

THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

JUNE 14, 2026 AT 10:15 AM

THE THIRD 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.

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 Visitor Card, either by scanning the QR code to the right OR by filling out a physical card located in the pew rack in front of you. If you fill out a physical card, please place it in the alms basin during the offertory or hand it to an usher or to a member of the clergy as you leave today. Thank you!



Holy Eucharist: Rite II

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

Voluntary

Allegro from Sonata in G Major, K. 283 Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

The opening voluntary today offers a contemplative start to the service with a movement from one of Mozart's piano sonatas.

Processional Hymn

Christ, whose glory fills the skies
Ratisbon

Hymnal 7

The 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 forever. Amen.**

The Collect for Purity

BCP, p. 355

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord.

People **Amen.**

Canticle 20

Glory to God: *Gloria in excelsis*

Hymnal S 280

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| 1 Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth. | 6 For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord, |
| 2 Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory. | 7 you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen. |
| 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. | |

The Collect of the Day

BCP, p. 300

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Keep, O Lord, your household the Church in your steadfast faith and love, that through your grace we may proclaim your truth with boldness, and minister your justice with compassion; for the sake of our Savior Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

People **Amen.**

Invitation to Children's Chapel and Godly Play

Children ages 4 to 5th grade are invited to depart for Children's Chapel and Godly Play, returning for the Eucharist.

The First Lesson

Exodus 19:2-8a

Lector A reading from the Book of Exodus

The Israelites had journeyed from Rephidim, entered the wilderness of Sinai, and camped in the wilderness; Israel camped there in front of the mountain. Then Moses went up to God; the Lord called to him from the mountain, saying, "Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and tell the Israelites: You have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I bore you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself. Now therefore, if you obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession out of all the peoples. Indeed, the whole earth is mine, but you shall be for me a priestly kingdom and a holy nation. These are the words that you shall speak to the Israelites."

So Moses came, summoned the elders of the people, and set before them all these words that the Lord had commanded him. The people all answered as one: "Everything that the Lord has spoken we will do."

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The Response

Psalm 100

Jubilate Deo

Jerome Webster Meachen
(b. 1930)

- 1 Be joyful in the Lord, all you lands; *
serve the Lord with gladness
and come before his presence with a song.
- 2 Know this: The Lord himself is God; *
he himself has made us, and we are his;
we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.
- 3 Enter his gates with thanksgiving;
go into his courts with praise; *
give thanks to him and call upon his Name.



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- 4 For the Lord is good;
his mercy is everlasting; *
and his faithfulness endures from age to age.

The Second Lesson

Romans 5:1-8

Lector A reading from Paul's letter to the Romans.

Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us. For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person-- though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Sequence Hymn

Come, thou fount of every blessing
Nettleton

Hymnal 686

The Gospel

Matthew 9:35-10:23

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

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

Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness.

When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest."

Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him.

These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: "Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, proclaim the good news, 'The kingdom of heaven has come near.' Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment. Take no gold, or silver, or copper in your belts, no bag for your journey, or two tunics, or sandals, or a staff; for laborers deserve their food. Whatever town or village you enter, find out who in it is worthy, and stay there until you leave. As you enter the house, greet it. If the house is worthy, let your peace come upon it; but if it is not worthy, let your peace return to you. If anyone will not welcome you or listen to your words, shake off the dust from your feet as you leave that house or town. Truly I tell you, it will be more tolerable for the land of Sodom and Gomorrah on the day of judgment than for that town.

"See, I am sending you out like sheep into the midst of wolves; so be wise as serpents and innocent as doves. Beware of them, for they will hand you over to councils and flog you in their synagogues; and you will be dragged before governors and kings because of me, as a testimony to them and the Gentiles. When they hand you over, do not worry about how you are to speak or what you are to say; for what you are to say will be given to you at that time; for it is not you who speak, but the Spirit of your Father speaking through you. Brother will betray brother to death, and a father his child, and children will rise against parents and have them put to death; and you will be hated by all because of my name. But the one who endures to the end will be saved. When they persecute you in one town, flee to the next; for truly I tell you, you will not have gone through all the towns of Israel before the Son of Man comes."

Gospeler The Gospel of the Lord.

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

The Sermon

The Reverend Anne Gardner

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 Sarah, Archbishop of Canterbury; Sean, our Presiding Bishop, and Sam and Jennifer our Bishops; for Imogen, Justin, Hershey, and Devin, our clergy; for all bishops and 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, remembering especially Susie Rahal and Jerry Smith, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

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 We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.
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 Celebrant concludes with an absolution.

All **Amen**

The Peace

BCP, p. 360

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

Welcome and Announcements

Juneteenth Observance: Collect for Social Justice

BCP, p. 260

Almighty God, who created us in your image: Grant us grace fearlessly to contend against evil and to make no peace with oppression; and, that we may reverently use our freedom, help us to employ it in the maintenance of justice in our communities and among the nations, to the glory of your holy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Holy Communion

Offertory Anthem

God So Loved the World

John Stainer

Chancel Choir

God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whoso believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through him might be saved.

-John 3:16

Presentation Hymn

Doxology

Old Hundredth

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above ye heav'nly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer C

BCP, p. 369

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 God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.

People **Glory to you for ever and ever.**

Celebrant At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

People **By your will they were created and have their being.**

Celebrant From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

People **Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.**

Celebrant Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

People **By his blood, he reconciled us.
By his wounds, we are healed.**

Celebrant And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

Sanctus Holy, holy, holy Lord Hymnal S 129

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. 371 in the Book of Common Prayer

Celebrant ... Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,

All **We celebrate his death and resurrection,
as we await the day of his coming.**

Celebrant Lord God of our Fathers: God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob;
God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

People **Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.**

Celebrant Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation.

All **AMEN.**

The Lord's Prayer BCP, p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread BCP, p. 364

Fraction Anthem Christ our Passover Hymnal S 155

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

Therefore let us keep the feast.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Invitation and Communion BCP, p. 364

All are welcome to Holy Communion at God's table.

The ushers will direct you to the altar rail. Kneeling is optional. If you would prefer to receive communion at your seat, please tell an usher.

- To receive a gluten-free host, simply ask the deacon or priest.
- To receive the wine, feel free to sip from the chalice when it is offered to you or to intinct the host, carefully dipping your host into the wine.
- To receive a blessing, simply place your hands across your chest.

Communion Anthem O Divine Redeemer Charles Gounod
Alyson Ireland, soprano

Ah! Turn me not away, receive me, though unworthy!

Hear Thou my cry, behold, Lord, my distress!

Answer me from thy throne. Haste thee, Lord, to mine aid, thy pity show in my deep anguish!

Let not the sword of vengeance smite me, though righteous thine anger, O Lord!

Shield me in danger, O regard me!

On Thee, Lord, alone will I call.

O, divine Redeemer! I pray Thee, grant me pardon, and remember not my sins!

Forgive me, O, divine Redeemer!

Night gathers round my soul; fearful, I cry to Thee;

Come to mine aid, O Lord! Haste Thee, Lord, hast to help me!

Here my cry! Save me, Lord, in Thy mercy; come and save me, O Lord!

Save, in the day of retribution, from death shield Thou me, O my God!

O, divine Redeemer, have mercy! Help me, my Savior!

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.**

The Post Communion Prayer

BCP, p. 366

Celebrant Let us pray.

All **Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.**

The Blessing

Celebrant May the Spirit of truth lead you into all truth, giving you grace to confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, and to proclaim the wonderful works of God; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always.

People **Amen.**

Closing Hymn

Come, labor on
Ora Labora

Hymnal 541

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

Prelude in C Major

Dietrich Buxtehude

This joyful piece by German composer Dietrich Buxtehude begins with an almost improvisatory section in the pedals. Listen for Buxtehude's use of parallel thirds throughout most of the piece.

**Please join us immediately following this service for
Fellowship Time with snacks and beverages hosted by the
Outreach Committee; Contact: Suzanne Prince**

Serving Today

Ushers	Dan Harris and Ginger Harris
Verger	Ed Gavin
Acolytes	Frankie & William Scanlon, and Ella Grayce Cherry
Lectors	Ian Finley and Susan Lewellen
Intercessor & Chalice	Ian Finley
Altar Guild	Julie Lowe, Bit Hardy, Wendy Lapish, Kris & Sue Lavalla, Jennifer Seiger, and Marguerite Sullivan
Flower Guild	Lisa Jennings
Livestream & Sound	Rich Netherby and Sam DeShong

Today's Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God by
Grady Britt in thanksgiving for the Youth of The Church of the Good Shepherd.

The Church of the Good Shepherd Prayer List

Catherine and Bob Williams; JoAnn Kistler; Roy Wright; Janet Gilliam; Ralph Sanders;
Pete Taylor; Martha Bailey; Janie Ward-Newton; William Short; Brinley Harris; Don Caudill;
Margaret Park; The Rev. Sallie Simpson; Patricia Harris; Larry Phearse and Family;
Mike Newton-Ward; Rock Kershaw; NY Mike Smith; Tamara Gregory;
Nancy and Gregory Clemmons; Elise Abernathy; Allison Bowers; Peter Smith; Nicholas Smith;
Lynda Terrell-Rea; Glenna Musante and The Gregory Family;
Susan and Jane Jackson and Family; The Fyfe and Simon Families; The Pursley Family;
The Cooke Family; The Rahal and Anderson Families; The Smith and Acton Families;
the people of the Middle East; the people of Ukraine and Russia; victims of gun Violence;
and those affected by drought, heat, floods, storms, and fires.

And we pray for those who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom,
remembering especially Susie Rahal and Jerry Smith.

And we pray for those who mourn, including the family and friends of
The Rev. Janet Watrous, Mary Best, A.B. Swindell, Peggy Hawks, Charles Latimer,
Nolan Simon, Karen Pursley, and Deborah Cooke.

In the diocesan cycle of prayer, we pray for
Trinity, Mount Airy; St. Cyprian's, Oxford; and St. Stephen's Oxford.

In the Anglican cycle of prayer, we pray for
The Church of the Province of South East Asia.

Give to The Church of the Good Shepherd Online



Announcements for Sunday, June 14th

Today

In addition to today's services of Holy Eucharist at 8 and 10:15 AM

8:30 AM - 12 Noon

Nursery Care Available (infant-5 yo)

9 AM

Kids Sunday School (5 yo-5th grade)

11:30 AM

Fellowship Time hosted by our Outreach Committee

Vacation Bible School Week Schedule

Vacation Bible School starts tomorrow! Please note two schedule changes for the week. Monday through Thursday our daily **Morning Prayer will be at 8 AM instead of 9 AM.** We return to our usual time on Friday. There is **no Wednesday Noonday Eucharist this week.**

This Week's Calendar

Date	Event
Mon, Jun 15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 AM Morning Prayer • 9 AM-12 PM Vacation Bible School
Tues, Jun 16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 AM Morning Prayer • 9 AM-12 PM Vacation Bible School • 11 AM Springmoor Eucharist
Wed, Jun 17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 AM Morning Prayer • 9 AM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Vacation Bible School ○ Kaffeeklatsch Fellowship Group at Café Carolina & Bakery in the Village District • 5:30 Finance Committee Meeting on Zoom
Thurs, Jun 18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 AM Morning Prayer • 8:30 AM Books & Bagels Book Group at Chanticleer Café & Bakery (6490 Tryon Road, Cary 27518) • 9 AM Vacation Bible School
Friday, Jun 19	9 AM Morning Prayer
Sat, Jun 20	3 PM Kay-VanHook Wedding

Can You Represent Our Parish at Annual Convention?

Our annual Diocesan Convention will take place **November 20-21** in Winston-Salem. At convention, our parish is represented by four lay delegates in addition to our clergy. The vestry will soon be electing two of our lay delegates to serve a two-year term; those being elected will replace retiring delegates Richard Netherby and Jacob Ferguson and join Caryl Fuller and James Joslin as this year's delegates. We also need two alternate lay delegates to step in if one of our delegates is unable to attend. Serving as a delegate is a way to deepen your faith, expand your knowledge of our church and the way it works, make connections across the diocese, serve the parish, and have fun! If you are interested in serving the parish as a delegate or lay delegate, **please contact Parish Administrator David Baggett (david.baggett@cgs-raleigh.org OR 919.831.2018) by June 19.**

Call for Vacation Photos

The summer is a time when many of us are traveling out of town and even out of country! As you are traveling, do consider sending us some travel/vacation photos along with a quick note about where you are. Throughout the summer months we will publish these pictures in the weekly newsletter. **Please send your photos to Communications Specialist Sean Dye (sean.dye@cgs-raleigh.org).**

OSF Prayer Requests

From June 28 through July 3, Brother Paul Henry, OSF will be participating in the yearly Episcopal Franciscan Brothers Convocation & Retreat at the historic Episcopal DeKoven Center in Racine, WI. Brothers from Canada, Italy & USA will gather for daily Office Prayers, Eucharist, fraternal renewal, future visioning and planning, and to welcome 3 new Brother candidates. The Order IS growing! From Brother Paul, "As y'all are my spiritual family, I wish to take you with me. I ask to be your "Prayer Mule." **As you wish, please share with me your prayerful needs on the form found in the newsletter by Sunday, June 21st.** Your prayer requests will be lifted up by the Franciscan Brothers daily."

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