

The Episcopal Diocese of Maine
Sunday, June 28, 2020
Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
Worship Bulletin



Holy Eucharist Rite Two

Prelude

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring
Johann Sebastian Bach

Mr. Bruce Fithian, organ

Welcome

The Rt. Rev. Thomas James Brown, Bishop of Maine

Opening Hymn #525, verse 1 & 2
The Church's One Foundation

Mr. Terry Foster, organ

1 The church's one foundation is Jesus Christ our Lord;
2 Elect from every nation yet one o'er all the earth,
we are his new creation by water and the word;
our charter of salvation one Lord, one faith, one birth;
from heaven he came and sought us to be his holy bride;
one glorious name we hallow, partake one holy food,
with his own blood he bought us, and for our life he died.
and to one hope we follow, with every grace endued.

Text: Samuel John Stone (1839-1900), alt.
Music: Samuel Sebastian Wesley (1810-1876).

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The Opening Acclamation:

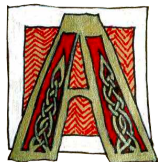
The Rev. Sara Gavit

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

People: **And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.**

Opening Collect

The Rev. Lynn Rutledge



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.*

Trisagion

Ms. Jane Ducott

Holy God,
Holy and Mighty,
Holy Immortal One,
Have mercy upon us.

The Collect of the Day

Mr. Benjamin Cooke

Presider: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Presider: 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. *Amen.*

The First Lesson: Jeremiah 28:5-9

Ms. Kelly Martino

A Reading from the prophet Jeremiah.

The prophet Jeremiah spoke to the prophet Hananiah in the presence of the priests and all the people who were standing in the house of the LORD; and the prophet Jeremiah said, "Amen! May the LORD do so; may the LORD fulfill the words that you have prophesied, and bring back to this place from Babylon the vessels of the house of the LORD, and all the exiles. But listen now to this word that I speak in your hearing and in the hearing of all the people. The prophets who preceded you and me from ancient times prophesied war, famine, and pestilence against many countries and great kingdoms. As for the prophet who prophesies peace, when the word of that prophet comes true, then it will be known that the LORD has truly sent the prophet."

The Word of the Lord.

Psalms 89:1-4, 15-18

Misericordias Domini

Ms. Kristen

Burkholder

1 Your love, O LORD, for ever will I sing; *
from age to age my mouth will proclaim your faithfulness.

- 2 For I am persuaded that your love is established for ever; *
you have set your faithfulness firmly in the heavens.
- 3 "I have made a covenant with my chosen one; *
I have sworn an oath to David my servant:
- 4 'I will establish your line for ever, *
and preserve your throne for all generations.'"
- 15 Happy are the people who know the festal shout! *
they walk, O LORD, in the light of your presence.
- 16 They rejoice daily in your Name; *
they are jubilant in your righteousness.
- 17 For you are the glory of their strength, *
and by your favor our might is exalted.
- 18 Truly, the LORD is our ruler; *
the Holy One of Israel is our King.

Sequence Hymn

As I Went Down To The River To Pray

Ms. Jane Ducott, vocals
Mr. Terry Foster, piano

The musical score is written in 3/2 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). It consists of four systems of music, each with a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The lyrics are written below the vocal line.

System 1: *I As I went down to the riv - er to*

System 2: *pray, stud-y - in' a - bout that good ole way and who shall wear the*

System 3: *star - ry crown, good Lord, show me the way.*

System 4: *O *broth - er, let's go down, let's go down, come on down.*

* 2 sister
3 children

The Gospel: Matthew 10:40-42

The Rev. Cynthia Beaulieu

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

Jesus said, "Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet's reward; and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous; and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple- truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward."

The Gospel of the Lord.

The Sermon

The Rt. Rev. Thomas James Brown, Bishop of Maine

The Nicene Creed

The Rev. Alice Goshorn

Let us affirm our faith;



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

Intercession Form 2, The Scottish Episcopal Church, adapted

Mr. Benjamin Cooke and Ms. Sylvia Cooke

O God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
in whom you chose us, before the foundation of the world,
and destined us in love to be your own:
help us to pray for all your children.

For the life and health of the world;
that your peace may be known and may prevail.
Lord, hear us.

Lord, graciously hear us.

For all who suffer sickness, death or loss;
that they may know the hope to which you call us.
Lord, hear us.

Lord, graciously hear us.

For all who exercise rule and authority;
that they may acknowledge your power.
Lord, hear us.

Lord, graciously hear us.

For the Church which is Christ's body;
that it may live for the praise of your glory.
Lord, hear us.

Lord, graciously hear us.

Collects

Ms. Kristen Burkholder

O God, your unfailing providence sustains the world we live in and the life we live: Watch over those, both night and day, who work so others can rest, grant that we may never forget that our common life depends upon each other's toil; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A Collect for Independence Day

Ms. Kelly Martino

Lord God Almighty, in whose Name the founders of this country won liberty for themselves and for us, and lit the torch of freedom for nations then unborn: Grant that we and all the people of this land may have grace to maintain our liberties in righteousness and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

A Collect for Racial Reconciliation.

The Rev. Sara Gavit



Wake us, O God, so that the sin of racism is purged from this land; break down the barriers that oppress all people of color; strengthen our resolve to work personally for justice; deliver us from complacency, indifference, and a return to the status quo; protect all who protest and all who are commissioned to protect and to serve; heal our addiction to privilege and power; and lead us, by your

grace, to build your new community of love; we ask this in the name of Jesus, our brother. Amen.

Confession of Sin

The Rev. Alice Goshorn

Presider: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

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.**

The Absolution

The Rev. Lynn Rutledge

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. **Amen.**

The Peace

Mr. Terry Foster, leading the sharing of Peace from across the diocese

Presider: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Anthem

If Ye Love Me
Thomas Tallis

Saint Andrew's Senior Choir

Eucharistic Prayer I

Scottish Liturgy 1982



he 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 him thanks and praise.**

The Rev. Sara Gavit

The Rev. Lynn Rutledge

Worship and praise belong to you, Father,
in every place and at all times.

All power is yours.

You created the heavens and established the earth;
you sustain in being all that is.

In Christ your Son our life and yours
are brought together in a wonderful exchange.
He made his home among us
that we might for ever dwell in you.

Through your Holy Spirit
you call us to new birth
in a creation restored by love.

As children of your redeeming purpose
we offer you our praise,
with angels and archangels
and the whole company of heaven,
singing the hymn of your unending glory:

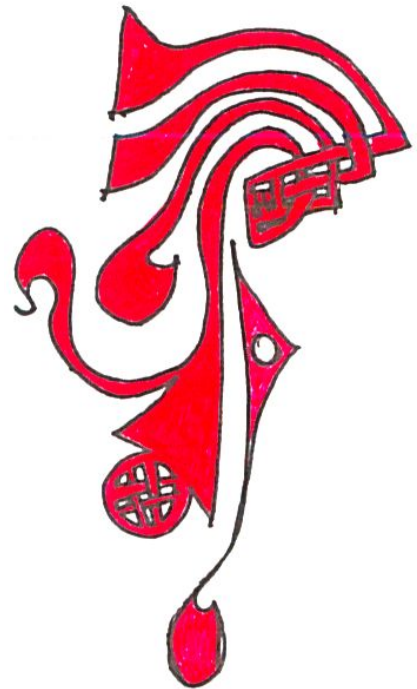
Sanctus

Ms. Kristen Burkholder

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord,
God of power and might.
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.

Glory and thanksgiving be to you,
most loving Father,
for the gift of your Son born in human flesh
He is the Word existing beyond time,
both source and final purpose,
bringing to wholeness all that is made.
Obedient to your will he died upon the Cross.
By your power you raised him from the dead.
He broke the bonds of evil
and set your people free
to be his Body in the world

On the night when he was given up to death,
knowing that his hour had come,
having loved his own,
he loved them to the end.
At supper with his disciples
he took bread and offered you thanks.
He broke the bread,
and gave it to them, saying:
"Take, eat.
This is my Body: it is broken for you."
After supper, he took the cup,
he offered you thanks,
and gave it to them saying:
"Drink this, all of you.
This is my Blood of the new covenant;
it is poured out for you, and for all,
that sins may be forgiven.



Do this in remembrance of me."

We now obey your Son's command.
We recall his blessed passion and death,
his glorious resurrection and ascension;
and we look for the coming of his Kingdom.
Made one with him, we offer you these gifts
and with them ourselves,
a single, holy, living sacrifice.

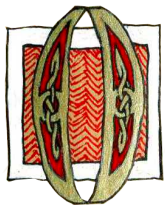
Hear us, most merciful Father,
and send your Holy Spirit upon us
and upon this bread and this wine,
that, overshadowed by his life-giving power,
they may be the Body and Blood of your Son,
and we may be kindled with the fire of your love
and renewed for the service of your Kingdom.

Help us, who are baptised into
the fellowship of Christ's Body
to live and work to your praise and glory;
may we grow together in unity and love
until at last, in your new creation,
we enter into our heritage
in the company of the Virgin Mary,
the apostles and prophets,
and of all our brothers and sisters living and departed.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord,
with whom, and in whom,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
all honour and glory be to you,
Lord of all ages,
world without end. **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

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



**ur 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 in the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,**



*Ms. Hope Clark
Ms. Lily Clark*

now and for ever. Amen.

The Fraction

The Rev. Lynn Rutledge

The Living bread is broken for the life of the world,
Lord unite us in this sign.

The Invitation

The Rev. Lynn Rutledge

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

The Prayer of Spiritual Communion

Ms. Kelly Martino

adapted from Diocese of Malaita

Beloved, a spiritual communion is a personal devotional that anyone can pray, expressing their desire to receive Holy Communion in this moment, but in which circumstances impede them from actually receiving Holy Communion.

Since now we are apart, let us pray:

In union, O Dear Lord, with the faithful at every Altar of Your Church, where Your blessed Body and Blood are being offered to the Father, I desire to offer You praise and thanksgiving. I present to You my soul and body, with the earnest wish that I may ever be united to You. And since I cannot now receive at the Altar, I beseech You to come spiritually into my heart. I unite myself to You, and embrace You with all the affections of my soul. O let nothing ever separate me from You. Let me live and die in Your love. Amen.

Post-Communion Prayer C

Scottish Liturgy 1982

The Rev. Sara Gavit



ather, your steadfast purpose is the completion of all things in your Son. May we who have received the pledges of the kingdom, live by faith, walk in hope and be renewed in love, until the world reflects your glory and you are all in all; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

The Blessing

The Rt. Rev. Thomas James Brown, Bishop of Maine

Go forth into the world in peace, be of good courage, hold fast to that which is good and render to no one evil for evil. Strengthen the faint hearted, support the weak, help the afflicted, heal the sick, honour all people, love and serve the Lord. And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you this day and forever more. Amen.

Closing Hymn #654

Day by day

Ms. Jane Ducott, vocals

Mr. Terry Foster, piano

Simply

Day by day, Dear Lord, of thee three things I pray: To see thee more clear-ly,

Love thee more dear-ly, Fol-low thee more near-ly, Day by day. A-men.

SUMNER

ARTHUR H. BIGGS, 1941

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The Dismissal

Presider: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

The Rev. Cynthia Beaulieu

Postlude

Here in the Vineyard

Maine Shape Note Singers

Here in the vineyard of my Lord
I hope to live and labor
And be obedient to my God
Until my dying hour

I love to see the lilies grow
And view them all a-standing
In the right place while here below
Just as the Lord commanded

We oftentimes meet, both night and day
A faithful band of pilgrims;
We read, we sing, we preach and pray
And find the Lord most precious

But while we sing our song of love
Our hearts are deeply wounded;
Perhaps we all will meet no more
Here in a congregation

But if on earth we meet no more
We hope to meet in heaven
Where congregations ne'er break up
But dwell in sweet communion

Where all the ransomed church of God
Shall meet no more to sever
With not a sorrow, pain or tear
Sing one sweet chord forever



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