

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

THE PROPERS FOR LABOR DAY SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER FOUR, TWO THOUSAND ELEVEN ELEVEN FIFTEEN IN THE MORNING

WASHINGTON HEBREW CONGREGATION

The Cathedral Church of St. Peter & St. Paul in the City & Episcopal Diocese of Washington

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

Carillon

WELCOME

Creation

When I with pleasing wonder stand, and all my frame survey, Lord 'tis thy work; I own, thy hand thus built my humble clay. Our life contains a thousand springs, and dies if one be gone. Strange that a harp of thousand strings should keep in tune so long.

Sung by all, standing.

Isaac Watts(1674–1748)

St. Denio

THE ENTRANCE RITE

HYMN AT THE PROCESSION

Immortal, invisible, God only wise



Leo Sowerby (1895-1968)

William Billings (1746–1800)

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Presider	Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.
People	Glory to God for ever and ever.

SONG OF PRAISE

People of God, gather together

Peo-ple of God, ga-ther to - geth - er, come, let us sing on this ی، glo - rious day. Shout-ing a - broad praise to the mak - er come and with bo-dy and soul let us pray. Come let us join in the hea-ven-ly dance, prais-ing in joy-ous ce-le - bra tion.

THE COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Presider	The Lord be with you.
People	And also with you.
Presider	Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have so linked our lives one with another that all we do affects, for good or ill, all other lives: So guide us in the work we do, that we may do it not for self alone, but for the common good; and, as we seek a proper return for our own labor, make us mindful of the rightful aspirations of other workers, and arouse our concern for those who are out of work; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The Word of God

The people are seated for the reading and psalm.

THE READING

Ecclesiasticus 38:27-32

So it is with every artisan and master artisan who labors by night as well as by day; those who cut the signets of seals, each is diligent in making a great variety; they set their heart on painting a lifelike image, and they are careful to finish their work. So it is with the smith, sitting by the anvil, intent on his ironwork; the breath of the fire melts his flesh, and he struggles with the heat of the furnace; the sound of the hammer deafens his ears, and his eyes are on the pattern of the object. He sets his heart on finishing his handiwork, and he is careful to complete its decoration. So it is with the potter sitting at his work and turning the wheel with his feet; he is always deeply concerned over his products, and he produces them in quantity. He molds the clay with his arm and makes it pliable with his feet; he sets his heart on finishing the glazing, and he takes care in firing the kiln. All these rely on their hands, and all are skilful in their own work. Without them no city can be inhabited, and wherever they live, they will not go hungry. Yet they are not sought out for the council of the people.

ReaderThe Word of the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God.

Earth and All Stars

psalm 107:1-9

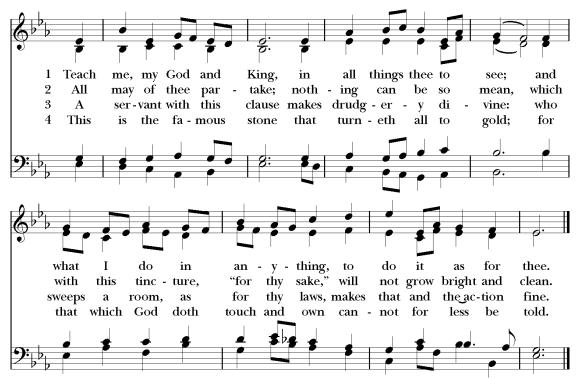
One measure of music is sung for each half verse, changing pitch on the underlined syllable.



Cantor	Give thanks to the Lord, for he is <u>good</u> , and his mercy endures for <u>ev</u> er. Let all those whom the Lord has redeemed pro <u>claim</u> that he redeemed them from the hand of the <u>foe</u> .
All	He gathered them out of the <u>lands;</u> from the east and from the west, from the north and from the <u>south</u> . Some wandered in desert <u>wastes;</u> they found no way to a city where they might <u>dwell</u> .
Cantor	They were hungry and <u>thir</u> sty; their spirits languished with <u>in</u> them. Then they cried to the Lord in their <u>trou</u> ble, and he delivered them from their dis <u>tress</u> .
All	He put their feet on a straight <u>path</u> to go to a city where they might <u>dwell</u> . Let them give thanks to the Lord for his <u>mer</u> cy and the wonders he does for his <u>chil</u> dren.
	For he satisfies the <u>thir</u> sty and fills the hungry with <u>good</u> things.

HYMN AT THE SEQUENCE

Teach me, my God and King



THE GOSPEL

Matthew 6:19-24

Carlisle

GospellerThe Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.PeopleGlory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said, "Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust consume and where thieves break in and steal; but store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust consumes and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. The eye is the lamp of the body. So, if your eye is healthy, your whole body will be full of light; but if your eye is unhealthy, your whole body will be full of darkness. If then the light in you is darkness, how great is the darkness! No one can serve two masters; for a slave will either hate the one and love the other, or be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth."

Gospeller	The Gospel of the Lord.
People	Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The people are seated at the invitation of the preacher.

THE SERMON

Canon Sulerud

THE NICENE CREED

Said by all.

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

After each petition,

Intercessor	God of grace,
People	May we serve only you.

The presider prays the concluding collect, and the people respond Amen.

CONFESSION

Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep, we have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts, we have offended against your holy laws, we have left undone those things which we ought to have done, and we have done those things which we ought not to have done. But you, O Lord, have mercy on us, spare those who confess their faults, and restore those who are penitent, according to your promises declared through Christ Jesus our Lord; and grant, most merciful Father, for his sake , that we may hereafter live a godly and righteous life to the glory of your holy Name. Amen.

The presider offers absolution and the people respond Amen.

THE PEACE

PresiderThe peace of the Lord be always with you.PeopleAnd also with you.

The people greet one another with a sign of God's peace and then are seated.

THE OFFERTORY

The people remain seated while an offering is collected to support the Cathedral's work of sharing God's love with the world.

ANTHEM AT THE OFFERTORY

O clap your hands

Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872–1958)

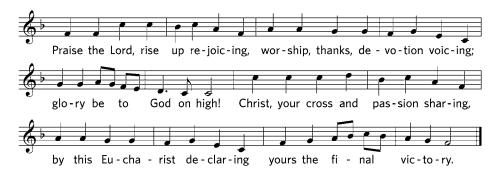
O clap your hands, all ye people: shout unto God with the voice of triumph For the Lord most high is terrible; he is a great King over all the earth. God is gone up with a shout, the Lord with the sound of a trumpet. Sing praises, sing praises to God; sing praises, sing praises unto our King. For God is the King of all the earth; sing ye praises every one that hath understanding. God reigneth over the heathen; God sitteth upon the throne of his holiness. Sing praises, sing praises unto our King.

Psalm 47

PRESENTATION HYMN

Praise the Lord, rise up rejoicing

Alles ist an Gottes Segen



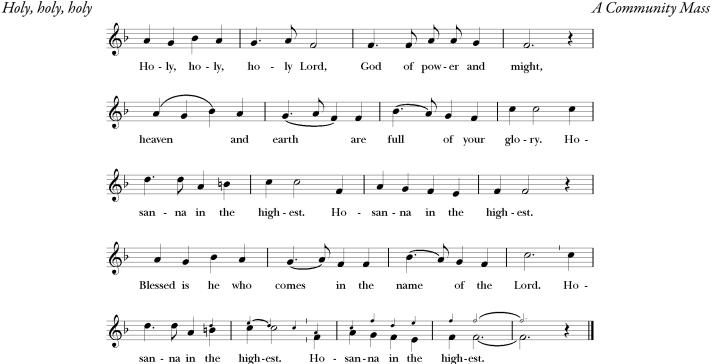
THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

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

The presider offers our thanks to God for the grace and mercy made available to us in Christ and in response we sing:

SANCTUS AND BENEDICTUS



The presider gives thanks to God for the reconciling work of Christ's passion and resurrection and prays over the bread and wine.

PresiderPour out your Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ.PeopleBreathe your Spirit over the whole earth and make us your new creation, the Body of Christ
given for the world you have made.

In the fullness of time bring us, with all your saints, from every tribe and language and people and nation, to feast at the banquet prepared from the foundation of the world. Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever. **AMEN**.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 breaking of the bread ${\ensuremath{\mathfrak{C}}}$ the fraction anthem



INVITATION

The people are seated.

All who seek God and a deeper life in Christ are welcome to receive Holy Communion. Gluten-free wafers are available; please make your need known to the minister. If you desire to receive prayers for healing, you are invited to proceed to Memorial Chapel after receiving Holy Communion or immediately following the service.

ANTHEM AT THE COMMUNION

My Shepherd will supply my need

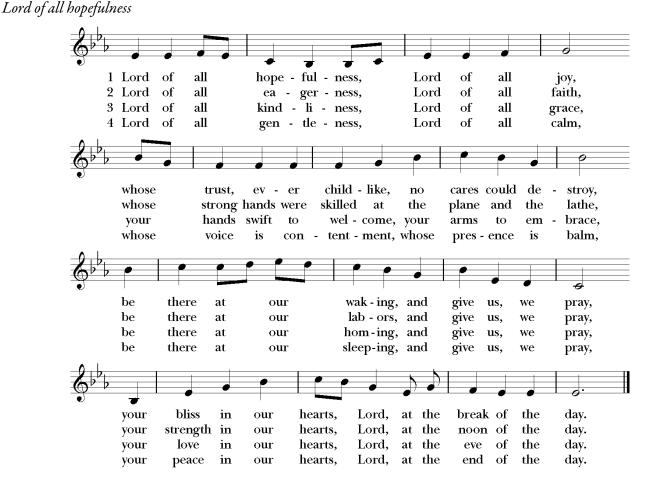
Virgil Thompson (1896–1989)

My Shepherd will supply my need, Jehovah is his Name. In pastures fresh he makes me feed beside the living stream. He brings my wandering spirit back when I forsake his ways. He leads me for his mercy's sake in paths of truth and grace. When I walk through the shades of death thy presence is my stay. One word of thy supporting breath drives all my fears away. Thy hand, in sight of all my foes, doth still my table spread. My cup with blessings overflows, thine oil anoints my head. The sure provisions of my God attend me all my days. O may thy house be my abode and all my work be praise. There would I find a settled rest, while others go and come. No more a stranger or a guest but like a child at home.

Psalm 23

HYMN AT THE COMMUNION

Slane



THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER Said by all.

Loving God, we give you thanks for restoring us in your image and nourishing us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood. Now send us forth a people, forgiven, healed, renewed; that we may proclaim your love to the world and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

SENDING FORTH OF EUCHARISTIC VISITORS

PresiderIn the name of this congregation, we send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you
go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood.PeopleWe who are many are one body, because we all share one bread, one cup.

THE BLESSING

The presider offers a blessing and the people respond Amen.

Jesus, thou divine Companion

Sung by all.

Pleading Savior



THE DISMISSAL

GospellerGo in peace to love and serve the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God.

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

Toccata

L. Sowerby

With thanks to Washington Hebrew Congregation for their tremendous hospitality as we assess damage to the Cathedral done in the August 23 earthquake.

PRESIDER The Very Reverend Samuel T. Lloyd III

GOSPELLER The Reverend Frederick Quinn

ASSISTANT The Reverend Nicole Simopoulos

PREACHER

The Reverend Canon Mary Sulerud

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Cathedral Singers Jeremy Filsell, *artist in residence* Canon Michael McCarthy, *director of music*

Flowers throughout the Cathedral are given to the glory of God. Flowers at the high altar are given in honor of the employees of Washington Cathedral and the Cathedral Foundation and in celebration of the marriage of Jennifer Beeler and Michael Neal; flowers at the altar in Children's Chapel are given in memory of Earl Mountbatten of Burma and his grandson, the Honorable Nicholas Knatchbull; flowers at the altar in War Memorial Chapel are given in memory of Clausen Francis Stekl; and flowers at the altar in Bethlehem Chapel are given in memory of Stephen Mitchell Hoyt.

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