# ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

"The Little Church with a Big Heart"

## 25th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

**RITE II** 

## **NOVEMBER 14, 2021**

Priest in Charge: Rev. Carl E. Mosley Deacon: Rev. Deacon Dottie Vuono

## **PROCESSIONAL HYMN #171 – THE SERVANT SONG**

## **FIRST ACCLAMATION – BCP 355**

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

People And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen

*Celebrant* 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.* 

## GLORIA – BCP 356

*Together* Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.
 Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.
 Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
 Lord Cod, Lomb of Cod, you take even the sin of the world;

Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: ...have mercy on us;

you are seated at the right hand of the Father: ...receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. *Amen*.

## COLLECT

*Celebrant* BLESSED LORD, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: Grant us so to hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.* 

## PRAYER FOR THOSE IN THE ARMED SERVICES

*Together* ALMIGHTY AND EVERLASTING GOD, we commend to your gracious care and keeping all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad. Defend them day by day with your heavenly grace; strengthen them in their trials and temptations; give them courage to face the perils, which beset them; and grant them a sense of your abiding presence wherever they may be; through Jesus Christ our Lord, *Amen*.

## First DANIEL 12:1-3 — Vernon Proctor

Reading AT THAT TIME Michael, the great prince, the protector of your people, shall arise. There shall be a time of anguish, such as has never occurred since nations first came into existence. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone who is found written in the book. Many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. Those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky, and those who lead many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever."

## **PSALM 16** – (Together -- Beginning & ending with the Refrain)

**REFRAIN:** The Lord will show me the path of Life.

- <sup>1</sup> Protect me, O God, for I take refuge in you; \* I have said to the Lord, "You are my Lord, my good above all other."
- <sup>2</sup> All my delight is upon the godly that are in the land, \*
  - upon those who are noble among the people.
- <sup>3</sup> But those who run after other gods \* shall have their troubles multiplied.
- <sup>4</sup> Their libations of blood I will not offer, \* nor take the names of their gods upon my lips.
- <sup>5</sup> O Lord, you are my portion and my cup; \* it is you who uphold my lot.
- <sup>6</sup> My boundaries enclose a pleasant land; \* indeed, I have a goodly heritage.

- <sup>7</sup> I will bless the Lord who gives me counsel; \* my heart teaches me, night after night.
- <sup>8</sup> I have set the Lord always before me; \* because he is at my right hand I shall not fall.
- <sup>9</sup> My heart, therefore, is glad, and my spirit rejoices; \* my body also shall rest in hope.
- <sup>10</sup> For you will not abandon me to the grave, \*
  nor let your holy one see the Pit.
- <sup>11</sup> You will show me the path of life; \* in your presence there is fullness of joy, and in your right hand are pleasures for evermore.

## Second HEBREWS 10:11-14 (15-18) 19-25 — Bill De Haan/Amber Welch

*Reading* EVERY PRIEST STANDS day after day at his service, offering again and again the same sacrifices that can never take away sins. But when Christ had offered for all time a single sacrifice for sins, "he sat down at the right hand of God," and since then has been waiting "until his enemies would be made a footstool for his feet." For by a single offering he has perfected for all time those who are sanctified.

[And the Holy Spirit also testifies to us, for after saying, "This is the covenant that I will make with them after those days, says the Lord: I will put my laws in their hearts, and I will write them on their minds," he also adds, "I will remember their sins and their lawless deeds no more." Where there is forgiveness of these, there is no longer any offering for sin.]

Therefore, my friends, since we have confidence to enter the sanctuary by the blood of Jesus, by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain (that is, through his flesh), and since we have a great priest over the house of God, let us approach with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. Let us hold fast to the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who has promised is faithful. And let us consider how to provoke one another to love and good deeds, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

#### **SEQUENCE HYMN #135 – PRAYER OF PEACE**

Holy MARK 13:1-8 — Rev. Deacon Dottie Vuono

Gospel

AS HE CAME OUT OF THE TEMPLE, one of his disciples said to him, "Look, Teacher, what large stones and what large buildings!" Then Jesus asked him, "Do you see these great buildings? Not one stone will be left here upon another; all will be thrown down."

When he was sitting on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter, James, John, and Andrew asked him privately, "Tell us, when will this be, and what will be the sign that all these things are about to be accomplished?" Then Jesus began to say to them, "Beware that no one leads you astray. Many will come in my name and say, 'I am he!' and they will lead many astray. When you hear of wars and rumors of wars, do not be alarmed; this must take place, but the end is still to come. For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. This is but the beginning of the birthpangs."

SERMON — Rev. Carl E. Mosley

#### NICENE CREED – BCP 358

*Together* 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. 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*.

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE FORM III - BCP 387 - Rev. Deacon Dottie Vuono

*Deacon* Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;

People That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;

That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest.

Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

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

Silence

#### **CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION – BCP 360**

- *Deacon* Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.
- *Together* 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* 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 & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **OFFERTORY HYMN #125 – O LOVE, HOW DEEP**

#### DOXOLOGY

*Together* 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 B – BCP 367

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give him thanks and praise.

*Celebrant* It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and every-where to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

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:

Together 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.

*Celebrant* 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,

- TogetherWe remember his death,<br/>We proclaim his resurrection,<br/>We await his coming in glory;.
- *Celebrant* 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 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 St. Mary's and St. Paul's, 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 for ever. Amen.

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

## THE LORD'S PRAYER - BCP 364

*Together* 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 – BCP 364**

- Celebrant [Alleluia.] Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
- People Therefore let us keep the feast. [Alleluia.]
- *Celebrant* 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.

#### POST COMMUNION PRAYER — BCP 365

- TogetherEternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of<br/>your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the<br/>Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us<br/>strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through<br/>Christ our Lord. Amen.
- Blessing Rev. Carl E. Mosley

#### **COMMISSIONING HYMN — "SEND ME OUT"**

TogetherSend me out to do the work you have given me to do.Send me out to love and serve in the way you want me to.Send me out into the world to do what must be done.Send me out today to glorify your son.

#### **RECESSIONAL HYMN #110 – LORD OF ALL HOPEFULNESS**

Dismissal Rev. Deacon Dottie Vuono

## **MINISTRIES OF ST. MARY'S PARISH**

Celebrant: All the members of the Parish

Sunday 10:30 AM Liturgy of the Holy Eucharist

Priest in Charge: Rev. Carl E. Mosley Deacon: Rev. Deacon Dottie Vuono

Lay Readers — Tom Brace; Conrad Fleck; Diane Fleck; Bill De Haan, Grissell De Haan; Sharon Hawk; Eugene Nichols; Debbie Stogner; Maureen Yocum; Vernon Proctor

Altar Guild Directress — Sharon Hawk

Communications Director (Web & Lay Readers) - Grissell De Haan

Episcopal Church Women (ECW) - Vice President: Diane Fleck

Sunshine Club President – Betty Myers

United Thank Offering (UTO) — Grissell De Haan/Maureen Yocum

#### **STAFF:**

Sr. Warden: Eugene Nichols Co-Jr. Wardens: Charles Hawk & Jerry Stogner

#### **VESTRY MEMBERS:**

Terry Chike - (2021) Grissell De Haan - (2023) Conrad Fleck - (2022) Calvin Horn - (2022)

#### SERVING TODAY

Priest in Charge Deacon Communion Assistant Crucifer Ushers Lay Reader Element Bearers Treasurer: Maureen Yocum Asst. Treas: Debbie Stogner Secretary: Grissell De Haan

Eugene Nichols - (2021) Betty Myers - (2021) Amber Welch - (2023)

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