

HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE TWO

The congregation is asked to remain prayerfully silent before and during the service.

PRELUDE

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN *Hail Thou Once Despised Jesus!* Hymn 495

*OPENING ACCLAMATION BCP 355

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit
People: *And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.*

*GLORIA *Glory to God* Hymn S280

*THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST LESSON Amos 7:7-15

*PSALM Psalm 85:8-13

SECOND LESSON Ephesians 1:3-14

*SEQUENCE HYMN *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing* Hymn 686

*THE HOLY GOSPEL Mark 6:14-29

THE SERMON The Rev. Jerry Lasley

*THE NICENE CREED BCP 358

*THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE: FORM VI BCP 392

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION OF SINS BCP 393

*THE EXCHANGE OF PEACE

*The prayer candles are given to the Glory of God
and in loving memory of Charlie Foster.*

**Signifies times to stand, if able.*

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *His Name Is Wonderful* Insert

*PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS

*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING RITE II: Eucharistic Prayer A BCP 361

*SANCTUS *Holy, Holy, Holy Lord* Hymn S125

THE LORD'S PRAYER BCP 364

FRACTION ANTHEM

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

COMMUNION HYMN *Baptized in Water (Tune 8)* Hymn 294

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Eternal Lord God, you love us with an everlasting love and you choose us as members of St. Christopher's to share your love with others. We ask that you rekindle in our hearts a new spirit of faith, of prayer, and of reconciliation. Inspire us to search out and find ways of bringing one another closer to you. We pray for all who form our parish community, that together we may be renewed and transformed into the Body of Christ that you have called us to be. All of this we ask in the name of Jesus and through the power of the Holy Spirit. *Amen.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS *(Birthday & Anniversary Blessings)*

O God, our times are in your hands; Look with favor, we pray, on your servants as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

*THE BLESSING

*RECESSIONAL HYMN *Lead On, O King Eternal* Hymn 555

*DISMISSAL

Join us for refreshments and conversation in the Parish Hall.

Please see the bulletin board in the Parish Hall or visit our website at st-christopher.org for upcoming events and announcements.

WELCOME!

All baptized persons are welcome at the Lord's Table for communion. You may also come forward to receive a blessing. (*Please cross your arms on your chest.*) If you cannot come to the altar rail, let us know so we may bring communion to you.

Restrooms are located downstairs, and accessible restrooms are in the Parish House. (*Use the ramped entrance through the Parish Hall.*)

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Sid London, Theresa Carter, Dan Pratt, Buell Hall, Anna Fischer, Patsy Tucker, the Gilchrist Family, Doug Booth, the Howell Family, Toni Holder, Greg Anderson, the Lockhart Family, and Linda Lasley White.

THOSE ASSISTING IN WORSHIP

July 15

Celebrant: The Rev. Jerry Lasley

Greeter(s): Tom & Anne Miressi

LEM: Bob Bryant

Acolyte(s): Ronan Harrison

Lector(s): Ed Catherwood and Bonnie Ravazzani

Intercessor: Bonnie Ravazzani

Altar Guild: Brenda Swann and Jeanne Lauten

Collection Counter(s): Bob Blair and Giuseppe Ravazzani

Coffee Host(s): Jeanne Lauten

5 P.M. Server(s): Tommy Hunt

July 22

The Rev. Jerry Lasley

Cindy Harrison and Charlotte Lloyd

Jenna Frasca

Brenden Harrison

Cindy Harrison and David Routt

David Routt

Joan Foster, Jill Keiser, Cynthia Watts,
and Glenda Wilkinson

Sarah Lawrence and Cindy Harrison

Tom & Anne Miressi

TBD

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Ruth Bryant, *Vestry Clerk*
Bob Bryant, *Treasurer*

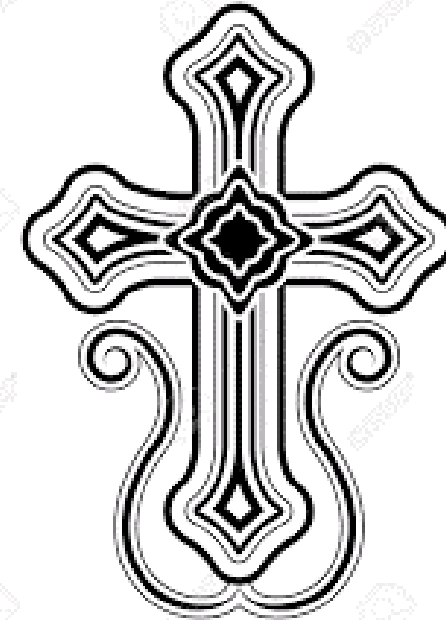
Bob Blair
Sarah Lawrence

Charlotte Lloyd
Anne Miressi

Bill Pirkey
Bonnie Ravazzani

Eighth Sunday After Pentecost

July 15, 2018



St. Christopher's Episcopal Church

*Loving and serving God
as we love, welcome, and serve all God's people*

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