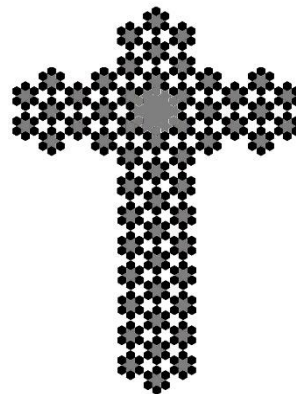


TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

October 22, 2023

9:00 AM Service

Holy Communion: Rite II



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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.

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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

Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken
Bells of Hope, Trumpet, Organ

arr. Linda McKechnie

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

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

ENTRANCE HYMN H-665

All My Hope on God Is Founded

MICHAEL

(stanzas 1,2,4,5)

All my hope on God is founded; he doth still my trust renew,
me through change and chance he guideth, only good and only true.
God unknown, he alone calls my heart to be his own.

Mortal pride and earthly glory, sword and crown betray our trust;
though with care and toil we build them, tower and temple fall to dust.
But God's power, hour by hour, is my temple and my tower.

Daily doth the almighty Giver bounteous gifts on us bestow;
his desire our soul delighteth, pleasure leads us where we go.
Love doth stand at his hand; joy doth wait on his command.

Still from earth to God eternal sacrifice of praise be done,
high above all praises praising for the gift of Christ, his Son.
Christ doth call one and all: ye who follow shall not fall.

THE OPENING ACCLAMATION

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

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

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray... Almighty and everlasting God, in Christ you have revealed your glory among the nations: Preserve the works of your mercy, that your Church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All Amen.

BLESSING OF SINGERS AND RINGERS/VESTMENTS

Celebrant O God, grant to these singers and ringers humbleness of mind, unity of purpose, harmony in song and spirit, diligence in attention and self-correction, freedom from vanity and pride, unfeigned obedience to the tradition of the Church and Her

appointed pastors, and sincere love for the sacred texts and hymns of the divine services.

We dedicate these new vestments – cassocks and cottas – to the glory of God. Thank you for the special gifts given to honor and glorify your great name. May these new vestments help to unite our song and add dignity and beauty to our musical offerings.

Choirs Accept these words of dedication, O Lord, and keep our purpose ever before us, that we may wear with grace the garments that set us apart for Thee. Amen.

All **As we raise our songs, may we realize more fully God’s presence and our purpose in worship. Amen.**

STEWARDSHIP HYMN

(all singing)

Lord, You Give the Great Commission

Bells of Hope, Trumpet, Organ

ABBOT’S LEIGH

**Lord, you give the great commission: “Heal the sick and preach the word.”
Lest the church neglect its mission, and the gospel go unheard,
help us witness to your purpose with renewed integrity:
with the Spirit’s gifts empower us for the work of ministry.**

**Lord, you call us to your service: “In my name baptize and teach.”
That the world may trust your promise, life abundant meant for each,
give us all new fervor, draw us closer in community:
with the Spirit’s gifts empower us for the work of ministry.**

THE WORD OF GOD

The people sit.

THE FIRST READING

Exodus 33:12-23

Lector *The First Reading is taken from Exodus chapter 33...*

Moses said to the Lord, “See, you have said to me, ‘Bring up this people’; but you have not let me know whom you will send with me. Yet you have said, ‘I know you by name, and you have also found favor in my sight.’ Now if I have found favor in your sight, show me your ways, so that I may know you and find favor in your sight. Consider too that this nation is your people.” He said, “My presence will go with you, and I will give you rest.” And he said to him, “If your presence will not go, do not carry us up from here. For how shall it be known that I have found favor in your sight, I and your people, unless you go with us? In this way, we shall be distinct, I and your people, from every people on the face of the earth.”

The Lord said to Moses, “I will do the very thing that you have asked; for you have found favor in my sight, and I know you by name.” Moses said, “Show me your glory, I pray.” And he said, “I will make all my goodness pass before you, and will proclaim before you the name, ‘The Lord’; and I will be gracious to whom I will be gracious, and will show mercy on whom I will show mercy. But,” he said, “you cannot see my face; for no one shall see me and live.”

And the Lord continued, "See, there is a place by me where you shall stand on the rock; and while my glory passes by I will put you in a cleft of the rock, and I will cover you with my hand until I have passed by; then I will take away my hand, and you shall see my back; but my face shall not be seen."

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 96

ES IST EIN' ROS' ENTSPRUNGEN

(All singing)

F B^b C Dm B^b Gm/D C

1 Sing to the Lord a new song; sing to God, all you
2 Let earth and heav - en glo - ry; let o - cean depths re -

F B^b C Dm B^b

lands. Sing of sal - va - tion al - ways; God's
joyce. Let hills and plains and for - ests. sing

Gm/D C F Gm F G C

glo - ry now at hand. God's love shall nev - er cease.
prais - es with one voice. God's love shall nev - er cease.

F B^b C D Gm B^b C F

God comes to rule with jus - tice; God comes to rule with peace.
God comes to rule with jus - tice; God comes to rule with peace.

THE SECOND READING

1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

Lector *The Second Reading is taken from First Thessalonians chapter 1...*

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace.

We always give thanks to God for all of you and mention you in our prayers, constantly remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labor of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. For we know, brothers and sisters beloved by God, that he has chosen you, because our message of the gospel came to you not in word only, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction; just as you know what kind of persons we proved to be among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for in spite of persecution you received the word with joy inspired by the Holy Spirit, so that you became an example to all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For the word of the Lord has sounded forth from you not only in Macedonia and Achaia, but in every place your faith in God has become known, so that we have no need to speak about it. For the people of those regions report about us what kind of welcome we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols, to serve a living and true God, and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead-- Jesus, who rescues us from the wrath that is coming.

Lector **The Word of the Lord.**

People **Thanks be to God.**

All stand as able.

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

John Schiavone

All sing this refrain, soloist sings the verse:



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Solo: You are Peter and upon this rock I will build my Church
and the gates of the netherworld shall not prevail against it. Alleluia. **(Refrain)**

THE GOSPEL

Matthew 22:15-22

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

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

Deacon

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

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

The people sit.

SERMON

The Rev. Whitney Burton

NICENE CREED *All stand as able.*

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

Gather us together, O God, that we might share the prayers, intentions, and thanksgivings of our community. We are generous with our gifts

Silence

People

Because we are Rooted in God's Abundance.

Lector

I ask your prayers for the Church, for all who worship God this day. For our clergy, our diocesan leaders, and for our congregation. We pray especially for this season in which we celebrate our stories of leadership and our support for mission... We are generous with our gifts of leadership,

People

Because we are Rooted in God's Abundance.

Lector

I ask your prayers for our Nation and all nations; for refugees fleeing climate change and war; for conflicts of resources and land; for lawmakers, peacekeepers, and informed citizens. We pray for a peaceful resolution and an end to violence in the Middle East... We are generous with our gifts of peace,

People

Because we are Rooted in God's Abundance.

Lector I ask your prayers for the sick, the lonely, the lost, and those who grieve. We remember those on our parish prayer list (*add names from notebook*), and those we name now in silence or aloud. We are generous with our gifts of healing,

People **Because we are Rooted in God's Abundance.**

Lector I ask your prayers for those who have died, those who are dying, and those who mourn. Especially those on our parish prayer list (*add names from notebook*), and for those we name now in silence or aloud (*leave time*).

We are generous with our gifts of support,

People **Because we are Rooted in God's Abundance.**

Lector I ask for your remembrances of thanksgivings and blessings, for we are given time, talent, and treasure to share with the world. We give thanks for the flowers this week given by Laura & Michael McGary in memory of Karen McGary Melvin and Raymond McGary. We also give thanks to God for all the blessings of this life, especially the birthdays this coming week of Carolyn Hughes, Hilda Myers, Melinda Dube, Beth Brinsko, and for the anniversary this week of Michael & Briony Tomalesky. We are generous with our gratitude,

People **Because we are Rooted in God's Abundance**

Celebrant Hear the prayers of your people, Creator God. May we who are blessed by so much wealth and wisdom, share our works with a world in need.

All **Amen.**

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

All Glory Be to Thee Most High
Choir and Trumpet

arr. Rachel Arons

THE PRESENTATION

All stand as able.

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

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia, alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit, Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

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.**

Celebrant It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

(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:

All **Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, S-129**
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

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 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 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:

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

The Celebrant continues

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.

People **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

Song of Reverence
Trumpet and Organ

arr. John Purifoy

COMMUNION HYMN

Come, Let Us with Our Lord Arise

SUSSEX CAROL



1. Come, let us with our Lord a - rise, our Lord, who made both
2. This is the day the Lord has made, that all may see his
3. Then let us ren - der him his own, with sol - emn prayer ap -



earth and skies: who died to save the world he made, and
love dis-played, may feel his res - ur - rec - tion's power, and
proach his throne, with meek - ness hear the gos - pel word, with



rose tri - um - phant from the dead; he rose, the Prince of life and
rise a - gain, to fall no more, in per - fect righ - teous-ness re -
thanks his dy - ing love re - cord, our joy - ful hearts and voic - es



peace, and stamped the day for - ev - er his.
newed, and filled with all the life of God.
raise, and fill his courts with songs of praise.

THE PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Celebrant

Let us pray...

All

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

THE BLESSING

THE SENDING HYMN H-377 All People That on Earth Do Dwell OLD HUNDREDTH
(*stanzas 1,2,3,4*)

All people that on earth do dwell, sing to the Lord with cheerful voice:
him serve with mirth, his praise forth tell, come ye before him and rejoice.

Know that the Lord is God indeed; without our aid he did us make:
we are his folk, he doth us feed, and for his sheep he doth us take.

O enter then his gates with praise, approach with joy his courts unto;
praise, laud, and bless his Name always, for it is seemly so to do.

For why? the Lord our God is good; his mercy is for ever sure;
his truth at all times firmly stood, and shall from age to age endure.

THE DISMISSAL

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

VOLUNTARY

Psalm 19
Trumpet and Organ

Benedetto Marcello(1686-1739)
arr. William Allen Pasch

SERVING US TODAY

Celebrant	The Rev. Whitney Burton
Deacon	The Rev. Cindy Roehl
Organist/Choirmaster	Tom Huffman
Bells of Hope Director	Pat Cates
Crucifer/Server	Michelle Schombs
Torch/Chalicists	Laurie McGary & Lynne Henderson
Lectors	Sheila Scott & Diane Niford
Prayers of the People	Maureen Belote
Ushers	Butch & Diane Niford
Building & Grounds	Cheryl Sharpe
Welcome Table	Shirl Ahrens, John & Sheila Scott
Soloist	Tony Halfhide
Trumpet	Nick Lipsette

Prayers are requested for:

The Week of Oct 15 – Suzy, JoAnne P, John F, John & Lawrence, Bill B, Sharon G, Bill GW, Maureen B, David Q, Sarah R, David B & family, Liz N, Adam R, Billie B, Breanna B, Linda R, Peace in Middle East, Tali, Cooper K, Bob M & family, Kimberly, Jason C, Helen-Marie, Richard B, Briony T, Mike T, Suzanne, Stacey, Karen T, Priscilla, Kathy & family, Kipling, Nancy, Kelly M, Lou W, Bill D, Jay O, Adriana P, Summer, Christopher J.

Celebrations this week: Birthdays – Carolyn Hughes, Hilda Myers, Melinda Dube, and Beth Brinsko.

Anniversaries – Michael & Briony Tomalesky.

Announcements

Stewardship Kickoff Sunday: We will have our annual Ministry Fair immediately following the 9:00 AM service TODAY. Come have some refreshments and learn about the many programs and ministries offered here at COGS.

Choir Resumes: Our choir is back! We have room and would welcome any new singers from high school age on up. Rehearsals are each Thursday from 5:00-6:30 p.m. and Sundays at 9:30 before the 10:00 service. Speak to or call Tom Huffman, (727) 409-8726 or talk to any current choir member.

5th Sunday Vestry Reception: We hope you will join us for an Octoberfest reception Oct. 29 after both services, sponsored by the Vestry.