



Holy Eucharist, Rite II, Year A

Welcome!

Our liturgy comes from the Book of Common Prayer (the red book) and also uses texts from *Enriching Our Worship*, a collection of supplemental resources approved for use in The Episcopal Church.

*The altar flowers today are given to the Glory of God,
and in loving memory of George Hayman
by The Rev. Lauren Ackland.*

PRELUDE	“Little Prelude & Fugue in C” <i>organ</i> <i>The people stand.</i>	attr. J. S. Bach
PROCESSIONAL	“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise” <i>(St. Denio)</i>	Hymnal 423

Presider Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

The Presider prays the Collect, after which all respond Amen.

1. Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and
peace to his peo - ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heaven - ly
King, al - might - y God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we
give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus
Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you
take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy
on us; 5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re -
ceive our prayer. 6. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One,
you a - lone are the Lord, 7. you a - lone are the Most
High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the
glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

The people remain standing.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

BCP, p. 231

Presider The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

The Presider prays the Collect, after which all respond Amen.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

The people are seated for the readings.

THE FIRST LESSON

Genesis 28:10-19a

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 139:1-11, 22-23 *read, responsively by half verse*

BCP, p. 794

- 1 Lord, you have searched me out and known me; *
you know my sitting down and my rising up;
you discern my thoughts from afar.
- 2 You trace my journeys and my resting-places *
and are acquainted with all my ways.
- 3 Indeed, there is not a word on my lips, *
but you, O Lord, know it altogether.
- 4 You press upon me behind and before *
and lay your hand upon me.
- 5 Such knowledge is too wonderful for me; *
it is so high that I cannot attain to it.
- 6 Where can I go then from your Spirit? *
where can I flee from your presence?
- 7 If I climb up to heaven, you are there; *
if I make the grave my bed, you are there also.
- 8 If I take the wings of the morning *
and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea,
- 9 Even there your hand will lead me *
and your right hand hold me fast.
- 10 If I say, "Surely the darkness will cover me, *
and the light around me turn to night,"
- 11 Darkness is not dark to you; the night is as bright as the day; *
darkness and light to you are both alike.
- 22 Search me out, O God, and know my heart; *
try me and know my restless thoughts.
- 23 Look well whether there be any wickedness in me *
and lead me in the way that is everlasting.

THE SECOND LESSON

Romans 8:12-25

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The people stand.

SEQUENCE ALLELUIA

Sung three times

Taizé



THE HOLY GOSPEL

Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People



Gospeller The Gospel of the Lord.

People



The people sit.

SERMON

The people stand.

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.
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.

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

For all people in their daily life and work;

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

For this community, the nation, and the world;

For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

For the just and proper use of your creation;

For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

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

For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

For Sean, our Presiding Bishop, and Carlye our Bishop; and for all bishops and other ministers;

For all who serve God in the Church.

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation, and for everyone on our parish prayer list. (*The People may add their own petitions*)

Hear us, Lord;

For your mercy is great.

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life....

(*The People may add their own thanksgivings*)

We will exalt you, O God our King;

And praise your Name for ever and ever.

We pray for all who have died, ... that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom. (*The People may add their own petitions*)

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

Who put their trust in you.

We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

Silence may be kept.

Leader and People

Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;
in your compassion forgive us our sins,
known and unknown,
things done and left undone;
and so uphold us by your Spirit
that we may live and serve you in newness of life,
to the honor and glory of your Name;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

After the Absolution is said, the people respond Amen.

THE PEACE

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

The people greet one another in the name of the Lord.

WORDS OF WELCOME

THE HOLY COMMUNION

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

“Wayfaring Stranger”

arr. J. J. Niles

Curt Beaudouin, tenor



*Please feel free to make your offering in thanksgiving to God using
the electronic giving options at www.gracemadison.org/giving.*

The people stand.

PRESENTATION HYMN

“Lord of All Hopefulness”
(Slane)

Hymnal 482

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING, Eucharistic Prayer A

Hymnal S-120

Presider *People*

The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

Presider *People*

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Presider

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Presider It is right and a good and joyful thing...
 ... who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS

(Robert Powell)

Hymnal S-129

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and

might, hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -

san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who

comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est. _____

The people remain standing.

Presider Holy and gracious Father:...
...Therefore, we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Presider and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Presider We celebrate the memorial of our redemption,...
... all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.



THE LORD'S PRAYER

BCP, p. 364

Presider

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

All 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.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

A period of silence is kept.

Presider

Christ our Passover

Al - le - lu - ia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us

2 People

All

There fore let us keep the feast. Al - le - lu - ia

Presider The Gifts of God for the People of God.

All baptized persons are invited to receive Communion.

Our custom is to receive the bread on extended hands and drink from the cup.

Intinction— dipping the wafer in the wine—is not practiced.

To receive a blessing instead of the sacrament, cross your arms over your chest.

If you need to have Communion brought to you at your seat, please inform an usher.

Gluten-free bread is available upon request.

FRACTION ANTHEM

(Hurd)

Hymnal S-161

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world:

have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the

sins of the world: have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God,

you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

COMMUNION ANTHEM

“Jacob’s Ladder”

organ

COMMUNION HYMN

“As Jacob with Travel”
(*Jacob’s Ladder*)

Hymnal 453

The people stand.

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

BCP, p. 365

Presider Let us pray.

Presider and 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.

THE BLESSING

The Presider invokes God’s blessing upon all, to which the people respond **Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN

“O What Their Joy”
(*O Quanta Qualia*)

Hymnal 623

DISMISSAL

The people are dismissed in the name of Christ.

Response **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

“Little Prelude & Fugue in F”
organ

attr. J. S. Bach

Grace Prayer List

We pray for all who are in need, especially Amy, Wendy, Caitlin, Katie, Leo,
Julian, Ruth, David, Richard, Kackie, Marianne, Eloise, Croft, Matt, John, James,
Mary, Tiffanie, Jo, Brigitte, Elizabeth, Sue.

Grace Calendar Highlights

Tues, July 21, 7:30PM **Men's Book Group**, offsite

Thurs, July 23, 7-9:30PM Gloria Bangiola, *I Dreamed Last Night*, Grace Hall

Fri, July 24, 6PM **Pop-Up Potluck** casual meal in Grace Hall.

Bring a dish to share, just come if you can!

Tues, July 28, 7PM **Circle of Women**, Grace Terrace

Sun, Aug 2, 1:30PM **Casserole Brigade**, Kitchen, RSVP to Christine Cullen

Next summer— August 7-16, 2027 Grace Church Choirs have been accepted for a week in residence at Exeter Cathedral in Devon, England. The cost is approximately \$4200 (less if airfare settles down). There may be room for non-singers. If you are considering it and want full details, email both choirtrip2027@gmail.com & anne.matlack@choralcommunities.com

Interested in singing in choir this fall?

Choir is for all ages: Chapel, Children's, Young Adult & Adult Choirs.

Speak to Dr. Anne for details.

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Worship Services

Holy Eucharist Services

Sunday 8AM & 10AM

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