# Third Sunday After Pentecost

June 26, 2022 8:00 AM Service

Holy Communion: Rite I





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Services: Sunday at 8 and 10 AM • Wednesday at 6 PM Our Sunday 10:00 AM service is livestreamed

### WELCOME TO GOOD SHEPHERD

Masks are recommended, but not required.

**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.

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

### **GATHERING FOR WORSHIP**

#### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please remain seated.

#### ACCLAMATION

Please stand.

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, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

CelebrantAllCelebrantCelebrantLord, have mercy upon us.Lord, have mercy upon us.

### THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.*People* And with thy Spirit.

Celebrant Let us pray..... Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the

apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone: Grant us so to be joined together in unity of spirit by their teaching, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the

Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All Amen.

#### THE WORD OF GOD

Please be seated.

#### THE FIRST READING

2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14

Lector The First Reading is taken from Second Kings chapter 2...

When the Lord was about to take Elijah up to heaven by a whirlwind, Elijah and Elisha were on their way from Gilgal. Elijah said to Elisha, "Stay here; for the Lord has sent me as far as Bethel." But Elisha said, "As the Lord lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So they went down to Bethel. Then Elijah said to him, "Stay here; for the Lord has sent me to the Jordan." But he said, "As the Lord lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you." So the two of them went on. Fifty men of the company of prophets also went, and stood at some distance from them, as they both were standing by the Jordan. Then Elijah took his mantle and rolled it up, and struck the water; the water was parted to the one side and to the other, until the two of them crossed on dry ground. When they had crossed, Elijah said to Elisha, "Tell me what I may do for you, before I am taken from you." Elisha said, "Please let me inherit a double share of your spirit." He responded, "You have asked a hard thing; yet, if you

see me as I am being taken from you, it will be granted you; if not, it will not." As they continued walking and talking, a chariot of fire and horses of fire separated the two of them, and Elijah ascended in a whirlwind into heaven. Elisha kept watching and crying out, "Father, father! The chariots of Israel and its horsemen!" But when he could no longer see him, he grasped his own clothes and tore them in two pieces. He picked up the mantle of Elijah that had fallen from him, and went back and stood on the bank of the Jordan. He took the mantle of Elijah that had fallen from him, and struck the water, saying, "Where is the Lord, the God of Elijah?" When he had struck the water, the water was parted to the one side and to the other, and Elisha went over

Lector The Word of the Lord. People **Thanks be to God.** 

### THE PSALM 77

Lector We will read responsively Psalm 77...

Lector I will cry aloud to God; I will cry aloud, and he will hear me.

People In the day of my trouble I sought the Lord; my hands were stretched out by night and did not tire I refused to be comforted.

Lector I will remember the works of the Lord, and call to mind your wonders of old time.

People I will meditate on all your acts and ponder your mighty deeds.

Lector Your way, O God, is holy; who is so great a god as our God?

People You are the God who works wonders and have declared your power among the peoples.

Lector By your strength you have redeemed your people, the children of Jacob and Joseph.

People The waters saw you, O God; the waters saw you and trembled; the very depths were shaken.

Lector The clouds poured out water; the skies thundered; your arrows flashed to and fro;

People The sound of your thunder was in the whirlwind; your lightnings lit up the world; the earth trembled and shook.

Lector Your way was in the sea, and your paths in the great waters, yet your footsteps were not seen.

People You led your people like a flock by the hand of Moses and Aaron.

### THE SECOND READING

Galatians 5:1,13-25

Lector The Second Reading is taken from Galatians chapter 5...

For freedom Christ has set us free. Stand firm, therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery. For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters; only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for self-indulgence, but through love become slaves to one another. For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment, "You shall love your

neighbor as yourself." If, however, you bite and devour one another, take care that you are not consumed by one another. Live by the Spirit, I say, and do not gratify the desires of the flesh. For what the flesh desires is opposed to the Spirit, and what the Spirit desires is opposed to the flesh; for these are opposed to each other, to prevent you from doing what you want. But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not subject to the law. Now the works of the flesh are obvious: fornication, impurity, licentiousness, idolatry, sorcery, enmities, strife, jealousy, anger, quarrels, dissensions, factions, envy, drunkenness, carousing, and things like these. I am warning you, as I warned you before: those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things. And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. If we live by the Spirit, let us also be guided by the Spirit.

Lector The Word of the Lord. People **Thanks be to God.** 

THE GOSPEL Luke 9:51-62

Please stand.

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

People Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Deacon will read aloud the Gospel.

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise be to thee, O Christ.

**SERMON** The Rev. Whitney Burton

Please be seated.

### **NICENE CREED** Please stand.

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.

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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

Deacon Lector Let us pray for the whole state of Christ's Church and the world.

Almighty and everliving God, who in thy holy Word hast taught us to make prayers, and supplications, and to give thanks for all humanity receive these our prayers which we offer unto thy divine Majesty, beseeching thee to inspire continually the Universal Church with the spirit of truth, unity, and concord; and grant that all those who do confess thy holy Name may agree in the truth of thy holy Word, and live in unity and godly love. God of Light and Life,

People

We pray to you.

Lector

Give grace, O heavenly Father, to all bishops, especially to Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Dabney, our Bishop; Douglas, our Bishop Elect; Barry and Michael, our Assisting Bishops; Whitney, our Rector; Cindy, our Deacon; to our companion diocese of the Dominican Republic; to these Episcopal Churches in our Diocese; St. Raphael's, Fort Myers Beach; St. Stephen's, New Port Richey; St. Thomas', St. Petersburg; St. Vincent 's, St. Petersburg; St. Wilfred 's, Sarasota; Trinity-by-the-Cove, Naples; and to all priests, deacons, and the laity in their ministry; that they may, both

by their life and doctrine, set forth thy true and lively Word, and rightly and duly administer thy holy Sacraments. God of Light and Life,

People We pray to you.

Lector And to all thy people give thy heavenly grace, and especially to this congregation here present; that, with meek heart and due reverence, they may hear and receive thy holy Word, truly serving thee in holiness and righteousness all the days of their life. God of Light and Life,

People We pray to you.

Lector We beseech thee also so to rule the hearts of those who bear the authority of government in this and every land, especially our elected leaders, that they may be led to wise decisions and right actions for the welfare and peace of the world. We pray that all God's children, especially those in the Middle East, might live in the hope of the world peace for which we are created. God of Light and Life,

People We pray to you.

Lector And we most humbly beseech thee, of thy goodness, O Lord, to comfort and succor [Add handwritten names from notebook] and all those who, in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially those listed in the weekly news who have asked for our prayers. I now invite you to pray for others by name, aloud or in your hearts. [Leave time...] God of Light and Life,

People We pray to you.

Lector Open, O Lord, the eyes of all people to behold thy gracious hand in all thy works, that, rejoicing in thy whole creation, they may honor thee with their substance, and be faithful stewards of thy bounty. We give thanks for the flowers given to the Glory of God, in honor of the baptism of Sebastian Vito Statile, and in loving memory of Cathy Statile Jursik. We also give thanks for all the blessings of this life, especially the birthdays this coming week of for Laurel Banta, James Goletz, Wendy Dickie, Joseph Statile, Rose Acre, and Bob Wonder, and for the anniversaries of Bruce & Cyndy Fahnestock, Alan & Debra Mackay, Bob & Llora Wonder, Jim & Barbara Groff, and Bob & Hazel DeStefano, God of Light and Life,

People We pray to you.

Lector And we also bless thy holy Name for all thy servants departed this life in thy faith and fear, [especially... add names from notebook]. Please add names of those on your heart, silently or aloud. [Leave time...] We beseech thee to grant them continual growth in thy love and service; and to grant us grace so to follow the good examples of all thy saints, that with them we may be partakers of thy heavenly kingdom. God of Light and Life,

People We pray to you.

Lector Grant these our prayers, O Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate.

The Celebrant adds a concluding collect.

People AMEN.

#### **CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION**

Please kneel or stand.

Deacon Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God. [Silence is kept.] Most merciful

God,

People We confess that we have sinned against thee in thought, word, and deed, by

what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved thee with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of thy Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in thy will, and walk in thy

ways, to the glory of thy Name. Amen.

Celebrant Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised

forgiveness of sins to all those who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ

our Lord.

People Amen.

### THE GREETING OF PEACE Please stand.

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And with thy spirit.

### THE HOLY COMMUNION

### **OFFERTORY SENTENCE**

Please be seated.

### PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING

Deacon As we receive these gifts, we acknowledge

People All things come from thee, O Lord and of thine own have we given thee.

## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING: Eucharistic Prayer II

CelebrantPeopleCelebrantCelebrantThe Lord be with you.And with thy spirit.Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them up unto the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

People It is meet and right so to do.

Celebrant (Here a proper preface is read.)

Therefore, with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

People Holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts: Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.

Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.

Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Please kneel or stand, as you choose.

Celebrant All glory be to thee, O Lord our God, for that thou didst create heaven and earth, and didst make us in thine own image; and, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there a full and perfect sacrifice for the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

For in the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks to thee, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat, this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me." Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, we thy people do celebrate and make, with these thy holy gifts which we now offer unto thee, the memorial thy Son hath commanded us to make; having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; and looking for his coming again with power and great glory. And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us, and, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, to bless and sanctify these gifts of bread and wine, that they may be unto us the Body and Blood of thy dearly-beloved Son Jesus Christ.

Celebrant and People And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, whereby we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, our selves, our souls and bodies. Grant, we beseech thee, that all who partake of this Holy Communion may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, and be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; and also that we and all thy whole Church may be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord;

*Celebrant* By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end.

People AMEN.

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

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.

#### **BREAKING OF THE BREAD**

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
 People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.
 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 instinct (dip) the wafer for you.

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

### **COMMUNION**

### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Celebrant Let us pray.

People

Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

### THE BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

Please stand. Celebrant

People Amen.

Deacon Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

People Thanks be to God!

#### SERVING US TODAY

Celebrant The Rev. Whitney Burton Deacon The Rev. Cindy Roehl

Crucifer/Server Michelle Schombs

Lector Chris Schombs

Prayers of the People Michelle Schombs

Ushers Butch Niford & Ed Steponaitis

### Prayers are requested for:

The Week of June 19 – Barbara D, Elena G, Bill GW, Bridget, Peggy, Tony & Priscilla, Sandy, Linda, Fran, Linda, Bob, Ashley, St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Jeff G, Isaiah, Antoinette, Debbie, Gail-Marie, Joanne Carol, Demita, Nicole, all fathers, Jackie, Diana, Paul W, Ginger D, Diane M, Bob S, People of Ukraine, Juliet, Carol D, Milly & Brian L, Bonnie L, Paul B, Heather S, Bob R, Linda W, Christopher J, and Lynne M.

**Celebrations this week: Birthdays** – Laurel Banta, James Goletz, Wendy Dickie, Joseph Statile, Rose Acre, and Bob Wonder.

**Anniversaries** – Bruce & Cyndy Fahnestock, Alan & Debra Mackay, Bob & Llora Wonder, Jim & Barbara Groff, and Bob & Hazel DeStefano.

### **Announcements**

**Summer Sermon Series:** The Way of Love June 19 – July 31

New Member/Confirmation Class: This 4-6 week class beginning in the fall is for anyone, new or otherwise, who would like to learn more about the Episcopal Church, our history, Sacraments, and theology. If you are interested in learning more about Confirmation, Reaffirmation, or Reception into the Episcopal Church in November, this class is also for you! If you are interested in attending, please let Rev. Whitney know at <a href="mailto:wburton@cogsdunedin.com">wburton@cogsdunedin.com</a>. Once we know who is interested, we will decide on a day and time.

**Adult Formation Class:** Please join us for our continuing study on the book of Luke at 9:15am on Sunday mornings in the Patio Room.

Coffee Hour: All are invited to Coffee Hour after each of our Sunday worship services in Kirk Hall.

**CPR Class:** CPR/First Aid/AED Certification on Thursday, July 14 at 10:00am. Open to all - \$25.00 per person.