THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

OCTOBER 20, 2024 AT 10:15 AM

THE TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



ALL ARE WELCOME HERE

We are a welcoming, inclusive and affirming parish in the Episcopal Diocese of North Carolina. We seek to meet and serve Christ in all people and to glorify God in our words and our actions.

THE RT. REV. SAMUEL RODMAN
BISHOP DIOCESAN OF NORTH CAROLINA

THE RT. REV. JENNIFER BROOKE-DAVIDSON
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THE REV. HERSHEY MALLETTE STEPHENS, PASTORAL ASSOCIATE
THE REV. NANCY ALLISON, PRIEST-IN-RESIDENCE

ARE YOU VISITING TODAY?

Know that you are most welcome, and we pray that you will return to worship with us again soon! Please do us the honor of filling out a Welcome Card, either by scanning the QR code to the right OR by filling out a physical card located in the pew rack and then placing it in the alms basin during the offertory or handing it to an usher or to a member of the clergy as you leave today. Thank you!

Holy Eucharist: Rite Two

This service bulletin is designed for use with the red Book of Common Prayer (BCP) and the blue Hymnal 1982, both of which are located in the pew rack in front of you.

Voluntary

Processional Hymn: God is Love, let heaven adore him Hymnal 379

Opening Acclamation Book of Common Prayer (BCP), p. 355

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

The Collect for Purity BCP, p. 355

Hymn of Praise: Canticle 20, Glory to God: *Gloria in excelsis* Hymnal S 280

1 Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.

2 Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.

3 Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
4 you take away the sin of the world;
have mercy on us;
5 you are seated at the right hand of the Father;
receive our prayer.

6 For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
7 you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect of the Day BCP, p. 357

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, in Christ you have revealed your glory among the nations: Preserve the works of your mercy, that your Church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The Collect of the Kids

Children ages 4 to 5th grade are invited to the steps for a brief introduction to the day's liturgy or lessons. They then depart for Children's Chapel, returning for the Eucharist.

The First Lesson **Job 38:1-7**
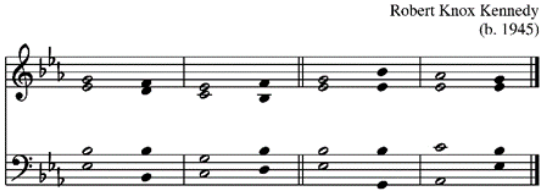
Lector A reading from the Book of Job.

The LORD answered Job out of the whirlwind:
"Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge?
Gird up your loins like a man,
I will question you, and you shall declare to me.
"Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth?
Tell me, if you have understanding.
Who determined its measurements—surely you know!
Or who stretched the line upon it?
On what were its bases sunk,
or who laid its cornerstone
when the morning stars sang together
and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy?

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The Response 104:1-9, 25, 37b



Benedic, anima mea

1 Bless the Lord, O my soul; *
O Lord my God, how excellent is your greatness!
you are clothed with majesty and splendor.
2 You wrap yourself with light as with a cloak *
and spread out the heavens like a curtain.

3 You lay the beams of your chambers in the waters above; *
you make the clouds your chariot;
you ride on the wings of the wind.

4 You make the winds your messengers *
and flames of fire your servants.

5 You have set the earth upon its foundations, *
so that it never shall move at any time.

6 You covered it with the Deep as with a mantle; *
the waters stood higher than the mountains.

7 At your rebuke they fled; *
at the voice of your thunder they hastened away.

8 They went up into the hills and down to the valleys beneath, *
to the places you had appointed for them.

9 You set the limits that they should not pass; *
they shall not again cover the earth.
25 O Lord, how manifold are your works! *
in wisdom you have made them all;
the earth is full of your creatures.

37b Hallelujah!

The Second Lesson Hebrews 5:1-10

Lector A reading from the letter to the Hebrews.

Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. And one does not presume to take this honor, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was.

So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him,

"You are my Son,
today I have begotten you";

as he says also in another place,

"You are a priest forever,
according to the order of Melchizedek."

In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Sequence Hymn: O Love of God, how strong and true Hymnal 455

The Gospel **Mark 10:35-45**

Gospeler The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to Jesus and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." And he said to them, "What is it you want me to do for you?" And they said to him, "Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory." But Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?" They replied, "We are able." Then Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared."

When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, "You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many."

Gospeler The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

The Sermon The Rev. Justin Gabbard

The Nicene Creed BCP, p. 358

The Prayers of the People, Form VI BCP, p. 392

Intercessor In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Silence

Intercessor For all people in their daily life and work;

People **For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.**

Intercessor For this community, the nation, and the world;

People **For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.**

Intercessor For the just and proper use of your creation;

People **For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.**

Intercessor For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

People **For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.**

Intercessor For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

People **For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.**

Intercessor For Michael, our presiding bishop; Sean, our presiding bishop-elect; and Sam and Jennifer our bishops and for all bishops; for Imogen, Justin, Hershey, and Nancy, our clergy and all other ministers.

People **For all who serve God in his Church.**

Intercessor For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions

Intercessor Hear us, Lord;

People **For your mercy is great.**

Intercessor We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

Silence

The People may add their own thanksgivings

Intercessor We will exalt you, O God our King;

People **And praise your Name for ever and ever.**

Intercessor We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom, remembering especially Betty Moore.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions

Intercessor Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

People **Who put their trust in you.**

Intercessor God, we ask you to bless each and every person affected by Hurricanes Helene and Milton and surround them with Your love, protection and angels. Let them know of our prayers for them and their loved ones. We give You all the praise and glory forever, Lord, and know that even in the darkest hours, You are always with us. For the love of your only Son, our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

People **Amen.**

Intercessor We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

Silence

All **Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

The Absolution BCP, p. 360

The Peace BCP, p. 360

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People **And also with you.**

Welcome and Announcements

- **Next Sunday, October 27th Is Commitment Sunday!**
  - You are invited to bring your 2025 pledge card with you to church and join in placing it in the alms basin.
  - Everyone is invited to our annual Brunswick Stew lunch next Sunday immediately following the 10:15 worship service in Shepherd's Hall. Please join us!
  - At 2 PM we will **Live Our Faith** as we participate in the Greater Triangle Area Crop Hunger Walk. To join the Good Shepherd team, scan the QR code on one of the CROP posters around the church or go to www.crophungerwalk.org/trianglenc. **Contacts: Leslie Gilbert** (leslie.gilbert@me.com) and **Dan Harris** (danoharris3635@gmail.com).
- **Stewardship 2025: *Radically Living Our Faith***
  - Our 2025 Budget pledge goal is $750,000.
  - In 2025 we hope to provide increased support for
    - children's ministries with an Associate Rector for Children's Spirituality
    - music staffing and programming as we recruit new music leadership
  - Three ministry areas need **YOU** in 2025. Each is bigger than one or two people, and stands to make a lasting impact on our parish and its growth. Consider how you can get involved in:
    - Children's Ministries (particularly on Sundays at 9 AM September through May)
    - Buildings and Grounds
    - Parish-wide stand-alone Fellowship Events

    Forms are available in the Parish Life Center lobby and also in the Parish Email Newsletter.

- **EYC** is going to the NC State Fair this afternoon, departing the church at 12:30 (after a light lunch), returning by 4:30. **Contact: Rev. Justin** (justin.gabbard@cgs-raleigh.org)

- **Out & About Supper Group** meets this evening at 6 at the home of James Deal & Joseph Horton. Out & About is a longstanding Good Shepherd supper group affirming our LGBTQ+ families and friends. All are welcome! **Contact: Brother Paul Henry OSF** (text: 954.448.8931)

Please see the last page of this service bulletin for additional announcements.

The Holy Communion

Offertory Anthem: Wondrous Love — Setting: Marie Pooler

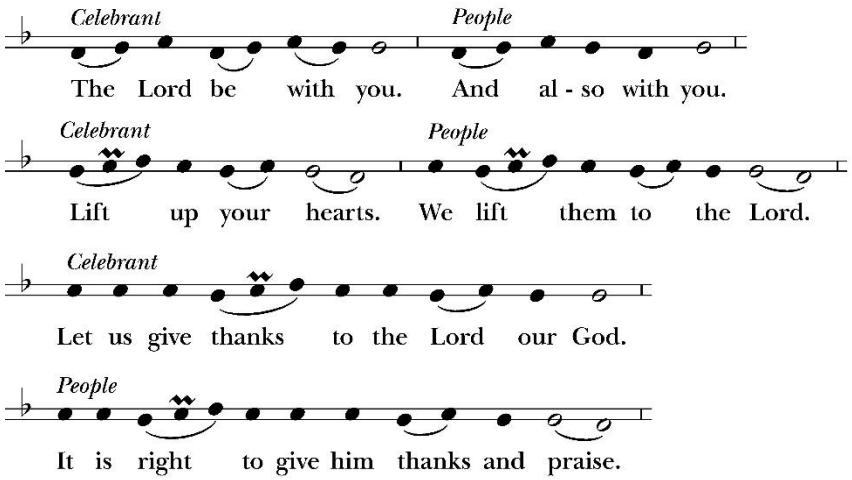
What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul! What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul! What wondrous love is this that caused the Lord of bliss to bear the dreadful curse for my soul, for my soul, to bear the dreadful curse for my soul!

To God and to the Lamb, I will sing, I will sing, to God and to the Lamb, I will sing, to God and to the Lamb who is the great I Am, while millions join the theme, I will sing, I will sing, while millions join the theme, I will sing.

And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on, I'll sing on, and when from death I'm free, I'll sing on, and when from death I'm free I'll sing and joyful be, and through eternity I'll sing on, I'll sing on, and through eternity I'll sing on. What wondrous love, What wondrous love, What wondrous, wondrous love!

Presentation Hymn: Doxology — Hymnal 380 v. 3

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A — BCP, p. 361



Celebrant …Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus: Holy, Holy, Holy — Hymnal S 128

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 Eucharistic Prayer continues on p. 362 in the Book of Common Prayer

Celebrant … Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All **Christ has died.**
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.

Celebrant … All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.



The Lord's Prayer BCP, p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread BCP, p. 364

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

Invitation and Communion

All are invited to come forward during the sharing of Holy Communion.

Where can I go to receive bread and wine by drinking from the common cup? *Please come to the left side (lectern side) of the altar rail; return to your seat via the stairs in the sacristy.*

Where can I go to receive bread and wine by intinction (having a minister dip the host in wine and place it in your hand)? *Please come to the right side (pulpit side) of the altar rail; return to your seat via the stairs by the baptismal font.*

Where can I go to receive only the bread? *Please come to either location and tell the server "only bread."*

Where can I go to receive gluten-free bread? *Please come to either location and ask for gluten free.*

Where can I go to receive a blessing? *Please come to either location and cross your arms over your chest.*

How can I ask for communion to be brought to me? *Please ask an usher to receive by intinction in your seat.*

Communion Hymns:

Lord, we have come at your own invitation Hymnal 348

O Master, let me walk with thee Hymnal 660

Sending out of Eucharistic Visitors

Celebrant 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.

People **Because we who are many are one body in Christ. We share one bread, one cup. Amen.**

Post Communion Prayer *Enriching Our Worship 1*

Celebrant Let us pray.

All **God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.**

The Blessing

Recessional Hymn: Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim Hymnal 535

The Dismissal BCP, p. 366

Voluntary

Please join us immediately following this service for fellowship and refreshments!

TODAY'S ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God by
the Boyne, Fyfe, Scanlon, and Swindell families
in loving memory of Mary Beth Fee.

SERVING TODAY

Ushers	Karen and John Boyne
Verger	Caryl Fuller
Acolytes	Ali Cherry, Jack Boyne, and Ella Grayce Cherry
Lectors	Gregg and Jean Knepley
Intercessor & Chalicist	Ian Finley
Flower Guild	Judi Mathis
Livestream & Sound	Noom Baggett and Sam DeShong
Fellowship Host	The West-Webb Family in thanksgiving for Abby's and Nora's birthdays

GIVE TO THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD ONLINE

Use the QR code to the right to give or pledge online to CGS.
Open your phone's camera, point the camera at the square, and tap the screen.

THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD PRAYER LIST

Roy Wright; Catherine and Bob Williams; Carolyn Owens; Janet Gilliam; Ralph Sanders; Pete Taylor; Martha Bailey; Peggy Hawks; Ginny Byrd; Mitchell Lawrence; Darrell Dennis; Janie Ward-Newton; William Short; Paul Hoch; Carolyn Watson; Brinley Harris; Don Caudill; Shirley Caudill; Larry Bledsoe; Stephanie Rivers; Jane Mayhew; Janet Watrous; The students, faculty, and community of St. Augustine's University; Mike Galligar; Gloria Hepler; Marcia; Pastor Fouad Antoun and the parishioners of the National Evangelical Presbyterian Church in Marjayoun, S. Lebanon; Stephen McCann; Bob Kirchgessner; Jermel Jamison; Terry Lefort; Lorraine Pierson; The Dietz Family; The Moore Family; the people of Israel, Palestine, and Lebanon; the people of Ukraine and Russia; all victims of gun violence; and those affected by drought, heat, floods, and storms, especially those impacted by Hurricanes Helene and Milton.

And we pray for those who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom, remembering especially Betty Moore.

In the diocesan cycle of prayer, we pray for St. Paul's, Winston-Salem; St. Stephen's, Winston-Salem; and St. Timothy's, Winston-Salem.

In the Anglican cycle of prayer, we pray for Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda.

YOUR 2024 VESTRY

Peg Dorer, Sr. Warden
David Howard, Jr. Warden
Gregg Knepley, Treasurer
Carolyn Manley, Registrar

CLASS OF 2025	CLASS OF 2026	CLASS OF 2027
John Boyne, Jr	Ed Gavin	James Deal
Cheryl Cozzi	Esther Hall	Dan Harris
Peg Dorer	David Howard	Leslie Gilbert
Grace Sved	Gregg Knepley	Kay Stallings

YOUR PARISH STAFF

David Baggett
Parish Administrator

Dwayne Holloway
Interim Director of Music & Organist

Laura Dearth
Bookkeeper

Stephen McCann
Facilities Coordinator

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Are you receiving the weekly parish newsletter? If not, be sure to subscribe so you can get the latest news about all of the church's activities and events! How to subscribe? From the parish website (cgs-raleigh.org) click on "Read Our Weekly Newsletter"; after it opens, you'll see, at the top, a button that reads "Join Our Email List." Just click on that button and provide the requested info. It's that simple!

- **Adult Formation** next week at 9 AM
  - Please join Rev. Imogen on Sunday mornings during October for "**Jesus, Marie Kondo, and the Spiritual Art of Saving the World.**" Next week's session: ***Freed for Abundance: How do we give voice and action to a God-given life that is abundant for all?***
  - **Adult Bible Study** with Debbie Moyer meets in Room 304.
- **Men's Fellowship** … Enjoy lunch with Good Shepherd men at High Park Grill, 625 East Whitaker Mill Road at noon for good food and company. No agenda, just a chance to connect. Everyone pays for their own meal. Hosted by Jack Boyne, John Boyne, Dan Harris, Brooks Malone, and Ed Sharp. RSVP to **Esther Hall** (919.740.5260) by October 30th**.**
- Our **All Saints' Day** observance will be on Sunday, November 3rd. If you would like to add the name of a recently deceased loved one to be included in the prayers, you will find a link in the Parish News. You may also contact the Parish Office (919.831.2000), Monday-Thursday, 9AM-5PM. The deadline for submissions is Monday, October 28th.
- The Rev. Justin Gabbard will host a series of **Newcomers Classes** after church on November 3, 10, and 17. These informal sessions will provide an introduction to the Episcopal Church, Anglican theology, and our particular pattern of worship and give newcomers an opportunity to become better acquainted with our clergy and some of our other new members. A **Newcomers Reception** will also be held at the home of John and Karen Boyne from 4-6pm on Saturday, November 9. **Contact: Rev. Justin** (justin.gabbard@cgs-raleigh.org)
- On Thursday, November 7, The Church of the Good Shepherd will host a screening of ***The Philadelphia Eleven*****.** This award-winning documentary marks the 50th anniversary of the July 1974 moment when eleven courageous women and three brave bishops shattered the stained-glass ceiling by ordaining the first women as priests in the Episcopal Church. The evening will begin at 6 PM with a catered reception in Shepherd's Hall. An opportunity for reflection and conversation will follow the screening. To register, please see the parish newsletter or the parish website. **Contact: Rev. Justin** (justin.gabbard@cgs-raleigh.org)

YES, I CAN!

Did you notice the QR code on last week's "Can You Help?" flyer didn't work? Apologies!

If you are able to offer your assistance during 2025 with one of these key Good Shepherd ministries:

- Children's Ministries
- Buildings & Grounds
- Parish-wide Fellowship Events

Please sign up by scanning this QR code or use a hardcopy form. Hardcopy forms are located in the PLC lobby. Thank you!