



Good Shepherd Episcopal Church

The Fifth Sunday of Easter

Sunday, May 3, 2026

Holy Eucharist with Rites of Confirmation, Reception and Reaffirmation

10:00 am



*Do not
let your
hearts
be
troubled.*

John 14:1

Prelude

Rejoice, the Lord is King

arr. Peter Benjamin
Mary Carol Campbell, Organ

Processional *Praise to the Lord*

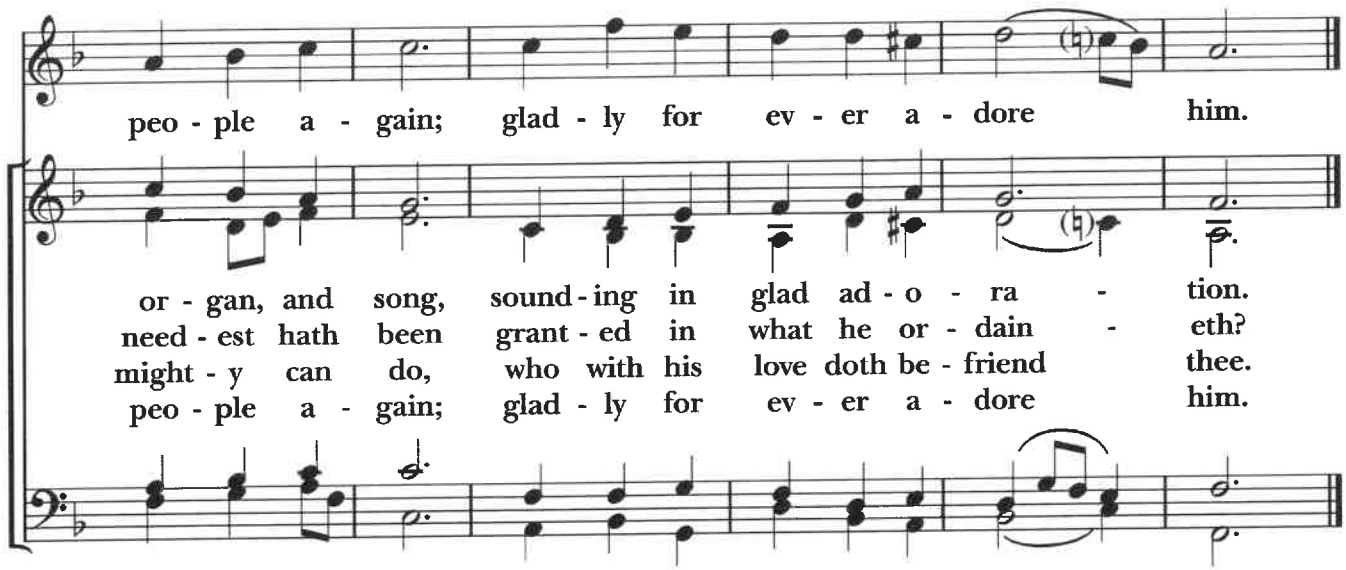
Hymnal 390
Mary Carol Campbell, Organ

Descant

4 Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me a -
 1 Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre -
 2 Praise to the Lord; o - ver all things he glo - rious - ly
 3 Praise to the Lord, who doth pros - per thy way and de -
 4 Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me a -

dore him! All that hath life and breath come now with
 a - tion; O my soul, praise him, for he is thy
 reign - eth: borne as on ea - gle - wings, safe - ly his
 fend thee; sure - ly his good - ness and mer - cy shall
 dore him! All that hath life and breath come now with

prais - es be - fore him! Let the a - men sound — from his
 health and sal - va - tion: join the great throng, psal - ter - y,
 saints he sus - tain - eth. Hast thou not seen how all thou
 ev - er at - tend thee; pon - der a - new what the Al -
 prais - es be - fore him! Let the a - men sound from his



peo - ple a - gain; glad - ly for ev - er a - dore him.
 or - gan, and song, sound - ing in glad ad - o - ra - tion.
 need - est hath been grant - ed in what he or - dain - eth?
 might - y can do, who with his love doth be - friend thee.
 peo - ple a - gain; glad - ly for ev - er a - dore him.

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Salutation

Bishop Alleluia. Christ is risen.
People *The Lord is risen indeed. Amen.*
Bishop There is one Body and one Spirit;
People *There is one hope in God's call to us;*
Celebrant One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;
People *One God and Father of all.*

Collect of the Day

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

Almighty God, whom truly to know is everlasting life: Grant us so perfectly to know your Son Jesus Christ to be the way, the truth, and the life, that we may steadfastly follow his steps in the way that leads to eternal life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The First Lesson

Acts 7:55-60

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Stephen gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God and Jesus standing at the right hand of God. "Look," he said, "I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God!" But they covered their ears, and with a loud

shout all rushed together against him. Then they dragged him out of the city and began to stone him; and the witnesses laid their coats at the feet of a young man named Saul. While they were stoning Stephen, he prayed, "Lord Jesus, receive my spirit." Then he knelt down and cried out in a loud voice, "Lord, do not hold this sin against them." When he had said this, he died.

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

Psalm 31:1-5,15-16 (Chanted)

In te, Domine, speravi

- 1 In you, O LORD, have I taken refuge;
let me never be put to shame; *
deliver me in your righteousness.
- 2 Incline your ear to me; *
make haste to deliver me.
- 3 Be my strong rock, a castle to keep me safe,
for you are my crag and my stronghold; *
for the sake of your Name, lead me and guide me.
- 4 Take me out of the net that they have secretly set for me, *
for you are my tower of strength.
- 5 Into your hands I commend my spirit, *
for you have redeemed me,
O LORD, O God of truth.
- 15 My times are in your hand; *
rescue me from the hand of my enemies,
and from those who persecute me.
- 16 Make your face to shine upon your servant, *
and in your loving-kindness save me."

The Second Lesson

1 Peter 2:2-10

Like newborn infants, long for the pure, spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow into salvation— if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good.

Come to him, a living stone, though rejected by mortals yet chosen and precious in God's sight, and like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. For it stands in scripture:

"See, I am laying in Zion a stone,
a cornerstone chosen and precious;
and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame."

To you then who believe, he is precious; but for those who do not believe,

“The stone that the builders rejected
has become the very head of the corner”,

and

“A stone that makes them stumble,
and a rock that makes them fall.”

They stumble because they disobey the word, as they were destined to do.

But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God’s own people, in order that you may proclaim the mighty acts of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light.

Once you were not a people,
but now you are God’s people;
once you had not received mercy,
but now you have received mercy.

Reader *The Word of the Lord.*

People *Thanks be to God.*

1 I want to walk as a child of the light.
 2 I want to see the bright - ness of God.
 3 I'm look - ing for the com - ing of Christ.

I want to fol - low Je - sus.
 I want to look at Je - sus.
 I want to be with Je - sus.

God set the stars to give light to the world. The
 Clear sun of right - eous - ness, shine on my path, and
 When we have run with pa - tience the race, we

star of my life is Je - sus.
 show me the way to the Fa - ther.
 shall know the joy of Je - sus.

Refrain

In him there is no dark - ness at all. The

night and the day are both a - like. The

Lamb is the light of the ci - ty of God. *rit.*

a tempo

Shine in my heart, Lord Je - sus.

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Holy Gospel

John 14:1-14

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People *Glory to you, Lord Christ.*

Jesus said, "Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also. And you know the way to the place where I am going." Thomas said to him, "Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?" Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. If you know me, you will know my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him."

Philip said to him, "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied." Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it."

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

Gospel *I want to walk as a child of the light (v. 3)* Hymnal 490

The Homily The Rt. Rev. José A. McLoughlin

The Presentation of the Candidate Book of Common Prayer p. 415

Bishop The Candidate(s) will now be presented.

Presenter I present these persons for Confirmation, Reception and Reaffirmation.

Bishop Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil?

Candidates *I do.*

Bishop Do you renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?

Candidates *I do, and with God's grace I will follow him as my Savior and Lord.*

After all have been presented, the Bishop addresses the congregation, saying

Bishop Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support these persons in their life in Christ?

People *We will.*

Bishop Let us join with those who are committing themselves to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.

The Renewal of the Baptismal Covenant

Book of Common Prayer p. 416

Bishop Do you believe in God the Father?

People *I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.*

Bishop Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People *I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.*

Bishop Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People *I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.*

Bishop Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

People *I will, with God's help.*

Bishop Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People *I will, with God's help.*

Bishop Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

People *I will, with God's help.*

Bishop Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People *I will, with God's help.*

Bishop Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

People *I will, with God's help.*

Prayers for the Candidates

Book of Common Prayer p. 305

Celebrant Let us now pray for these persons who have renewed their commitment to Christ.

Leader Deliver them, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

People *Lord, hear our prayer.*

Leader Open their hearts to your grace and truth.

People *Lord, hear our prayer.*

Leader Fill them with your holy and life-giving Spirit.

People *Lord, hear our prayer.*

Leader Keep them in the faith and communion of your holy Church.

People *Lord, hear our prayer.*

Leader Teach them to love others in the power of the Spirit.

People *Lord, hear our prayer.*

Leader Send them into the world in witness to your love.

People *Lord, hear our prayer.*

Leader Bring them to the fullness of your peace and glory.

People *Lord, hear our prayer.*

Bishop Almighty God, we thank you that by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ you have overcome sin and brought us to yourself, and that by the sealing of your Holy Spirit you have bound us to your service. Renew in these your servants the covenant you made with them at their Baptism. Send them forth in the power of that Spirit to perform the service you set before them; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

The Bishop lays hands upon each one and says

For Confirmation

Defend, O Lord, your servant *N.* with your heavenly grace, that he may continue yours for ever, and daily increase in your Holy Spirit more and more, until he comes to your everlasting kingdom. *Amen.*

For Reception

N., we recognize you as a member of the one holy catholic and apostolic Church, and we receive you into the fellowship of this communion. God, the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless, preserve, and keep you. *Amen.*

For Reaffirmation

N., may the Holy Spirit, who has begun a good work in you, direct and uphold you in the service of Christ and his kingdom. *Amen.*

Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

Announcements

Holy Communion

Offertory Song of the Potter

words by Bert Stratton and music by Ruth Elaine Schram

Great Thanksgiving (Eucharistic Prayer D)

Book of Common Prayer p. 372

The people remain standing.

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 him thanks and praise.

The Celebrant proceeds

It is truly right to glorify you, Father, and to give you thanks; for you alone are God, living and true, dwelling in light inaccessible from before time and for ever. Fountain of life and source of all goodness, you made all things and fill them with your blessing; you created them to rejoice in the splendor of your radiance. Countless throngs of angels stand before you to serve you night and day; and, beholding the glory of your presence, they offer you unceasing praise. Joining with them, and giving voice to every creature under heaven, we acclaim you, and glorify your Name, as we say,

Sanctus

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Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The people stand or kneel

The Celebrant continues

We acclaim you, holy Lord, glorious in power. Your mighty works reveal your wisdom and love. You formed us in your own image, giving the whole world into our care, so that, in obedience to you, our Creator, we might rule and serve all your creatures. When our disobedience took us far from you, you did not abandon us to the power of death. In your mercy you came to our help, so that in seeking you we might find you. Again and again you called us into covenant with you, and through the prophets you taught us to hope for salvation.

Father, you loved the world so much that in the fullness of time you sent your only Son to be our Savior. Incarnate by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, he lived as one of us, yet without sin. To the poor he proclaimed the good news of salvation; to prisoners, freedom; to the sorrowful, joy. To fulfill your purpose he gave himself up to death; and, rising from the grave, destroyed death, and made the whole creation new.

And that we might live no longer for ourselves, but for him who died and rose for us, he sent the Holy Spirit, his own first gift for those who believe, to complete his work in the world, and to bring to fulfillment the sanctification of all. When the hour had come for him to be glorified by you, his heavenly Father, having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end; at supper with them he took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said,

“Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, “Drink this, all of you. This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.” Father, we now celebrate this memorial of our redemption. Recalling Christ’s death and his descent among the dead, proclaiming his resurrection and ascension to your right hand, awaiting his coming in glory; and offering to you, from the gifts you have given us, this bread and this cup, we praise you and we bless you.

Celebrant and People

We praise you, we bless you, we give thanks to you, and we pray to you, Lord our God.

The Celebrant continues

Lord, we pray that in your goodness and mercy your Holy Spirit may descend upon us, and upon these gifts, sanctifying them and showing them to be holy gifts for your holy people, the bread of life and the cup of salvation, the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Grant that all who share this bread and cup may become one body and one spirit, a living sacrifice in Christ, to the praise of your Name. Remember, Lord, your one holy catholic and apostolic Church, redeemed by the blood of your Christ. Reveal its unity, guard its faith, and preserve it in peace.

[Remember (NN. and) all who minister in your Church.]
[Remember all your people, and those who seek your truth.][Remember _____.]
[Remember all who have died in the peace of Christ, and those whose faith is known to you alone; bring them into the place of eternal joy and light.]

And grant that we may find our inheritance with the Blessed Virgin Mary, with patriarchs, matriarchs, prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and all the saints who have found favor with you in ages past. We praise you in union with them and give you glory through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, all honor and glory are yours, Almighty God and Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, for ever and ever. *AMEN.*

Lord’s Prayer

Blue Songbook p.75

Breaking of the Bread

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

Invitation to Communion

Book of Common Prayer p. 364

Communion

Let all mortal flesh keep silence

Hymnal 324



1 Let all mortal flesh keep silence, and with fear and
2 King of kings, yet born of Ma - ry, as of old on
3 Rank on rank the host of hea - ven spreads its van - guard
4 At his feet the six - winged ser - aph; cher - u - bim with



trem - bling stand; pon - der noth - ing earth - ly -
earth he stood, Lord of lords in hu - man
on the way, as the Light of Light de -
sleep - less eye veil their fac - es to the



mind - ed, for with bless - ing in his hand
ves - ture, in the Bo - dy and the Blood
scend - eth from the realms of end - less day,
Pres - ence, as with cease - less voice they cry,



Christ our God to earth de - scend - eth,
he will give to all the faith - ful
that the powers of hell may va - nish
"Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!"



our full hom - age to de - mand.
his own self for heaven - ly food.
as the dark - ness clears a way.
Al - le - lu - ia, Lord Most High!"

Words: Liturgy of St. James; para. Gerard Moultrie (1829-1885). Music: *Picardy*, French carol, 17th cent.; melody from *Chansons populaires des Provinces de France*, 1860; harm. after *The English Hymnal*, 1906.

Post-communion Prayer

Let us pray.

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Blessing

Recessional

Christ for the world we sing

Hymnal 537

1 Christ for the world we sing! The world to
 2 Christ for the world we sing! The world to
 3 Christ for the world we sing! The world to
 4 Christ for the world we sing! The world to

Christ we bring with lov - ing zeal; the poor, and
 Christ we bring with fer - vent prayer; the way - ward
 Christ we bring with one ac - cord; with us the
 Christ we bring with joy - ful song; the new - born

them that mourn, the faint and o - ver - borne,
 and the lost, by rest - less pas - sions tossed,
 work to share, with us re - proach to dare,
 souls, whose days, re - claimed from er - ror's ways,

sin - sick and sor - row - worn, whom Christ doth heal.
 re - deemed at count - less cost from dark de - spair.
 with us the cross to bear, for Christ our Lord.
 in - spired with hope and praise, to Christ be - long.

Words: Samuel Wolcott (1813-1886). Music: *Moscow*, melody Felice de Giardini (1716-1796); harm. *The New Hymnal*, 1916 based on *Hymns Ancient and Modern*, 1875, and Lowell Mason (1792-1892).

Dismissal

Postlude Jesus Shall Reign

arr. Anna Laura Page
Mary Carol Campbell, organ

Prayer is available at the altar.

Those Who Serve:

10:00 am

EMs: Carolyn Cline-Griffiths, Jane Boritz; **Lector:** Georgia Bethel; **Usher:** Joe Rybicki;
Altar Guild: Jan Chatterton, Gail Criss; **Altar Linens:** Kathy Marcel;
Nursery: Kathy Marcel, NOT FILLED!; **VPOD:** Jose Arias; **Ingles cards:** Jeff King;
Videographer: Tom Griffiths; **Flower Guild:** Janet Beall; **Greeter:** Jeanine Craig

Bishop José is with us today. Loose plate offering next week will go to the Bishop's discretionary fund. You may also designate a contribution to that fund if you are writing a check.

Christian Education

Lectionary Bible Study – meets on Wednesdays at 1:00pm in the Library. This group works through the appointed readings for the following Sunday. Please contact Fr. Bill for more information.

Parish Life and Church Community

Bishop Jose's Visit– Please join us today, following service, for brunch. The church will supply the meat and the sides/desserts are provided by parishioners.

Join us on **May 8, 2026, at 7pm**, as we welcome the **Valley River Ringers!** The Valley River Ringers have been ringing together for about 12 years. They ring on 4 octaves of bells and choir chimes. They ring level 3 and 4 in handbell music which is commonly known as moderate difficult music.

Help wanted! We need Eucharistic ministers. Please prayerfully consider whether you are being called to serve and feel free to talk with Father Bill or any of our current Eucharistic Ministers for more information.

Calling all Grazers to sign up in the information hallway for the next three months session (June, July & August). The weather has improved and it is getting lighter every day so no excuses. Enjoy a home cooked meal and lively conversation with other parishioners. Any questions, please see Nora Broszeit.

Service

Matt's Ministry – Contact Joe Rybicki

Meal Ministry – Contact Kathy Wright

Medical Loan Closet – Contact Helga Reaves

The Order of St. George – Contact Turner Guidry at 828-361-0497

Brotherhood of the Fire – Contact Turner Guidry at 828-361-0497

Meals For Friends– Contact Aline Conley at 504-214-1909

Drivers on **May 5, 2026** are:

<u>Town:</u>	NOT FILLED!
<u>City:</u>	NOT FILLED!
<u>Tusquittee:</u>	David & Teresa Gribble

In Our Prayers

Those in Need of Comfort and Healing - *Pat and Joy Fox, Denise Fox, Pat Halloran, Chosh Dacey, Helen NaiSmith, Deb Sellers, Sarah Kreiss, Linda Wingo, Pat Hicks, BJ and Bob Schweikert, Bev Larson, Chris Mulholland, Patti and Chuck Underwood, Ed and Sue Kelley, Jeanne (Jean-ee)Harper, Nora and Richard Broszeit, Ann Wolf, Philip Bannister, Frank Burdo, Teresa and David Gribble, Cooper Godfrey, OV Lewis, Adelaide Fullilove, Shane Douylliez, Janice Lemaire, Anne Hourdequin, Sam and Mere Samsil, Jay and Mary Ann Miller, Bob Wilkerson, Gail Rose, Lynne and Mark Walters, Kenny and Stacy Waldroup, Sally Conaway, Kim Brabon, Alexis Bernal, Mili and Jose Arias, Helga Reaves, Kanute Rarey, Ashley Murray, Mary Rose Figura, Wendy Mitchell, Kris West, Talullah Kenyon, Mike Campbell*

Good Shepherd Ministries – This week we pray for *the Gardens & Grounds Ministry* at Good Shepherd.

Calendar

Monday

May 4

	9:00 am	Exercise Class
	10:00 am	Women Walking, Women Talking @ Chatuge Dam
	10:00 am	Library Maintenance
	10:30 am	Tai Chi (PH)
	11:00 am	Private Group (UC)

Tuesday

May 5

	10:00 am	<i>Meals for Friends</i>
	5:00 pm	Chair Yoga (OH)
	6:00 pm	Soaking Prayer
		Brotherhood of the Fire

Wednesday

May 6

	9:00 am	Exercise (PH)
	10:30 am	Moving Meditation (PH)
	11:00 am	Private Group (UC)
	12:00 pm	Holy Eucharist
	1:00 pm	Lectionary

Thursday

May 7

	6:45 am	Order of St. George
	10:00 am	Chair Yoga (PH)
	6:30 pm	Choir Practice

Friday

May 8

		<i>Office Closed</i>
	9:00 am	Exercise Class
	10:30 am	Tai Chi (PH)
	7:00 pm	Bell Ringers' Concert

Saturday

May 9

		Vestry Retreat—Day 2 make-up
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Sunday

May 10

		<i>6 Easter—Mother's Day</i>
	9:00 am	Holy Eucharist Rite I
	11:00 am	Holy Eucharist Rite II
	12:00 pm	Coffee Hour (PH)

Friday, May 8, 2026 at 7pm
Good Shepherd Episcopal Church
Hayesville



JUBILO

THE BEATLES

THE WAY BACK HOME

CARRY ON WAYWARD SON

APPALACHIAN DELIGHT

THE WEeping WILLOW TREE

FORREST GUMP (Feather Theme)

PRAYER FOR THE INNOCENTS

SWEET CAROLINE

PRINS

LENNON/McCARTNEY/arrWAGNER

LONGFIELD

KANSAS/arrSTRASSER

arr BUCKWALTER

BUCKWALTER

arr Judy Phillips

HELMAN

DIAMOND/arr HANSON

baby bells to bass bells: Betty Boyd, Judy Coleman, Michelle Crawford,
Sally Wesche, Susie Evans, Luann Bryans, Bill Coleman,
Keith Bruce, Drew Ellis, Catie Bryans
Suzanne West (director)

If you're interested in joining our group, call Suzanne at 828-557-7926.
Our musicians donate their time and talents, and your support to expand our music library is certainly
welcomed and appreciated.

Any donations that you wish to make may be mailed to:
Valley River Ringers, P.O. Box 65, Murphy, NC 28906.



The Still Place is a Non-Profit Organization who offers a peaceful place for rest, relaxation, and enjoyment to individuals and families experiencing serious life-altering illness or loss of a child. Healing and hope are fostered through uniquely designed, single family retreats at **no cost to the family**. Families enjoy art, nature, spirituality, and southern Appalachian culture and adventures.

Good Shepherd has partnered with The Still Place since its inception through financial assistance as well as needed volunteers from our loving parish family.

On **Sunday, May 31**, after the 11 o'clock service, our parish will host a delicious **spaghetti lunch** as a **fundraiser for The Still Place**. Ron Dutton will be our principal chef in preparing his grandmother Rose's extraordinary, authentic pasta sauce. Please plan on staying after the service to enjoy this fine meal and to learn more about The Still Place.



"Summer Classics.....Beethoven to Broadway"

Date: June 6, 2026

Time: 6:00pm to 7:30pm

Champagne reception in the church Parish Hall immediately following concert.

Good Shepherd will be hosting an evening concert of classical music and Broadway tunes!

This event has been organized by our own Teresa LeMaire and will feature outstanding performances from her professional friends who will offer a one and one half hour program of classical instrumental, voice, and contemporary Broadway vocals. The concert will take place in our church sanctuary.

A champagne reception in our Parish Hall will immediately follow the concert.

We will be offering tickets for sale at \$15.00 each and seating is limited to 120 tickets, first come first serve.

This is your chance to invite friends to accompany you and to experience what will surely be a wonderful evening at Good Shepherd! Our intent is to have a great time for everyone and to offer our Community an opportunity to see our beautiful church from the inside!

Please think about who you would like to invite to attend with you and make plans to attend, Tickets are limited to 120 attendees and tickets will go on sale about May 11th. We encourage you to buy your tickets online at www.zeffy.com, but see Amanda in our church office if you need assistance.

Call Phil Cox or Kathy Rarey if you have questions.

Further announcements and comments will be forthcoming!





GOOD SHEPHERD
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

**3RD ANNUAL
BLUEBERRY
FESTIVAL**

JULY 19, 2026

Save the date!

Jesus Christ, Head of the Church

The Rt. Rev. José A. McLoughlin, Bishop
The Rev. Dr. Bill Breedlove, Rector
The Rev. Dr. Delmer Chilton, Theologian in Residence
The Rev. Beverly Lewis, Priest Associate
The Rev. Dcn. Turner Guidry (Ret.)
Mary Carol Campbell, Organist
Sharon Kyser, Pianist
Teresa LeMaire, Director of Music
Susan Wyman, Bookkeeper
Kevin Conley, Treasurer
Tawanna Dutton, Assistant Treasurer
Liz Rybicki, Nursery Supervisor
Jon Czarnecki, Sexton
Amanda Farmer, Parish Administrator

VESTRY

Sr. Warden: Betsi Wilson
Sub Sr. Warden: Aline Conley
Jr. Warden: Tawanna Dutton
Sub Jr. Wardens: Jeff King (Grounds Maint.), Barry Benson (Indoor Maint.)
Community Life Team: Jose Arias, Jane Boritz, David Cady, Phil Cox
Class of 2026: Phil Cox, Tawanna Dutton, Betsi Wilson
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