



Ascension Sunday / Mother's Day

Sunday, May 12, 2024 ❖ 9:30 am



A very warm welcome! We are delighted to have you join us. This bulletin has been designed to help you worship with us. Please note that wherever it says “stand, sit, kneel” (Episcopalian Calisthenics!), such are only suggestions. We Stand to Praise; Sit to Listen; and Kneel to Ask. You are welcome to do whatever you are able or find most comfortable.

We hope you will not find our silence before the liturgy to be a lack of hospitality. We merely have a custom of keeping the silence before the liturgy as a time of preparation and talking to God. We will be very enthusiastic to talk with you and each other after the service. There's an old adage which says, “Before liturgy, talk to God. During liturgy, let God talk to you. After liturgy, talk to each other.”

Please remember St Michael's in your prayers and we hope you will return to worship with us again!

**Altar flowers are given by the Dunlap Family
to the glory of God and in loving memory of David Stuart Dunlap.**

THE PRELUDE

“Sonata in C Minor” by Pescetti performed by Naomi Gesk, Harpist

THE INTROIT HYMN *(Please stand as able.)*

Hymnal 215

See the Conqueror mounts in triumph

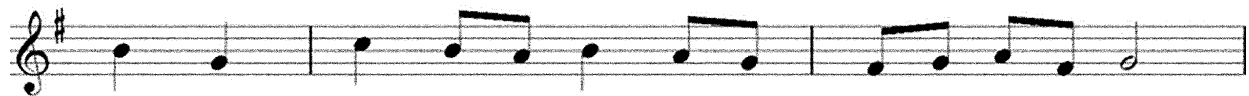
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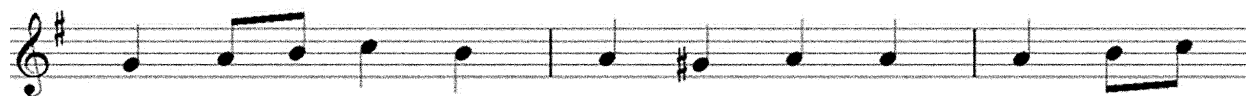
1 See the Con - queror mounts in tri - umph; see the King in
2 He who on the cross did suf - fer, he who from the
3 Thou hast raised our hu - man na - ture on the clouds to



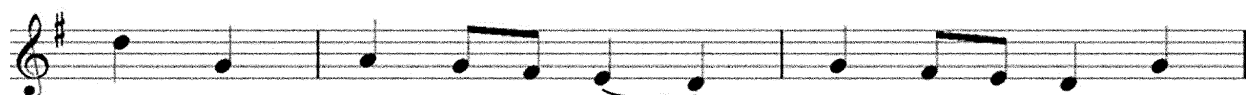
roy - al state, rid - ing on the clouds, his
grave a - rose, he has van - quished sin and
God's right hand: there we sit in heaven - ly



char - iot, to his heaven - ly pal - ace gate!
Sa - tan; he by death has spoiled his foes.
plac - es, there with thee in glo - ry stand.



Hark! the choirs of an - gel voic - es joy - ful
While he lifts his hands in bless - ing, he is
Je - sus reigns, a - dored by an - gels; Man with



al - le - lu - ias sing, and the por - tals
part - ed from his friends; while their ea - ger
God is on the throne; might - y Lord, in



high are lift - ed to re - ceive their heaven - ly King.
eyes be - hold him, he up - on the clouds a - scends.
thine as - cen - sion, we by faith be - hold our own.

THE OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

All O God, whose light divides the day from the night and turns the shadow of death into morning, open our lips to sing your praise and our hearts to receive your word that we may come before you in truth and sincerity of heart; through Jesus Christ our risen Lord. Amen.

THE SUMMARY OF THE LAW

Celebrant Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ says:

You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.

THE GLORIA

Hymnal S-280

1. Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and
peace to his peo - ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heaven - ly
King, al - might - y God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we
give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus
Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you
take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy
on us; 5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re -
ceive our prayer. 6. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One,

The Gloria continues on next page.

you a-lone are the Lord, 7. you a-lone are the Most
 High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spi-rit, in the
 glo-ry of God the Fa-ther. A-men.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

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

Almighty God, whose blessed Son our Savior Jesus Christ ascended far above all heavens that he might fill all things: Mercifully give us faith to perceive that, according to his promise, he abides with his Church on earth, even to the end of the ages; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. *Amen.*

THE FIRST READING: Acts 1:1-11

Susan Brown

Reader A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

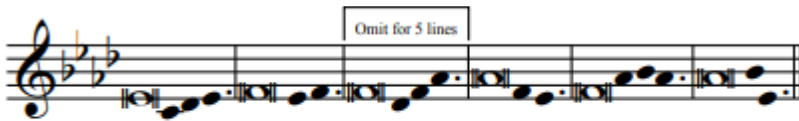
¹In the first book, Theophilus, I wrote about all that Jesus did and taught from the beginning ²until the day when he was taken up to heaven, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles whom he had chosen. ³After his suffering he presented himself alive to them by many convincing proofs, appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the kingdom of God. ⁴While staying with them, he ordered them not to leave Jerusalem, but to wait there for the promise of the Father. “This,” he said, “is what you have heard from me; ⁵for John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now.”

⁶So when they had come together, they asked him, “Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?” ⁷He replied, “It is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. ⁸But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.” ⁹When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. ¹⁰While he was going and they were gazing up toward heaven, suddenly two men in white robes stood by them. ¹¹They said, “Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking up toward heaven? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven.”

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

Please stand as able and join in singing.

THE PSALM: Psalm 47



- ¹Clap your hands, all you peoples;
shout to God with a cry of joy.
- ²For the LORD Most High is to be feared;
he is the great King over all the earth.
- ³He subdues the peoples under us,
and the nations under our feet.
- ⁴He chooses our inheritance for us,
the pride of Jacob whom he loves.
- ⁵God has gone up with a shout,
the LORD with the sound of the ram's-horn.
- ⁶Sing praises to God, sing praises;
sing praises to our King, sing praises.
- ⁷For God is King of all the earth;
sing praises with all your skill.
- ⁸God reigns over the nations;
God sits upon his holy throne.
- ⁹The nobles of the peoples have gathered together
with the people of the God of Abraham.
- ¹⁰The rulers of the earth belong to God,
and he is highly exalted.
- Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Spirit;
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,
World without end. Amen.

THE SECOND READING: Ephesians 1:15-23 (Please be seated.)

Gail Haghjoo

Reader A Reading from Paul's letter to the Church in Ephesus.

¹⁵I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason ¹⁶I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. ¹⁷I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, ¹⁸so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, ¹⁹and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. ²⁰God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, ²¹far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. ²²And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, ²³which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand as able and join in singing.


THE ALLELUIA

Hymnal 206

O sons and daughters, let us sing (vs. 4 soloist then all)

O filii et filiae

Antiphon (at the beginning)



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

The Lord of life is ris'n today! Sing songs of praise along his way; let all the earth rejoice and say: Alleluia!

THE GOSPEL: Luke 24:44-53

Assisting Priest + The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.


⁴⁴Jesus said to his disciples, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you—that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled."⁴⁵Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, ⁴⁶and he said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, ⁴⁷and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. ⁴⁸You are witnesses of these things. ⁴⁹And see, I am sending upon you what my Father promised; so stay here in the city until you have been clothed with power from on high."

⁵⁰Then he led them out as far as Bethany, and, lifting up his hands, he blessed them. ⁵¹While he was blessing them, he withdrew from them and was carried up into heaven. ⁵²And they worshiped him, and returned to Jerusalem with great joy; ⁵³and they were continually in the temple blessing God.

Assisting Priest The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Antiphon (at the end)



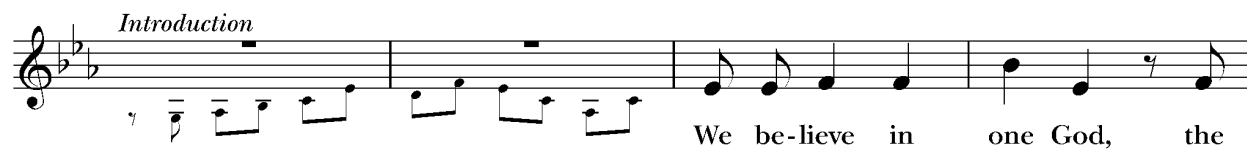
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

THE SERMON (*Please be seated.*)

The Rev'd Barbara Stewart, PhD

THE CREED (*Please stand as able.*)

Introduction



We be-lieve in one God, the
Fa - ther, the Al - mighty - y, ma - ker of hea - ven and

The Creed continues on next page.

earth, of all that is, seen and un - seen. We be-lieve in
 one Lord, Je - sus Christ, the on - ly Son of God, e - ter-nal-ly be -
 got - ten of the Fa-ther, God from God, Light from Light, true God from
 true God, be - got - ten, not made, of one Be-ing with the Fa-ther.
 Through him all things were made. For us and for our sal - va - tion
 he came down from hea - ven: by the pow-er of the Ho-ly Spi - rit
 he be-came in - car-nate from the Vir - gin Ma - ry, and was made man.
 For our sake he was cru - ci - fied un - der Pon - tius Pi - late;
 he suf-fered death and was bur - ied. On the third day he
 rose a-gain in ac - cord-ance with the Scrip - tures; he a-scend-ed
 in - to hea - ven and is seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther.
 He will come a - gain in glo - ry to judge the liv - ing and the

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dead, and his king-dom will have no end. We be-lieve in the
 Ho-ly Spi-rit, the Lord, the giv - er of life, who pro-ceeds from the
 Fa-ther and the Son. With the Fa-ther and the Son he is wor-shiped and
 glo-ri-fied. He has spo-ken through the Pro - phets. We be-lieve in
 one ho - ly cath - o - lic and a - po - sto - lic Church.
 We ac-know-ledge one bap - tism for the for-give-ness of sins.
 We look for the re-sur-rec-tion of the dead,____
 and the life of the world to come. A - men. A - men.____

THE INTERCESSIONS *(Please kneel as able or be seated.)*

Michael Palazzola

Intercessor We stand amazed, O Lord, at your presence with us in our time and beyond time. We turn our gaze to you, and ask for your guidance and protection.

Fix the eyes of the church always on you, that we may see your glory and receive your blessing as we follow you in everything we do. Guide our leaders and give them hearts for you and your people.

All **We pray for the church.**

Intercessor Turn the hearts of the rulers of the nations toward the peace which you intend for all people, toward wise stewardship of the earth's resources, for the good of all people in every time and place.

All **We pray for the nations of the world.**

Intercessor We pray for the sick and the suffering, especially _____. Increase our efforts to become determined and compassionate carriers of your love and comfort to a broken world.

All **We pray for those in need of healing.**

Intercessor We pray for those who have died, remembering especially all deceased mothers, stepmothers, and mother figures in our lives, and for _____. Receive those who have died into the heavenly kingdom where there is no pain or grief, where time is no more, where they sing with your glorious saints in light.

All **We pray for those who have died.**

Intercessor Fill us with your Holy Spirit, that we may be your faithful witnesses in every area of our lives, everywhere we go, to everyone we meet. We depend on your constant presence and power. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Intercessor For what else shall we pray?

Congregation is invited to say intentions aloud or in silence.

Priest Let us all pray together,

All **Grant these our prayers, O Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate. Amen.**

THE CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION (Church of Kenya)

Celebrant God is love and we are God's children. There is no room for fear in love. We love because God loved us first. Let us reverently confess our sins to Almighty God:

Almighty God,

All **Creator of all, you marvelously made us in your image; but we have corrupted ourselves, and damaged your likeness by rejecting your love, and hurting our neighbors. We have done wrong and neglected to do right. We are sincerely sorry and heartily repent of our sins. Cleanse us and forgive us by the sacrifice of your Son; Remake us and lead us by your Spirit, the Comforter. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Celebrant Almighty God, whose steadfast love is as great as the heavens are high above the earth, ✚ remove your sins from you, as far as the east is from the west, strengthen your life in his kingdom and keep you upright to the last day; through Jesus Christ, our merciful High Priest. *Amen.*

THE PEACE (*Please stand as able.*)

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

THE OFFERTORY ANTHEM

“Chanson de Mai” by Hasselmans performed by Naomi Gesk, Harpist.

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Please stand as able and join in singing.

THE PRESENTATION HYMN

Hymnal 333

Now the silence, Now the peace

Now

Now the si - lence Now the peace Now the emp - ty
hands up - lift - ed Now the kneel - ing Now the plea
Now the Fa - ther's arms in wel - come Now the hear - ing
Now the power Now the ves - sel brimmed for pour - ing
Now the Bo - dy Now the Blood Now the joy - ful
cel - e - bra - tion Now the wed - ding Now the songs
Now the heart for - giv - en leap - ing Now the Spi - rit's
vis - i - ta - tion Now the Son's e - piph - an - y
Now the Fa - ther's bless - ing Now Now Now

The Eucharistic Prayer (Scottish Liturgy 1982 Revised 2022)

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

Worship and praise belong to you, Author of all being. Your power sustains, your love restores, our broken world. You are unceasingly at work, from chaos bringing order and filling emptiness with life.

Christ, raised from the dead, proclaims the dawn of hope. He lives in us that we may walk in light.

Your Spirit is fire in us, your breath is power to purge our sin and warm our hearts to love.

As children of your redeeming purpose, freed by him who burst from the tomb and opened the gate of life, we offer you our praise, with angels and archangels and the whole company of heaven, singing the hymn of your unending glory:

THE SANCTUS

Hymnal S-130

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and

might, Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord,

God of power and might, hea - ven and earth are

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full, full of your glo - ry. Ho -

san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na

in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes

in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na

in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Praise and thanksgiving be to you, Lord of all, for by the Cross eternal life is ours and death is swallowed up in victory. In the first light of Easter glory broke from the tomb and changed the women's sorrow into joy.

From the Garden the mystery shone clear that he whom they had loved and lost is with us now in every place for ever.

Making himself known in the breaking of the bread, speaking peace to the fearful disciples, greeting fishermen on the shore, he renewed the promise of his presence and of new birth in the Spirit who sets the seal of freedom on your sons and daughters.

Before he was given up to suffering and death, recalling the night of Israel's release, the night in which slaves walked free, at supper with his disciples he took bread and offered you thanks.

He broke the bread, and gave it to them, saying:

"Take, eat. This is my Body: it is broken for you."

After supper, he took the cup, he offered you thanks, and gave it to them saying:

"Drink this, all of you. This is my Blood of the new covenant; it is poured out for you, and for all, that sins may be forgiven.

Do this in remembrance of me."

We now obey your Son's command

All **We recall his blessed passion and death, his glorious resurrection and ascension; and we look for the coming of his Kingdom.**

Made one with him, we offer you these gifts and with them ourselves a single, holy living sacrifice.

Hear us, most merciful Father, and send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon this bread and this wine, that, overshadowed by your Spirit's life-giving power, they may be the Body and Blood of your Son, and we may be kindled with the fire of your love and renewed for the service of your Kingdom.

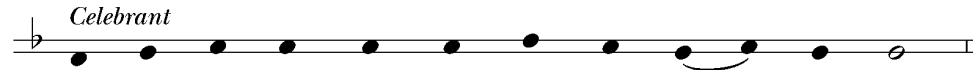
Help us, who are baptized into the fellowship of Christ's Body to live and work to your praise and glory; may we grow together in unity and love until at last, in your new creation, we enter into our heritage in the company of the Virgin Mary, the apostles, and prophets, and of all our brothers and sisters living and departed.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory be to you, Lord of all ages, world without end. *Amen.*

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Hymnal S-148

Celebrant




As our Sa - vior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

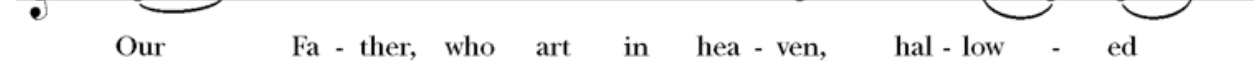
Hymnal S-119

Our Father, who art in heaven


Plainsong




Our Fa - ther, who art in hea - ven, hal - low - ed




be thy Name, thy king - dom come, thy will be done,



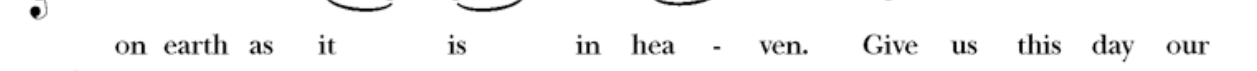
on earth as it is in hea - ven. Give us this day our




dai - ly bread. And for - give us our tres - pas - ses,



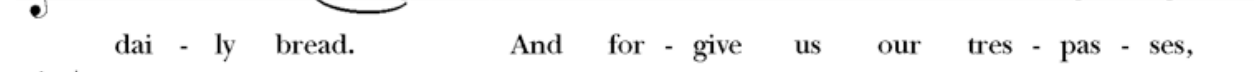
as we for - give those who tres - pass a - gainst us. And lead



us not in - to temp - ta - tion, but de - liv - er us



from e - vil. For thine is the king - dom, and the power,



and the glo - ry, for ev - er and ev - er. A - men.

THE FRACTION

Celebrant We break this bread to share in the Body of Christ.

People Though we are many, we are One Body, because we all share in one bread.

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

THE AGNUS DEI

Hymnal S-164

Jesus, Lamb of God



Je - sus, Lamb of God: have mer - cy on us.



Je - sus, bear - er of our sins: have mer - cy on us.



Je - sus, re - deem - er, re - deem - er of the world:



give us your peace, give us your peace.

Everyone is welcome to receive Christ's Body and Blood in our Church. If you do not wish to receive either the bread or the wine, please cross your arms and a short blessing will be said. You are also welcome to intinct the bread into the chalice if you prefer not to drink directly from the chalice. (Though, to be honest, it is fortified with extra alcohol to kill germs. If you don't drink it the priest must, and then the announcements can get a bit entertaining after Mass.)

Gluten-free wafers are also available upon request.

Congregants worshiping on Zoom, Facebook Live, or YouTube may say the following:

THE SPIRITUAL COMMUNION PRAYER

Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. I love you above all things, and long for you in my soul. Since I cannot receive you in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, come spiritually into my heart. Cleanse and strengthen me with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let me never be separated from you. May I live in you, and you in me, in this life and in the life to come. Amen.

THE COMMUNION ANTHEM

'Let Us Break Bread Together' by Traditional Spiritual, Arr. Eugene Thamon Simpson

THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER *(Please kneel or sit as able.)*

Celebrant Let us pray.

All Holy and life-giving God, we have broken the bread which is Christ's body, we have tasted the wine of his new life. We thank you for these gifts, by which we are made one in him, and drawn into that new creation, which is your will for all the world; through him who died for us and rose again, your Son our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS *(Please be seated.)*

THE BENEDICTION *(Please stand as able.)*

The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great shepherd of the sheep, make you perfect in every good work to do God's will; and the blessing of God Almighty, ✚ the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. Amen.

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN

Hymnal 397

Now thank we all our God

Nun danket alle Gott

1 Now thank we all our God, with heart, and hands, and voice,
2 O may this bounteous God through all our life be near us!
3 All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given,

who wondrous things hath done, in whom his world rejoices;
With ever-joyful hearts and blessed peace to cheer us;
the Son, and him who reigns with them in highest heaven,

who from our mother's arms hath blessed us on our way
and keep us in his grace, and guide us when perplexed,
eternal, Triune God, whom earth and heaven adore;

with countless gifts of love, and still is ours to-day.
and free us from all ills in this world and the next.
for thus it was, is now, and shall be, ever more.


THE DISMISSAL

Assisting Priest May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, Rest in Peace.

All **And Rise in Glory!**

Hymnal S 175B

Deacon




Go in peace to love and serve the Lord, al - le - lu - ia,



al - le - lu - ia.

People



Thanks be to God, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

THE POSTLUDE

Today's Worship Team

Celebrant	The Rev'd Barbara Stewart, PhD
Assisting Priest	The Rev'd Shane Scott-Hamblen, ThD
Guest Organist	Evan Benjamin
Guest Harpist	Naomi Gesk
Associate Music Director	Scott Ziemann
Chalice Bearer	Susan Brown
Acolyte	Coleman Hobson
Altar Guild	Sue Ahearn
Flower Guild	Michelle Dulson
Ushers	Mark Peterson, Norm Bianchi
We Serve Coffee Team	Peggy Strong, Michael Strong
Livestream Team	Brooke Pauley, Kim Montgomery

Godly Play (ages 3-11) — 9:30 am in the Yellow Room

This week: Parable of the Good Samaritan. Storytellers: Kristy Kiper, Julie Sheffield.

Youth Group (ages 11-14) — 9:30 am in the Conference Room

Second Sunday is reserved for a fun event in the afternoon.

Contact: Susan Caldwell (scaldwell@stmikescdm.org)

Parish Prayer List

Barbara	Peggy	Burton	Edie	Rebecca
Joni	Kitty	Jeanne	Parry	Susan
Ron	Diane	Sue	Tom	Karina
Mark	Richard	Rachel	Bill	

For the repose of the soul:

Florence David

Prayer requests remain on the list for three weeks unless otherwise requested.

To submit a name to the prayer list contact Brooke Pauley or The Rev'd Dr. Shane Scott-Hamblen.

Worship with us:

Tuesday Morning Holy Eucharist: Tuesdays at 8:30 am (in person only)

Featured saint for May 14:

Frances Perkins (Social Reformer, 1965)

Lectionary Study with Fr. Shane: Tuesdays at 10:00 am (in person and Zoom)

Join on Zoom: <https://bit.ly/stmikessunday2023> Meeting ID: 912 3096 9532 / Passcode: cdm080100!

Prayer Vigil for Peace: Fridays at 6:00 pm (in person and Zoom)

Join on Zoom: <https://bit.ly/stmikessunday2023> Meeting ID: 912 3096 9532 / Passcode: cdm080100!

Worship bulletins: <https://www.stmikescdm.org/worship-bulletins/>

A Time of Prayer: First Wednesday of the Month at 2:00 pm (Zoom only)

Join on Zoom: <https://bit.ly/stmikessunday2023> (Meeting ID: 912 3096 9532 / Passcode: cdm080100!)

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Announcements:

Wear red and join us for brunch on Pentecost (Sunday, May 19)!

Please help us celebrate Pentecost by joining us for Brunch after the worship service. Wear red and if you have them, bring some wind chimes to hang in the trees as we welcome the Holy Spirit. Brunch will consist of pancakes, an egg casserole, sausage balls, and fruit.

Hosts needed for Austrian Choir members

We are looking for host families for PaltenKlang-Choir, the Austrian choir who will be performing at St. Mike's on Oct. 30 and Nov. 3 – see details below. They will be here from Monday, October 28, to Monday, November 4. Due to the language barrier, if you can accommodate two individuals that would be ideal. For details, contact Lukas Hasler at lukas.hasler@stmikescdm.org. Follow PaltenKlang-Choir on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/paltenklangchor>.

Save the Dates!

Our next orchestral Mass will be September 29 for our Patronal Festival of St. Michael and All Angels.

On October 30, St. Michael's Choir will be hosting and joining our Maestro's choir from Austria for a performance of Giacomo Puccini's monumental *Messa di Gloria*.

They also will be singing for All Saints Sunday on Nov. 3 at 9:30 am. Please come!

Endowment Fund Resolutions

St. Mike's is in the process of reactivating the Endowment Fund and reconstituting the Endowment Committee. To do this, the Vestry must vote on the new resolutions and notice must be given to the Parish. The Vestry will be considering these resolutions for a vote at the Vestry meeting on Wednesday, May 15. There will be two votes on the issue: the first in May and the second in June. For questions, please contact Jim Palda, Endowment Chairperson.

Baroque Music Festival to perform "Time Stands Still: English Lute Songs."

The Baroque Music Festival will be performing "Time Stands Still: English Lute Songs" at St. Michael's on Monday, June 17, 2024, at 7:30 pm. Tickets are \$45. Receive 20% off advance purchase tickets for concerts at St. Mike's and St. Mark's with the code **STM20**.

(Student tickets are also available.) For details, visit our website:

<https://www.stmikescdm.org/blog/2024bmf/>.

Join "We Serve" and support our Coffee Hour

"We Serve" is our rotating schedule to support our after service Coffee Hour. A time for meeting other parishioners and an easy way to help our parish fellowship.

To participate you may either donate \$25/\$50 to help pay for donuts or bring your own home baked or purchased offerings. When "We Serve" provides the snacks we can use our budget for more essential needs and provide a welcoming coffee hour to meet with new and old friends.

Sign up with Gail Haghjoo or Beth Bianchi or online at <https://bit.ly/weserve2024>

Fill the Little Red Wagon with Pasta in May

In April we collected 119 cans of soup for SOS! In May we are collecting pasta. This may be canned or dry, uncooked pasta. Also, consider donating spaghetti sauce to use on pasta. Macaroni and cheese is also popular. Please do not donate frozen pasta meals as we do not have suitable storage for frozen or refrigerated food.

Sunday Conversations coming up

Sundays, May 12 and May 26: a group reading of Dorothy Sayer's *The Zeal of Thy House* (1937) – a play based on a monk's account of the fire of 1174, and the subsequent rebuilding of Canterbury Cathedral Choir. All readers will get a free copy of the play! Let Kim Montgomery or Susan Caldwell know if you'd like to read.

Sundays, June 23, June 30, and July 7: Brooke Pauley on the *Bible on Broadway!*

Sunday, August 18: Susan Caldwell on *Artificial Intelligence and its Impact in our Schools*; just in time for the start of the new school year!

St. Michael's Vestry welcomes the Gordon School

Good news: the Gordon School will be moving their preschool to St. Michael's! They have signed a 27-month lease from May 1, 2024, until July 30, 2026. To prepare and organize the nursery area and outdoor adjacent space they will be on the property as early as May 1 for classes to begin on July 1. (Our current nursery has been moved to the Red Room.) Please welcome the Gordon School to our campus as they make this move.

Sunday morning livestreams on YouTube!

Thanks to the work of Ali Haghjoo and the St. Michael's Livestream Team, our worship services are now being livestreamed on YouTube! Take a minute to visit our YouTube channel, click the subscribe button, ring the notifications bell, and like some of our videos – it really helps us spread the word (evangelism!). Link: <https://www.youtube.com/@smaacdm/>

Pastoral Visits

If you would like a pastoral visit in your home, please contact Susan Leinberger at susanleinberger@stmikescdm.org.

Parish Directory Update

Please take a moment to visit our directory in Breeze at <https://smaa.breezechms.com/login> -- log in using your email address. (You can click the "Forgot Password" link if you need to reset your password.) Once logged in, you can review the information we have on record for you and your family then update your contact information and upload a new profile photo. Your help in keeping our contact database up to date is very much appreciated. If you are new or don't have a profile in Breeze yet, email our Communications Specialist, Wayne Hastings, at wayne.hastings@stmikescdm.org for assistance.

This Week at St. Michael's

Sunday, May 12

Mother's Day

- 9:30 am Holy Eucharist
- 10:30 am Adult Christian Ed Committee
- 11:00 am Sunday Conversations

Tuesday, May 14

- 8:30 am Holy Eucharist
- 10:00 am Lectionary Study
- 7:00 pm Tuesday Night at Mike's

Wednesday, May 15

- 5:00 pm Vestry meeting

Thursday, May 16

- 8:30 am Men's Fellowship
- 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Friday, May 17

- 10:00 am Prayer Shawl Ministry
- 6:00 pm Prayer Vigil for Peace

Sunday, May 19

Pentecost (wear red!)

- 8:30 am Bible Challenge
- 9:30 am Holy Eucharist
- 10:30 am Liturgy Commission
- 11:00 am Sunday Conversations

For more info, contact the church office at 949-644-0463 or church@stmikescdm.org.

Weekly Finance Update

Sunday, May 5

Weekly Pledge Income	\$5,556
Weekly Other Income	\$2,495
Weekly Budgeted Exp	\$10,878
Net Income(Loss)	(\$2,827)

Attendance

	Sunday Worship	Children and Youth
Apr. 14	60	4
Apr. 21	62	5
Apr. 28	70	3
May 5	76	3

Altar Flowers

Each Sunday, members of the congregation may sponsor altar flowers, chapel flowers, and the Aumbry Candle in thanksgiving for all the blessings of this life or in memory of loved ones. Call the church office at (949) 644-0463 or make your dedication via our website at <https://bit.ly/SMAAFLOWERS>.

Sunday Worship Livestream

YouTube:

<https://www.youtube.com/@smaacdm/>

Zoom: <https://bit.ly/stmikessunday2023>

Meeting ID: 912 3096 9532

Passcode: cdm080100!

Facebook Live: <https://facebook.com/smaacdm>

Donate Online

Visit <https://www.stmikescdm.org/give/> or use your mobile device to give via Zelle:



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Office Hours:

Monday 9:00 am to 3:00 pm
Tuesday 7:30 am to Noon
Wednesday 9:00 am to 3:00 pm
Thursday 7:30 am to Noon
Friday Closed

Parish Directory:

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James Headley - Growth/Membership/Diversity
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Sue Ahearn, Cathy Dunlap - Finance/Stewardship
Susan Brown - Communications
Clyde Dodge - Mission/Outreach
Brooke Pauley - Education
Open - Buildings and Grounds
Colette Spence - Hospitality/Fellowship

Adult Christian Education and Small Discussion Groups

Visit our website for more information on St. Mike's Adult Christian Education and Small Discussion Groups.

St. Mike's Sunday Conversations

11:00 am in Michael's Room and on Zoom
May 12 and 26: a group reading
of Dorothy Sayer's *The Zeal of Thy House* (1937).
Join on Zoom: <https://bit.ly/sundaysat11>
Meeting ID: 822 5120 9687 / Passcode: Jonah24!
Contact: Kim Montgomery

Tuesday Night at Mike's

Tuesdays at 7:00 pm on Zoom
Studying *Gratitude*, a series with Diana Butler Bass.
May 14: Table Memory.
Join on Zoom: <https://bit.ly/tuesdayatmikes>
Meeting ID: 834 2976 3754 / Passcode: none
Contact: Beth Bianchi

Bible Challenge

Third Sundays at 8:30 am in the Conference Room
May 19: New book study begins with *Bold to Say: Reflections on the Lord's Prayer* edited by Rachel Jones and published by Forward Movement.
Contact: Susan Caldwell

Inklings! Book Group

Third Mondays at 10:30 am in the Davis Library
May 20: No session. June 17: continues reading
The Lion, the Witch and Wardrobe by C.S. Lewis.
Contact: Susan Caldwell

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Fridays at 10:00 am
Please join us as we knit or crochet and pray!
Contact: Barbara Stewart+ at (949) 378-9780

Men's Fellowship Group

Thursdays at 8:30 am in the Davis Library
Currently reading *Montaillou: The Promised Land of Error* by Emmanuel Le Roy Ladurie.
Contact: Kim Montgomery