

Holy Eucharist Rite II



The Sixth Sunday of Easter

4 pm Saturday, May 8, 2021

10am Sunday, May 9, 2021

St. Luke's on the Hill

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Chip Gifford – *Jr. Warden*

Sharon King

Priscilla Callahan

Ruth Kramek

Terrie Gifford – *Vestry Clerk*

The Liturgy of the Word

Processional O Worship the King 388

The Acclamation BCP p.355

Celebrant Alleluia, Christ is risen.

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

The Collect for Purity BCP p.355

Gloria in Excelsis BCP p 356

The Collect of the Day

O God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as surpass our understanding: Pour into our hearts such love towards you, that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The People are seated.

The First Lesson- A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles

While Peter was still speaking, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who heard the word. The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astounded that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the Gentiles, for they heard them speaking in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter said, "Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?" So he ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they invited him to stay for several days. (Acts 10:44-48)

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

Psalm 98

1 Sing to the Lord a new song, * for he has done marvelous things.

2 With his right hand and his holy arm * has he won for himself the victory.

3 The Lord has made known his victory; * his righteousness has he openly shown in the sight of the nations.

4 He remembers his mercy and faithfulness to the house of Israel,
*
and all the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.

5 Shout with joy to the Lord, all you lands; * lift up your voice,
rejoice, and sing.

6 Sing to the Lord with the harp, * with the harp and the voice of
song.

7 With trumpets and the sound of the horn * shout with joy before
the King, the Lord.

8 Let the sea make a noise and all that is in it, * the lands and those
who dwell therein.

9 Let the rivers clap their hands, * and let the hills ring out with joy
before the Lord, when he comes to judge the earth.

10 In righteousness shall he judge the world * and the peoples with
equity.

The Second Lesson - A Reading from the First Letter of John

Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the parent loves the child. By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. For the love of God is this, that we obey his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, for whatever is born of God conquers the world. And this is the victory that conquers the world, our faith. Who is it that conquers the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God? This is the one who came by water and blood, Jesus Christ, not with the water only but with the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one that testifies, for the Spirit is the truth. (1 John 5:1-6)

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

The People stand.

Sequence Hymn

Be Thou My Vision 488

The Holy Gospel

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

Jesus said to his disciples, "As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you

will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete. "This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another." (John 15:9-17)

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

The Sermon – *Father Marshall Vang*

The Nicene Creed BCP p.358
The People stand.

The Prayers of the People Form IV BCP p.388
Response: **"Lord, hear our prayer"**

The Confession of Sin and Absolution BCP p.360
The People kneel.

The Peace BCP p.360

The Liturgy of the Eucharist

Offertory Hymn Be Thou My Vision 488

The Great Thanksgiving BPC p.361

Eucharistic Prayer BCP p.362

The Lord's Prayer BCP p.364

Breaking of the Bread and Prayer of Humble Access BCP p.365

The Prayer after Communion BCP p.366
The People kneel.

The Blessing & Dismissal

Recessional Now Thank We All Our God 397

Weekly Announcements

Please turn off all cell phones. Please wear name tags.

**LAST WEEKEND FOR PARISH SURVEYS due on May 9th.
There will be printed forms on the table in the Narthex.**

Follow Me – A dynamic video study about how we can better follow Jesus in our daily lives with discussion afterwards on Thursdays 7:00-8:30 via zoom. Please email Deacon Lynne so she can send you a zoom invitation if you are interested.

Volunteers Wanted! If you are interested in being a part of one of our groups, please fill out the included form and put it in the collection plate.

Blessing of the Bikes and Riders May 15, 2021 1:00 pm
Rain Date May 16, 2021 11:30 am
For all motorcycles, tricycles, bicycles and even walkers!!!
There will be hot dogs on the grill and bottled water...

Holy Hootenanny May 22, Sat. 1pm-4pm
Join us for a free afternoon filled with music, magic, ice cream and fun.

Pentecost Sunday is May 23rd. We would like to continue the tradition of donating birthday gifts to the church. Please feel free to be creative. If you need ideas to get you started, there will be a list on the table in the Narthex.

Food Pantry –Items needed: coffee, microwave shelf stable meals for seniors, soups, toilet paper, shampoo and conditioner, cereal, tuna fish, canned meat and kid snacks. Especially laundry soap and household cleaners. Thank you, Carrie/MACSC

Library Resources – Please check out the available books **in the Library**. There is a sign out sheet to be completed for checkouts. There are FREE paperback Bibles if you would like one.



Prayer in a Time of Transition

Almighty God, giver of every good gift: Look graciously on your Church and guide the minds of those who shall choose a Bishop for this Diocese and a Rector for this parish, that we may receive faithful pastors, who will care for your people and equip us for our ministries; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

BCP 818

Birthdays – May

10 – Elizabeth Batchelder

Reading Today 4 pm

1st Reader: Priscilla Callahan

2nd Reader: Pat Greenhall

Madagascar Missions offerings can be given any weekend.

During this time, we are not designating a particular time for this.

Reading Today 10 am

1st Reader: Heidi Travis

2nd Reader: Jan Harrington

Next week...

1st Reader: Liz Day

2nd Reader: Tara Morelli

Scripture next week...

Acts 1:15-17, 21-26

1 John 5:9-13

John 17:6-19

Psalm 1

Loose Plate Offering today /2nd Sunday Building Fund



COVID Protocol

Please wear a mask while inside & for the entire service.

- Masks are recommended for ages 2 & older.
- Contact information will be requested from visitors.
- Services will be Simulcast/Broadcast to Facebook & 89.5FM
- Nursery is available for parents use.
- Dress appropriately as windows may be slightly opened at times for air circulation.
- Blue Song Book will now be used for Sunday 10 am Service

Additional ushers are needed, please contact Tara if you can help.

**If anyone needs pastoral help, please call
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