



The Holy Eucharist: Rite Two

The Day of Pentecost

Sunday, May 19, 2024

*Our liturgy may be found in the red **Book of Common Prayer (BCP)**, beginning on page 355. Hymns may be found in the blue **Hymnal 1982**.*

You are invited to enter in reverence as we prayerfully prepare to share in the worship of our Lord.

Prelude: *Komm, heiliger Geist* Dietrich Buxtehude

The Welcome

The Word of God

Procession **Hymn 505**
O Spirit of Life, O Spirit of God O heiliger Geist

The Celebrant says

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ is risen.
People **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

The Celebrant says the Collect for Purity **BCP 355**

Glory to God: *Gloria in excelsis* **Hymnal S-278**

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Let us pray.

The Celebrant says the Collect of the Day **BCP 227**

Please be seated for the readings.

The Lessons

A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles 2:1–21

When the day of Pentecost had come, the disciples were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were

sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

Verses 5–13 will be read simultaneously in a variety of tongues:

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine."

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

'In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams.

Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy.

And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist.

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The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day.

Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

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

Psalm 104:25–35, 37

BCP 736

Anglican Chant

Wm. Crotch

- 25 O LORD, how manifold are your works! *
in wisdom you have made them all;
the earth is full of your creatures.
- 26 Yonder is the great and wide sea
with its living things too many to number, *
creatures both small and great.
- 27 There move the ships,
and there is that Leviathan, *
which you have made for the sport of it.
- 28 All of them look to you *
to give them their food in due season.
- 29 You give it to them; they gather it; *
you open your hand,
and they are filled with good things.
- 30 You hide your face, and they are terrified; *
you take away their breath,
and they die and return to their dust.
- 31 You send forth your Spirit, and they are created; *
and so you renew the face of the earth.
- 32 May the glory of the LORD endure for ever; *
may the LORD rejoice in all his works.
- 33 He looks at the earth and it trembles; *
he touches the mountains and they smoke.
- 34 I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; *
I will praise my God while I have my being.
- 35 May these words of mine please him; *
I will rejoice in the LORD.
- 37 Bless the LORD, O my soul. *
Hallelujah!

A Reading from Paul's Letter to the Romans 8:22–27

We know that the whole creation has been groaning in labor pains until now; and not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly while we wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies. For in hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what is seen? But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

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

Please stand as you are able.

Gospel Procession

Holy Spirit, font of light

Hymn 228

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The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ

according to John

15:26–27; 16:4b–15

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

Jesus said to his disciples, "When the Advocate comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who comes from the Father, he will testify on my behalf. You also are to testify because you have been with me from the beginning.

"I did not say these things to you from the beginning, because I was with you. But now I am going to him who sent me; yet none of you asks me, 'Where are you going?' But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your hearts. Nevertheless I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Advocate will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. And when he comes, he will prove the world wrong about sin and righteousness and judgment: about sin, because they do not believe in me; about righteousness, because I am going to the Father and you will see me no longer; about judgment, because the ruler of this world has been condemned.

"I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you."

Gospeler The Gospel of the Lord.

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

The Sermon

The Nicene Creed

BCP 358

The Prayers of the People, Form III

BCP 387

Confession of Sin

BCP 360

The Peace

BCP 360

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

The Holy Communion

The Offering

We thank you for your continued support to the Cathedral's work of sharing God's love and peace.

Anthem: *I Will Not Leave You Comfortless* Everett Titcomb

I will not leave you comfortless. I will come to you yet again.

Alleluia. And your heart shall be joyful. Alleluia.

Offertory Hymn: Praise God from whom all blessings flow

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise God all creatures here below; Alleluia, alleluia.

Praise God above, ye heavenly hosts: praise Father, Son, and
Holy Ghost. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A

BCP 361

Celebrant *People*

The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

Celebrant *People*

Lift up your hearts. 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.

The Sanctus

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord

Hymnal S-128

The Lord's Prayer

Hymnal S-119

The Fraction Anthem

Jesus, Lamb of God

Hymnal S-165

The Ministration of Communion

All are invited to receive the Body and Blood of Christ. You may sip the wine directly from the chalice, or you may intinct the wafer in the wine yourself.

If you would like to receive a blessing instead of communion, please cross your arms to indicate your choice.

*You may receive kneeling at the rail, standing in front of the Sisters Altar, or at your seat. **Gluten-free wafers are available**; please alert the Minister distributing the bread.*

Communion Solo: Come, Holy Ghost

Thomas Atwood

Communion Cantic

Hymnal S-49

Alleluia, Christ our Passover — Pascha nostrum

The Post-Communion Prayer

BCP 365

The Blessing

Procession


Come down, O Love divine

Hymn 516

Down Ampney

The Dismissal

The People respond:



Thanks be to God, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Postlude: Ciacona

D. Buxtehude

Although our service is concluded with the Dismissal, you are welcome to remain seated, if you like, for the Postlude.

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**Please join us after the service
for hospitality in Martyrs Hall**

Scheduled to Serve this Sunday

Celebrant/Homilist: The Rev. Amanda McGriff
Verger: Jeffrey Berry *Crucifer:* Leily Watson
Acolytes: Ruth Watson and Cannon Edwards
Chalice: Bruce Berry and Pat Geelan
Lectors: Bruce Berry and Billy Pullen
Prayers: Marti Kuhn
Ushers: Gary Bridgman and Drew Smith
Altar Guild: Sybil Onwuka and Jan Morrell

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The Rev. Gary Meade, *Interim Dean*
Dr. Dennis Janzer, *Director of Music (on sabbatical)*
Dr. Richard Townley, *Choirmaster & Assistant Organist*
Ms. June LaPorta, *Parish Administrator*
Mr. Mark Henderson, *Building Manager*

Worship Times

Sundays: **Holy Eucharist**, Rite II at 10 AM
Wednesdays: **Noonday Prayers** online at 12 PM
Saturdays: **Morning Prayer**, Rite II at 9 AM

St. Mary's welcomes the Rev. Amanda McGriff

The Cathedral is honored to welcome the Rev. Amanda McGriff as she preaches and celebrates this morning. Amanda is currently serving as chaplain at Methodist University Hospital. She also serves once a month at St. George's Episcopal Church in Germantown.

(Dean Gary is away this weekend to officiate at a wedding in Florida and will return to the office on Tuesday.)

Praying for our Cathedral Family & Beyond

We pray for those with short-term needs: Cille; Pat George; Jimmy Hartley; John Hater; the Rev. Colenzo Hubbard; Luke Lewis; Carol Morris; and Julie Powell.

We pray for those with long-term needs: the Blanton family; Bill Boykin; Susan Carroll; Marilyn Dunavant; Madeleine Edwards; Carolyn Ford; Kenneth Ford; Boo Gee; Cheryl Gentry; Frank Hart; John Hater; Charles Hebert; Nora Kaltakdjian; Steve Kite-Powell; Quin Knox; Bill Lutz; Kirsty Maclean; Jenks McCrory; Cindy & Brandon Patterson; Amy Nell Reed; Laura Kathryn Redden; Margaret Said; Nancy Schaffer; Janis Sharpe; Andrew

Leslie Smith, Jr.; Martha Pullen Taylor; David Thomas; Ekeesha Tolbert; Judy Tucker; and Brother Cornelius Yancy.

We pray for those serving in the armed forces: Victor Galloway, U.S. Navy & Melanie Galloway; Ian Harvey (brother of Natalie); S/Sgt. Sean Harber, U.S. Army (grandson of Jerry & Carol); Capt. Nicholas Wilde, U.S. Army (grandson of Jim and Julie Powell); Charlie Lewis (son of Charles Lewis).

If anyone you know is sick, hospitalized, or needs attention from the clergy and to add names to our Prayer List, call or text Dean Gary Meade at 731-589-3370 or email him at gmeade@stmarysmemphis.org.

Announcements for the Week of May 19

Faith Formation

Bookshop Roundtable: *How can we understand — and even like — the hard sayings of Jesus?* Join the Rev. Jerry Harber for this informative and ongoing series hosted and held at The Episcopal Bookshop on Wednesdays at 1:00 pm. All are welcome.



Supporting the Dean's Discretionary Fund

On the first Sunday of each month an offering plate will be placed on the rail going up to the altar for anyone who wishes to contribute to Dean Gary's Discretionary Fund. This fund is used to support those in need in our St. Mary's family as well as those additional neighbors needing assistance. Thank you for your support!



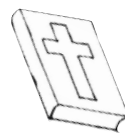
Flowers on the Altar

Flowers on the Altar each Sunday may be scheduled, dedicated, and paid for with Bruce Berry, 901-659-5800. A donation of \$100 provides the Sunday arrangement.



Christian Education for Children

Children's Christian education is offered from 9–9:50 in the Moody Wing with Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, led by Terra Nwobilor, for 3-year-olds – kindergarten and Sunday School for kids in 1st through 5th grades, led by Marsha Callow and Vickie Baselski.



Hope and Food — Saturdays

All are invited into Sisters Chapel on Saturday morning at 9 am for a time of Morning Prayer, followed by a 'Brown Bag Breakfast' offering to all our neighbors. Or join us at 8 am to volunteer to share in this ministry.



Making a Joyful Noise unto the Lord

If you know of a singer who you think would enjoy making great sacred music at our Cathedral, please encourage that friend to join us a 9:00 am in the choir room any given Sunday for a quick rehearsal. All are welcome!



Daughters of the King meets every second Monday. All women are invited. *Contact:* Laura Williams.

Dennis Janzer is on sabbatical and will return in August.

We are blessed that Richard Townley is leading St. Mary's Cathedral Music ministries during Dennis' absence.