcements in the bulletin, through emails, and on the website; doing critical office tasks; and maintaining open office hours for parishioners and service providers. Lydia's role is an augmented version of the one Bryce Rich left last month. Lydia is a 3rd-year Master of Divinity student at the University of Chicago and did an outstanding job as SPR's intern last year. Before Seminary, Lydia managed the office of LIFT in Philadelphia. She begins Aug 22.

Pick a Saturday to Serve Your Neighbor

Pick a Saturday morning this summer to come to SPR to help tend and harvest our Food Garden.

- it's easy and there are plenty of folks who can show you what needs doing
- it's a great activity for kids
- all the food we produce goes to the House of Hope shelter for women in Woodlawn.

We work 9:00–11:00a each Saturday. If you have a question, ask George Chlipala (chlige@yahoo.com). Otherwise, we'll see you there!

Black Lives Matter Reading Group

Join Warden Romonda Mckinney Bumpus for a discussion of Ta-Nehisi Coates's *Between the World and Me*, 11:30a–12:30p in the Byllesby Room on Aug 7, Aug 14 and Aug 21. Read ~50 pages a week. To sign up or ask questions, email romonda.mckinney@gmail.com

Take Part in a Study on Multiracial Churches

St. Paul & the Redeemer is one of 100 congregations across the country to be selected to participate in the Religious Leadership and Diversity Project, a national sociological study of multiracial churches and how they work, funded by the Lilly Foundation. You are invited to participate by completing their survey online at rldp.net/survey. You can also learn more about the project at rldp.net.

Volunteer Chaplain Training

In partnership with Bishop Anderson House, SPR is hosting a course for laypersons to learn the basics of how to provide pastoral care to others, while also cultivating self-reflection and spiritual growth. The course runs Sep 10–Dec 3, including a 2-hour class each Saturday morning and 2 hours of supervised ministry at a field placement site each week. Applications are now open. To get started, contact Tommy Rogers: (312) 563-4824 | thomas_rogers@rush.edu

Vacation Bible Camp: Starts Tomorrow!

There will be a registration table when you walk through the front doors of the church (west side, on Dorchester Ave). Your child will be checked in at the registration table and you can pay if you haven't already one so. Your child will also be given a group color. You will then find the correct group in the Sanctuary based on the color, make a nametag for your child, and meet the group leaders. If you have any questions, talk to Heidi Olliff (hmo@sp-r.org) | (312) 576-8465

Looking for a room? Find a map on the Welcome Table at the east entrance of the church.



This week we'll launched a new website,
with a fresh new look,
and more tools and information for you, the parishioners.
Check it out at sp-r.org



Women's Retreat 2016

Make time this fall to come to the 5th annual SPR Women's Weekend Retreat November 11-13! In a beautiful setting in Woodstock, Illinois, you will make new friends, deepen existing friendships, and have the opportunity to reflect on your life.

In addition to the planned program and small group discussions, you will be able to:

- Explore the grounds of the beautiful Retreat Center
- Walk the outdoor labyrinth as a meditation
- Peruse books recommended by retreat participants
- Worship together in Song, Compline and Holy Eucharist
- Pray in the chapel
- Get to know other SPR women
- Experience delightful, healthy eating
- Relax, Relax, Relax

There are only 30 openings to participate in this year's Women's Retreat. We encourage you to register early to secure your participation for this weekend designed especially for SPR women. Registration forms are available on the table in the Narthex. Ask around – there are many women you can talk with to find out how they liked past retreats! Please join us!

If you have any questions, please contact one of the SPR Women's Retreat Leadership Team: Kim Hart: kimahart@att.net | Val Cavin: cavin.val@gmail.com | Mary Naftzger: maryandbob.n@sbcglobal.net

THE SPR CHOIRS

Summer Choir

Sing in the choir on any Sunday you wish during the summer. Just show up in the church at 9:15 for a quick rehearsal. Questions? Talk to Christian Clough: cmc@sp-r.org

All regular choirs will be on break through the summer. You're very welcome to sign up for a choir for the fall. Just contact the staff person listed under the choir you're interested in:

St. Nicholas Choir (K-2nd Grade)

Contact: Gretchen Eng: gre@sp-r.org

Choristers (3rd Grade and Up)

Contact: Christian Clough: cmc@sp-r.org

9:15 Adult Choir

Contact: Christian Clough: cmc@sp-r.org

11:15 Adult Choir

Contact: Christian Clough: cmc@sp-r.org

FEEDING MINISTRIES

The Food Garden

We grow fresh organic produce for the St. Martin de Porres Woman's Shelter in Woodlawn. Come on Saturdays 9:00-11:00a to help. Great activity for kids! For more info, contact Jim Schaal (jschaal@lstc.edu) or George Chlipala (chlige@yahoo.com).

In Season: beans, cucumbers, broccoli, collard greens, swiss chard

Produced Harvested So Far: 87.08 lbs

The Food Pantry

Donations: Bring an item or fill a bag.

Needed this Week: corn, peas, carrots, jelly, canned pasta, cereal, canned pinto beans, canned blk eye peas, chili

Distribution: Wednesdays, 3:30-5:30p, Narthex

Impact:	Last Week	Last Month
Individuals Served	107	381

Open Kitchen

Cook monthly hot, nutritious lunch for our hungry neighbors. No skills necessary!

Next: Aug 14, 11:30a, Kitchen

Impact:

Served Per Month (Average)	75-100
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Haiti Lunch Program

Support a thrice-a-week lunch program at St. Patrick's School in Haiti. Donate at our annual fundraiser and/or visit St. Patrick's with a team from SPR. Contact Peter Lane: pcl@sp-r.org

Impact:

Lunches Served Last School Year:	17,205
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Today's Ministers

Presiders

Peter Lane, Dan Puchalla

Preacher

Dan Puchalla

Music Leader

Christian Clough

Acolytes

Declan Bigger

Lectors

Twila Jones, Nicole Hubbard

Prayer Reader

Cecilia Donnelly

Children's Chapel Leader

Heidi Olliff

Chalice Ministers

Michelle Dassinger, Robert Bator, Sarah Lincoln, John Adewoye

Ushers

Vincent Johnson, Joe Dunn

Vestry Greeter

Mel Parks

Altar Guild

Michelle Dassinger

Linen Washer

Janet Underwood

Communion Bread Baker

Rachel Fulton Brown

Money Counters

Sarah Hallett, Gayle Diggs

Hospitality

Staff

Vestry

Wardens

Harold Olivey
Romonda McKinney
Bumpus

Treasurer

Doug Hoffman

Clerk

Twila Jones

Vestry Class of 2017

Mel Parks
Sally Wolcott
Vinita Wright

Vestry Class of 2018

Adetayo Adegoke
Allison Clark
Will Greenland

Vestry Class of 2019

Thomas Christensen
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