

# The Seventh Sunday of Easter

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10:00 AM Service

Holy Communion



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## WELCOME TO GOOD SHEPHERD

**If you are new** to our congregation, please let us know by getting a name tag at the Welcome Center outside and completing a newcomer card, found either at the Welcome enter or in the pew rack in front of you.

**Childcare is available:** During the service, infants to age 5 are welcome in the Nursery, located on the first floor of the education wing, accessed through the double doors next to the elevator.

We have **gluten-free wafers** available: Please make your request known at the altar rail.

**Restrooms are located** to the right as you go through the arch off the breezeway.

**Following the service** we welcome everyone for coffee and refreshments in Kirk Hall, located on the first floor. Turn right after passing through the arch off the passageway between the buildings.

A gentle reminder: As a courtesy during the church service, please be sure to turn your **cell phone off** or put it on the vibrate setting.

**If you read music**, the music for the hymns may be found in our blue Hymnal [located in the pew rack.] All service music marked "S" is found in the front section of The Hymnal.

## GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

*[During the Prelude, please prepare for worship by observing attentive silence.]*

### PRELUDE

*Land of Rest*

setting by Dale Wood

*[Please stand when the chimes sound.]*

Symbols in the Bulletin: **P** Priest, **D** Deacon, **C** Congregation, **L** Leader, **All** Everyone.

### GATHERING HYMN

*The Church's One Foundation*

525, vs. 1,2,4,5

*[Please stand.]*

**C** *The Church's one foundation is Jesus Christ her Lord;  
she is his new creation by water and the word:  
from heaven he came and sought her to be his holy bride;  
with his own blood he bought her, and for her life he died.*

*Elect from every nation, yet one o'er all the earth,  
her charter of salvation, one Lord, one faith, one birth;  
one holy Name she blesses, partakes one holy food,  
and to one hope she presses, with every grace endued.*

*Mid toil and tribulation, and tumult of her war  
she waits the consummation of peace for evermore;  
till with the vision glorious her longing eyes are blessed,  
and the great Church victorious shall be the Church at rest.*

*Yet she on earth hath union with God, the Three in One,  
and mystic sweet communion with those whose rest is won.  
O happy ones and holy! Lord, give us grace that we  
like them, the meek and lowly, on high may dwell with thee.*

### WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND MISSION MOMENT

*[Please be seated.]*

### EASTER ACCLAMATION

*[Please stand.]*

**P** Alleluia! Christ is risen!  
**C** **The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

### COLLECT FOR PURITY

**P** Let us pray together...  
**C** **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.**

**AD** *When morning gilds the skies, my heart, awaking, cries,  
may Jesus Christ be praised!  
When evening shadows fall, this rings my curfew call,  
may Jesus Christ be praised!*

*When mirth for music longs, this is my song of songs:  
may Jesus Christ be praised!  
God's holy house of prayer hath none that can compare  
with: Jesus Christ be praised!*

*Ye nations of mankind, in this your concord find:  
may Jesus Christ be praised!  
Let all the earth around ring joyous with the sound:  
may Jesus Christ be praised!*

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** **And also with you.**

**P** Let us pray... O God, form the minds of your faithful people into your one will. Make us love what you command and desire what you promise, that, amid all the changes of this world, our hearts may be fixed where true joy is found, your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** **Amen.**

## WORD OF GOD

**THE READINGS:** 2 Samuel 22:1–7, 47 • Psalm 97 • Galatians 2:16, 20–21 •

John 16:31–33, 17:1–2, 20–26

*[Please be seated.]*

The First Reading:

**L** *The First Reading is taken from 2 Samuel, chapter 22...*

David spoke the words of this song to the Lord after the Lord delivered him from the power of all his enemies and from Saul.

He said:

“The Lord is my solid rock, my fortress, my rescuer. My God is my rock—I take refuge in him!— he's my shield and my salvation's strength, my place of safety and my shelter. My savior! Save me from violence! Because he is praiseworthy, I cried out to the Lord, and I was saved from my enemies. Death's waves were all around me; rivers of wickedness terrified me. The cords of the grave surrounded me; death's traps held me tight. In my distress I cried out to the Lord; I cried out to my God. God heard my voice from his temple; my cry for help reached his ears.”

**L** The Word of the Lord.

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

Metrical Psalm 97: [Tune: *Lift Up Your Heads*]

**God rules the world; let earth rejoice, Let all the isles praise God alone;  
Dark clouds surround you: righteousness Is the foundation of your throne.**

**Fire goes before you and consumes Your enemies both far and near;  
Your lightnings light up all the world; Earth sees it and draws back in fear.**

**You are supreme, above the earth, Beyond whatever gods may be;  
You love the good, protect your saints, And save us from our enemy.**

**Light has sprung up for all the just And joy for those whose hearts are true;  
Rejoice, then, in God's holy Name; O Lord, we give all praise to you.**

The Second Reading:

📖 *The Second Reading is taken from Galatians, chapter 2...*

However, we know that a person isn't made righteous by the works of the Law but rather through the faithfulness of Jesus Christ. We ourselves believed in Christ Jesus so that we could be made righteous by the faithfulness of Christ and not by the works of the Law—because no one will be made righteous by the works of the Law.

I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. And the life that I now live in my body, I live by faith, indeed, by the faithfulness of God's Son, who loved me and gave himself for me. I don't ignore the grace of God, because if we become righteous through the Law, then Christ died for no purpose.

📖 The Word of the Lord.

📖 **Thanks be to God.**

**ACCLAMATION**

[Please stand.]

*Celtic Alleluia*

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



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

The Gospel:

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

📢 **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Ⓓ Jesus replied, “Now you believe? Look! A time is coming—and is here!—when each of you will be scattered to your own homes and you will leave me alone. I’m not really alone, for the Father is with me. I’ve said these things to you so that you will have peace in me. In the world you have distress. But be encouraged! I have conquered the world.”

When Jesus finished saying these things, he looked up to heaven and said, “Father, the time has come. Glorify your Son, so that the Son can glorify you. You gave him authority over everyone so that he could give eternal life to everyone you gave him.

“I’m not praying only for them but also for those who believe in me because of their word. I pray they will be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. I pray that they also will be in us, so that the world will believe that you sent me. I’ve given them the glory that you gave me so that they can be one just as we are one. I’m in them and you are in me so that they will be made perfectly one. Then the world will know that you sent me and that you have loved them just as you loved me.

“Father, I want those you gave me to be with me where I am. Then they can see my glory, which you gave me because you loved me before the creation of the world.

“Righteous Father, even the world didn’t know you, but I’ve known you, and these believers know that you sent me. I’ve made your name known to them and will continue to make it known so that your love for me will be in them, and I myself will be in them.”

Ⓓ The Gospel of the Lord.

📢 **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

**SERMON**

Becky Robbins-Penniman

*[Please be seated.]*

SERMON HYMN

*Will You Let Me Be Your Servant*

**A1** *Will you let me be your servant, let me be as Christ to You?  
Pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant too.*

*We are pilgrims on a journey; we're together on the road.  
We are here to help each other walk the mile and bear the load.*

*I will weep when you are weeping; when you laugh I'll laugh with you.  
I will share your joy and sorrow till we've seen this journey through.*

*Will you let me be your servant, let me be as Christ to You?  
Pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant too.*

THE NICENE CREED

*[Please stand.]*

**A1** **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.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*[Please stand, kneel, or sit, as you choose.]*

- D** Rejoicing in the mighty acts of God who has delivered all people from sin and death through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, let us lift our voices and pray.
- L** Risen Lord, we pray for your Church, that it may continue your work of reconciling all people to God; for our clergy and our bishops; for the many lay people who serve the church and serve others through the church.
- G** **We pray for all gathered here in worship and prayer, here and around the world.**

- Ⓐ Risen Lord, we pray that the joy of Easter may ever grow within us and the nations and peoples of the world, that the powers that oppress and destroy may cease.
- ⓐ **We pray that a passion for justice, peace, and the common good will fill each of our hearts, and for the Spirit to guide us in lives of active faith.**
  
- Ⓐ Risen Lord, we pray for those who are sick, those who suffer, and those who struggle, [especially for... *add names from notebook*]. Please add the names of those on your heart, either silently or aloud. [*Leave time...*] Comfort, restore and heal them.
- ⓐ **We pray that the troubles facing us will teach us that we endure nothing alone, but that you are always present, creating, redeeming and sustaining us every step of our journey through life.**
  
- Ⓐ Risen Lord, we thank you for the blessings of this life, especially the flowers given today by Evelyn Slama in loving memory of Mike Slama, and those things for which we are grateful, which I invite you to name either silently or aloud. [*Leave time...*] Grant us a sense of joy and wonder in all your works.
- ⓐ **We give thanks for our lives and the lives of our families, friends, and neighbors near and far, and praise you for your mercy and care for us.**
  
- Ⓐ Risen Lord, we pray for those who have died, [especially for... *add names from notebook*]. Please add the names of those on your heart, silently or aloud. [*Leave time ...*] May the hope born of Easter give both them and us peace, acceptance and renewal.
- ⓐ **Heavenly Father, grant that all who now celebrate these joyful holy days here on earth may praise you forever, with all the angels and saints in heaven. We ask this through your risen Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

#### PRAYERS AND BLESSINGS

[Those celebrating birthdays, anniversaries or special occasions may receive an individual blessing.]

#### THE GREETING OF PEACE

[*Please stand.*]

- Ⓟ The peace of the Lord be always with you.
- ⓐ **And also with you.** (*All may greet one another in the name of the Lord.*)

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

#### OFFERTORY SENTENCE

- Ⓓ Yours, O Lord, is the greatness, the power, the glory, the victory, and the majesty. For everything in heaven and on earth is yours. Yours, O Lord, is the kingdom, and you are exalted as head over all. Bring your tithes, gifts and offerings with a heart full of gladness.

**OFFERTORY***De Blin' Man Stood on De Road and Cried*

H.T. Burleigh

*[Please be seated.]***PRESENTATION***[Please stand when the plates are given to the Deacon.]*

- ☐ We gladly present the fruits of our lives to the God who creates us, redeems us and sustains us. May we have the grace to use them to heal God's world.

**PRESENTATION HYMN***Praise God, From Whom*

380, vs. 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.***

**EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER** [Enriching Our Worship 1]

- ☐ The Lord be with you.
- ☑ **And also with you.**
- ☐ Lift up your hearts.
- ☑ **We lift them to the Lord.**
- ☐ Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- ☑ **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**
- ☐ It is truly right, and good and joyful, to give you thanks, all-holy God, source of life and fountain of mercy. You have filled us and all creation with your blessing and fed us with your constant love; you have redeemed us in Jesus Christ and knit us into one body. Through your Spirit you replenish us and call us to fullness of life. We praise you for the glorious resurrection of our Savior Jesus Christ, the true Paschal Lamb who gave himself to take away our sin, who in dying has destroyed death, and in rising has brought us to eternal life. And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection, with earth and sea and all their creatures, and with Angels and Archangels, cherubim and seraphim, we lift our voices with all creation as we sing:

**SANCTUS***Holy, Holy, Holy Lord*

***Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.***

*[Please stand or kneel, as you choose.]*

- ☐ Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love. You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards and show forth your bountiful grace. But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love.

**P** Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people. Through Abraham and Sarah you called us into covenant with you. You delivered us from slavery, sustained us in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation. Then, in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

On the night before he died for us, Our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

As supper was ending, Jesus 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 poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**AI** **Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again. Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ's Body in the world. Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your daughters and sons, that with all your saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever.**

**P** Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever.

**CELTIC AMEN**

**AI**

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A - - - men, A - - - men.

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

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

**A1** **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

**P** Alleluia. God of promise, you have prepared a banquet for us.

**G** **We come with joy to the Supper of the Lamb of God. Alleluia.**

**P** 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.

*[You may be seated. All are welcome at the Lord's Table. Please follow the directions of the usher, who will let you know when it's your turn to go to the altar rail. You may stand or kneel. To receive, hold your hands in front of you, one palm over the other. The priest will place a wafer there. You may either consume it immediately, and then sip from the cup of wine when it comes to you, or, you may wait and dip the wafer into the wine. When you are finished, please return to your seat by the side aisle.]*

**Our Prayer Team will be in the south narthex (at the back of the church) during Holy Communion to pray with you for healing, guidance, a loved one, or anything else on your heart.**

#### COMMUNION MUSIC

*Elevations*

Dom Paul Benoit, OSB

#### CHANT

*Laudate Dominum*

*[Please repeat this chant until the musician stops playing the tune.]*

**Sing, praise and bless the Lord. Sing, praise and bless the Lord.  
Peoples! Nations! Alleluia!**

#### POST COMMUNION PRAYER

*[Please stand or kneel, as you choose.]*

**P** Let us pray...

**G** **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 BLESSING

*[Please stand.]*

**P** The God who is creating a new heaven and a new earth, who walks where least expected, who disturbs the comfortable and comforts the distressed, and whom death could not control, now sends you out to announce with your lives that the Lord is risen indeed. Go, you are blessed in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** **Amen.**

## SENDING HYMN

*Live Into Hope*

**A1** ***Live into hope of captives freed, of sight regained, the end of greed.  
The oppressed shall be the first to see the year of God's own jubilee!***

***Live into hope! The blind shall see with insight and with clarity,  
removing shades of pride and fear, a vision of our God brought near.***

***Live into hope of liberty, the right to speak, the right to be,  
the right to have one's daily bread, to hear God's word and thus be fed.***

***Live into hope of captives freed from chains of fear or want or greed.  
God now proclaims our full release to faith and hope and joy and peace.***

## THE DISMISSAL

**P** Alleluia, alleluia! Go in peace to love and serve our Risen Lord!

**C** **Thanks be to God! Alleluia, alleluia!**

## POSTLUDE

*Toccata on How Firm a Foundation*

Gordon Young

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