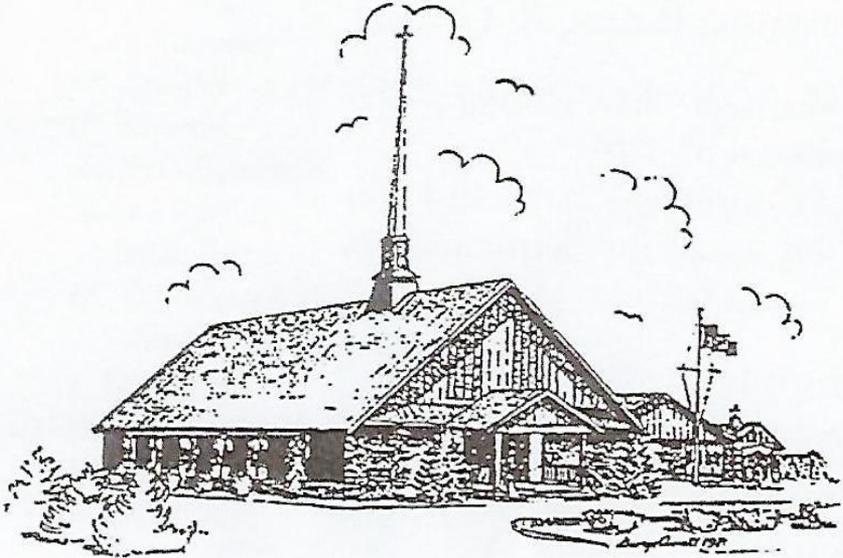


The Holy Eucharist: Rite II

*The Eighth Sunday After  
Pentecost*

*and*

*Welcome to the  
Little Egg Harbor Yacht Club*



*The Episcopal Church of The Holy Innocents  
in the Borough of Beach Haven, New Jersey  
18 July, 2021 ~ 9:30 AM*

**Prelude**

*Voluntary*

*Please observe respectful silence during this time of prayer.*

**THE LITURGY OF THE WORD**

**Hymn #525** *The Church's One Foundation*

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*\*Celebrant:* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

*\*People:* **And blessed be God's 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. *All: Amen.*

*\*Gloria in excelsis S-280* (*All sing*)

Robert Powell (b. 1932)

**The Collect of the Day, Proper XI**

**BCP, p. 231**

*\*Celebrant:* The Lord be with you.

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

*\*Celebrant:* Let us pray. Almighty God, the fountain of all wisdom, you know our necessities before we ask and our ignorance in asking: Have compassion on our weakness, and mercifully give us those things which for our unworthiness we dare not, and for our blindness we cannot ask; through the worthiness of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **All: Amen.**

**The Lesson** (*Read by David Johnson, Rear Commodore*) **Jeremiah 23:1-6**

Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the Lord. Therefore thus says the Lord, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the Lord. Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they

shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the Lord. The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: "The Lord is our righteousness."

*Reader:* The Word of the Lord.

*All:*     **Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 23**   *(Led by Caroline R. Flagler, Vice Commodore)*     **BCP, p. 612**

1 The LORD is my shepherd; \*

    I shall not be in want.

2 He makes me lie down in green pastures \*

    and leads me beside still waters.

3 He revives my soul \*

    and guides me along right pathways for his Name's sake.

4 Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I shall fear no evil; \*

    for you are with me;

    your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

5 You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me; \*

    you have anointed my head with oil,

    and my cup is running over.

6 Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, \*

    and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.

**The Epistle**   *(Read by Robert P Kiep III, Commodore)*     **Ephesians 2:11-22**

Remember that at one time you Gentiles by birth, called "the uncircumcision" by those who are called "the circumcision" —a physical circumcision made in the flesh by human hands— remember that you were at that time without Christ, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel, and strangers to the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world. But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. For he is our peace; in his flesh he has made both groups into one and has broken down the dividing wall, that is, the hostility between us. He has abolished the law with its commandments and ordinances, that he might create in himself one



**\*The Nicene Creed**

BCP, p. 358

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: Form III**

BCP, p. 387

*(Led by Robert L Stevens, LEHYC Chaplain) (The people may stand or kneel)*

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

*Silence*

*Leader:* Father, we pray for your holy catholic Church;

*People:* **That we all may be one.**

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

*People:* **That your Name may be glorified by all people.**

*Leader:* In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for the Church of Rwanda. 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. We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;

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

*Leader:* For Colleen our Mayor, Philip our Governor, and Joseph our President. We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

*People:* **That there may be justice and peace on the earth.**

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

*People:* **That our works may find favor in your sight.**

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

*People:* **That they may be delivered from their distress.**

*Leader:* Give to the departed eternal rest.

*People:* **Let light perpetual shine upon them.**

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

*People:* **May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.**

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

*(The People may add their own petitions.)*

*The presider prays the concluding collect, and the people respond, Amen.*

*Deacon:* Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

### **Confession - 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.*

### **Absolution**

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

*Celebrant:* The peace of Christ be always with you.

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

### **The Parish Notices**

**Special Blessing** *for Little Egg Harbor Yacht Club and those who live, work, and play upon the waters.*

## **THE HOLY COMMUNION**

### **Offertory**

*Give Me Jesus*

Soloist: Joan Melega

arr. Mark Hayes

**\*Presentation of the Gifts** (*All stand*)

*"All things come of Thee, O Lord, and of Thine own have we given Thee"*

**\*The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer B**

**BCP, p. 367**

*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 him thanks and praise.**

*Celebrant:* It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Through Jesus Christ our Lord; who on the first day of the week overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. 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:

**Sanctus S-129** (*All sing*)

*(The People may stand or kneel)*

*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,

*All:* **We remember his death,**

**We proclaim his resurrection,**

**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 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. *All: AMEN.*

**The Lord's Prayer**

**BCP, p. 364**

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.

**The Breaking of the Bread**

*Celebrant:* Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

*People:* **Therefore let us keep the feast.**

*(All baptized Christians are welcomed to receive Holy Communion. Diocesan guidelines allow the Holy Sacraments in one kind only. Bread will be offered and Wine will be placed on the altar for adoration.)*

**Fraction Anthem: S-169** *(All sing)* My flesh is food indeed Ray W. Urwin

**Postcommunion Prayer** *(Stand or kneel)*

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. *Amen.*

**\*Blessing**

**\*Hymn** *Take Time to Be Holy* (Please see insert)

**HOLINESS**

**\*Dismissal**

**BCP, p. 366**

*Deacon:* Let us go forth into the world,  
rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

## Postlude

### Parish Prayer List – July 18, 2021

*PLEASE NOTE: If you need to add or remove a name, please contact Lisa Halpin, our Parish Administrator by Wednesday, July 21<sup>st</sup>.*

Jean & Keith Aclin	Matt Adams	Beth C
Beverlee	Eddie Boll	Borrone Family
Jackson Brackett	Marie Bregler	Jim Capobianco
Joan Connolly	Judy Contreras	Lynn Cowper
Mary Ann Crewdson	Michael Reed Davis	Dennis
Carol Dobbins	Meg Dougher	Dreby Family
Doré Family	Ella	Faye
Carol Frake	Frank	Ken Hannah
Fran Harris	Nancy Hellings	Shirley Hickey
Hillary	Joyce Hillyer	Kara Hughes
Janet	Jeannine	Joan, Susan & Bob
Claire Johns	Karen G.	Karen & DJ
Robin Koch	Cyndi Lamon	Alan Lee
Diane Lee	Lauren & Ed	Lindsey
Lorraine & Drew	Cecily Lovas	Kurt Martin
Mary Ann	Mary Jane	Butch McCaffrey
Scott Mitchell	Virginia Nicholas	Maryanne O.
Sharon Osborn	TJ Patton	Patty
Lucien Picard	Carol Ann Renzland	Kathy Rice
Lara Sparks	Matt Starr	Marie Stasik
Bill Todd	Robert Thomas	Colin Walker
Ann White	Rebecca Whitley	

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

Paul Bailey, Justin A. Dumhart, Danny Melega, Andrew Wall, Brandan White

**Birthdays:** Marilyn Flagler (07/18), Chuck Hall (07/19)

David Mitchell (07/19), Alan Lee (07/20), Cindy Longenbach (07/21)

**Anniversaries:** Terry & Diana Shoenbach (07/24)

WEEKLY ONLINE CALENDAR July 18<sup>h</sup> – July 24<sup>th</sup>

<b>TODAY</b>	Movie Presentation- <i>Other Side of the Hill</i>	10:30 AM
19 – Mon	Morning Prayer (FB Live)	9:00 AM
	Altar Guild Meeting & Lunch (Rectory)	12:00 PM
20 – Tues	Evening Prayer (FB Live)	5:00 PM
21 – Wed	<b>HI Circle</b> <i>Hymns in the Garden</i>	4:50 PM
22 – Thurs	Book Study (Rectory)	2:00 PM
	Compline (FB Live)	9:00 PM
23 – Fri	Parish Office Closed	
	<b>HI Circle</b> <i>Mass on the Beach</i>	6:00 PM
	Kids Korner (FB)	7:00 PM
24 – Sat	Psalms with Dcn. Judy (FB Live)	7:00 PM

**To sign up** for our weekly newsletter, *The E-pistle*, please let Mtr. Caroline+ know and give her your email address!

**An anonymous donor has given \$500** to defray the cost for FIVE people to take the Diocese of New Jersey anti-racism course (info. below.) I have put the info. for this repeating course in the E-pistle many times before because I truly believe that it is a VERY important course, is well presented, and is worth your time. Please consider signing up for it and contact Mtr. Caroline+ for more information. **Anti-Racism Training:** The diocese's commitment to the principles of anti-racism have led us to create an acclaimed training program, offered online several times a year.

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## ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION & ADVOCACY COMMITTEE



TODAY! Our JULY activity will be to screen a documentary provided by Interfaith Power & Light. The documentary, *The Other Side of the Hill* explores the impacts of a changing climate in rural Eastern Oregon - as seen through the eyes of local leaders on the ground. The voices of rural communities often left unheard are amplified.

### **HYMNS IN THE GARDEN THIS WEDNESDAY at 4:50 PM**

Join us at **4:50** Wednesday in our Memorial Garden to listen to the evening carillon and then sing favorite hymns together. Please let Mtr. C know **ahead of time** if you would like her to set out a chair for you.



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