

**Those serving in the military and other dangerous professions:**

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Paul Bailey, Justin A. Dumhart, Danny Melega

**Birthdays:** Betsy Tiemeyer (05/12), Marge Hall (05/15), Jane Romanowksi (05/16)

**Anniversaries:** Kristen & Marjorie Anderson (05/16)

**2020 CONCERT SERIES**

**Saturday, June 6 at 4pm**

Claudia Pellegrini ~ violinist and Mark Yurkanin ~ pianist  
Call 609-492-7571 for more info. or email

**HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!** 

**Online Offerings for May 10-17**

- 10 – Sun Holy Eucharist 9:30 AM
- 10 – Sun Coffee Hour Zoom after the service  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82358968453>
- 10 – Sun Kids' Corner 7:00 PM
- 11 – Mon Morning Prayer 9:00 AM
- 11 – Mon Compline 9:00 PM
- 12 – Tues Sung Evening Prayer 6:00 PM
- 13 – Wed Hymn Sing! 7:00 PM
- 13 – Wed Compline 9:00 PM
- 14 – Thurs Bible Study 3:00 PM  
Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/93066260910>
- 14 – Thurs VESTRY MTG 7:00 PM  
Zlink sent to Vestry, available upon request
- 15 – Fri Kids' Corner 7:00 PM
- 16 – Sat Deacon Judy Psalms 7:00 PM
- 17 – Sun Holy Eucharist 9:30 AM
- 17 – Sun Coffee Hour Zoom after the service  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82358968453>
- 17 – Sun Kids' Corner 7:00 PM

**THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE HOLY INNOCENTS**

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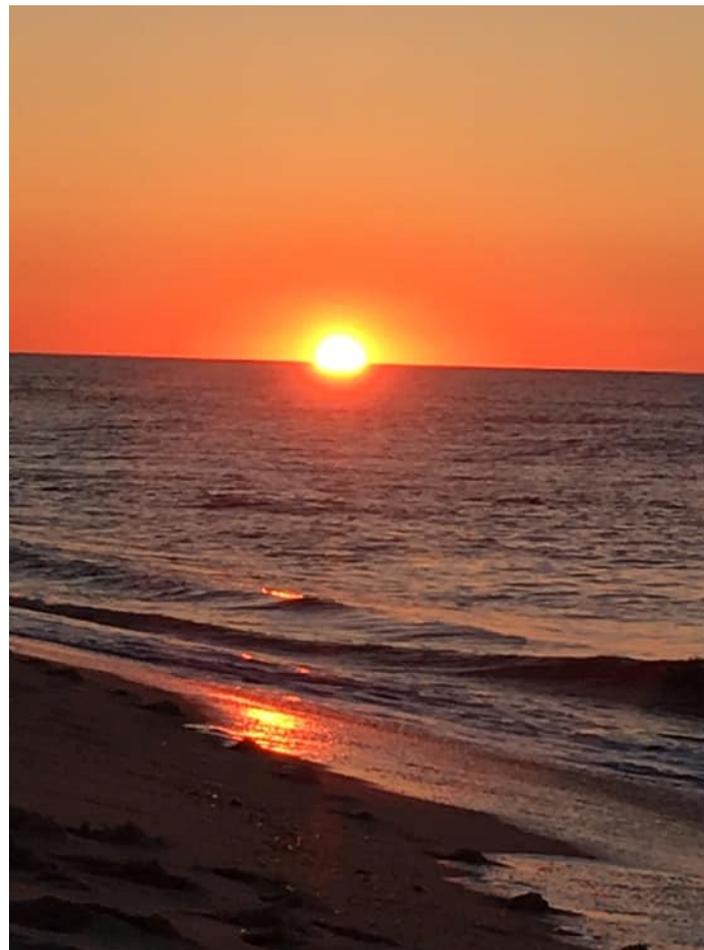
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The Holy Eucharist: Rite II

*The Fifth Sunday of Easter*



*The Episcopal Church of The Holy Innocents  
in the Borough of Beach Haven, New Jersey  
10 May, 2020 ~ 9:30 AM*

\*Hymn #518 *Christ is Made the Sure Foundation vs. 1,2&4* WESTMINSTER ABBEY

### THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

\**Celebrant:* Alleluia. Christ is risen.

\**People:* **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

\**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. *All: Amen.*

\**Gloria in excelsis* BCP, p. 356

**The Collect of the Day** BCP, p. 224

Almighty God, whom truly to know is everlasting life: Grant us so perfectly to know your Son Jesus Christ to be the way, the truth, and the life, that we may steadfastly follow his steps in the way that leads to eternal life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *All: Amen.*

**The Lesson** Acts 7:55-60

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Stephen gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God and Jesus standing at the right hand of God. "Look," he said, "I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God!" But they covered their ears, and with a loud shout all rushed together against him. Then they dragged him out of the city and began to stone him; and the witnesses laid their coats at the feet of a young man named Saul. While they were stoning Stephen, he prayed, "Lord Jesus, receive my spirit." Then he knelt down and cried out in a loud voice, "Lord, do not hold this sin against them." When he had said this, he died.

*Reader:* The Word of the Lord.

*All:* **Thanks be to God.**

### THE HOLY COMMUNION

\***The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A** BCP, p. 361

*Sanctus* S-130 Schubert (1797-1828)

**The Lord's Prayer** BCP, p. 364

**Postcommunion Prayer** (*Stand or kneel*) BCP, p. 366

#### Blessing

\***Hymn #467** *Sing, My Soul, His Wondrous Love* ST. BEES

\***Dismissal** BCP, p. 366

#### Postlude

#### Parish Prayer List - Week of May 10, 2020

*Under the current circumstances, all names will remain on the prayer list for the month of May. If you need to add or delete a name, please contact Lisa Halpin, our Parish Administrator.*

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|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Ada                | Alan              | Aurora            |
| Bob                | Marie Bregler     | Joan Connolly     |
| Judy Contreras     | Mary Ann Crewdson | Joan Cunningham   |
| Michael Read Davis | Donald Deacon     | Dennis            |
| Carol Dobbins      | Meg Dougher       | Carol Earl        |
| Faye & Ed          | Frank             | Barbara Hanlon    |
| John Hughes        | Jeannine          | Johnny            |
| Diane Lee          | Ceily Lovas       | Gail Lovenduski   |
| Linda M.           | Susie Nee         | Virginia Nicholas |
| Carol Ann Renzland | Sissy             | Lara Sparks       |
| Robert Thomas      | Colin Walker      | Ann White         |
| Joel & Kate White  | Maggie Degnan     | Bonnie            |
| Renny              | Walter Mazzanti   | Lapinski Family   |
| Hawkes Family      | Tim               | Vinnie            |
| Nancy & David      | Bill              | Alicia            |
| Jacklyn            | Walter            | Dave              |
| Phillip Tracy      | Javy Vargas       | Kathy Rice        |
| Marie Serfling     | Rich Serfling     | Joe, Pat & Rich.  |
| Bob Prindible      | Sam               | Shelly            |
| Rebecca            | Susan             | Jessica Zarnick   |
| Yoder Family       | Trent             | Mary              |
| Ashley             | Danielle          | Kathleen          |
| Erin Stewart       | Alda Cumings      | Rosemary          |
| Ward Family        | Matt Russo        | Kathy Picarelli   |
| Memphis Rank       | Melissa & Tyler   | Sullivan Family   |
| Marief & Alexa     | Flagler Family    | Ted Hansen        |
| Joey Hinton        | David Gitter      |                   |

*Leader:* We pray for the special needs and concerns of this congregation, especially remembering all victims of climate change, and for the poor. We also remember all those mentioned in our Parish Prayer List: the sick, the shut in, and the grieving; those serving in the military and other dangerous professions, and for our enemies, that all hearts may be turned to peace. We may add our own petitions either silently or aloud at this time.

*Leader:* Hear us, Lord;

*People:* **For your mercy is great.**

*Leader:* We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life; for the beauty of your creation; for those celebrating birthdays this week: for the Holy Innocents, and all the Saints. (*The congregation may add other thanksgivings at this time.*)

*Leader:* We will exalt you, O God our King;

*People:* **And praise your Name for ever and ever.**

*Leader:* We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom. (*Deceased loved ones and friends may be mentioned at this time.*)

*Leader:* Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

*People:* **Who put their trust in you.**

*Celebrant:* Let us confess our sins to God and our neighbor.

**All: Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

### **Absolution**

BCP, p. 360

**\*The Peace** (*All stand*)

*Celebrant:* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People:* **And also with you.**

### **The Parish Notices**

### **The Gradual: Psalm 31:1-5, 15-16**

1 In you, O LORD, have I taken refuge;  
let me never be put to shame; \*  
deliver me in your righteousness.

2 Incline your ear to me; \*  
make haste to deliver me.

3 Be my strong rock, a castle to keep me safe,  
for you are my crag and my stronghold; \*  
for the sake of your Name, lead me and guide me.

4 Take me out of the net that they have secretly set for me, \*  
for you are my tower of strength.

5 Into your hands I commend my spirit, \*  
for you have redeemed me,  
O LORD, O God of truth.

15 My times are in your hand; \*  
rescue me from the hand of my enemies,  
and from those who persecute me.

16 Make your face to shine upon your servant, \*  
and in your loving-kindness save me."

### **The Epistle**

**1 Peter 2:2-10**

Like newborn infants, long for the pure, spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow into salvation— if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good. Come to him, a living stone, though rejected by mortals yet chosen and precious in God's sight, and like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. For it stands in scripture:

"See, I am laying in Zion a stone,  
a cornerstone chosen and precious;  
and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame."

To you then who believe, he is precious; but for those who do not believe,

"The stone that the builders rejected  
has become the very head of the corner",

and "A stone that makes them stumble, and a rock that makes them fall."

They stumble because they disobey the word, as they were destined to do. But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's own people, in order that you may proclaim the mighty acts of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light.

Once you were not a people,  
but now you are God's people;  
once you had not received mercy,  
but now you have received mercy.

*Reader:* The Word of the Lord.

*All:* **Thanks be to God.**

**Sequence Hymn #487** *Come, My Way, My Truth, My Life* THE CALL

**\*The Holy Gospel** John 14:1-14

*Deacon:* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

*People:* **Glory to you, Lord Christ**

Jesus said, "Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also. And you know the way to the place where I am going." Thomas said to him, "Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?" Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. If you know me, you will know my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him."

Philip said to him, "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied." Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and

the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it."

*Deacon:* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People:* **Praise to you, Lord Christ.** (*All are seated*)

**The Sermon**

**The Rev. Dr. Judith Krom**

**The Nicene Creed**

BCP, p. 358

**\*The Prayers of the People: Form VI**

BCP, p. 392

(*The people may stand or kneel*)

*Deacon:* In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

*Silence*

*Leader:* For all people in their daily life and work;

*People:* **For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.**

*Leader:* For Nancy our Mayor, Philip our Governor, and Donald our President; for this community, the nation, and the world;

*People:* **For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.**

*Leader:* For the just and proper use of your creation;

*People:* **For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.**

*Leader:* For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

*People:* **For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.**

*Leader:* For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

*People:* **For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.**

*Leader:* In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for the Anglican Church of Kenya The Most Revd Jackson Ole Sapit - Primate and Archbishop of All Kenya. We pray for Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury; for Michael, our Presiding Bishop; for William our Bishop; for Judith our Deacon, for Caroline, our Rector and for all bishops and other ministers;

*People:* **For all who serve God in his Church.**