

**ST. CATHERINE OF ALEXANDRIA
EPISCOPAL CHURCH**



THE TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
AUGUST 28, 2022 10 AM

We welcome you to St. Catherine's!

Wherever you are on your spiritual journey, you are welcome here.

All baptized Christians are invited to receive Holy Communion,
and gluten-free hosts are available upon request.

Masks are available for any who opt to wear them.

We continue to value everyone's health and to follow diocesan safety protocols.

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THE CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II

PRELUDE

Paso in D Minor

Narciso Casanovas

WELCOME

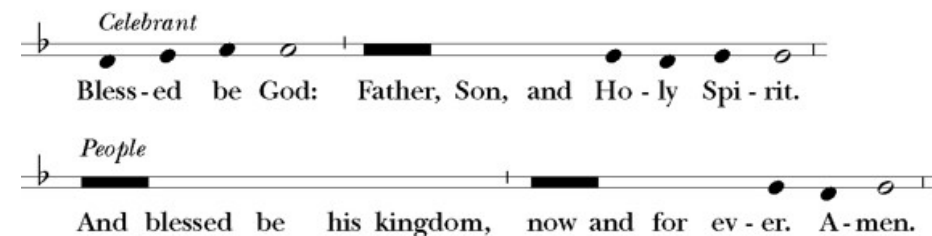
The Rev. Dr. James Reho

All stand who are able.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN 414 *God, my King, thy might confessing* *Stuttgart*

1. God, my King, thy might confessing,
ever will I bless thy Name;
day by day thy throne addressing,
still will I thy praise proclaim.
2. Honor great our God befiteth;
who his majesty can reach?
Age to age his works transmitteth,
age to age his power shall teach.
3. They shall talk of all thy glory,
on thy might and greatness dwell,
speak of thy dread acts the story,
and thy deeds of wonder tell.
4. Nor shall fail from memory's treasure
works by love and mercy wrought,
works of love surpassing measure,
works of mercy passing thought.
5. Full of kindness and compassion,
slow to anger, vast in love,
God is good to all creation;
all his works his goodness prove.
6. All thy works, O Lord, shall bless thee;
thee shall all thy saints adore:
King supreme shall they confess thee,
and proclaim thy sovereign power.

OPENING ACCLAMATION



THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

The Celebrant says

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.*

THE SONG OF PRAISE

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1. Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and
peace to his peo - ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heaven - ly
King, al - might - y God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we
give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus
Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you

take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy
on us; 5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re -
ceive our prayer. 6. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One,
you a - lone are the Lord, 7. you a - lone are the Most
High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the
glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

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

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: Graft in our hearts the love of your Name; increase in us true religion; nourish us with all goodness; and bring forth in us the fruit of good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. *Amen.*

THE LESSONS

The People sit.

THE FIRST READING

Sirach 10:12-18

A Reading from Ecclesiasticus, or the Wisdom of Jesus Son of Sirach.

The beginning of human pride is to forsake the Lord;
the heart has withdrawn from its Maker.
For the beginning of pride is sin,
and the one who clings to it pours out abominations.
Therefore the Lord brings upon them unheard-of calamities,
and destroys them completely.
The Lord overthrows the thrones of rulers,
and enthrones the lowly in their place.
The Lord plucks up the roots of the nations,
and plants the humble in their place.
The Lord lays waste the lands of the nations,
and destroys them to the foundations of the earth.
He removes some of them and destroys them,
and erases the memory of them from the earth.
Pride was not created for human beings,
or violent anger for those born of women.

Silence may follow.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

THE PSALM

Psalms 112

Hallelujah!
Happy are they who fear the Lord *
and have great delight in his commandments!

Their descendants will be mighty in the land; *
the generation of the upright will be blessed.

Wealth and riches will be in their house, *
and their righteousness will last for ever.

Light shines in the darkness for the upright; *
the righteous are merciful and full of compassion

It is good for them to be generous in lending *
and to manage their affairs with justice.

For they will never be shaken; *
the righteous will be kept in everlasting remembrance.

They will not be afraid of any evil rumors; *
their heart is right;
they put their trust in the Lord.

Their heart is established and will not shrink, *
until they see their desire upon their enemies.

They have given freely to the poor, *
and their righteousness stands fast for ever;
they will hold up their head with honor.

The wicked will see it and be angry;
they will gnash their teeth and pine away; *

THE EPISTLE

Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16

A Reading from Paul's letter to the Hebrews.

Let mutual love continue. Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for by doing that some have entertained angels without knowing it. Remember those who are in prison, as though you were in prison with them; those who are being tortured, as though you yourselves were being tortured. Let marriage be held in honor by all, and let the marriage bed be kept undefiled; for God will judge fornicators and adulterers. Keep your lives free from the love of money, and be content with what you have; for he has said, “I will never leave you or forsake you.” So we can say with confidence,
“The Lord is my helper;
I will not be afraid.
What can anyone do to me?”
Remember your leaders, those who spoke the word of God to you; consider the outcome of their way of life, and imitate their faith. Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever. Through him, then, let us continually offer a sacrifice of praise to God, that is, the fruit of lips that confess his name. Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.

Silence may follow

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

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION Hymn 440 (Verse 1)

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Blessed Jesus, at thy word
we are gathered all to hear thee;
let our hearts and souls be stirred
now to seek and love and fear thee;
by thy teachings pure and holy,
drawn from earth to love thee solely.

THE GOSPEL

Luke 14:1, 7-14

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

On one occasion when Jesus was going to the house of a leader of the Pharisees to eat a meal on the sabbath, they were watching him closely.

When he noticed how the guests chose the places of honor, he told them a parable. “When you are invited by someone to a wedding banquet, do not sit down at the place of honor, in case someone more distinguished than you has been invited by your host; and the host who invited both of you may come and say to you, ‘Give this person your place,’ and then in disgrace you would start to take the lowest place. But when you are invited, go and sit down at the lowest place, so that when your host comes, he may say to you, ‘Friend, move up higher’; then you will be honored in the presence of all who sit at the table with you. For all who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted.”

He said also to the one who had invited him, “When you give a luncheon or a dinner, do not invite your friends or your brothers or your relatives or rich neighbors, in case they may invite you in return, and you would be repaid. But when you give a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, and the blind. And you will be blessed, because they cannot repay you, for you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous.”

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

THE SERMON

Silence may follow.

The Rev. Dr. James H. Reho

THE NICENE CREED

All stand who are able.

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.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

All remain standing.

We pray to you, gracious God, for knowledge of your will for us and for the strength to carry it out. We pray for your holy catholic Church; especially St. Luke’s, Fort Myers; St. Margaret of Scotland, Sarasota; St. Mark’s, Marco Island; St. Mark’s, Tampa; St. Mark’s, Venice; St. Martin’s, Hudson; for our Companion Dioceses of the Dominican Republic, Georgia, South Carolina and Western Louisiana; for St. Sauveur, Haiti, and for The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia. We pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you. We pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons, especially Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Dabney, our Bishop, Douglas, our Bishop Coadjutor-elect, and James, our Rector. We pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world: for Joseph, our President, Ron, our Governor, Andy, our Mayor and all local leaders. We pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake. We pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble, especially Al, Anne, Brady, Brittany, Carol, Celeste, Charlene, Claire, Dabney, Dale, Daryl, David, Denine, Debbie, DeeDee, Don, Donald, Eleanor, Farah, Frank, Gary, Gigi, Glenn, Ham, Hilda, Jeanne, Jim, Joan, John, Jovana, Juanita, Judy, Julia, Leonard, Linda, Marcos, Marlene, Matt, Mary Ann, Mary, Mike, Milton, Nicholas, Nicole, Norris, Patti, Paul, Fr. Pierre, Polly, Porter, Richard, Sandy, Savannah, Shelia, Stacy, Steve, Sue, Tracy, Wally, Warren, Wilma, and for all recent victims of war and violence. We pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for all who serve in our armed forces especially Aaron, Angela, Anthony, Austin, Bethany, DJ, Ian, John David, Katie, Max, Ryan, Spencer, and Zachary. We pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Give to the departed eternal rest. We pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy, especially the ever-blessed Virgin Mary, Augustine of Hippo, Bishop and Theologian; The beheading of Saint John the Baptist: Margaret Ward, Margaret Clitherow, Anne Line, Martyrs and Aidan of Lindisfarne, Bishop. We pray to the Lord:

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

After a pause for individual petitions, the Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

CONFESSION OF SIN

Celebrant says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Celebrant and 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.

Celebrant stands and says

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

All stand who are able

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

THE BLESSINGS

The following birthdays and anniversaries will take place over the coming week.

BIRTHDAYS: Judy Brown, Hilda Hendrickson, James Whittemore, Hiram Auguste, Anne Evans, Laura Schaffer, Marta Tyler, Morgan Boehning, Ronelle Norris, Benjamin Rutkin.

ANNIVERSARIES: Glenn and DeeDee Schatzberg, Wallace and Marlene Williams.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE OFFERTORY

Your offering can be placed in the basket or given by texting, **stcath** to **73256**, or by capturing the following QR code on your smartphone camera and following the prompts:



OFFERTORY HYMN 335

I am the Bread of Life

1. I am the bread of life;
they who come to me shall not hunger;
they who believe in me shall not thirst.
No one can come to me
unless the Father draw them. REFRAIN

2. The Bread that I will give
is my Flesh for the life of the world,
and they who eat of this bread,
they shall live for ever. REFRAIN

3. Unless you eat
of the Flesh of the Son of Man
and drink of his Blood,
you shall not have life within you.
REFRAIN

REFRAIN: And I will raise them up,
and I will raise them up,
and I will raise them up
on the last day.

4. I am the resurrection,
I am the life.
They who believe in me,
even if they die,
they shall live for ever. REFRAIN

5. Yes, Lord, we believe
that you are the Christ,
the Son of God
who has come into the world.
REFRAIN

THE PRESENTATION HYMN 380 (Verse 3)

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All stand who are able.

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host:
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. **Amen**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Celebrant

The Lord be with you.

People

And al - so with you.

Celebrant

Lift up your hearts.

People

We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

Facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

For you are the source of light and life; you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and might, Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and might, hea - ven and earth are full, full of your glo - ry. Ho -

san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed 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 People stand or kneel as able.
The Celebrant continues.*

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, “Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, “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. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.”

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ had died.
Christ has risen.
Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *AMEN.*

THE LORD’S PRAYER

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

People and Celebrant

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,
forever and ever. Amen.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

THE FRACTION ANTHEM

S 164

Je - sus, Lamb of God: have mer - cy on us.

Je - sus, bear - er of our sins: have mer - cy on us.

Je - sus, re - deem - er, re - deem - er of the world:

give us your peace, give us your peace.

Celebrant says
The Gifts of God for the People of God.

And may add: Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

COMMUNION HYMN

Open Our Eyes, Lord

SOS 90

The musical score is written for a hymn in 3/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It consists of six staves. The first staff is labeled 'Descant:' and the second 'Melody:'. The lyrics are: 'O - pen our eyes, Lord, we want to see Je - sus, to reach out and touch Him, and say that we love Him. O - pen our ears, Lord, and help us to lis - ten. O - pen our eyes, Lord, we want to see Je - sus.' The melody is a simple, flowing line with some rests and ties.

THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

After Communion, Celebrant says
Let us pray.

The People stand or kneel as able.
Celebrant and People
Eternal God, heavenly Father,
you have graciously accepted us as living members
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,

and you have fed us with spiritual food
in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.
Send us now into the world in peace,
and grant us strength and courage
to love and serve you
with gladness and singleness of heart;
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE FINAL BLESSING

Celebrant blesses the People, saying
The peace of God which passes all understanding
keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God,
and of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.
And the blessing of God Almighty,
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be upon you and remain with you for ever. *Amen*

CONCLUDING HYMN 528

Lord, you give the great commission

Rowthorn

1. Lord, you give the great commission:
"Heal the sick and preach the word."
Lest the Church neglect its mission
and the Gospel go unheard,
help us witness to your purpose
with renewed integrity;

with the Spirit's gifts empower us
for the work of ministry.
2. Lord, you call us to your service:
"In my name baptize and teach."
That the world may trust your promise,
life abundant meant for each,
give us all I new fervor, draw us
closer in community;
3. Lord, you make the common holy:
"This my body, this my blood."
Let your priests, for earth's true glory,
daily lift life heavenward,
asking that the world around us
share your children's liberty;
4. Lord, you show us love's true measure:
"Father, what they do, forgive."
Yet we hoard as private treasure
all that you so freely give.
May your care and mercy lead us
to a just society;
5. Lord, you bless with words assuring:
"I am with you to the end."
Faith and hope and love restoring,
may we serve as you intend,
and, amid the cares that claim us,
hold in mind eternity;

THE DISMISSAL

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

POSTLUDE Sonata per L’Organo Luigi Cherubini

THE FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR

are given to the Glory of Almighty God by Eleanor Howland in loving memory of Paul.

THE SANCTUARY LIGHT

shines to remind us of our Lord’s presence in the Sacrament.

*If you are a visitor today,
we welcome you!*

St. Catherine's is a growing, vibrant church community that welcomes you just as you are and offers you ways to develop your spiritual life, to serve your neighbors, and to make friends among some wonderful people.

If you're interested in learning more, please let us know by filling out the gray card in the pew rack and placing it in the Offertory basket.

You also are welcome to speak with a member of our Vestry, with our Rector, Fr. James, or anyone else: we all are friendly!

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Worship Services Sunday

Holy Eucharist Rite I 8:00 AM
Choral Eucharist Rite II 10:00 AM

Wednesday

Holy Eucharist and Service of Healing 12:10 PM

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The mission of St. Catherine’s is to nurture each other in the knowledge and love of God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, and to share the Good News with all.



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