

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

THE NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST SUNDAY, OCTOBER TWENTY-THREE, TWO THOUSAND ELEVEN ELEVEN FIFTEEN IN THE MORNING

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THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF ST. PETER & ST. PAUL IN THE CITY & EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF WASHINGTON

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

Meditation

Gabriel Dupont (1878–1914)

WELCOME

INTROIT

I sat down

Edward Bairstow (1874–1946)

I sat down under his shadow with great delight, and his fruit was sweet to my taste. He brought me to the banqueting house, and his banner over me was love.

Song of Solomon 2:3-4

THE ENTRANCE RITE





OPENING ACCLAMATION

Presider Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.

People Glory to God for ever and ever.

SONG OF PRAISE

To God be the glory

W. H. Doane (1832–1916)



THE COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Presider The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Presider Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command; 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 readings and psalm.

THE FIRST READING

Deuteronomy 34:1–12

Moses went up from the plains of Moab to Mount Nebo, to the top of Pisgah, which is opposite Jericho, and the Lord showed him the whole land: Gilead as far as Dan, all Naphtali, the land of Ephraim and Manasseh, all the land of Judah as far as the Western Sea, the Negeb, and the Plain—that is, the valley of Jericho, the city of palm trees—as far as Zoar. The Lord said to him, "This is the land of which I swore to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, saying, 'I will give it to your descendants'; I have let you see it with your eyes, but you shall not cross over there." Then Moses, the servant of the Lord, died there in the land of Moab, at the Lord's command. He was buried in a valley in the land of Moab, opposite Beth-peor, but no one knows his burial place to this day. Moses was one hundred twenty years old when he died; his sight was unimpaired and his vigor had not abated. The Israelites wept for Moses in the plains of Moab thirty days; then the period of mourning for Moses was ended. Joshua son of Nun was full of the spirit of wisdom, because Moses had laid his hands on him; and the Israelites obeyed him, doing as the Lord had commanded Moses. Never since has there arisen a prophet in Israel like Moses, whom the Lord knew face to face. He was unequaled for all the signs and wonders that the Lord sent him to perform in the land of Egypt, against Pharaoh and all his servants and his entire land, and for all the mighty deeds and all the terrifying displays of power that Moses performed in the sight of all Israel.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

The choir introduces the antiphon, then all repeat.



Lord, you have been our refuge from one generation to another.

Before the mountains were brought forth, or the land and the earth were born,

from age to age you are God. You turn us back to the dust and say, "Go back, O child of earth."

For a thousand years in your sight are like yesterday when it is past

and like a watch in the night.
You sweep us away like a dream;
we fade away suddenly like the grass.

In the morning it is green and flourishes; in the evening it is dried up and withered. Return, O Lord; how long will you tarry?

be gracious to your servants.

Satisfy us by your loving-kindness in the morning; so shall we rejoice and be glad all the days of our life.

Make us glad by the measure of the days that you afflicted us and the years in which we suffered adversity.

Show your servants your works

and your splendor to their children.

May the graciousness of the Lord our God be upon us;
prosper the work of our hands; prosper our handiwork.

All sing the antiphon.



THE SECOND READING

I Thessalonians 2:1–8

You yourselves know, brothers and sisters, that our coming to you was not in vain, but though we had already suffered and been shamefully mistreated at Philippi, as you know, we had courage in our God to declare to you the gospel of God in spite of great opposition. For our appeal does not spring from deceit or impure motives or trickery, but just as we have been approved by God to be entrusted with the message of the gospel, even so we speak, not to please mortals, but to please God who tests our hearts. As you know and as God is our witness, we never came with words of flattery or with a pretext for greed; nor did we seek praise from mortals, whether from you or from others, though we might have made demands as apostles of Christ. But we were gentle among you, like a nurse tenderly caring for her own children. So deeply do we care for you that we are determined to share with you not only the gospel of God but also our own selves, because you have become very dear to us.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

HYMN AT THE SEQUENCE

Where cross the crowded ways of life

Gardiner



THE GOSPEL Matthew 22:34–46

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

When the Pharisees heard that he had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together, and one of them, a lawyer, asked him a question to test him. "Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?" He said to him, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind.' This is the greatest and first commandment. And a second is like it: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets." Now while the Pharisees were gathered together, Jesus asked them this question: "What do you think of the Messiah? Whose son is he?" They said to him, "The son of David." He said to them, "How is it then that David by the Spirit calls him Lord, saying, 'The Lord said to my Lord, "Sit at my right hand, until I put your enemies under your feet"? If David thus calls him Lord, how can he be his son?" No one was able to give him an answer, nor from that day did anyone dare to ask him any more questions.

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 people stand.

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

Said by all.

After each petition,

Intercessor God of abundance,

People Make us faithful stewards of your Creation.

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

CONFESSION

God our Father, long-suffering, full of grace and truth, you create us from nothing and give us life. You give your faithful people new life in the water of baptism. You do not turn your face from us, nor cast us aside. We confess that we have sinned against you and our neighbor. We have wounded your love and marred your image in us. Restore us for the sake of your Son, and bring us to heavenly joy, in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The presider offers absolution and the people respond Amen.

THE PEACE

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And 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

The Prayer of St. Francis

René Clausen (b. 1953)

The Eighth Tune

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace. Where there is hatred, let me bring love. Where there is injury, help me to pardon. Where there is doubt, let me bring faith. Where there is despair, let me bring hope. Where there is darkness, let me bring light. Where there is sorrow, let me bring joy. O Lord, master divine, grant that I not so much seek to be consoled, as to console, to be understood as to understand, to be loved as to love. For it is in giving that we receive, and in pardoning that we are pardoned. For in dying we are born to eternal life.

The people stand to sing the presentation hymn and remain standing.

PRESENTATION HYMN

We gather at your table

We gath - er at your ta-ble, Lord: we hum-bly lift our hearts to you! Here We share this meal and we are fed. Such bas - ic gifts be - come your sign: we all are wel-comed, all re-stored, and all are giv-en work to do. see you bro - ken in the bread; we know your love in com-mon wine.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

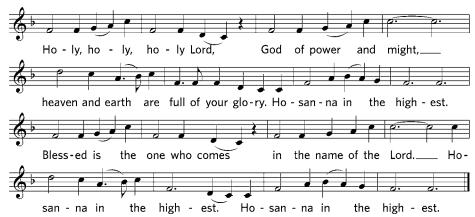
THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

PresiderThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.PresiderLift up your hearts.PeopleWe lift them to the Lord.

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People 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:

Holy, holy, holy Land of Rest



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

Presider Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

People Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ's Body in the world. Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your daughters and sons, that with all your saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever. 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 ${\cal C}$ 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 the designated location after receiving Holy Communion or immediately following the service.

ANTHEM AT THE COMMUNION

Jesu, grant me this, I pray

E. Bairstow

Jesu, grant me this, I pray, ever in thy heart to stay; let me ever more abide hidden in thy wounded side. If the evil one prepare, or the world, a tempting snare, I am safe when I abide in thy heart and wounded side. If the flesh, more dangerous still, tempt my soul to deeds of ill, naught I fear when I abide in thy heart and wounded side. Death will come to me one day; Jesu, cast me not away: dying let me still abide in thy heart and wounded side. Amen.

Seventeenth century Latin; trans. H.W. Baker

HYMN AT THE COMMUNION

Glory, love, and praise, and honor

Benifold



THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

People

Said by all.

O God, we give you thanks that you have set before us this feast, the body and blood of your Son. By your Spirit strengthen us to serve all in need and to give ourselves away as bread for the hungry, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SENDING FORTH OF EUCHARISTIC VISITORS

Presider In 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.

We 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.



THE DISMISSAL

Gospeller Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

Toccata, Op. 53, No. 6

PRESIDER

The Reverend Lyndon Shakespeare

GOSPELLER

The Reverend Canon Jan Naylor Cope

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