



THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
Holy Eucharist, Rite II, Year B
August 4, 2024, 10AM

Welcome!

We are happy to worship with you, and honored to have you with us!
Our liturgy comes from the Book of Common Prayer.
Everything you will need for this service is contained in this bulletin.
The Summer Sunday School children will meet Miss Kathryn
on the playground starting at 9:45AM.
The children will join the service at the Peace.

ENTRANCE RITE

PRELUDE

*“Vater unser”
(Our Father)
Henry Marinovic, organ
The people stand.*

J. S. Bach

PROCESSIONAL

*“Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken”
(Austria)*

Hymnal 522

OPENING ACCLAMATION

BCP, p. 355

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

People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

COLLECT FOR PURITY

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 COLLECT OF THE DAY

BCP, p. 232

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

2 Samuel 11:26–12:13a

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 51:1-13

read, responsively by half verse

BCP, p. 656

- 1 Have mercy on me, O God, according to your loving-kindness; *
in your great compassion blot out my offenses.
- 2 Wash me through and through from my wickedness *
and cleanse me from my sin.
- 3 For I know my transgressions, *
and my sin is ever before me.
- 4 Against you only have I sinned *
and done what is evil in your sight.
- 5 And so you are justified when you speak *
and upright in your judgment.
- 6 Indeed, I have been wicked from my birth, *
a sinner from my mother's womb.
- 7 For behold, you look for truth deep within me, *
and will make me understand wisdom secretly.
- 8 Purge me from my sin, and I shall be pure; *
wash me, and I shall be clean indeed.
- 9 Make me hear of joy and gladness, *
that the body you have broken may rejoice.
- 10 Hide your face from my sins *
and blot out all my iniquities.
- 11 Create in me a clean heart, O God, *
and renew a right spirit within me.
- 12 Cast me not away from your presence *
and take not your holy Spirit from me.
- 13 Give me the joy of your saving help again *
and sustain me with your bountiful Spirit.

THE SECOND LESSON

Ephesians 4:1-16

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

The people stand.

SEQUENCE ALLELUIA

Sung three times

Taizé

Al-le - lu - ia, al le lu -

-ia, al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu ia.

THE HOLY GOSPEL

John 6:24-35

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

People

Glo - ry to you Lord Christ

Gospeller The Gospel of the Lord.

People

Praise to you Lord Christ

The people sit.

SERMON

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.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader Let us offer our prayers for the Church and the world saying,
God of love, hear our prayer.

The Leader offers intercessions on behalf of the congregation; during the silences the people may add their own petitions, silently or aloud.

Each petition concludes ... God of love.

People respond **hear our prayer.**

Leader "...through Jesus Christ our Savior." **Amen.**

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

BCP, p. 360

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

The people kneel or sit.

Presider and People

**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.**

After the Absolution is said, the people respond **Amen.**

The people stand.

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.
Sunday School Children join their families in church at this time.*

WORDS OF WELCOME

BIRTHDAY & ANNIVERSARY PRAYER

Presider

We pray together for those celebrating a birthday or an anniversary.

All O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor,
we pray, on your servants as they begin another year.
Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace,
and strengthen their trust in your goodness
all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

OFFERTORY HYMN

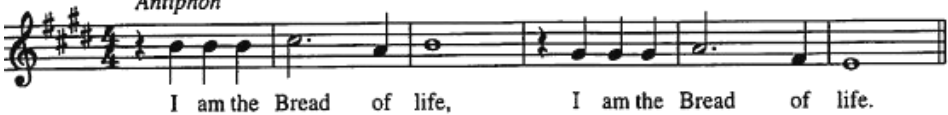
“I Am the Bread of Life”

WLP 762

(Kusik)

Sung by all, standing.

Antiphon



I am the Bread of life, I am the Bread of life.



1. Who - ev - er comes to me shall nev - er hun - ger,
2. This is the liv - ing Bread which comes from heav - en,
3. None come to me un - less the Fa - ther draw them,
4. All they who eat my flesh and drink my blood

Repeat Antiphon



who ev - er trusts in me shall ne - ver thirst:
the bread which all may eat and ne - ver die:
and I will raise them up at the last day:
a - bide in me, and I a - bide in them:



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

The people stand.

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 him 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

(Proulx)

Hymnal S-125

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.

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
There fore let us keep the feast.

All
Al - le - lu - ia



Presider The Gifts of God for the People of God.

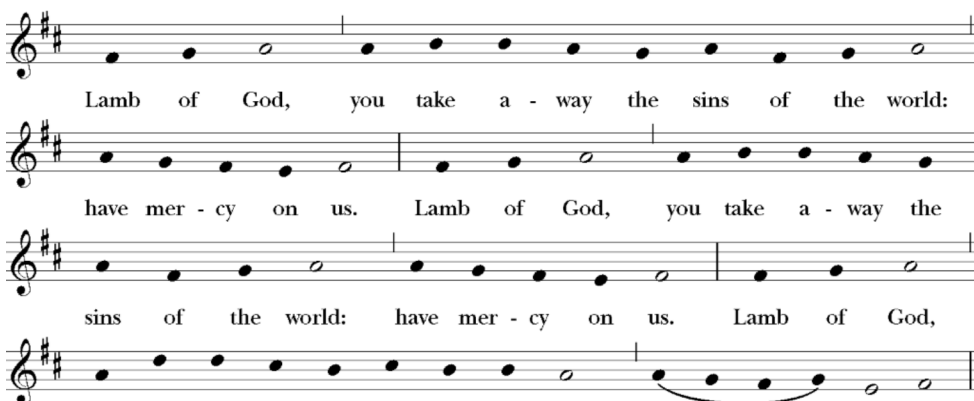
FRACTION ANTHEM

“Lamb of God”

Hymnal S-161

(Hurd)

Sung by all.



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.

All baptized persons are invited to receive Communion. Our custom is to receive the bread on extended hands and to help guide the chalice to the mouth by touching its base.

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.

COMMUNION MUSIC

Improvisation

Marinovic

organ

COMMUNION HYMN

“Bread of Heaven”
(*Jesu du mein Hirt*)
Sung by all.

Hymnal 323

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.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

“Jesus Lover of My Soul”
(*Aberystwyth*)

Hymnal 699

DISMISSAL

The people are dismissed in the name of Christ.

Response **Thanks be to God!**

POSTLUDE

“Toccata”
organ

Théodore Dubois

Grace Calendar Highlights

See www.gracemadison.org for more details.

Civil Discourse Training: three free sessions, *online*

August 6, 13 and 20, from 6:30-8:30PM Are you concerned about the polarization of our country? Feel ill-equipped to speak with people who don't share the same ideas or views on the world? Pursuing Justice and Peace starts with our ability to talk with one another respectfully even in disagreement. Register by Aug. 5. www.dioceseofnewark.org/events

Welcome Sunday is September 8 after the 10AM service.

Community

Blood Collection, tomorrow from 1-7PM, *Grace Hall* Walk-ins welcome!

Food for Friends: Rice and Beans are the focus for August.

Beans: Any type is welcome, please limit to one pound packages.

Rice: please no larger than two pound bag.

Drop your donations in Nieman Annex.

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Clergy

The Rev. Susan R. Ironside, *Rector*

The Rev. Canon Robert T. Griner, *Associate*

Worship Services

Holy Eucharist Services

Sunday 8AM & 10AM

Morning Prayer

Wednesday 8:30AM Zoom

Saturday 8:30AM Zoom

Staff

Dr. Anne Matlack, *Organist & Director of Choirs*

Camille Bourland, *Children's Choirs*

Linda Bowden, *Chapel Choir*

Matthew North, *The Gargoyles Director*

William Marinovic, *Meredith McKeever,*

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Henry Marinovic, *Organ Scholar*

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