# THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

## THE SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

## JULY 7, 2024 AT 10:15 AM



### 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.*

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### 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!*

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## 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:** How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord — Hymnal 637

**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

**Canticle 13, A Song of Praise: *Benedictus es, Donime*** — Hymnal S 236

1 Glory to you, Lord God of our fathers;
you are worthy of praise; glory to you.
2 Glory to you for the radiance of your holy Name;
we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

3 Glory to you in the splendor of your temple;
on the throne of your majesty, glory to you.
4 Glory to you, seated between the Cherubim;
we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

5 Glory to you, beholding the depths;
in the high vault of heaven, glory to you.
6 Glory to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit;
we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

**The Collect of the Day**

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

O God, you have taught us to keep all your commandments by loving you and our neighbor: Grant us the grace of your Holy Spirit, that we may be devoted to you with our whole heart, and united to one another with pure affection; 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 & Invitation to Children's Chapel**

*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.*

**First Lesson** **2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10**

*Lector* A reading from the Second Book of Samuel.

All the tribes of Israel came to David at Hebron, and said, "Look, we are your bone and flesh. For some time, while Saul was king over us, it was you who led out Israel and brought it in. The Lord said to you: It is you who shall be shepherd of my people Israel, you who shall be ruler over Israel." So all the elders of Israel came to the king at Hebron; and King David made a covenant with them at Hebron before the Lord, and they anointed David king over Israel. David was thirty years old when he began to reign, and he reigned forty years. At Hebron he reigned over Judah seven years and six months; and at Jerusalem he reigned over all Israel and Judah thirty-three years.

David occupied the stronghold, and named it the city of David. David built the city all around from the Millo inwards. And David became greater and greater, for the Lord, the God of hosts, was with him.

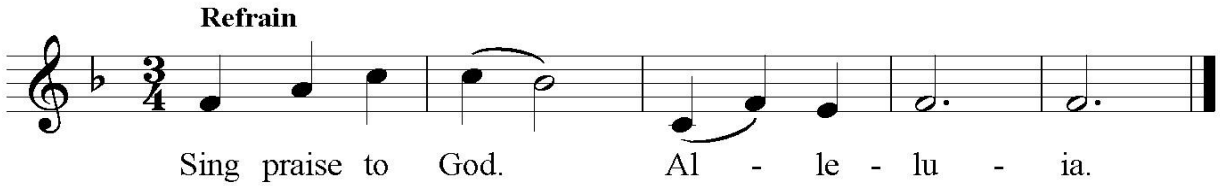
*Lector* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

**The Response** **Psalm 48**

*Magnus Dominus*

*Congregation and choir sing refrain; choir sings verses*




1. *How great is the Lord and worthy of praise, whose glory above Mount Zion displays! In light of your splendor our cities are dust; eternal our refuge, unquestioned our trust.*
2. *The rulers of earth are shaken with fright, when you in your wrath appear in their sight; but we as your chosen have witnessed your heart, and at its remembrance, all fears soon depart.*
3. *The far-fashioned bounds of earth lift their voice, and for your goodwill the mountains rejoice; your kindness still follows the course of our days; whatever our pathway, our guide for always.*

**Second Lesson** **2 Corinthians 12:2-10**

*Lector* A reading from Paul's second letter to the Corinthians.

I know a person in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows. And I know that such a person—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows— was caught up into Paradise and heard things that are not to be told, that no mortal is permitted to repeat. On behalf of such a one I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better

of me than what is seen in me or heard from me, even considering the exceptional character of the revelations. Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated. Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, but he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness." So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. Therefore I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong.

*Lector* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

**Sequence Hymn:** Lead me, guide me *please see opposite page*

**The Gospel** **Mark 6:1-13**

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

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

Jesus came to his hometown, and his disciples followed him. On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, "Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?" And they took offense at him. Then Jesus said to them, "Prophets are not without honor, except in their hometown, and among their own kin, and in their own house." And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. And he was amazed at their unbelief.

Then he went about among the villages teaching. He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. He said to them, "Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them." So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

*Deacon* The Gospel of the Lord.

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

**Sequence Hymn:** Lead me, guide me *Wonder, Love, and Praise* 756




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**The Sermon** The Rev. Imogen Rhodenhiser

**The Nicene Creed** BCP, p. 358

**The Prayers of the People** New Zealand Prayer Book

*Intercessor* Heavenly Father, you have promised to hear when we pray in the name of your Son. Therefore, in confidence and trust, we pray for the Church. Father, enliven the Church for its mission,

*All* **That we may be salt of the earth and light to the world.**

Intercessor Breathe fresh life into your people.

*All* **Give us power to reveal Christ in word and action.**

*Intercessor* We pray for our community. Give grace to all whose lives are linked with ours.

*All* **May we serve Christ in one another, and love as He loves us.**

*Intercessor* Comfort and restore all who suffer in body, mind or spirit.

*All* **May they know the power of your healing love.**

*Intercessor* We pray for the needs of the world. For the hungry and the overfed,

*All* **May we have enough.**

*Intercessor* For the mourners and the mockers,

*All* **May we laugh together.**

*Intercessor* For the victims and the oppressors,

*All* **May we share power wisely.**

*Intercessor* For the silenced and the propagandists,

*All* **May we speak our own words in truth.**

*Intercessor* For the unemployed and the overworked,

*All* **May our impress on the earth be kindly and creative.**

*Intercessor* For the troubled and the sleek,

*All* **May we live together as wounded healers.**

*Intercessor* For the homeless and the cosseted,

*All* **May our homes be simple, warm, and welcoming.**

*Intercessor* For the vibrant and the dying,

*All* **May we all die to live.**

*Intercessor* O God of many names, lover of all peoples; we pray for peace in our hearts and homes, in our nations and our world; the peace of your will, the peace of our need.

*All* **Amen.**

**Confession of Sin** *Enriching Our Worship*

*Celebrant* Let us confess our sins to God.

*All* **God of all mercy, we confess that we have sinned against you, opposing your will in our lives. We have denied your goodness in each other, in ourselves, and in the world you have created. We repent of the evil that enslaves us, the evil we have done, and the evil done on our behalf. Forgive, restore, and strengthen us through our Savior Jesus Christ, that we may abide in your love and serve only your will. 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**

**Today's Altar Flowers**

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God by Jan and Victor Harris in loving memory of our parents and in thanksgiving for our son and his family and by The Dorer family in loving memory of Ali Dorer.

**Give to The Church of the Good Shepherd**

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.

**Collect for the Nation** BCP, p. 258

Lord God Almighty, you have made all the peoples of the earth for your glory, to serve you in freedom and in peace: Give to the people of our country a zeal for justice and the strength of forbearance, that we may use our liberty in accordance with your gracious will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

## The Holy Communion

**Offertory Anthem:** Down to the river to pray arr. Sheldon Curry

As I went down to the river to pray, studying about that good o' way and who shall wear the starry crown. Good Lord, show me the way. O sisters [brothers, fathers, mothers, sinners], let's go down, let's go down, come on down. O sisters, let's go down, down to the river to pray.

**Presentation Hymn:** Doxology Hymnal 380, verse 3

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

**The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer B** BCP, p. 367

*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.**
*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 Lord Hymnal S 125

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. 368 in the Book of Common Prayer*

*Celebrant* …Therefore, according to his command, O Father,
*All* **We remember his death,**
**We proclaim his resurrection,**
**We await his coming in glory;**
*Celebrant* …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.
*All* **AMEN.**

**The Lord's Prayer** BCP, p. 364

**The Breaking of the Bread** BCP, p. 364

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

**Invitation and Communion**

*During communion today, Daughters of the King will be available in the Bride's Room (the small room at the back of the church, beside the narthex) to pray with anyone desiring healing prayers.*

**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:**

Amazing grace! how sweet the sound Hymnal 671

For the bread which you have broken Hymnal 341

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

**Post Communion Prayer** BCP, p. 365

*Celebrant* Let us pray.
*All* **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.**

**The Blessing**

**Recessional Hymn:** Thou, whose almighty word Hymnal 371

**The Dismissal** BCP, p. 366

*Deacon* Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, Alleluia!
*People* **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia!**

**Voluntary**

**Please join us immediately following this service for lunch and fellowship!**

**Serving Today**

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| Ushers | Kim Johnson and Sheldon Smith |
| Verger | Ed Gavin |
| Acolytes | Callin Fee and Ryan Fee |
| Lectors | Jim Anderson and Susan Lewellen |
| Intercessor & Chalicist | Bethany Pergerson |
| Livestream & Sound | Craig DeShong and Sam DeShong |
| Flower Guild | Judi Mathis |
| Fellowship Host | Beyond Our Doors Ministry Team |

## THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD PRAYER LIST

Roy Wright; Carolyn Owens; Janet Gilliam; Ralph Sanders; Pete Taylor; Martha Bailey; Peggy Hawks; Ginny Byrd; Mitchell Lawrence; Darrell Dennis; Janie Ward-Newton; William Short; Catherine and Bob Williams; Paul Hoch; Carolyn Watson; Brinley Harris; Don Caudill; Shirley Caudill; Larry Bledsoe; Stephanie Rivers; Jane Mayhew; Jeffrey Halbstein-Harris; The students, faculty, and community of St. Augustine's University; The Rev. John Wall; Denise and Hector; John; Mary; Sybil Baccus; Penny Horkan; Felix Waturu; Josie and Natalie Van Dyke; Janice Frazier; The Towns Family; The Moore Family; The Alexander Family; the people of Israel and Palestine; the people of Ukraine and Russia; the people of Sudan; all victims of gun violence; and those affected by drought, heat, and storms.

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

In the diocesan cycle of prayer, we pray for St. Michael's, Raleigh, and St. Timothy's, Raleigh.

In the Anglican cycle of prayer, we pray for The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean.

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Please contact our Parish Administrator, David Baggett (email: david.baggett@cgs-raleigh.org or phone: 919.831.2018), if you would like information about:

- transferring your membership from another parish
- joining the church
- being married
- being baptized

**Save the Date**

**Sunday, August 11** marks the opening of The Church of the Good Shepherd exhibit at the Raleigh City Museum highlighting 150 years of our history. Please join fellow parishioners for the Opening Reception following the 10:15 AM worship service at the City of Raleigh Museum located at 220 Fayetteville Street. Invite former members to join us and tour the exhibit, enjoy light bites, and fellowship with old and new friends. **Contact: Esther Hall**

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