

Today, June 30, 2024 Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

Celebrant: Rev. Steve Klots

Soloist: Donna Marie Castaner

Minister of Communion: Liza Smith

Worship Assistance:

Usher: William Trowbridge

Lector: Dobrila Waugh

Intercessor: Cathy Casey

Altar: Marybeth Franks-Begor

Hospitality: Cathy Casey

ECCT 2024 Prayer Cycle: St. Peter's, Oxford; Christ Church, Oxford; St. John's, Pine Meadow. Summer chapels in New London, Norfolk and Fenwick; summer outdoor worship services; Vacation Bible Schools, parish-based summer camp programs and mission trips.

Parish Family Prayers

Beata Baird, Diana Clark, Jim Dinello, Janet Dyroff, Andrew Franks,

Pam Hamilton, Rindy Higgins, Joseph, Françoise Kelz, Fritz,

Eileen Mulligan, Robert Powers, Noah Fujimoto Sands, Glen Tyler, Rev. Roger White

*The Altar Flowers that adorn the Sanctuary are given to the glory of
God and in loving memory of
Philip Truax by Rev. Heidi Truax and
William Oliver Baily by Carol Baily French*

“Weaver of justice, let us be your hands and feet! May we follow the Spirit’s lead and work for justice and equity for our LGBTQIA+, brown, and black siblings. In prayer we say Black Lives Matter, that our LGBTQIA+ siblings are made in your image, and we are committed to your ministry of reconciliation. In your mercy. Hear our prayer.”

— *The Rev. Karen Sease*

Independence Day: Lord God Almighty, in whose Name the founders of this country won liberty for themselves and for us, and lit the torch of freedom for nations then unborn: Grant, we beseech thee, that we and all the people of this land may have grace to maintain these liberties in righteousness and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

9:00 AM

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Rite Two

Organ Prelude: *Isn't He Wonderful?*

Maranatha

Micah 6:8

The Word of God

Opening Hymn: *And Now, Oh Father, Mindful of Thy Love vs. 1-2* Hymnal 337

Opening Greeting Book of Common Prayer 355

Glory to God in the Highest (*said*) BCP 356

Collect for the Day Insert

The Lessons and Sermon

First Reading: Wisdom of Solomon 1:13-15; 2:23-24 Insert

Psalm Psalm 30 Insert

Epistle 2 Corinthians 8:7-15 Insert

Gospel Hymn: *O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing* Hymnal 493

Gospel Mark 5:21-43 Insert

Sermon *Rev. Stephen Klots*

Meditation *Lord You're Worthy* *Maranatha*

The Nicene Creed BCP 358

Prayers of the People Form III BCP 387

Confession BCP 359

Sharing of God's Peace: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also, with you.

The Holy Communion

Offertory Music: *Amazing Grace* *Traditional Spiritual*

Offering of Gifts-*Doxology* Hymnal 380

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharist Prayer B BCP 367

Sanctus: *Holy, holy, holy* Hymnal S-130

The Lord's Prayer BCP 364

The Breaking of the Bread BCP 364

The Sharing of Communion BCP 365

Communion Hymn: *In Remembrance* *Martin Broones*

Post Communion Prayer and Blessing BCP 365

Recessional Hymn: *The Church's One Foundation* Hymnal 525

Dismissal: Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

Thanks be to God.

Organ Postlude: *My God is So High*

Traditional Spiritual

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are seeking a second person to act as Lay Delegate to represent this church. The requirement is to attend the ECCT convention held usually in October, which is held in a central part of CT, usually at a convention center. If you are interested, talk with our Senior Warden, Joanie Yahn email her at joandawg@comcast.net. Tanya Waugh, is currently one delegate, and Cathy is an alternate, should you wish to talk with them about the position.

CRAZY CRAFTERS: Meet in July on the 2nd and 16th at 3:00, in the parish hall.

HOSPITALITY: Sign Up on the calendar by the coffee pot. We are anxious to try some secret recipe you have in July.

SUNDAY NIGHTS- AA MEETINGS MENS GROUP- 7:30-8:30 PM
TUESDAY/THURSDAY-AA SHARON HAPPY HOUR-5:30-6:30 PM

SCHOLARSHIPS-Applications are available through the church office for parish college students. Applications should be received by July 30.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH CHOIR-Singing for Fun! 10:30 AM on Sundays

WELCOME to Reverend Stephen Klots, who is the South Kent School's chaplain, and heads up the coaching staff for Cross Country. A member of the South Kent faculty since 1994, the Rev. Klots teaches English.

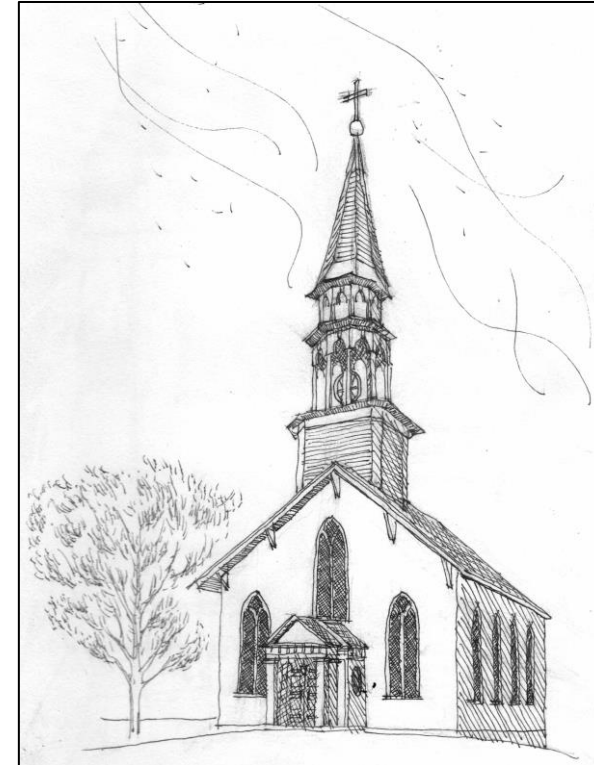
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The Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

June 30, 2024

The Holy Eucharist

9:00 A.M.

Mission Statement

We are called to be one with God and each other by living the Gospel with love and compassion.