



# PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

221 Union Street • Cary, North Carolina 27511

THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY  
AFTER PENTECOST

*The Rev. George Adamik, Celebrant*  
*The Rev. Javier Almendárez-Bautista, Homilist*

HOLY EUCHARIST  
9:00 A.M. SERVICE  
OCTOBER 2, 2022

Prelude

Processional

Christ is Made the Sure Foundation

Hymn 518

## Liturgy of the Word

### Opening Acclamation

*The Celebrant says*

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

People

*And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.*

*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 following is sung.*

Gloria

Glory to God

Hymnal S 278

(Organ)

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;  
you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer.  
(Organ)

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

(Organ)

Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the glo - ry of

God the Fa - ther. A - men.

### Collect of the Day

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

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray, and to give more than we either desire or deserve: Pour upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid, and giving us those good things for which we are not worthy to ask, except through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ our Savior; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

### Children's Processional

All Things Bright and Beautiful

Hymn 405

#### Verse 1

*Children's Chapel is for children ages 3 to 5<sup>th</sup> grade.*

### First Reading

Lamentations 1:1-6

A Reading from Lamentations.

How lonely sits the city  
 that once was full of people!  
 How like a widow she has become,  
 she that was great among the nations!  
 She that was a princess among the provinces  
 has become a vassal.  
 She weeps bitterly in the night,  
 with tears on her cheeks;  
 among all her lovers  
 she has no one to comfort her;  
 all her friends have dealt treacherously with her,  
 they have become her enemies.  
 Judah has gone into exile with suffering  
 and hard servitude;  
 she lives now among the nations,  
 and finds no resting place;  
 her pursuers have all overtaken her  
 in the midst of her distress.  
 The roads to Zion mourn,  
 for no one comes to the festivals;  
 all her gates are desolate,  
 her priests groan;  
 her young girls grieve,  
 and her lot is bitter.  
 Her foes have become the masters,  
 her enemies prosper,  
 because the Lord has made her suffer  
 for the multitude of her transgressions;

her children have gone away,  
    captives before the foe.  
From daughter Zion has departed  
    all her majesty.  
Her princes have become like stags  
    that find no pasture;  
they fled without strength  
    before the pursuer.

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

### **The Response**

Lamentations 3:19-26

The thought of my affliction and my homelessness  
    is wormwood and gall!  
My soul continually thinks of it  
    and is bowed down within me.  
But this I call to mind,  
    and therefore I have hope:  
The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases,  
    his mercies never come to an end;  
they are new every morning;  
    great is your faithfulness.  
"The Lord is my portion," says my soul,  
    "therefore I will hope in him."  
The Lord is good to those who wait for him,  
    to the soul that seeks him.  
It is good that one should wait quietly  
    for the salvation of the Lord.

### **Second Reading**

2 Timothy 1:1-14

A Reading from Second Timothy.

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, for the sake of the promise of life that is in Christ Jesus,  
To Timothy, my beloved child:

Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

I am grateful to God-- whom I worship with a clear conscience, as my ancestors did-- when I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. Recalling your tears, I long to see you so that I may be filled with joy. I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that lived first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, lives in you. For this reason I remind you to rekindle the gift of God that is within you through the laying on of my hands; for God did not give us a spirit of cowardice, but rather a spirit of power and of love and of self-discipline.

Do not be ashamed, then, of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner, but join with me in suffering for the gospel, relying on the power of God, who saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works but according to his own purpose and grace. This grace was given to us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Savior Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. For this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher, and for this reason I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know the one in whom I have put my trust, and I am sure that he is able to guard until that day what I have entrusted to him. Hold to the standard of sound teaching that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us.

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

### **Gradual**

Come, Labor On  
Verses 1-3

Hymn 541

### **Gospel**

Luke 17:5-10

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

The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith!" The Lord replied, "If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you."

"Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from plowing or tending sheep in the field, 'Come here at once and take your place at the table'? Would you not rather say to him, 'Prepare supper for me, put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink; later you may eat and drink'? Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, 'We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!'"

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

## Homily

The Rev. Javier Almendárez-Bautista

## Nicene Creed

*All who are able, stand.*

*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

People's Response: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

## Confession of Sin

BCP 360

*The Deacon or Celebrant says*

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*All who are able, kneel. Minister 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.*

*The Priest 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.*

## Peace

BCP 360

Celebrant                The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People                    *And also with you.*

## Announcements

## Liturgy of the Eucharist

## Offertory

Song of Thanksgiving  
*St. Paul's Choir*

Malcolm Archer

## Eucharistic Prayer B

BCP 367

*The people remain standing.*

Celebrant                The Lord be with you.

People                    *And also with you.*

Celebrant                Lift up your hearts.

People                    *We lift them to the Lord.*

Celebrant                Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People                    *It is right to give God thanks and praise.*

*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 by water and the Holy Spirit you have made us a new people in Jesus Christ our Lord, to show forth your glory in all the world.

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:

(organ)

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord,

God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry.

(organ)

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.

*The Celebrant continues*

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, 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, according to his command, O Father,

### **Memorial Acclamation**

*Celebrant and People*  
We remember his death,  
We proclaim his resurrection,  
We await his coming in glory;

*The Celebrant then continues*

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray to you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

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 forever. **AMEN.**

*The Celebrant then continues*

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

### **Lord's Prayer**

BCP 364

*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, for ever and ever. Amen.

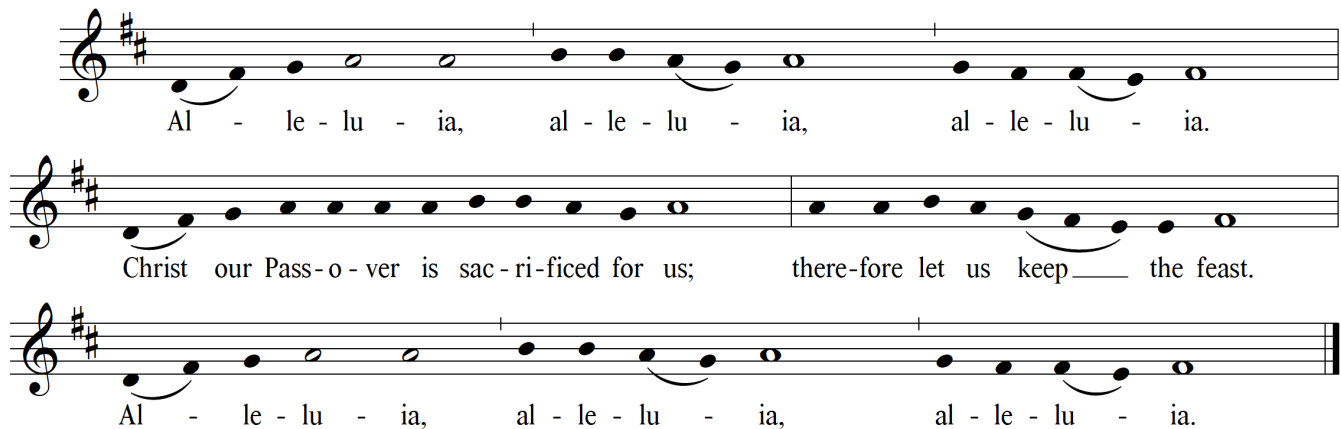
## Breaking of the Bread

*A period of silence is kept.*

### Fraction Anthem

Christ Our Passover

Hymnal S 154



### Holy Communion

*The Celebrant says*

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

### The Communion Music

O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee

Hymn 659

O Jesus, I Have Promised

Hymn 655

*If you are at home or otherwise unable to take communion, you may say the following prayer.*

### Spiritual Communion Prayer

*In union, O Lord, with your faithful people at every altar of your Church, I desire to offer to you praise and thanksgiving. I remember your death, Lord Christ; I proclaim your resurrection; I await your coming in glory. Since I cannot receive you today in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, I beseech you to come spiritually into my heart. Cleanse and strengthen me with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let me never be separated from you. May I live in you, and you in me, in this life and in the life to come. Amen.*

### Final Prayer

*Celebrant and People*

*Loving God, we give you thanks for restoring us in your image and nourishing us with spiritual food as we hear your Word proclaimed and gather at your holy Table. Now send us forth a people, forgiven, healed, renewed; that we may proclaim your love to the world and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.*

### Blessing

### Recessional

Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim

Hymn 535

### Dismissal

Deacon

Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, Alleluia.

People

Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia.

### Postlude

Joanna Li, organist

The flowers on the Altar are given to the glory of God and in memory of  
Harry and Mary Jane Pugh by their daughter, Jennifer O'Connor.

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