

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church Nogales, AZ

25TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

PROPER 27

MORNING PRAYER

November 10, 2024

10:00AM

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The mission of St. Andrew's Nogales is to provide a place of shared faith and a warm accepting church for families of all ages, living out Christ's ministry. St. Andrew's strives to be the face of Christ within our walls and beyond our doors.

Morning Prayer

Rite II

Announcements

Opening Sentence

Philippians 1:2

Officiant Grace to you and peace from God our Father and from the Lord Jesus Christ.

Confession

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

All 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 you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

All **Amen.**

Opening Versicle

Officiant Lord, open our lips

People **And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.**

Officiant Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:

People **as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia!**

Officiant Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness:

People **Come let us adore him. Alleluia!**

Venite

Psalm 95:1-7

The Invitatory is read responsively by half verse

Come, let us sing to the Lord; *

let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation.

Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving *
and raise a loud shout to him with psalms.

For the Lord is a great God, *
and a great King above all gods.

In his hand are the caverns of the earth, *
and the heights of the hills are his also.

The sea is his, for he made it, *
and his hands have molded the dry land.

Come, let us bow down, and bend the knee, *
and kneel before the Lord our Maker.

For he is our God,
and we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand. *
Oh, that today you would hearken to his voice!

Officiant Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy
Spirit

People **As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be
forever. Amen. Alleluia!**

First Reading

Ruth 3:1-5; 4:13-17

Lector A reading from the Book of Ruth

Naomi her mother-in-law said to Ruth, “My daughter, I need to seek some security for you, so that it may be well with you. Now here is our kinsman Boaz, with whose young women you have been working. See, he is winnowing barley tonight at the threshing floor. Now wash and anoint yourself, and put on your best clothes and go down to the threshing floor; but do not make yourself known to the man until he has finished eating and drinking. When he lies down, observe the place where he lies; then, go and uncover his feet and lie down; and he will tell you what to do.” She said to her, “All that you tell me I will do.”

So Boaz took Ruth and she became his wife. When they came together, the Lord made her conceive, and she bore a son. Then the women said to Naomi, “Blessed be the Lord, who has not left you this day without next-of-kin; and may his name be renowned in Israel! He shall be to you a restorer of life and a nourisher of your old age; for your daughter-in-law who loves you, who is more to you than seven sons, has borne him.” Then Naomi took the child and laid him in her bosom, and became his nurse. The women of the neighborhood gave him a name, saying, “A son has been born to Naomi.” They named him Obed; he became the father of Jesse, the father of David.

Lector The Word of the Lord
People **Thanks be to God**

Canticle 13

Benedictus es, Domine

The Canticle is read responsively by half verse

Glory to you, Lord God of our fathers; *
you are worthy of praise; glory to you.

Glory to you for the radiance of your holy Name; *
we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

Glory to you in the splendor of your temple; *
on the throne of your majesty, glory to you.

Glory to you, seated between the Cherubim; *
we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

Glory to you, beholding the depths; *
in the high vault of heaven, glory to you.

Glory to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; *
we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

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.

Second Reading

Hebrews 9:24-28

Lector A reading from the letter to the Hebrews

Christ did not enter a sanctuary made by human hands, a mere copy of the true one, but he entered into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf. Nor was it to offer himself again and again, as the high priest enters the Holy Place year after year with blood that is not his own; for then he would have had to suffer again and again since the foundation of the world. But as it is, he has appeared once for all at the end of the age to remove sin by the sacrifice of himself. And just as it is appointed for mortals to die once, and after that the judgment, so Christ, having been offered once to bear the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to deal with sin, but to save those who are eagerly waiting for him.

Lector The Word of the Lord
People **Thanks be to God**

Psalm 146

Lauda, anima mea

- 1 Great is the Lord, and highly to be praised; *
in the city of our God is his holy hill.
- 2 Beautiful and lofty, the joy of all the earth, is the hill of Zion, *
the very center of the world and the city of the great King.
- 3 God is in her citadels; *
he is known to be her sure refuge.
- 4 Behold, the kings of the earth assembled *
and marched forward together.
- 5 They looked and were astounded; *
they retreated and fled in terror.
- 6 Trembling seized them there; *
they writhed like a woman in childbirth,
like ships of the sea when the east wind shatters them.
- 7 As we have heard, so have we seen,
in the city of the Lord of hosts, in the city of our God; *
God has established her for ever.
- 8 We have waited in silence on your loving-kindness, O God, *
in the midst of your temple.
- 9 Your praise, like your Name, O God, reaches to the world's end; *
your right hand is full of justice.

- 10 Let Mount Zion be glad
and the cities of Judah rejoice, *
because of your judgments.
- 11 Make the circuit of Zion;
walk round about her; *
count the number of her towers.
- 12 Consider well her bulwarks;
examine her strongholds; *
that you may tell those who come after.
- 13 This God is our God for ever and ever; *
he shall be our guide for evermore.

The Gospel

Mark 12: 38-44

Lector A reading from the Evangelist Mark

As Jesus taught, he said, “Beware of the scribes, who like to walk around in long robes, and to be greeted with respect in the marketplaces, and to have the best seats in the synagogues and places of honor at banquets! They devour widows’ houses and for the sake of appearance say long prayers. They will receive the greater condemnation.”

He sat down opposite the treasury, and watched the crowd putting money into the treasury. Many rich people put in large sums. A poor widow came and put in two small copper coins, which are worth a penny. Then he called his disciples and said to

them, “Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all those who are contributing to the treasury. For all of them have contributed out of their abundance; but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on.”

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

A time of a guided and open reflection upon the Gospel is open to all

The Apostles' Creed

Recited by all in unison

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

Offertory sentence

Officiant Christ has called us to be his witnesses to the ends of the earth. So let us give generously to fulfill that call.

Prayer over the offering

Officiant Source of all joy, receive our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Keep us in the love of Christ and bring us to the vision of his glory; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord.

All **Amen.**

The Prayers

Officiant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Officiant Let us pray.

People **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, the power, and the
glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Suffrage A

<i>Officiant</i>	Show us your mercy, O Lord;
<i>People</i>	And grant us your salvation.
<i>Officiant</i>	Clothe your ministers with righteousness;
<i>People</i>	Let your people sing with joy.
<i>Officiant</i>	Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;
<i>People</i>	For only in you can we live in safety.
<i>Officiant</i>	Lord, keep this nation under your care;
<i>People</i>	And guide us in the way of justice and truth.
<i>Officiant</i>	Let your way be known upon earth;
<i>People</i>	Your saving health among all nations.
<i>Officiant</i>	Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;
<i>People</i>	Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.
<i>Officiant</i>	Create in us clean hearts, O God;
<i>People</i>	And sustain us with your Holy Spirit

Collect of the Day

Officiant O God, whose blessed Son came into the world that he might destroy the works of the devil and make us children of God and heirs of eternal life: Grant that, having this hope, we may purify ourselves as he is pure; that, when he comes again with power and great glory, we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

People **Amen.**

Collects

Officiant O God, you make us glad with the weekly remembrance of the glorious resurrection of your Son our Lord: Give us this day such blessing through our worship of you, that the week to come may be spent in your favor; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

People **Amen.**

Officiant Heavenly Father, in you we live and move and have our being: We humbly pray you so to guide and govern us by your Holy Spirit, that in all the cares and occupations of our life we may not forget you, but may remember that we are ever walking in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

People **Amen.**

Prayers of the People

Officiant Let us pray for the whole world and everything in it, for there is much need and want, and we, the church, have been called to be Christ's body in our world today.

Members of the congregation are invited to read the following intercessions.

We pray for all the people of the world, especially those who live in want and need.

People **May we be Christ's body, the fullness of him who fills all in all**

We pray for the nations of the world, especially their leaders, that they may see, understand, and honor the sovereignty of peace and compassion over their own self-interest.

People **May we be Christ's body, the fullness of him who fills all in all**

We pray for the ill and the abused, and for all those who need protection and care.

People **May we be Christ's body, the fullness of him who fills all in all**

We pray for friends and loved ones . . . Comfort all who are suffering (*names may be shared aloud*) walk with them through dark valleys and restore them, body, mind, and soul

People **May we be Christ's body, the fullness of him who fills all in all**

We pray for the earth and its delicate yet live-giving ecosystem. By the same power through you resurrected Christ, empower us to restore endangered species, polluted waters, and unclean air.

People **May we be Christ's body, the fullness of him who fills all in all**

We pray for your church and its called and elected leaders. May we all grow in faith and love, and know with surety the inheritance and hope to which you have called us.

People **May we be Christ's body, the fullness of him who fills all in all**

Officiant Holy One, your power and majesty fill the universe, far above all we see and do, measure and name. You reign with Christ and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.

People **Amen.**

General Thanksgiving

Officiant and people

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. Amen.

Officiant Let us bless the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Officiant May the God of hope fill us with all joy and peace in believing through the power of the Holy Spirit.

People **Amen.**

Dismissal

Bishop of Arizona: The Right Reverend Jennifer Reddall
Rector: The Rev. Gary A. Cyr
Deacon: The Rev. Rodger Babnew Jr.
Altar Guild: Jean Moehlman

Vestry: Pat Robinson, Raymond Bean

Senior Warden: Jean Moehlman

Junior Warden: Emily Wilson

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