

The Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost October 13, 2019

10:30 A.M. Holy Eucharist, Rite II

The Opening Voluntary

Voluntary in D

G. F. Handel

Processional Hymn:

"Christe sanctorum"

Hymn 1

1 Father, we praise thee, now the night is

over,

active and watchful, stand we all before thee;

singing we offer prayer and meditation:

thus we adore thee.

2 Monarch of all things, fit us for thy

mansions;

banish our weakness, health and wholeness

sendina:

bring us to heaven, where thy saints united

joy without ending.

3 All holy Father, Son, and equal Spirit, Trinity blessed, send us thy salvation;

thine is the glory, gleaming and resounding

through all creation.

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

People And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

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.*

Gloria in excelsis Hymnal S 280

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world:

have mercy on us;

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you. Celebrant Let us pray.

you are seated at the right hand of the

Father:

receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One,

you alone are the Lord,

you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,

with the Holy Spirit,

in the glory of God the Father.

Amen.

Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, that we may continually be given to good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7

These are the words of the letter that the prophet Jeremiah sent from Jerusalem to the remaining elders among the exiles, and to the priests, the prophets, and all the people, whom Nebuchadnezzar had taken into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon.

Thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, to all the exiles whom I have sent into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon: Build houses and live in them; plant gardens and eat what they produce. Take wives and have sons and daughters; take wives for your sons, and give your daughters in marriage, that they may bear sons and daughters; multiply there, and do not decrease. But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the LORD on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare.

Celebrant: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 66:1-11



Be joyful in God, all you lands; * sing the glory of his Name; sing the glory of his praise.

Congregation Response

Be joyful in God, all /you lands; * sing the glory of his Name; sing the /glory of his praise.

- 2 Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds! * because of your great strength your enemies cringe before you.
- 3 All the earth bows down before you, * sings to you, sings out your Name."

Congregation Response

Be joyful in God, all /you lands; * sing the glory of his Name; sing the /glory of his praise.

- 4 Come now and see the works of God, * how wonderful he is in his doing toward all people.
- 5 He turned the sea into dry land, so that they went through the water on foot, * and there we rejoiced in him.
- In his might he rules for ever; his eyes keep watch over the nations; * let no rebel rise up against him.

Congregation Response

Be joyful in God, all /you lands; * sing the glory of his Name; sing the /glory of his praise.

- 7 Bless our God, you peoples; * make the voice of his praise to be heard;
- 8 Who holds our souls in life, * and will not allow our feet to slip.
- 9 For you, O God, have proved us; * you have tried us just as silver is tried.

Congregation Response

Be joyful in God, all /you lands; * sing the glory of his Name; sing the /glory of his praise.

10 You brought us into the snare; *

you laid heavy burdens upon our backs.

11 You let enemies ride over our heads; we went through fire and water; *

but you brought us out into a place of refreshment.

Congregation Response

Be joyful in God, all /you lands; * sing the glory of his Name; sing the /glory of his praise.

2 Timothy 2:8-15

Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David-- that is my gospel, for which I suffer hardship, even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But the word of God is not chained. Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, so that they may also obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, with eternal glory. The saying is sure:

If we have died with him, we will also live with him;

if we endure, we will also reign with him;

if we deny him, he will also deny us;

if we are faithless, he remains faithful--

for he cannot deny himself.

Remind them of this, and warn them before God that they are to avoid wrangling over words, which does no good but only ruins those who are listening. Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved by him, a worker who has no need to be ashamed, rightly explaining the word of truth.

Celebrant: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sequence Hymn "St. Catherine" Hymn 558

1 Faith of our fathers! living still in spite of dungeon, fire, and sword: O how our hearts beat high with joy, whene'er we hear that glorious word: Faith of our fathers, holy faith! We will be true to thee till death.

2 Faith of our fathers! faith and prayer shall win all nations unto thee; and through the truth that comes from God.

man-kind shall then indeed be free. Faith of our fathers, holy faith! We will be true to thee till death.

3 Faith of our fathers! we will love both friend and foe in all our strife: and preach thee, too, as love knows how, by kindly deeds and virtuous life. Faith of our fathers, holy faith! We will be true to thee till death.

Luke 17:11-19

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ According to Luke

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" When he saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? Was none of them found to return and give

praise to God except this foreigner?" Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ

The Sermon Rev. Nicholas Hull

The Nicene Creed

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: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,

and was made man.
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.

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. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.

He 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

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church; *That we all may be one.*

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you; *That your Name may be glorified by all people.*

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons; That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world; *That there may be justice and peace on the earth.*

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake; *That our works may find favor in your sight.*

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble; *That they may be delivered from their distress.*

Give to the departed eternal rest, especially Ronnie Lee Wagoner; Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy; *May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.*

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

Silence

Heavenly Father, you have promised to hear what we ask in the Name of your Son: Accept and fulfill our petitions, we pray, not as we ask in our ignorance, nor as we deserve in our sinfulness, but as you know and love us in your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Confession of Sin and Absolution

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen*

The Peace, Announcements

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.

Offertory Anthem / Will Arise Alice Parker and Robert Shaw

The Doxology: Hymn 380 verse 3

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.

The Great Thanksgiving Eucharistic Prayer A

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. *People:* It is right to give him thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and every-where to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. For you are the source of light and life, you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn, to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus (Celebrant and People)

Hymnal S 125

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,

heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Hosanna in the highest.

The people stand or kneel.

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks

to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Memorial Acclamation (Celebrant and People)

Hymnal S 132

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN**.

And now, as our Savior As our Savior Christ Christ has taught us, we are bold to say, we now pray,

The Lord's Prayer (People and Celebrant)

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

Breaking of Bread

Fraction Anthem: Hymnal S 154

> All: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us: therefore let us keep the feast.

> > Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia,

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him

in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Communion Chant: Thy Testimonies are my delight Psalm 119

Communion Music: From the Taize Community

Jacques Berthier

Ubi caritas et amor ubi caritas Deus ibi est (Repeat)

Translation: Where true charity and love abide, God is there.

The Post Communion Prayer

BCP 365

Let us pray

People 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.

Recessional Hymn "St. Thomas" Hymn 411

10 bless the Lord, my sou!! His grace to thee proclaim! And all that is within me join to bless his holy Name!

2 O bless the Lord, my soul! His mercies bear in mind! Forget not all his benefits! The Lord to thee is kind.

3 He will not always chide; he will with patience wait: his wrath is ever slow to rise and ready to abate.

4 He pardons all thy sins, prolongs thy feeble breath; he healeth thine infirmities and ransoms thee from death.

5 He clothes thee with his love, upholds thee with his truth: and like the eagle he renews the vigor of thy youth.

6 Then bless his holy Name.

whose grace hath made thee whole, whose loving-kindness crowns thy days:

O bless the Lord, my soul!

Dismissal

My friends, life is short, and we do not have much time to gladden the hearts of those who travel with us, so be swift to love and make haste to be kind and go forth in the name of Christ.

The Closing Voluntary

Come God, Creator, Holy Spirit

J. S. Bach

We give thanks for the beauty of the Altar Flowers Given to the Glory of God and in Loving Memory of Finley S. and Robert B. (Bob) McCutcheon, Robert B. (Cutch) McCutcheon, Jr., and H. Kenneth Whitener, Jr. By the Family

We give thanks for the beauty of the Narthex Flowers Given to the Glory of God and in Loving Memory of Clara Irene Ullstein By Peter and Ashley Ullstein and Family

We give thanks for the beauty of the Columbarium Flowers Given to the Glory of God and in Loving Memory of Benjamin R. Gardner, Mary Louise Inkell and Jenny Jane Inkell By Marty and Family

Monthly Prayer List: Hannah "Lou" Shelton, Julia Hall, George R. Lewis, Scott Derks, Marie, George Scouras, Pam Robertson, John McAdams, Hilda Olson, Billy and Marcy Smith, Missy Lannom, Lauren Prince, Mike Schull, Sarah Jarrett, Jane Spilman, Lin Merritt, Larry Farrar, David Stovall, Pete Budde, Raul West, Linda Jamison, Crystal Austin, Rusty Boleman, Ron, Kristin, Adam, Mark, Ramona Shelton, Cecilia Fedinetz, Darlene Van Dyke, Sharon Smith, Ulla, Garland Pearson, Tammy, Ginger Caffey, Jesse Earles, Erika Pendland, J. Ronald Ferrill, Kathy Striplin, Ron, Kathy Carn, Campbell and Lewis Pitzer.

We remember in our prayers our companion church of All Saints Keighley and its Priest, Jonathan Pritchard and our Bishop, The Rt. Rev. Mark Bourlakas. The people of St. Thomas Christiansburg and their rector, The Rev. Mark Frazier. The Diocese of Haiti and their Bishop, The Rt. Rev. Jean Zache Duracin. The Diocese of Leeds and their Bishop, The Rt. Rev. Nick Baines.

Please pray for the family and friends of Ronnie Lee Wagoner who passed away on Thursday, October 10, 2019. He is survived by his wife, Virginia (Ginger) Stone Wagoner, daughter, Macy Wagoner, son, Landon Wagoner, step-daughter, Haley Hubbard and mother-in-law, Sue Rosser.

Visitation will be held at in the Parish House from 5:00 – 7:00 PM on Tuesday, October 15, 2019. A funeral service will be held at Christ Episcopal Church at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, October 16, 2019, with The Reverend Nicholas Hull, officiating. A reception to celebrate Ronnie's life will be at the Parish House following the service. Your help is needed for the reception. Please sign-up to bring food, drinks and to help with set-up and clean up online under volunteers.

In remembrance of Ronnie, and in lieu of flowers, donations can be made as follows: Make your donation check payable to Fidelity Investments with Ronnie Wagoner Memorial Fund in the memo section. Please mail your checks to Kettering Financial, 2103-A Electric Road, Roanoke, VA 24018 and not to CEC.

Children & Youth Group Meeting – Sunday, October 13th. The youth group will meet in the Parish House at 3:30 pm each Sunday with the children's group joining them on the last Sunday of each month.

Episcopal 101 Classes – starting Sunday, October 6th 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm in the Parish House. The class schedule is as follows:

October 13: Introduction & Scripture

October 20: Church History

October 27: No Class November 3: Liturgy

November 10: How the Church Work November 17: Prayer and Conclusion

Evening Worship Service - Come join us for our evening service on Sundays at 5:00! These services will be in our beautiful gathering spot behind the Church, and if the weather is bad they will be in the sanctuary. Feel free to come as you are to celebrate Gods creation with us!

The Men's Club will be meeting in the Undercroft on Monday, October 14th with Fellowship at 5:30 pm and Dinner at 6:30 pm. \$15 donation. The guests will be Mark and Janice Walker with Flying Pig Board Games. Please plan to attend and invite guests. Sign-up online if you are attending.

Women's Club Dinner – Monday, October 14th at 6:00 pm. The women meet on the second Monday of the month for fellowship and dinner at 3rd Bay Cafe on Spruce Street. Please sign up online under volunteers so that we have seats for everyone. See you there!

Blue Ridge Nursing Home Service – Tuesday, October 15th at 11:00 am. On a specified Tuesday of every month we go to the behavioral unit at 10:00 am and the memory care unit at 11:00 am at the Blue Ridge nursing home. Around forty people come to the service from all different backgrounds, and we joyfully pray, worship and sing with them! It is a privilege to worship with the people at Blue Ridge, and to share our faith with each other. Come join us for this unique service!

Vestry meeting - Wednesday, October 16th at 5:30 pm in the Parish House.

Mission Committee meeting - Thursday, October 17th at 1:00 pm in the Parish House.

Knitter's Club Meeting - Monday, October 28th at 10:30 am in the Parish House. Knitters of all levels are welcomed and encouraged to join the group as they create prayer shawls to be blessed and given to those in need.

Loaves & Fishes at Christ Episcopal Church on Wednesday, October 30th from 5:30-6:15 pm. They are in need of desserts, various kinds of fruit & people to help serve & clean-up. To make sure that we have enough desserts, fruit, and are fully staffed for a better overall community ministry and experience, please sign up online under the volunteer link.

Acoustic Music Practice - Wednesday, Wednesday, October 30th at 5:30 pm in the Undercroft.

Happy Birthday this week to: 10/13 Martin Gardner, Susan Smith, Will Smith; 10/14 Paul Huckfeldt, Sally Jordan, Frankie Smith; 10/15 Phil Booker;

Grace Network - Our Grace Network Assignments for October - December 2019: Jelly (28-32 oz.). For the month of October: Toilet Paper, Feminine Products, Deodorant. They are also in need of grocery bags for their food pantry. Use the Food Lion card for your shopping or give the card to Sue Rosser to shop for Grace Network. "Grace is counting on us to help keep their food pantry balanced. Thank you for supporting this outreach ministry."

Make your reservations online or call the Church office before we're all booked up!







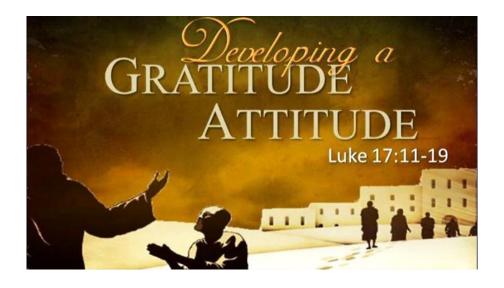
This year we have special purple Dan Prince Oyster Roast t-shirts. The back celebrates Dan's love of bowties. We have a limited number of shirts and sizes. Honor Dan Prince and get yours before they are gone. The cost is \$20 per shirt.

Tom Webster will be coming to the Church office on the following dates and times to sell/give out tees:

Tuesday, Oct. 15 Noon to 2pm
Thursday, Oct. 17 4-5pm
Tuesday, Oct. 22 Noon to 2pm
Thursday, Oct. 24 4-5pm
Tuesday, Oct. 29 Noon to 2pm
Tuesday, Nov. 5 Noon to 2pm

The available sizes are listed below. Please sign up online the size that you need. If you need more than one shirt, even if it's the same size, please list your name that many times. Please make checks payable to "CEC" with Oyster Roast T-shirt in the memo line.

8 small
20 medium
37 large
33 x-large
11 2 XL
3 3 XL





Thank you to those who serve:

Chalicists: John Swezey, Bob Bushnell

Lector/prayers: Cindy Hollingsworth

Acolytes: Claire Warner Coleman, Baylie Coleman

Torch Bearers:

Ushers: Dan Cahill, Kyle Trent

Altar Guild: Team Four - Lauren Prince, Lloyd Barber, Beth Cahill,

Kim Canipe, Carol Deaton, Becky Farrar, Susan Smith,

Liz Wolchko

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Bishop of Southwestern Virginia: The Right Reverend Mark A. Bourlakas

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Vestry for Sept. 2019 - Sept. 2020

Year 3: Lloyd Barber, Treasurer; Linda Isley; Greg Morrison; Tara Williams

Year 2: Dan Cahill, Junior Warden; Natalie Coleman, Senior Warden; Will Gardner, Youth Rep.; Debbie Lewis, Ronnie Wagoner (Posthumously)

> Year 1: Carolyn Byrd, Secretary; Chris Canipe, Beverley Coleman, Lee Probst