#### HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE TWO

The congregation is asked to remain prayerfully silent during the prelude.

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\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN Immortal Invisible God Only Wise Hymn #423

\*OPENING ACCLAMATION BCP 355

\*THE GLORIA Hymn #S-280

\*THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST LESSON Deuteronomy 30:15-20

PSALM Psalm 1 BCP 585

SECOND LESSON Philemon 1-21

\*SEQUENCE HYMN TAKE UP YOUR CROSS Hymn #675

\*THE HOLY GOSPEL LUKE 14:25-33

THE SERMON Father Daniel

\*THE NICENE CREED BCP 358

\*THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE-FORM 4

BCP 388

Please pray for the following people this week: Mary, Bill, Jacki V, Carol, Dennis, Garry, Doris, Elizabeth, Weldon and her unborn child, Terry, Maryanne and her family, Ronnie, Denise, TL, John, Sharon S, John W., Adele and Alex. We pray for the repose of the soul of Sharon Ratkus.

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION OF SINS

**BCP 360** 

\*THE EXCHANGE OF PEACE

ANNOUNCEMENTS, BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

**OFFERTORY** 

\*DOXOLOGY Hymn #380, vs 3

#### THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Celebrant: All things come of Thee, O Lord People: *And of Thine own have we given Thee* 

\*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING RITE II: Eucharistic Prayer A

\*HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

THE LORD'S PRAYER

BCP 361

Hymn S#125

BCP 364

FRACTION ANTHEM HYMN S#152

INVITATION TO COMMUNION (All baptized persons are welcome at the Lord's Table for communion.)

COMMUNION HYMN HERE O MY LORD Hymn #318
PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION BCP 365

\*THE BLESSING

\*RECESSIONAL HYMN GOD OF GRACE AND GOD OF GLORY Hymn #594

\*DISMISSAL

If you seek prayer for someone or something and wish them to be included on our prayer list, please Contact Esther Camm at Sarahnicole151@yahoo.com

Next Sunday: September 14th, Morning Prayer with Jena Lauten

# **Upcoming events:**

Today, Vestry meeting is at 12:00 noon.

September 11<sup>th</sup>, Staying Alive, 1:00 PM, Parish Hall, Dejeuner Francais! Preparations are under way to provide an authentic luncheon of French Cuisine. Please reserve your spot! The deadline is today. Merci beaucoup! September 16<sup>th</sup>, Ladies Lunch, 11:45 AM, Sammy G's, Samet Dr. HP September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2:00 PM, Funeral for Henry Wright. The family will receive guests following the service in the Parish Hall.

The Open Door Shelter sends their thanks once again for our steadfast support of their feeding ministry. Our next opportunity to serve will be October 26<sup>th</sup>.

Handicapped accessible restrooms are located in the Parish House.

(Use the ramped entrance through the Parish Hall.)

<sup>\*</sup>Signifies times to stand, if able.

PASTORAL NEEDS THE OFFICE IS OPEN ON TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, AND THURSDAY, FROM 9:00-12:00 PM. FATHER DANIEL IS USUALLY IN THE OFFICE ON TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY. IT IS HELPFUL FOR OUR FRONT DESK VOLUNTEERS IF YOU CALL THE OFFICE (336-869-5311) AHEAD OF YOUR VISIT AND LET THEM KNOW YOU ARE COMING. IN CASE OF EMERGENCIES, FATHER'S CELL PHONE NUMBER IS 512-410-9413 AND HIS EMAIL IS Vicar@st-christopher.org

#### THOSE ASSISTING IN WORSHIP TODAY

**LECTORS:** TOMMIE LAUER AND TONI ROUTT

**ACOLYTE:** RAY NORMAN

**LEMS**: CATHERINE BARNES AND TONI ROUTT

ORGAN: MARK HILL KEYBOARD: JIM AUGSBURGER PIANO: JOAN RAUCH

ALTAR GUILD: PAM CRIBBS, DONNA BOOTH, BETH GESNER

VESTRY MEMBERS OF THE WEEK: SUSAN PABON AND JOAN RAUCH

**COFFEE HOUR:** CATHERINE BARNES

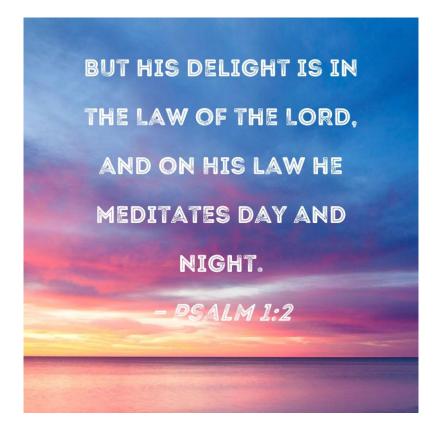
## **VESTRY**

TONI ROUTT, SENIOR WARDEN
JOAN RAUCH, JUNIOR WARDEN
JIM AUGSBURGER
MELTA GIBBS
SUSAN PABON
TERRY ROPIC
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