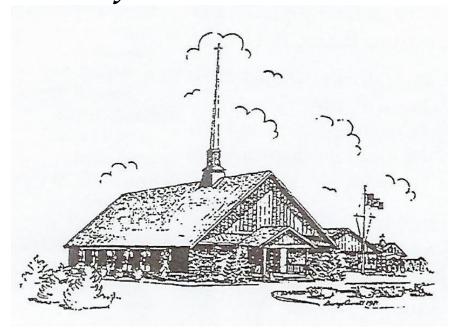
The Holy Eucharist: Rite II

The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost



The Episcopal Church of The Holy Innocents in the Borough of Beach Haven, New Jersey 2 October, 2022 ~ 9:30 AM **WELCOME!** We are happy you are here with us today. Hymns and service music can be found in the hymnals and the liturgy in the Book of Common Prayer (BCP) in your pew rack. If you'd like to learn more about us or become Episcopalian, please ask anyone and/or come talk to the clergy! **Please join us for Coffee Hour & Fellowship in Martin Hall after each service.**

Prelude My Song is Love Unkown

Tom Birchwood

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

*Entrance Hymn #99 (LEVAS) Christ the Solid Rock William B. Bradbury (1816-1868)

CelebrantBlessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.PeopleAnd blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.CelebrantAlmighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desiresknown, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of ourhearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectlylove you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ ourLord.All: Amen.

Gloria in excelsis S-280 (All Sing)

The Collect for the Day

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. *All*: **Amen**.

The Lesson

Habakkuk 1:1-4, 2:1-4

The oracle that the prophet Habakkuk saw.

O LORD, how long shall I cry for help, and you will not listen? Or cry to you "Violence!"and you will not save? Why do you make me see wrong-doing and look at trouble? Destruction and violence are before me; strife and contention arise. So the law becomes slack and justice never prevails. The wicked surround the righteous--

therefore judgment comes forth perverted. I will stand at my watchpost, and station myself on the rampart;

Robert Powell (b. 1932)

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I will keep watch to see what he will say to me, and what he will answer concerning my complaint.
Then the LORD answered me and said:
Write the vision; make it plain on tablets, so that a runner may read it.
For there is still a vision for the appointed time; it speaks of the end, and does not lie.
If it seems to tarry, wait for it; it will surely come, it will not delay.
Look at the proud! Their spirit is not right in them, but the righteous live by their faith. *Reader* The Word of the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

The Gradual: Psalm 137 (Alternating whole verse)

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- 1 By the waters of Babylon we sat down and wept, * when we remembered you, O Zion.
- 2 As for our harps, we hung them up * on the trees in the midst of that land.
- 3 For those who led us away captive asked us for a song, and our oppressors called for mirth: * "Sing us one of the songs of Zion."
- 4 How shall we sing the Lord's song * upon an alien soil.
- 5 If I forget you, O Jerusalem, * let my right hand forget its skill.
- 6 Let my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth if I do not remember you, * if I do not set Jerusalem above my highest joy.
- 7 Remember the day of Jerusalem, O Lord, against the people of Edom, * who said, "Down with it! down with it! even to the ground!"

- 8 O Daughter of Babylon, doomed to destruction, * happy the one who pays you back for what you have done to us!
- 9 Happy shall he be who takes your little ones, * and dashes them against the rock!

The Epistle

1 Timothy 1:1-14

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

*Sequence Hymn #189 (LEVAS) Great is Thy Faithfulness (vv. 1&2) William M. Runyan (1870-1957)

*The Holy Gospel

Luke 17:5-10

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke. *People* **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!"

Deacon	The Gospel of the Lord.
People	Praise to you, Lord Christ . (All are seated)

The Sermon

The Rev. Dr. Caroline Carson+

*The Nicene Creed

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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 VI

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(The people may stand or kneel)

Deacon Let us offer our prayers to 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 Colleen our Mayor, Philip our Governor, and Joseph 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 Canada. 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, for Carroll our guest preacher, and for all bishops and other ministers;

People For all who serve God in his Church.

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.

(The People may add their 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 or anniversaries this week, and, for The Holy Innocents, and all the Saints.

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 O God, who by the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ destroyed death and brought life and immortality to light: Grant that we, who have been raised with him, may abide in his presence and rejoice in the hope of eternal glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be dominion and praise for ever and ever. *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 the Lord be always with you.*People*And also with you.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Anthem Word of God, Come Down to Earth John A. Behnke

*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

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CelebrantThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.CelebrantLift up your hearts.PeopleWe lift them to the Lord.CelebrantLet us give thanks to the Lord our God.PeopleIt 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. For you are the source of light and life, you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord. 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)

Robert Powell

(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

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

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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.)

Fraction Anthem: **S-154** (*all sing*)

David Hurd (b. 1950)

*Postcommunion Prayer

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. *Amen*.

Blessing

The Parish Notices

Hymn #398 I Sing the Almighty Power of God

Dismissal

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FOREST GREEN

Postlude Sometimes A Light Surprises

William Barnett

Coffee Hour is held EVERY SUNDAY and we would LOVE IT if you would join us in Martin Hall following the service!

Serving Today

Crucifer ~ John Wall Lector ~ Alexa Fahner Ushers ~ Kay DeCicco, Mike DeCicco Chalice Bearers ~ Vince Contreras, Leila Sullivan, Alexa Fahner

Parish Prayer List – October 2, 2022

PLEASE NOTE: If you need to add or remove a name, please contact Lisa Halpin, our Parish Administrator by **Wednesday, October 5**^{th.}

Alycia Charles Bishop Joan Connolly Timothy August Kevin B. Campbell Lynn Cowper Ellis Barbieri Cynthia Clarke Mary Ann Crewdson

Art "Jim" Curtin	Rosemary Deininger	Carol Dobbins
Roseann Dolan	Meg Dougher	Dave Elfreth
Elliott	Faye	Frank
Genevieve	Gordon H.	Adam Houser
Jan	Jeannine	Joan & Susan
Jastrzembski Family	Rick Johnson	Joni
Carol Jordan	Anne Joyce	Julie
Karen & DJ	Gollihur Family	Karen Grossman
Kathy G.	Mary Keough	Ryan Koehl
Dave Lamon	Cyndi Lamon	Florence Lamon
Lippincott Family	Barry Longenbach	Lovas Family
Kathy G.	Mary Keough	Ryan Koehl
Dave Lamon	Cyndi Lamon	Florence Lamon

Those serving in the military and other dangerous professions: Paul Bailey, Justin A. Dumhart, Joseph Alexander, Danny Melega Andrew Wall, Brandan White

Birthdays: Jane Enos (10/06), Robert Romanowski (10/07)

Anniversaries: Larry & Patricia Peacock (10/08)

<u>Altar Flowers:</u> Today's altar flowers are given in loving memory of Evelyn May Taylor by Diane Entrikin and family and also to the Glory of God.

WEEKLY CALENDAR October 3 – October 8

03 – Mon	Morning Prayer (FB)	9:00 AM
04 – Tues	Let's Get Fit!	9:15-10:15 AM
	Blessing of the Animals	5:30-6:30 PM
05 – Wed	Choir Rehearsal	6:30-8:00 PM
	Praying the Psalms (FB)	7:00 PM
06 – Thurs	Let's Get Fit!	9:15-10:15 AM
	Book Study (Rectory)	2:00 PM
	Compline (FB)	9:00 PM



SAVE THE DATES!

07 – Fri

08 – Sat

- OCT. 8 Concert ~ 3:00 pm Capital Singers of Trenton
- OCT. 13 Annual Silent Bid Auction

OCT. 16 - Concert by The Rev. Canon Ron Clingenpeel ~ 4:00 pm

AUCTION TICKETS NOW ON SALE

from Maggie Aftanis or from Lisa Halpin in the Parish Office. Contact: Maggie Aftanis at 609-492-5271 or <u>maftanis@aol.com</u> Deadline to



purchase tickets or donate an item for the auction is October 9th.

Holy Innocents' Prayer Ministry still seeking members of the team! If interested, please contact Judy Contreras at <u>judyc3956@gmail.com</u>

ANNUAL BLESSING of the ANIMALS

This event is set for this TUESDAY, OCT. 4 from 5:30 to 6:30 PM on our Green Patch! Tell your friends and bring your pets!

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