

# ST. ANNE'S CHURCH

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Lectionary Year A

## Ascension Sunday

BAPTISMS

# THE HOLY EUCHARIST Anglican Standard Text

*Responses of the people shown in italics*

**Prelude†**

Organist

PLEASE STAND

**The Opening Hymn†**

Hymn 216

*Refrain*



Hail thee, fes - ti - val day! blest day that art hal - lowed for  
 ev - er, day when the Christ a - scends, high in the  
 hea - vens to reign. *First time only* reign. *2*  
 1 He who was nailed to the cross is Lord and the  
 3 God the Cre - a - tor, the Lord who rul - est the  
 5 Spi - rit of life and of power, now flow in us,  
 ru - ler of na - ture; all things cre -  
 earth and the hea - vens, guard us from  
 fount of our be - ing, light that dost  
*Repeat Refrain*  
 a - ted on earth sing to the glo - ry of God:  
 harm with - out, cleanse us from e - vil with - in:  
 light - en all, life that in all dost a - bide:  
 2 Dai - ly the love - li - ness grows, a - dorned with the  
 4 Je - sus the health of the world, en - light - en our  
 6 Praise to the Giv - er of good! Thou Love who art  
 glo - ry of blos - som; hea - ven her gates un -  
 minds, thou Re - deem - er, Son of the Fa - ther su -  
 au - thor of con - cord, pour out thy balm on our  
*Repeat Refrain*  
 bars, fling - ing her in - crease of light:  
 preme, on - ly - be - got - ten of God:  
 souls, or - der our ways in thy peace:

Words: Venantius Honorius Fortunatus (540?-600?); tr. *The English Hymnal*, 1906, alt. By permission of Oxford University Press. Music: *Salve festu dies*, Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958). By permission of Oxford University Press.

## **The Opening Acclamation**

Blessed be God: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

***And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.***

There is one Body and one Spirit;

***There is one hope in God's call to us;***

One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;

***One God and Father of all.***

## **The Collect of the Day**

The Lord be with you.

***And with your spirit.***

Let us pray.

Almighty God, whose only-begotten Son our Lord Jesus Christ ascended into heaven: May our hearts and minds also there ascend, and with him continually dwell; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. ***Amen.***

THE CONGREGATION MAY BE SEATED

## **The First Reading**

A Reading from Acts 1:1-11.

1 In my former book, Theophilus, I wrote about all that Jesus began to do and to teach <sup>2</sup>until the day he was taken up to heaven, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles he had chosen. <sup>3</sup>After his suffering, he presented himself to them and gave many convincing proofs that he was alive. He appeared to them over a period of forty days and spoke about the kingdom of God. <sup>4</sup>On one occasion, while he was eating with them, he gave them this command: "Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about. <sup>5</sup>For John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit."

<sup>6</sup>Then they gathered around him and asked him, "Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?"

<sup>7</sup>He said to them: "It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority. <sup>8</sup>But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

<sup>9</sup>After he said this, he was taken up before their very eyes, and a cloud hid him from their sight.

<sup>10</sup>They were looking intently up into the sky as he was going, when suddenly two men dressed in white stood beside them. <sup>11</sup>"Men of Galilee," they said, "why do you stand here looking into the sky? This same Jesus, who has been taken from you into heaven, will come back in the same way you have seen him go into heaven." (NIV)

The Word of the Lord.

***Thanks be to God.***

## Psalm 47

*Omnes gentes, plaudite*

- <sup>1</sup> Clap your hands, all you / peoples; \*  
shout to God with a cry of / joy.  
<sup>2</sup> For the LORD Most High is to be / feared; \*  
he is the great King over all the / earth.  
<sup>3</sup> He subdues the peoples / under us, \*  
and the nations under our / feet.  
<sup>4</sup> He chooses our inheritance for / us, \*  
the pride of Jacob whom he / loves.  
<sup>5</sup> God has gone up with a / shout, \*  
the LORD with the sound of the / ram's-horn.  
<sup>6</sup> Sing praises to God, sing / praises; \*  
sing praises to our King, sing / praises.  
<sup>7</sup> For God is King of all the / earth; \*  
sing praises with all your / skill.  
<sup>8</sup> God reigns over the / nations; \*  
God sits upon his holy / throne.  
<sup>9</sup> The nobles of the peoples have gathered to/gether \*  
with the people of the God of / Abraham.  
<sup>10</sup> The rulers of the earth belong to / God, \*  
and he is highly ex/alted.

## The Second Reading

A Reading from Ephesians 1:15-23.

<sup>15</sup> For this reason, ever since I heard about your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love for all God's people, <sup>16</sup>I have not stopped giving thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers. <sup>17</sup>I keep asking that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know him better. <sup>18</sup>I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened in order that you may know the hope to which he has called you, the riches of his glorious inheritance in his holy people, <sup>19</sup>and his incomparably great power for us who believe. That power is the same as the mighty strength <sup>20</sup>he exerted when he raised Christ from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly realms, <sup>21</sup>far above all rule and authority, power and dominion, and every name that is invoked, not only in the present age but also in the one to come. <sup>22</sup>And God placed all things under his feet and appointed him to be head over everything for the church, <sup>23</sup>which is his body, the fullness of him who fills everything in every way. (NIV)

The Word of the Lord.

***Thanks be to God.***

PLEASE STAND

## The Sequence Hymn†

Hymn 219

*Unison or harmony*

1 The Lord a - scend - eth up on high, the Lord hath tri - umphed  
2 The heavens with joy re - ceive their Lord, by saints, by an - gel  
3 Our great High Priest hath gone be - fore, up - on his Church his

glo - rious - ly, in power and might ex - cel - ling;  
hosts a - dored; O day of ex - ul - ta - tion!  
grace to pour; and still his love he giv - eth.

the grave and hell are cap - tive led. Lo! he re -  
O earth, a - dore thy glo - rious King! His ris - ing,  
O may our hearts to him a - scend; may all with -

turns, our glo - rious Head, to his e - ter - nal dwell - ing.  
his as - cen - sion sing with grate - ful a - dor - a - tion!  
in us up - ward tend to him who ev - er liv - eth!

## The Gospel

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke 24:44-53.  
***Glorify to you, Lord Christ.***

44 He said to them, "This is what I told you while I was still with you: Everything must be fulfilled that is written about me in the Law of Moses, the Prophets and the Psalms."

45 Then he opened their minds so they could understand the Scriptures.

46 He told them, "This is what is written: The Messiah will suffer and rise

from the dead on the third day, <sup>47</sup> and repentance for the forgiveness of sins will be preached in his name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem. <sup>48</sup> You are witnesses of these things. <sup>49</sup> I am going to send you what my Father has promised; but stay in the city until you have been clothed with power from on high.”

<sup>50</sup> When he had led them out to the vicinity of Bethany, he lifted up his hands and blessed them. <sup>51</sup> While he was blessing them, he left them and was taken up into heaven. <sup>52</sup> Then they worshiped him and returned to Jerusalem with great joy. <sup>53</sup> And they stayed continually at the temple, praising God. (NIV)

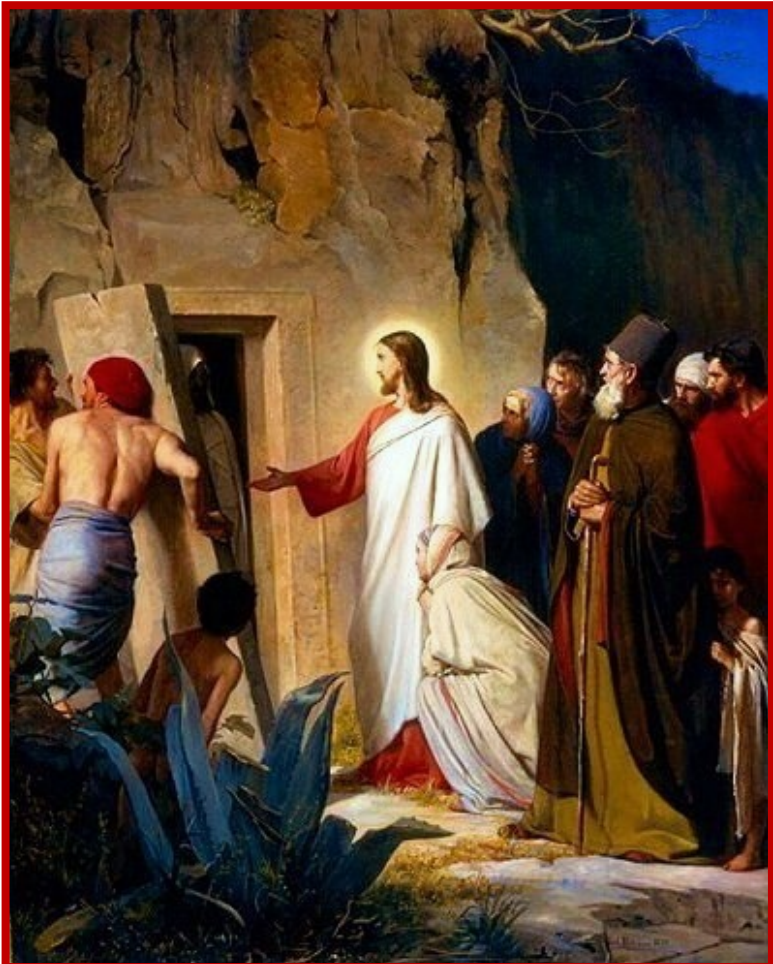
The Gospel of the Lord.

***Praise to you, Lord Christ.***

## **The Sermon**

Father Roger Grist

*Raising of Lazarus by Carl Bloch, 1870s ©*



## **The Exhortation**

Father Roger Grist

Dearly beloved, Scripture teaches that we were all dead in our sins and trespasses, but by grace we may be saved through faith. Our Savior Jesus Christ said, "Unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God"; and he commissioned the Church to "make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit." Here we ask our heavenly Father that these Candidates, being baptized with water, may be filled with the Holy Spirit, born again, and received into the Church as living members of Christ's body. Therefore, I urge you to call upon God the Father, through our Lord Jesus Christ, that of his abundant mercy he will grant to these Candidates that which by nature they cannot have.

## **The Presentation**

Father Roger Grist

The Candidates for Holy Baptism will now be presented.

I present Kendyl Duddles to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.

*Celebrant* Have you already been baptized?

*Candidate* **No.**

*Celebrant* Do you desire to be baptized?

*Candidate* **I do.**

I present Mia Lara to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.

*Celebrant* Have you already been baptized?

*Candidate* **No.**

*Celebrant* Do you desire to be baptized?

*Candidate* **I do.**

Today, along with these children, you shall make vows to renounce the devil and all his works, to trust God wholeheartedly, and to serve him faithfully. It is your task to see that these children are taught, as soon as they are able to learn, the meaning of all these vows, and of the Faith that you will profess as revealed in the Holy Scriptures. They must come to put their faith in Jesus Christ, and learn the Creeds, the Lord's Prayer, the Ten Commandments, and all other things that a Christian ought to know, believe, and do for the welfare of their soul. When they have embraced all these, they are to come to the Bishop to be confirmed, that they may publicly claim the Faith for their own and be further strengthened by the Holy Spirit to serve Christ and his kingdom.

Are you willing and ready to undertake this?

*Godparents and Sponsoring Parents*

***I am, the Lord being my helper.***



*Saint Michael Vanquishing Satan by Raphael, 1518* ©

## Profession of Faith

*The Celebrant then examines the Candidates who can speak for themselves, and the Godparents and Sponsoring Parents who will speak on behalf of infants or young children, saying*

*Question* Do you renounce the devil and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?

*Answer* ***I renounce them.***

*Question* Do you renounce the empty promises and deadly deceits of this world that corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?

*Answer* ***I renounce them.***

*Question* Do you renounce the sinful desires of the flesh that draw you from the love of God?

*Answer* ***I renounce them.***

Almighty God deliver you from the powers of darkness and evil, and lead you into the light and obedience of the kingdom of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord. ***Amen.***



*Question* Do you turn to Jesus Christ and confess him as your Lord and Savior?

*Answer* ***I do.***

*Question* Do you joyfully receive the Christian Faith, as revealed in the Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments?

*Answer* ***I do.***

*Question* Will you obediently keep God's holy will and commandments, and walk in them all the days of your life?

*Answer* ***I will, the Lord being my helper.***

PLEASE STAND

Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support these persons in their life in Christ? ***We will.***

## **The Apostles' Creed**

Let us join with these Candidates to proclaim our faith in the words of the ancient baptismal confession, the Apostles' Creed.

*Celebrant* Do you believe and trust in God the Father?

*People* ***I do.***

***I believe in God the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.***

*Celebrant* Do you believe and trust in Jesus Christ?

*People* ***I do.***

***I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.***

***He was conceived by the Holy Spirit***

***and born of the Virgin Mary.***

***He suffered under Pontius Pilate,***

***was crucified, died, and was buried.***

***He descended to the dead.***

***On the third day he rose again.***

***He ascended into heaven,***

***and is seated at the right hand of the Father.***

***He will come again to judge the living and the dead.***

*Celebrant* Do you believe and trust in the Holy Spirit?

*People* ***I do.***

***I believe in the Holy Spirit,***

***the holy catholic Church,***

***the communion of saints,***

***the forgiveness of sins,***

***the resurrection of the body,***

***and the life everlasting. Amen.***

## **Litany for the Candidates**

Let us now pray for these Candidates who are to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.

That these children may come to confess their faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior.

***We beseech you to hear us, Good Lord.***

That all these Candidates may continue in the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers.

***We beseech you to hear us, Good Lord.***

That they may walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which they have been called, ever growing in faith and all heavenly virtues.

***We beseech you to hear us, Good Lord.***

That they may persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever they fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord.

***We beseech you to hear us, Good Lord.***

That they may proclaim by word and deed the Good News of God in Christ Jesus to a lost and broken world.

***We beseech you to hear us, Good Lord.***

That as living members of the Body of Christ, they may grow up in every way into him who is the head.

***We beseech you to hear us, Good Lord.***

That, looking to Jesus, they may run with endurance the race set before them, and at the last receive the unfading crown of glory.

***We beseech you to hear us, Good Lord.***

## **Prayer for the Candidates**

Let us pray. Almighty and everlasting Father, in your great mercy you saved Noah and his family in the Ark from the destruction of the flood, prefiguring the Sacrament of Holy Baptism. Look mercifully upon these your servants. Wash and sanctify them through your Holy Spirit, that they may be delivered from destruction and received into the Ark of Christ's Church; and being steadfast in faith, joyful through hope, and rooted in love, they may pass through the turbulent floods of this troublesome world and come into the land of everlasting life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. ***Amen.***

## **Thanksgiving Over the Water**

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* ***And with your spirit.***

*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts.

*People* ***We lift them up to the Lord.***

*Celebrant* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People* ***It is right to give him thanks and praise.***

We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over it the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through it you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In it your Son Jesus received the baptism of John in the River Jordan when the Holy Spirit descended upon him as a dove.

We thank you, Father, for the water of Baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are

made regenerate by the Holy Spirit. Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Now, Father, sanctify this water by the power of your Holy Spirit. May all who are baptized here be cleansed from sin, be born again, and continue for ever faithful in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Savior. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## **The Baptism**

*The Celebrant may say to the Sponsors*

Name this Candidate/Child.

*Kendyl or Mia*, I baptize you in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

*Kendyl or Mia*, receive the sign of the Cross as a token of your new life in Christ, in which you shall not be ashamed to confess the faith of Christ crucified, to fight bravely under his banner against the world, the flesh, and the devil, and to continue as his faithful soldier and servant to the end of your days. **Amen.**

Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon these your servants the forgiveness of sin, received them as your own children by adoption, made them members of your holy Church, and raised them to the new life of grace. Sustain them, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit, that they may enjoy everlasting salvation through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Let us welcome the newly baptized.

***We receive you into the fellowship of the Church. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in the royal priesthood of all his people.***

PLEASE STAND

## **The Peace**

The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

***And with your spirit.***

PLEASE BE SEATED

## **Announcements and Birthday/Anniversary Blessings**

### **The Offertory Anthem†**

*Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise*

Music: Robert J. Powell

Words: Charles Wesley

Hail the day that sees Him rise, Alleluia, Alleluia!  
To His throne above the skies, Alleluia, Alleluia!  
Christ, the Lamb for sinners given, Alleluia, Alleluia!  
Enters now the highest heaven, Alleluia, Alleluia!

There the glorious triumph waits, // Lift your heads, eternal gates.  
 Christ hath conquered death and sin, // Take the King of glory in.  
 Alleluia, Alleluia!

Lord, beyond our mortal sight. // Raise our hearts to reach Thy height,  
 There Thy face unclouded see, // Find our heav'n of heav'ns in thee.  
 Alleluia, Alleluia!

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Yours, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the  
 victory, and the majesty: for everything in heaven and on earth is yours;  
 yours is the Kingdom, O Lord, and you are exalted as Head above all. All  
 things come from you, O Lord, ***And of your own have we given you.***

[1 Chronicles 29:11, 14]

PLEASE STAND

## The Doxology†

Hymnal 380, v. 3

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
 praise him, all creatures here below;  
 praise him above, ye heavenly host:  
 praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## The Sursum Corda

*Lift up your hearts*

The Lord be with you. ***And with your spirit.*** Lift up your hearts. ***We lift them up to the Lord.*** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. ***It is right to give him thanks and praise.***

It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Through your dearly beloved Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who after his most glorious resurrection appeared to his Apostles, and in their sight ascended into heaven to prepare a place for us; that where he is, there we might also ascend, and reign with him in glory.

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:

## The Sanctus<sup>1</sup>

*Holy, Holy, Holy*

Hymnal: S114

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God of  
 Hosts: Hea - ven and earth are full of thy glo - ry. Glo -  
 ry be to thee, O Lord Most High. Bless - ed is he that com - eth  
 in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

<sup>1</sup> 8 A.M. spoken; 10:30 A.M. sung

## **The Prayer of Consecration**

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and when we had sinned against you and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent your only Son Jesus Christ into the world for our salvation. By the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary he became flesh and dwelt among us. In obedience to your will, he stretched out his arms upon the Cross and offered himself once for all, that by his suffering and death we might be saved. By his resurrection he broke the bonds of death, trampling Hell and Satan under his feet. As our great high priest, he ascended to your right hand in glory, that we might come with confidence before the throne of grace.

On the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my Body, which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for 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 in remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

***Christ has died.***

***Christ is risen.***

***Christ WILL come again.***

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, and we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Word and Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Sanctify us also, that we may worthily receive this holy Sacrament, and be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us and we in him. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us with all your saints into the joy of your heavenly kingdom, where we shall see our Lord face to face.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: 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. ***Amen.***

## **The Lord's Prayer**

And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray:

***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 Fraction

Alleluia. Christ our Passover Lamb has been sacrificed, once for all upon the Cross. *Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.*



## The Prayer of Humble Access

*We do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your abundant and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table; but you are the same Lord, whose character is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.*

## The Agnus Dei<sup>1</sup>

*O Lamb of God*

Hymnal: S158

O Lamb of God, that ta - kest a -  
 way the sins of the world, have mer - cy up -  
 on us. O Lamb of God, that  
 ta - kest a - way the sins of the world, have  
 mer - cy up - on us. O Lamb of  
 God, that ta - kest a - way the sins of the  
 world, grant us thy peace.

Music: From *Missa de Sancta Maria Magdalena*, Healey Willan (1880-1968). By permission of Oxford University Press.

1 8 A.M. spoken; 10:30 A.M. sung

# THE MINISTRATION OF COMMUNION

## Receiving Communion and Blessings

We welcome all baptized Christians to receive communion—right hand on top of left, palms up. Those wishing to receive only the bread may cross their arms over their chest as a sign to the Chalice Bearer that you will not be receiving the wine.

If you don't wish to receive communion or if you're not a baptized Christian, you may come up, fold your hands across your chest, and the Rector (Pastor) will say a prayer of blessing for you.

### Communion Hymn† *Lord, I Lift Your Name on High* Rick Founds

Lord, I lift Your name on high; Lord, I  
love to sing Your praises. I'm so glad You're in my life;  
I'm so glad You came to save us.  
You came from heav - en to earth to show the way;  
From the earth to the cross, my debt to pay.  
From the cross to the grave, From the grave  
to the sky; Lord, I lift Your name on high.

**Optional D.C. and/or D.S.**

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PLEASE KNEEL OR BE SEATED

## The Post Communion Prayer

Let us pray. *Almighty and ever-living God, we thank you for feeding us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us, through this Sacrament, of your favor and goodness towards us: that we are true members of the mystical body of your Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of your everlasting kingdom. And we humbly ask you, heavenly Father, to assist us with your grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all the good works that you have prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.*

## The Blessing

Father Roger Grist

Christ the Consolator by Carl Bloch, by 1890 ©





PLEASE STAND

## The Closing Hymn†

Hymn 214

1 Hail the day that sees him rise, Al - le - lu - ia!  
2 There the glo - rious tri - umph waits; Al - le - lu - ia!  
\*3 See! he lifts his hands a - bove; Al - le - lu - ia!  
4 Lord be - yond our mor - tal sight, Al - le - lu - ia!

glo - rious to his na - tive skies; Al - le - lu - ia!  
lift your heads, e - ter - nal gates! Al - le - lu - ia!  
See! he shows the prints of love; Al - le - lu - ia!  
raise our hearts to reach thy height, Al - le - lu - ia!

Christ, a - while to mor - tals given, Al - le - lu - ia!  
Wide un - fold the ra - diant scene; Al - le - lu - ia!  
Hark! his gra - cious lips be - stow, Al - le - lu - ia!  
there thy face un - cloud - ed see, Al - le - lu - ia!

en - ters now the high - est heaven! Al - le - lu - ia!  
take the King of glo - ry in! Al - le - lu - ia!  
bless - ings on his Church be - low. Al - le - lu - ia!  
find our heaven of heavens in thee. Al - le - lu - ia!

Words: Charles Wesley (1707-1788), alt. Music: *Llanfair*, Robert Williams (1781-1821).

## The Dismissal

Father Roger Grist

## Postlude†

Organist

# WELCOME

**If you're new to St. Anne's Church, here are some things that can help make your worship experience even more enjoyable.**

1. The service is outlined in this bulletin. If you get lost, which is normal, just stay where you are in the bulletin and you'll soon find where we are.
2. You may be unfamiliar with some of the service music and hymns we sing. Feel free to just listen to the music and let God speak to you through it.
3. If you'd prefer not to kneel at those times in the service, remaining seated is fine.
4. You won't be singled out as a guest. Please fill out our Guest/Member Communication Card near the pencils in the pew backs and drop it in the offering plate at the back.
5. Our ushers are available to answer any of your questions.

**Relax, focus on God, and worship with your mind and heart.  
Enjoy your visit with us, as we will enjoy having you here.**

## CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

We welcome your children to our worship services! Pick up an activity folder and coloring bag from the bookshelf just outside the Nave for your child to enjoy during worship.

## WAYS TO GIVE ONLINE TO ST. ANNE'S

[stannesfw.org/giving](http://stannesfw.org/giving) or text any amount (e.g., 25) to 646-832-4848 (quickcode: *stannes*)

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The sanctuary light is given to the Glory of God by St. Deborah's Guild.

The altar flowers are given to the Glory of God in memory of  
Darrell Kirkpatrick by Jo Ellen Anderson and Martha McKean  
and were arranged by Linda Mac Ahan.

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## OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE AND BLESS

*Cards and prayers for members and loved ones*

Was someone removed from this list in error? Do you need to add someone?  
Contact Bev in the office at [bev@stannesfw.org](mailto:bev@stannesfw.org) or 817-237-1888.

### Healing

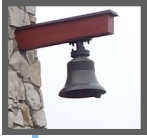
Max & Melissa Baucum;  
George Cestaro; Jerrell Co-  
burn; Anna Conde; John Ed-  
wards; Marisela Espino; Sister  
Monica Clare (Jan Gill); Lisa  
Hardin; Terry Henderson; Rita  
Prestage; Linda Trotter

### Shut-in

Sister Monica Clare (Jan Gill)

### Military

Andrew Anderson (Navy); Johnathan Carpenter  
(Army); Ryan Carter (Air Force); George Curl, Richard  
Curl & Stephanie Curl (Air Force); Kevin Frey (Army);  
Kevin Gonzalez (Marines); Connor Klein (Air Force)



# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## THIS WEEK

### Sunday, May 21

*Breakfast fundraisers after  
each morning service*

10:30 A.M. Baptisms

4:00 P.M. Cursillo

### Monday, May 22

*Father Roger's Day Off*

### Tuesday, May 23

7:00 P.M. Spanish Prayer Group

### Wednesday, May 24

9:00 A.M. Women's Bible Study  
in Spanish

### Thursday, May 25

6:00 P.M. Book Club for Ladies

7:00 P.M. Holy Hour in Spanish

### Friday, May 26

7:00 P.M. Couples' Evening for  
Spanish Parishioners

### Saturday, May 27

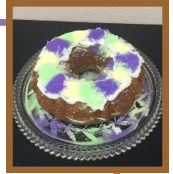
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**GIVING**   Needs   Offerings  
**LAST SUN.:** \$8,020 ~ \$5,729

## BIRTHDAYS

23 Diane Barber

27 Max Baucum



## ANNIVERSARY

27 Andres & Hilda Balderas

## Book Club for Ladies

Thurs., May 25 at 6 P.M.

## FAREWELL RECEPTION FOR FATHER ROGER & NANCY GRIST

Sun., May 28 after each service

Sign up at the Welcome Center

## YOUTH FUNDRAISING BREAKFASTS TODAY

for St. Michael's Conference

Thanks for your donations. (No  
breakfasts next Sunday. We'll be at  
Father Roger's reception instead!)



## FATHER ROGER AND FATHER MARIO'S LAST SUNDAY: MAY 28

Reception for Father Roger following each worship service

Father DeWayne Adams will serve as our interim rector (pastor).

## SERVING TODAY

### Sunday, May 21

*LEM's  
Readers  
Altar Guild  
Prayer Team  
Ushers  
Coffee Hosts  
Welcome Center*

### 8:00 A.M.

Linda Wright/Sam Pressler  
George Curl/Mike Walsh  
Linda Wright/Linda Mac Ahan  
Susie Massey/Diane Barber  
Bill Risk/Ron Myrick  
Jim Rezac  
Carolyn Walsh/Mike Walsh

### 10:30 A.M.

Ken Skoczlas/Rich Mac Kay  
Wendy Hernandez/Mandy Smith  
Jo Mac Kay/Peggie Morales  
Bernie Christian  
Joan Cestaro/Keith Smith  
Gault/Skoczlas  
Jayne Adams

# ST. ANNE'S CHURCH

**The Right Reverend Ryan Reed, Bishop  
The Very Reverend Dr. Roger Grist, Rector  
The Reverend Mario Hauttecoeur, Assistant**

## LEADERSHIP

### St. Anne's Vestry

*Senior Warden* Martha McKean  
*Junior Warden* Charles Mac Ahan

Martha Aguilar  
Tad Chichester  
Chuy Mota  
Kay Sanders  
Amanda Smith

*Treasurer* Dolores Nelson\*  
*Clerk* Leigh Eichhorst\*

*\*ad hoc representative*

### Ministry Coordinators

*Choirmaster & Organist* Martha McKean  
*Acolytes* Rich Mac Kay  
*Altar Flowers* Melissa Baucum  
Karen Chichester  
*Altar Guild* Merry Frey  
Linda Wright  
*Children & Youth* Jesús Mota  
*Lay Eucharistic Ministers* Chuck Parmele  
*Readers* John Edwards  
*Ushers* Bill McKean  
*Welcome Center* Melissa Baucum  
*Funerals* Melissa Baucum  
*Kitchen* Karen Chichester  
*Weddings* Melissa Baucum  
*Prayer Shawl Ministry* BJ Lancaster  
*Parish Administrator* Bev Pierce  
*Sexton* Elmer Beard

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