

Holy Eucharist

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Prelude

Processional Hymn

Hymnal 596

Judge eternal, throned in splendor

1 Judge e - ter - nal, throned in splen - dor, Lord of lords and
2 Still the wea - ry folk are pin - ing for the hour that
3 Crown, O God, thine own en - deav - or; cleave our dark - ness

King of kings, with thy liv - ing fire of judg - ment
brings re - lease, and the ci - ty's crowd - ed clang - or
with thy sword; feed all those who do not know thee

purge this land of bit - ter things; sol - ace all its
cries a - loud for sin to cease; and the home - steads
with the rich - ness of thy word; cleanse the bo - dy

wide do - min - ion with the heal - ing of thy wings.
 and the wood - lands plead in si - lence for their peace.
 of this na - tion through the glo - ry of the Lord.

Presider Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

The Presider begins the Collect for Purity

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.**

Song of Praise

Chorus Book 7

He is exalted

T. P. F E A B \flat TWILA PARIS

He is ex - alt - ed, the King is ex - alt - ed on_ high. I will

B \flat C F E
D E A

praise Him. He is ex - alt - ed, for - ev - er ex - alt - ed and

B \flat C B \flat B \flat C D^{sus} D

I will praise His name!

G m D m C E C F A m ⁷

He is the Lord. For - ev - er His truth shall

B \flat E A G m D m B \flat C G m C

reign. Heav - en and earth re -

F A m ⁷ B \flat E A G m G m F

joice in His ho - ly name. He is ex - alt - ed, the

E \flat M⁷ B \flat C F

King is ex - alt - ed on high.

Collect of the Day

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

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. **Amen.**

All sit.

First Reading

Jeremiah 23:23-29

A Reading from the book of the prophet Jeremiah.

²³Am I a God near by, says the LORD, and not a God far off? ²⁴Who can hide in secret places so that I cannot see them? says the LORD. Do I not fill heaven and earth? says the LORD. ²⁵I have heard what the prophets have said who prophesy lies in my name, saying, "I have dreamed, I have dreamed!" ²⁶How long? Will the hearts of the prophets ever turn back—those who prophesy lies, and who prophesy the deceit of their own heart? ²⁷They plan to make my people forget my name by their dreams that they tell one another, just as their ancestors forgot my name for Baal. ²⁸Let the prophet who has a dream tell the dream, but let the one who has my word speak my word faithfully. What has straw in common with wheat? says the LORD. ²⁹Is not my word like fire, says the LORD, and like a hammer that breaks a rock in pieces?

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

Remain seated.

Psalms 82

¹God takes his stand in the council of heaven; *
he gives judgment in the midst of the gods:
²**"How long will you judge unjustly, ***
and show favor to the wicked?
³Save the weak and the orphan; *
defend the humble and needy;
⁴**Rescue the weak and the poor; ***
deliver them from the power of the wicked.

⁵They do not know, neither do they understand;
they go about in darkness; *
all the foundations of the earth are shaken.
⁶**Now I say to you, ‘You are gods, ***
and all of you children of the Most High;
⁷Nevertheless, you shall die like mortals, *
and fall like any prince.’”
⁸**Arise, O God, and rule the earth, ***
for you shall take all nations for your own.

Second Reading

Hebrews 11:29--12:2

A Reading from the letter to the Hebrews.

²⁹By faith the people passed through the Red Sea as if it were dry land, but when the Egyptians attempted to do so they were drowned. ³⁰By faith the walls of Jericho fell after they had been encircled for seven days. ³¹By faith Rahab the prostitute did not perish with those who were disobedient, because she had received the spies in peace.

³²And what more should I say? For time would fail me to tell of Gideon, Barak, Samson, Jephthah, of David and Samuel and the prophets—³³who through faith conquered kingdoms, administered justice, obtained promises, shut the mouths of lions, ³⁴quenched raging fire, escaped the edge of the sword, won strength out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign armies to flight. ³⁵Women received their dead by resurrection. Others were tortured, refusing to accept release, in order to obtain a better resurrection. ³⁶Others suffered mocking and flogging, and even chains and imprisonment. ³⁷They were stoned to death, they were sawn in two, they were killed by the sword; they went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, persecuted, tormented—³⁸of whom the world was not worthy. They wandered in deserts and mountains, and in caves and holes in the ground.

³⁹Yet all these, though they were commended for their faith, did not receive what was promised, ⁴⁰since God had provided something better so that they would not, apart from us, be made perfect.

^{12:1}Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, ²looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, who for the sake of the joy that was set before him endured the cross, disregarding its shame, and has taken his seat at the right hand of the throne of God.

<i>Reader</i>	The Word of the Lord.
<i>People</i>	Thanks be to God.

All stand as they are able.

Sequence Hymn

LEVAS 191

His eye is on the sparrow

1. Why should I feel dis-cour-aged,— Why should the shad-ows come,—

1. Why should my heart be lone-ly,— And long for heav'n and home;— When

1. Je - sus is— my por-tion?— My con-stant friend_ is He:— His

eye is on— the spar-row,— And I know He watch-es me;— His

eye is on the spar - row, — and I know He watch - es me. — I

sing be - cause I'm hap - py, — I sing be - cause I'm free; — For His

eye is on the spar - row, — And I know He watch - es me. —

All remain standing as they are able.

Holy Gospel

Luke 12:49-56

*Gospeller
People*

The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Luke.
Glory to you, Lord Christ.

[Jesus said,] ⁴⁹“I came to bring fire to the earth, and how I wish it were already kindled!
⁵⁰I have a baptism with which to be baptized, and what stress I am under until it is completed! ⁵¹Do you think that I have come to bring peace to the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division! ⁵²From now on five in one household will be divided, three against two and two against three; ⁵³they will be divided:

father against son
and son against father,
mother against daughter
and daughter against mother,
mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law
and daughter-in-law against mother-in-law.”

⁵⁴He also said to the crowds, “When you see a cloud rising in the west, you immediately say, ‘It is going to rain’; and so it happens. ⁵⁵And when you see the south wind blowing, you say, ‘There will be scorching heat’; and it happens. ⁵⁶You hypocrites! You know how to interpret the appearance of earth and sky, but why do you not know how to interpret the present time?”



Gospeller The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Sermon

All stand as they are able.

Nicene Creed

Presider Let us affirm the faith of the Church using the words of the Nicene Creed.

**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,

**was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary
and became truly human.**

**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],

who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,

who 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.

All remain standing as they are able.

Prayers of the People

Presider Surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, and guided by the perfecter of our faith, let us bring our prayers before God, saying, “Behold your children, and restore us, O God of hosts.”

Intercessor Inspire in your Church the faithfulness of the saints. Inspire faithfulness in our Bishops Bonnie, Michael, Justin, Elizabeth, Donald and Craig. For all ministers, priests, deacons, ministry teams, those in formation; and our brothers and sisters worshipping at Trinity Church, Monroe, and Christ the King, Puerto Plata, and Christ the Savior, Santiago, in the Dominican Republic; those in The Extra-Provincial Churches, and for all the members of Christ’s body. Following in the footsteps of those who have gone before us, may we lay aside every weight, and the sin that clings so closely, and run with perseverance the race that is set before us. Behold your children, **and restore us, O God of hosts.**

Silence is kept.

Almighty Judge, you rule the earth with your justice and mercy. Save the weak, the orphan, and the needy; defend the humble, the vulnerable, and those on the margins; rescue the weak, the endangered, and the poor; and forgive us when we fail to be merciful. Behold your children, **and restore us, O God of hosts.**

Silence is kept.

By your Word, O God, you created the heavens and the earth. By your generosity you continue to cause growth. In your faithfulness you clothe, protect, and sustain your children. We honor you for your creativity and your provision. We pray in gratitude and thanksgiving for _____. Bless all those who have taught us to live faithfully. May our lives also witness to your Son Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of our faith.

We pray for all who suffer and struggle. Comfort and heal all those who are in pain or sorrow or any kind of trouble, especially _____. May they take comfort in knowing that you are not a God who is far off but you are very near us, even filling heaven and earth.

We praise you for all the saints, both famous and obscure, who surround us with their prayers, their encouragement and their strength. Make us ever mindful of the great company that makes with us our earthly pilgrimage. We remember before you _____, and all who have died; may they find, in you, rest from their labors. Behold your children, **and restore us, O God of hosts.**

Silence is kept.

Presider O God, you have brought us near to an innumerable company of angels, and to the spirits of the just made perfect: Grant us during our earthly pilgrimage to abide in their fellowship, and in our heavenly country to become partakers of their joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

All then kneel as they are able

Confession of Sin

The Presider says

Since we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need. *Hebrews 4:14, 16*

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept.

Minister and People

**God of all mercy,
we confess that we have sinned against you,
opposing your will in our lives.
We have denied your goodness in each other,
in ourselves, and in the world you have created.
We repent of the evil that enslaves us,
the evil we have done,
and the evil done on our behalf.
Forgive, restore, and strengthen us
through our Savior Jesus Christ,
that we may abide in your love
and serve only your will. Amen.**

A Priest stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on you, + forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

All stand as they are able

Peace

Priest The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Then the Ministers and the People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Announcements

Holy Communion

Presider Through Christ, let us continually offer to God the sacrifice of praise, that is, the fruit of lips that acknowledge his Name. But do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God. *Hebrews 13:15, 16*

The People then are seated.

Representatives of the congregation bring the people's offerings of bread and wine, and money or other gifts, to the Presider.

The people stand as they are able when the offerings are presented and placed on the Altar.

Offertory Hymn

Doxology

**Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, you heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

The people remain standing as they are able

Great Thanksgiving

Presider The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Presider Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them to the Lord.**
Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

The Presider proceeds

It is a good and joyful thing to give our thanks to you, faithful God,
because you have surrounded us with so great a cloud of witnesses
who have followed the path of your promises.
By faith, your people crossed the Red Sea when you brought them out of slavery.
By faith, your Son endured the cross, disregarding its shame.
By faith, your apostles endured chains and imprisonment,
testifying to the gospel.
By faith, your martyrs suffered mockery and death for your glory alone.
And so with this cloud of witnesses from every age and time
we praise you with angels and archangels and
all the company of heaven as we join the unending hymn.

Sanctus: Holy, Holy, Holy

Hymnal S-125

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,
 heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
 san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
 Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
 san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

The Presider continues

Righteous God, whose Son is the pioneer and perfecter of our faith,
 make your church a vineyard of justice and peace.

Nourish your people with this fruit of the vine

and sanctify us ✝ with your Holy Spirit,
 that we may bring forth the perfect fruit of your kingdom.

Send your Holy Spirit upon this bread and cup,
 that they may be for us the body and blood of your Son;

who, at supper with his disciples, took bread,
 gave you thanks, broke the bread, and gave it to them, saying,
 "Take, eat: this is my body which is given for you;
 do this in remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup.

Again he gave you thanks, and gave it to his disciples, saying,
"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.
Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

Great is the mystery of faith:

Presider and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

The Presider continues

Redeeming God, whose Son, for the sake of heavenly joy, won our salvation;
strengthen us to run with perseverance the race set before us.

Liberate your people in the midst of every sorrow
that they may hold fast to your unfailing mercy.

Raise up into your unending glory
every soul weighed heavy with struggle.
Give your children a heart to see through every trial of life
to a deeper joy that is possible only in you.

Grant us wisdom in the midst of conflict to discern your ways of peace.
Bring us all to the day when we are made perfect in your love
and rejoice in your promises fulfilled,
beholding Christ our Lord, seated at your right hand on high
in the power of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and always. **AMEN.**

The Presider then continues

As our Savior Christ
has taught us,
we now pray,

People and Presider

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done, on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.**

Breaking of the Bread

A period of silence is kept.

The Presider says

Alleluia! We break this bread
to share in the Body of Christ.
**We who are many are one body,
for we all share in the one bread. Alleluia!**

The Presider continues

You call us, Lord Jesus, to share the feast
which you first shared with the disciples
on the night before your death upon the cross;
the same life you shared with them is shared with us;
the same love you poured forth on the cross is poured forth in this feast;
this is the feast which your saints share for ever
and to which we also are called;
**this is the feast of our forgiveness, redemption, health, and joy;
let us come then to this table and share this feast;
and as we come to you, Lord Jesus, come now and always to us. Amen.**

All baptized persons are welcome to receive Holy Communion.

The following is sung after all have received, and the table is being cleared.

Post-Communion Hymn
I want to walk as a child of the light

Hymnal 490

I I want to walk as a child of the light.

I want to fol - low Je - sus.

God set the stars to give light to the world. The

star of my life — is Je - sus.

Refrain

In him there is no dark - ness at all. The

night and the day are both a - like. The

Lamb is the light of the ci - ty of God.

a tempo

Shine in my heart, Lord Je - sus.

After Communion, the Presider says

Let us pray.

Presider and People

**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.**

Blessing

A priest blesses the people, saying

Eternal God,

our beginning and our end,
accompany us in this day's journey.

Open our eyes to praise you for your creation
and to see the work you set before us today.

Take us, and use us to bring to others
the new life you give in Jesus Christ our Lord.

And may the blessing of God Almighty, † the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. **Amen.**

Closing Hymn

Hymnal 537

Christ for the world we sing

1 Christ for the world we sing! The world to
2 Christ for the world we sing! The world to
3 Christ for the world we sing! The world to
4 Christ for the world we sing! The world to

Christ we bring with lov - ing zeal; the poor, and
Christ we bring with fer - vent prayer; the way - ward
Christ we bring with one ac - cord; with us the
Christ we bring with joy - ful song; the new - born

The musical score consists of two systems of music. Each system has a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The key signature is one sharp (F#). The first system contains four vocal parts (1-4) with lyrics. The second system contains four vocal parts with lyrics. The music is written in a simple, homophonic style.

them that mourn, the faint and o - ver - borne,
 and the lost, by rest - less pas - sions tossed,
 work to share, with us re - proach to dare,
 souls, whose days, re - claimed from er - ror's ways,

sin - sick and sor - row - worn, whom Christ doth heal.
 re - deemed at count - less cost from dark de - spair.
 with us the cross to bear, for Christ our Lord.
 in - spired with hope and praise, to Christ be - long.

Dismissal

Minister Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.
People **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

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Faith in Action provides leadership in collecting donations of food to support households in need in the Chelsea and Dexter areas. They are in need of our continuing help in these days of high food costs. You may bring your donations to FIA, or to [Nancy](#) who will see that they get there. **If you bring food directly to FIA**, please let Nancy know, so she can continue to keep our records of donation. If you write a check, please make it to *Faith In Action*. The **next Food Drive is TODAY, August 14**. Please contribute as generously as you can.

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Upcoming Commemorations

August 14 Jonathan Myrick Daniels, Martyr, 1965
 15 Mary the Virgin, Mother of our Lord

- 17 Samuel Johnson, 1772, Timothy Cutler, 1765, and Thomas Bradbury Chandler, 1790, Priests; and, Baptisms of Manteo and Virginia Dare, 1587
- 18 William Porcher DuBose, Priest, 1918; and, Artemisia Bowden, 1969
- 20 Bernard of Clairvaux, Monastic and Theologian, 1153

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Eucharistic Prayer from Wells, Samuel and Abigail Kocher, *Eucharistic prayers*. Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2016, pp.252-253

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Our Mission:

We seek to grow as diverse disciples of Jesus Christ, and to serve Jesus by serving others in the world, guided by the values of Ancient Rites, Open Minds, and Affirming Hearts.



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