



THE EPISCOPAL PARISH CHURCH OF
ST. CLEMENT OF ROME,
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AN ANGLO-CATHOLIC PARISH WITH AN AFRICAN AMERICAN HERITAGE
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THE THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

WELCOME

Welcome to Saint Clement's Church. If you are new or newish, please feel fill out the card in your bulletin and drop it in the offering plate. Also, we won't ask you to stand up and introduce yourself or anything else embarrassing.

*If you are unfamiliar with the manner in which Episcopalians worship, not to worry: just relax and let the Liturgy and your senses carry you as it is celebrated. Commonly recited texts are found in the red **Book of Common Prayer** and hymns found in the blue **Hymnal 1982**. Saint Clements is an "Anglo-Catholic" parish so you might find the Liturgy a bit more elaborate than other Episcopal Churches. Restrooms are located downstairs on the far side of the Parish Hall to the right. Again, welcome.*

CERTIFIED CHILD CARE AVAILABLE DOWNSTAIRS

MORNING PRAYER & SERMON FOR PENTECOST 13

THE INTERCESSION BOOK *to which you're welcome to add your prayers in writing to be offered during the service, is in the front at the Shrine of Our Lady of Africa. The Angelus is offered at 10.20a at the same place.*

THE PRELUDE

The people rise at the sound of bell for

THE INTROIT: HYMN 390 *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty*

LOBE DEN HERREN

THE CONFESSION OF SINS

THE BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER, PAGE 79

Officiant: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept. Officiant and People together, all kneeling as able.

Most merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned against you

in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done,

and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart;

we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.

We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.

For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Officiant: Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins through our Lord
Jesus Christ, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy
Spirit keep us in eternal life.
Amen.

All Stand

Officiant Lord, ✕ open our lips.

People And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

Officiant and People Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.

VENITE *Psalm 95.1-7*



1 Come, let us sing unto the Lord—with joy now let us sing,
And shout to God the Rock of our salvation—songs now bring!
O let us come before Him now with thanksgiving and song,
And in His presence shout with joy, extol Him with a psalm.

2 For God the Lord is a great God, great King above all gods.
In His hands are the depths of earth, the mountains high and broad.
The sea is His—He is the one who made it by His hand,
And by His hand He also formed all of the earth's dry land.

3 Come, let us worship and bow down, before our Maker kneel;
For He's our God, and we are His, the people of His field.
We are the people in His care, the sheep within His fold;
The people of His pasture whom His loving hand does hold.

THE FIRST LESSON

EXODUS 1:8-2:10

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

PSALM 124



- 1 "If the Lord had not been with us," O let Is-ra-el now say:
2 "If the Lord had not been with us, when we were amidst the fray;
3 When attackers in their anger would have put us in the grave;
4/5 Torrents would have there engulfed us, raging floods swept us away."
6 Bless-ed be the Lord who has not let us be torn from His care.
7 Like a bird, we have escaped from out of the cruel fowler's snare.
For the snare has now been broken; we've escaped as in new birth;
8 Our help's ever in the Lord's name, who made heaven and the earth.

THE SECOND LESSON

ROMANS 12:1-8

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

THE BENEDICTUS: HYMN 44 *The Song of Zechariah*

THORNBURY

THE THIRD LESSON (THE GOSPEL)

MATTHEW 16:13-20

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

THE SERMON

SISTER MICHELLE HEYNE, O. A.

THE APOSTLES' CREED

THE BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER, PAGE 96

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

THE PRAYERS

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER, PAGE 97

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THE BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER, PAGE 97

Show us your mercy, O Lord;

And grant us your salvation.

Clothe your ministers with righteousness;

Let your people sing with joy.

Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;

For only in you can we live in safety.

Lord, keep this nation under your care;

And guide us in the way of justice and truth.

Let your way be known upon earth;

Your saving health among all nations.

Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;

Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.

Create in us clean hearts, O God;

And sustain us with your Holy Spirit.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY AND OTHER COLLECTS

PRAYER FOR MISSIONS

THE GENERAL THANKSGIVING

Almighty God,
Father of all mercies,
we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks
for all your goodness and loving-kindness
to us and to all whom you have made.
We bless you for our creation, preservation,
and all the blessings of this life;
but above all for your immeasurable love
in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ;
for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.
And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies,
that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise,
not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up our selves to your service,
and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness all our days;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit,
be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.

Let us bless the Lord
Thanks be to God.

THE GRACE
Amen.

HYMN 401

The Church's One Foundation

AURELIA

POSTLUDE



THE EIGHTH SACRAMENT – COFFEE HOUR

The Liturgy continues downstairs in the Undercroft in a much less formal manner in the sharing of coffee, sometimes wine, goodies, fellowship and friendship as were the very first celebrations of the Eucharist in the First Century. Join us!



MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY

THE RIGHT REVEREND PHIL LABELLE, THE BISHOP OF OLYMPIA

THE REVEREND KEVIN CORBIN SMITH, RECTOR

SUSAN SCOTT, RICK TANNER - PASTORAL ASSISTANTS

PARISH STAFF: HEAD SACRISTAN & DEN MOTHER Mary Morales

CHOIR DIRECTOR Dan White

TREASURER: Roy Sparks ✱ GARDEN KAHUNA: Garylee Johnson.

OFFICIANT & PREACHER Michelle Heyne, Order of the Ascension



FOR IN AS MUCH AS
you have done it to
one of these, my
sisters and
brothers, you have
done it to me.

– Jesus



Donation baskets in the back of the Nave near the Font

Checks can also be dropped in the offering plate with “Food Bank” in the memo.

PASTORAL CARE WHILE THE RECTOR IS ON HOLIDAY

The Rector is on holiday for the month of August. If you have any pastoral concerns, please contact:

The Senior Warden, Michelle Heyne at (206) 818-3474 or michelleheyne@gmail.com

Or Pastoral Assistant, Rick Tanner at (253) 677-3090 or at eltann5@msn.com.



FLOWER MEMORIALS AND THANKSGIVINGS

You are invited to provide flowers at the Altar in memory of a loved one or in thanksgiving. *Suggested* donation for flowers is \$50. Sign up with the coupon below. For more info, contact our Den Mother/Head Sacristan, Mary Morales.



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Please fill out this coupon and drop into the Offering plate. Thanks!

Name _____

Date on which you'll be donating flowers _____

In memory/thanksgiving _____

WELCOME!

Welcome to Saint Clement's Church. We're glad you're here. Let us know you've been here. Just fill out this coupon and drop it in the offering plate as it goes by. Please join us for Coffee Hour after the Liturgy

Please let us know whatever information you'd like us to have:

WELCOME COUPON

Name _____

Email _____

Phone _____

- ☐ "I'd like to meet/speak with the priest.
- ☐ "I'd like to sing in the choir.
- ☐ "I'd like to know more about being baptized.
- ☐ "I'd like to know more about what's going on in the Liturgy.

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