Eighth Sunday After Pentecost

July 31, 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 request one 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.CelebrantPeopleBlessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.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.

CelebrantLord, have mercy upon us.AllChrist, have mercy upon us.CelebrantLord, have mercy upon us.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

<i>Celebrant</i> The Lord be with you.
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People And with thy Spirit.

- *Celebrant* Let us pray.... Let your continual mercy, O Lord, cleanse and defend your Church; and, because it cannot continue in safety without your help, protect and govern it always by your goodness; 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

Hosea 11:1-11

Lector The First Reading is taken from Hosea chapter 11...

When Israel was a child, I loved him, and out of Egypt I called my son. The more I called them, the more they went from me; they kept sacrificing to the Baals, and offering incense to idols. Yet it was I who taught Ephraim to walk, I took them up in my arms; but they did not know that I healed them. I led them with cords of human kindness, with bands of love. I was to them like those who lift infants to their cheeks. I bent down to them and fed them. They shall return to the land of Egypt, and Assyria shall be their king, because they have refused to return to me. The sword rages in their cities, it consumes their oracle-priests, and devours because of their schemes. My people are bent on turning away from me. To the Most High they call, but he does not raise them up at all. How can I give you up, Ephraim? How can I hand you over, O Israel? How can I make you like Admah? How can I treat you like Zeboiim? My heart recoils within me; my compassion grows warm and tender. I will not execute my fierce anger; I will not again destroy Ephraim; for I am God and no mortal, the Holy One in your midst, and I will not come in wrath. They shall go after the Lord, who roars like a lion; when he roars, his children shall come trembling from the west. They shall come trembling like birds from Egypt, and like doves from the land of Assyria; and I will return them to their homes, says the Lord.

LectorThe Word of the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God.

THE PSALM 107

We will read responsively Psalm 107... Lector Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, and his mercy endures for ever. Lector Let all those whom the Lord has redeemed proclaim that he redeemed People them from the hand of the foe. Lector He gathered them out of the lands; from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south. Some wandered in desert wastes; they found no way to a city where they People might dwell. They were hungry and thirsty; their spirits languished within them. Lector Then they cried to the Lord in their trouble, and he delivered them from People their distress. Lector He put their feet on a straight path to go to a city where they might dwell. Let them give thanks to the Lord for his mercy and the wonders he does People for his children. For he satisfies the thirsty and fills the hungry with good things. Lector People Whoever is wise will ponder these things, and consider well the mercies of the Lord.

THE SECOND READING

Colossians 3:1-11

Lector The Second Reading is taken from Colossians chapter 3...

If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory. Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient. These are the ways you also once followed, when you were living that life. But now you must get rid of all such things-- anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive language from your mouth. Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. In that renewal there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

LectorThe Word of the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God.

THE GOSPEL

Luke 12:13-21

Please stand.

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.*People* Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Deacon Someone in the crowd said to Jesus, "Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me." But he said to him, "Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?" And he said to them, "Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions." Then he told them a parable: "The land of a rich man produced abundantly. And he thought to himself, `What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?' Then he said, `I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, `Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.' But God said to him, `You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?' So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich toward God." *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.

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

Almighty and everliving God, who in thy holy Word hast taught us to make prayers, Lector 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

Lector

We pray to you.

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. Anselm's Chapel, University of South Florida Chapel Center; St. Augustine's, St. Petersburg; St. Bartholomew's, St. Petersburg; St. Bede's, St. Petersburg; St. Boniface, Sarasota; St. Catherine's, Temple Terrace; St. Chad's, Tampa; 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, and in celebration of the anniversary of Mary Anne & Ted Dorner. We also give thanks for all the blessings of this life, especially the birthdays this coming week of for Penelope Statile, Pat Elmendorf, Nancy Campbell, Jason Hopwood, Phyllis Sipos, Garry Lumm, Kevin Matson, and Cindy Huffman, 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,
- PeopleWe 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

- *Celebrant* The Lord be with you.
- *People* And with thy spirit.
- *Celebrant* 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,

PeopleHoly, 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,

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.

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 intinct (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/Chalicist	Michelle Schombs
Lector	Chris Schombs
Prayers of the People	Michelle Schombs
Ushers	Diane Niford & Bob DeStefano

Prayers are requested for:

The Week of July 24 – Mimi, Bill GW, Lynne, Eleni, Mike N, Marcie, Bridget, Andrews Family, Gail Marie, Jason C, Jay H, Jennie H, Betty & Dick F, Pat, Firefighters Out West, Brian & Milly, Gay Lynn, Ginny, Rose, Tom, Judy M, Craig H, Bob S, People of Ukraine, Olena & Vesko, Elliot T, Karen S.

Celebrations this week: Birthdays – Penelope Statile, Pat Elmendorf, Nancy Campbell, Jason Hopwood, Phyllis Sipos, Garry Lumm, Kevin Matson, and Cindy Huffman. Anniversaries – Mary Anne & Ted Dorner.

Announcements

Indoor Picnic: Please join us today for an indoor picnic in Kirk Hall hosted by Vestry after each service.

Students and Teachers: Bring your backpacks, satchels, messenger bags, totes, and briefcases on Sunday, August 7th (or have them ready virtually) for a special blessing of backpacks, students and teachers as they return to school!

SUMMER CHOIR: The Summer Choir is meeting each Sunday, today through August 21. We rehearse 30 minutes prior to the 10:00 service in the choir room beginning at 9:20 a.m. This is a great opportunity to sing with a group and give choir a try if you've not done it before or if it's been a while. We don't wear robes and we're fully vaccinated. Any questions, contact Tom Huffman by phone, text or email: (727) 409-8726, tom@cogsdunedin.com or come up to the organ after worship.

2022 Directory – Please help us by checking that your information is correct in one the paper copies located in the back of the church or Kirk Hall, or in Realm, before we print new directories this fall.

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

New Member/Confirmation Class: will be held Sundays at 11:30am from Aug. 21 – Sep. 25. Please contact Rev. Whitney to sign up.

Drop "Off" Your Drawers: Collecting undies for school-aged children and teens for Clothes to Kids beginning Jul 31 through Aug. 12. Please visit our website for details on sizes and styles needed.