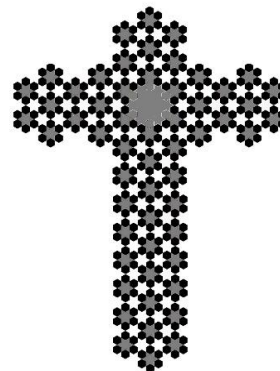


THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

August 18, 2024

10:00 AM Service

Holy Communion: Rite II



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Sunday Services at 8 and 10 AM • Wednesday at 6 PM

Our Sunday 10 AM service is livestreamed

WELCOME TO GOOD SHEPHERD

Restrooms: Handicap-accessible restrooms are located to the right as you go up the ramp through the archway across from the doors of the sanctuary.

We have gluten-free wafers available: Please tell us when you come to the altar rail.

Standing, sitting, and kneeling: Throughout the bulletin, there are invitations to stand, sit or kneel, as you choose. You are free to be seated at any time when that is best for you.

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A gentle Reminder: Please enter the Nave Quietly and reverently and silence your phones.

Most of the sung music is found in the blue hymnal, *The Hymnal, 1982*. In the bulletin, an "H" indicates the hymn section of the book; an "S" indicates it's from the service music section in the front of the book.

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

VOLUNTARY

Organ Symphony No. 5
Adagio

Charles-Marie Widor
(1844-1937)

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

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

ENTRANCE HYMN H-427

When Morning Gilds the Skies

LAUDES DOMINI

(stanzas 1,2,5)

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!

Sing, suns and stars of space, sing, ye that see his face,
sing, Jesus Christ be praised! God's whole creation o'er,
both now and evermore shall Jesus Christ be praised!

THE OPENING ACCLAMATION

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

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

COLLECT FOR PURITY

All 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 S-280

Robert J. Powell

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;
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.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Almighty God, you have given your only Son to be for us a sacrifice for sin, and also an example of godly life: Give us grace to receive thankfully the fruits of his redeeming work, and to follow daily in the blessed steps of his most holy life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

All **Amen.**

THE WORD OF GOD

The people sit.

THE FIRST READING

I Kings 2:10-12; 3:3-14

Lector *The First Reading is taken from First Kings chapters 2 and 3...*

David slept with his ancestors, and was buried in the city of David. The time that David reigned over Israel was forty years; he reigned seven years in Hebron, and thirty-three years in Jerusalem. So Solomon sat on the throne of his father David; and his kingdom was firmly established. Solomon loved the Lord, walking in the statutes of his father David; only, he sacrificed and offered incense at the high places. The king went to Gibeon to sacrifice there, for that was the principal high place; Solomon used to offer a thousand burnt offerings on that altar. At Gibeon the Lord appeared to Solomon in a dream by night; and God said, "Ask what I should give you." And Solomon said, "You have shown great and steadfast love to your servant my father David, because he walked before you in faithfulness, in righteousness, and in uprightness of heart toward you; and you have kept for him this great and steadfast love, and have given him a son to sit on his throne today. And now, O Lord my God, you have made your servant king in place of my father David, although I am only a little child; I do not know how to go out or come in. And your servant is in the midst of the people whom you have chosen, a great people, so numerous they cannot be numbered or counted. Give your servant therefore an understanding mind to govern your people, able to discern between good and evil; for who can govern this your great people?" It pleased the Lord that Solomon had asked this. God said to him, "Because you have asked this, and have not asked for yourself long life or riches, or for the life of your enemies, but have asked for yourself understanding to discern what is right, I now do according to your word. Indeed I give you a wise and discerning mind; no one like you has been before you and no one like you shall arise after you. I give you also what you have not asked, both riches and honor all your life; no other king shall compare with you. If you will walk in my ways, keeping my statutes and my commandments, as your father David walked, then I will lengthen your life."

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

(all singing)

**Rejoice in God, my heart, with all whose voices raise
their thankful songs, and take your part in ceaseless praise!**

**His words and works extol, exalt his name on high,
and trace his glories, O my soul, in earth and sky.**

**The splendor of his reign in majesty appears,
whose grace and mercy shall remain to endless years.
Secure in him we stand, our God, whose ways are just;
redeemed by his almighty hand, in him we trust.**

**His deeds their Lord proclaim, with all created things,
and from the honor of his name all wisdom springs.
Come share, my soul, the songs celestial voices raise,
and worship him to whom belongs eternal praise!**

--Timothy Dudley-Smith, (1926-August 12, 2024)

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THE SECOND READING

Ephesians 5:15-20

Lector *The Second Reading is taken from Ephesians chapter 5...*

Be careful then how you live, not as unwise people but as wise, making the most of the time, because the days are evil. So do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. Do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery; but be filled with the Spirit, as you sing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs among yourselves, singing and making melody to the Lord in your hearts, giving thanks to God the Father at all times and for everything in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Lector **The Word of the Lord.**

People **Thanks be to God.**

All stand as able.

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Fintan O'Carroll

All sing this refrain, the cantor sings the verse:



Cantor: May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our hearts, that we may know what is the hope that belongs to our call. **(Refrain)**

THE GOSPEL

John 6:51-58

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

People **Glorify to you, Lord Christ.**

Deacon Jesus said, "I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh." The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, "How can this man give us his flesh to eat?" So Jesus said to them, "Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood have eternal life, and I will raise them up on the last day; for my flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live forever."

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

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

The people sit.

SERMON

The Rev. Whitney Burton

All stand as able.

THE NICENE CREED

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:
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 *Please sit, stand, or kneel, as you prefer.*

Deacon Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Lector Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world.

Silence

Lector Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

Lector Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good.

Silence

Lector Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

Lector Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory.

Silence

Lector Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

Lector Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us. We give you thanks for all the blessings of this life, especially the flowers given today to the Glory of God, and for the birthday this week for Mildred Levy, Carol Cates, Catherine Schweitzer, Sebastian Statile, Peggy Tomlinson, Kathleen Bleau, and Terry Eldridge and also the anniversaries of Robin and Dave Megel, Elena and James Goletz.

Silence

Lector Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

Lector Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; especially . . . [*add names from notebook*] and those we now name aloud or in our hearts [*leave time*], give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation.

Silence

Lector Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

Lector We commend to your mercy all who have died, (especially . . . [*add names from notebook*]) and those we now name aloud or in our hearts [*leave time*] that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

The Celebrant adds a concluding collect.

CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION:

Please kneel or stand as able.

Deacon Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor. *(Silence is kept.)*

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.

Celebrant 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.

All **Amen.**

THE GREETING OF PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

All may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

Please be seated.

OFFERTORY

Psalm 1: The One Is Blest

Robert Powell

All stand as able.

THE PRESENTATION

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, My Soul, the God of Heaven

LAUDA ANIMA

Praise, my soul, the God of heaven; glad of heart your carols raise;
ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, who, like me, should sing God's praise?
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise the Maker all your days!

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING: Eucharistic Prayer B

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.**

Celebrant adds a proper preface

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 S-129 *All*

Robert J. Powell

**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.**

The Celebrant continues

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, 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, according to his command, O Father,

People **We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;**

Celebrant continues

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and

daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

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.

All **Amen.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated bread. A period of silence is kept.

THE FRACTION ANTHEM S-161

David Hurd

**Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us peace.**

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

All are invited to receive the Sacrament. If you would like to receive wine you may do so by sipping from the Chalice or allowing the Eucharistic Minister to intinct (dip) the wafer for you.

If you desire a blessing instead of Communion, cross your arms over your chest.

COMMUNION

Now, My Tongue, the Mystery Telling
(Pange, Lingua)

Flor Peeters
(1903-1986)

COMMUNION HYMN H-488

Be Thou My Vision

SLANE

**Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart; all else be nought to me, save that thou art—
thou my best thought, by day or by night, waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.**

**Be thou my wisdom, and thou my true word; I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord;
thou my great Father; thine own may I be; thou in me dwelling, and I one with thee.**

**High King of heaven, when victory is won, may I reach heaven's joys,
bright heaven's Sun!**

Heart of my own heart, whatever befall, still be my vision, O Ruler of all.

THE PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Celebrant

Let us pray...

All

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

SENDING HYMN

Let Every Voice with Every Breath

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Let ev'ry voice with ev'ry breath sing of Christ's triumph over death:

O praise him! Alleluia!

O Love—how deep, how high, how broad—that reconciles the world to God:

O praise him! O praise him! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

All people, come, and join the song, now Jew and Gentile both belong:

O praise him! Alleluia!

Christ rose to make divisions cease and join all nations by his peace.

O praise him! O praise him! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Still Christ is drawing strangers near, still love is raised above our fear:

O praise him! Alleluia!

As Christ invites the lost and least, all guests are welcome at this feast;

O praise him! O praise him! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

--David Bjorlin, b. 1984; ©GIA Publications, Inc.

THE DISMISSAL

Deacon

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord!

People

Thanks be to God!

VOLUNTARY

Prelude on LASST UNS ERFREUEN

John A. Behnke

SERVING US TODAY

Celebrant	The Rev. Whitney Burton
Deacon	The Rev. Cindy Roehl
Organist/Choirmaster	Tom Huffman
Ministry Intern	Miranda Harrison-Quillin
Cantor	Pat Cates
Crucifer/Server	Linda Wells
Torch/Chalichists	Dan Depies & Andrea Zahn
Lectors	Alan Mackay & Sally Miller
Prayers of the People	Sally Miller
Ushers	Nancy Fisher & Alan Mackay Caroline & Steve Maisel
Building & Grounds	Pat Cates
Welcome Table	Maureen Belote & Anne Punch

Prayers are requested for:

The Week of August 11 – Gene B, Gerry B, Mike T, Baby Summer, Nels A, Judith A, Mandeville P, Eva P, Mavis S, Jacki P, Enez P, Lita Gaye L, Baby Maverick, Dean, Pat D, Becky G, Baby Braelyn, Baby Joella, Hazel, Marc J, Christopher J, Hilda, Pat C, John B, Maryellen, Judy, Heinz, Bill GW, Evelyn, Jim, Marilyn, Brian S, Emi, June R, Maureen B, Pat B, Sarah R, Liz N, Adan R, David B, Tim E, Judy M, Linda, Dede, Milly L, Bob S, Olena and Family, Heather S, Bonnie L, Colette S, Kipling, Anna C and Family, Wilson Family, Maureen, Steve G, Chris S, Hilda M, Carmella A, Jenn L, Linda

Celebrations this week: Birthdays – Mildred Levy, Carol Cates, Catherine Schweitzer, Sebastian Statile, Peggy Tomlinson, Kathleen Bleau, and Terry Eldridge

Anniversaries – Robin and Dave Megel, Elena and James Goletz.

Announcements

Bagzilla – Place all donations for Dunedin Cares Food Pantry in the bins.

Sunday School & Nursery – Sunday school officially resumes today and nursery care is available as early as 9:45am for 10am services. Join us in our newly renovated nursery and Sunday school room.

Late-Summer Choir – The Late-Summer Choir for four weeks beginning September 8. They will meet 9:20 a.m. in the choir room each Sunday, September 8 through 29. This is a great opportunity for those who have thought about being a part of the choir but haven't made that final step or for those who been out of choir for a while. The summer choir will not wear vestments or walk in procession. Contact Tom Huffman or come up to the organ after worship on Sunday for more information.

Supper Club – Join us for a small, informal get together with COGS folks. Groups of 8-10 will meet monthly for a meal and fellowship from September to November. To sign up please register online, use the paper form, or contact the church office by August 21.