

ST. CATHERINE OF ALEXANDRIA EPISCOPAL CHURCH



THE TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JULY 28, 2024

10:00 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.

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THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE TWO

THE WORD OF GOD

Prelude

Welcome

The Rev. Dr. James H. Reho

Processional Hymn

God, my King, thy might confessing

Hymnal 414

Opening Acclamation

Celebrant
Bless - ed be God: Father, Son, and Ho - ly Spi - rit.

People
And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ev - er. A - men.

The Collect for Purity

Prayed by the Celebrant alone, with the People joining on "Amen."

Song of Praise

Glory to God

Hymnal S-280

The Collect of the Day

Prayed by the Celebrant alone, with the People joining on "Amen."

The Lessons (see insert for *The First Reading, The Psalm, and The Epistle*)

The People sit for the readings. The People stand for the Sequence Hymn and the Gospel.

Sequence Hymn

If thou but trust in God to guide thee

Hymnal 635

The Gospel

(see Lectionary and Music Insert for The Gospel)

The Sermon

The Rev. Dr. James H. Reho

The Nicene Creed

BCP p. 358

The Prayers of the People (see *Lectionary and Music Insert for The Prayers of the People*)

Confession of Sin

BCP p. 360

The Peace

Birthday & Anniversary Blessings

BCP p. 830 (50)

Lectionary and Music Insert

THE FIRST READING

2 Kings 4:42-44

A Reading from the Second Book of Kings.

A man came from Baal-shalishah, bringing food from the first fruits to the man of God: twenty loaves of barley and fresh ears of grain in his sack. Elisha said, "Give it to the people and let them eat." But his servant said, "How can I set this before a hundred people?" So he repeated, "Give it to the people and let them eat, for thus says the LORD, 'They shall eat and have some left.'" He set it before them, they ate, and had some left, according to the word of the LORD.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

THE PSALM

Psalm 145:10-19

BCP p. 802

At 8:00 & 10 AM the Psalm is prayed by the Lector and the People.

THE EPISTLE

Ephesians 3:14-21

A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Ephesians.

I bow my knees before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth takes its name. I pray that, according to the riches of his glory, he may grant that you may be strengthened in your inner being with power through his Spirit, and that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith, as you are being rooted and grounded in love. I pray that you may have the power to comprehend, with all the saints, what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

Now to him who by the power at work within us is able to accomplish abundantly far more than all we can ask or imagine, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations, forever and ever. Amen.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

THE GOSPEL

John 6:1-21

Gospeler The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus went to the other side of the Sea of Galilee, also called the Sea of Tiberias. A large crowd kept following him, because they saw the signs that he was doing for the sick. Jesus went up the mountain and sat down there with his disciples. Now the Passover, the festival of the Jews, was near. When he looked up and saw a large crowd coming toward him, Jesus said to Philip, "Where are we to buy bread for these people to eat?" He said this to test him, for he himself knew what he was going to do. Philip answered him, "Six months' wages would not buy enough bread for each of them to get a little." One of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, said to him, "There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish. But what are they among so many people?" Jesus said, "Make the people sit down." Now there was a great deal of grass in the place; so they sat down, about five thousand in all. Then Jesus took the loaves, and when he had given thanks, he distributed them to those who were seated; so also the fish, as much as they wanted. When they were satisfied, he told his disciples, "Gather up the fragments left over, so that nothing may be lost." So they gathered them up, and from the fragments of the five barley loaves, left by those who had eaten, they filled twelve baskets. When the people saw the sign that he had done, they began to say, "This is indeed the prophet who is to come into the world."

When Jesus realized that they were about to come and take him by force to make him king, he withdrew again to the mountain by himself.

When evening came, his disciples went down to the sea, got into a boat, and started across the sea to Capernaum. It was now dark, and Jesus had not yet come to them. The sea became rough because a strong wind was blowing. When they had rowed about three or four miles, they saw Jesus walking on the sea and coming near the boat, and they were terrified. But he said to them, “It is I; do not be afraid.” Then they wanted to take him into the boat, and immediately the boat reached the land toward which they were going.

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

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Almighty God, in Christ you have shown us that your way is the way of compassion and mercy. We offer our prayers, in sure knowledge of your love, asking, hear our prayer.

Lord, you fed multitudes and brought healing through your presence; empower and embolden your Church that we too might show forth compassion and mercy to a hurting world. We pray especially for Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Douglas, our Bishop; and James, our rector as they lead us in this endeavor. Lord in your mercy,
hear our prayer.

Lord, bring wisdom to the leaders of our nation, community, and all nations, that they might seek peace and the flourishing of all people. We remember especially Joseph, our President; Ron, our Governor; and Andy, our Mayor. Lord in your mercy,
hear our prayer.

Lord, our world is hungry—hungry for peace, for justice, for equality, and for a sustainable way of life. Inspire and sustain our commitment to build a world worthy of your sacrifice. Lord in your mercy,
hear our prayer.

Lord, help us to fulfill our potential in answering your call to be your people; to be your hands and feet in service to our community, that it might know and experience the abundance of your blessing. Lord in your mercy,

hear our prayer.

Lord, be present in the lives of those who suffer and strengthen those who care for them. Remind us, and urge us to offer love, compassion, and companionship to all in need. Especially we ask your healing mercies for Deborah, Libbet, Tom, and those we name now. We also pray for those in military service, especially those we name now. Lord in your mercy,

hear our prayer.

Lord, guard those who have died, and tend those who grieve until the day when all will gather in your kingdom. Lord in your mercy,

hear our prayer.

The Celebrant prays the concluding Collect.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory

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 (Eucharistic Prayer A)

BCP p. 361

Sanctus

Hymnal S-125

The Great Amen 

The Lord's Prayer

BCP p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread

The Fraction Anthem

Hymnal S-164

Communion Hymn *Just as I am, without one plea*

Hymnal 693

The Postcommunion Prayer

BCP p. 365

Announcements

Sending Out of Eucharistic Visitors

The Final Blessing

The Concluding Hymn *O love, how deep (vv. 1, 2, 3, & 6)*

Hymnal 448

The Dismissal

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Postlude

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THE FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR

are given to the Glory of Almighty God
and by Eleanor Wells in loving memory of Ted L. Wells.

THE SANCTUARY LIGHT

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

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

The Rev. Dr. James H. Reho, Rector

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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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