

Sunday, August 9, Pentecost 11 10:00 A.M.

We're so pleased that you've come to worship with us this morning. While this bulletin is a guide to the service if you are unfamiliar with the ritual customs of the Anglican Church, simply relax with the liturgy and let the rest of the congregation carry you in worship. After the service please join us for coffee and tea & conversation.

(Congregational participation in **BOLD**)

Welcome and Land Acknowledgement

HYMN: Planets Humming As They Wander *(See Insert)*

Celebrant: The grace of God enfold you,
the grace of Christ be in you,
the grace of Spirit be with you.
People: And also with you.

Almighty God,
to you all hearts are open,
all desires known,
and from you no secrets are hidden.
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 Savior. Amen.

Collect
Through the storms of life, O God,
you are with your people
in the person of Jesus your Son.
Calm our fears and strengthen our faith
that we may never doubt his presence among us
but proclaim that he is your Son,
risen from the dead,
living for ever and ever. **Amen.**

First Reading: Genesis 37: 1-4, 12-28
Reader: Susan Himann
Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church
Thanks be to God

Second Reading: Psalm 85: 8-13
Reader: Susan Himann
I will listen to what GOD is saying,
for GOD is speaking peace to GOD's faithful people
and to those who turn their hearts to GOD.
Truly, GOD's salvation is very near to those who fear GOD,
that GOD's glory may dwell in our land.
Mercy and truth have met together;
righteousness and peace have kissed each other.
Truth shall spring up from the earth,
and righteousness shall look down from heaven.
GOD will indeed grant prosperity,
and our land will yield its increase.
Righteousness shall go before GOD,
and peace shall be a pathway for GOD's feet.
Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church
Thanks be to God

PSALM HYMN: Great is Thy Faithfulness

"Great is Thy faithfulness," O God my Father,
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not
As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.

"Great is Thy faithfulness!" "Great is Thy faithfulness!"
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided—
"Great is Thy faithfulness," Lord, unto me!

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above,
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

The Gospel Reading: (*standing*)
God be with you
And also with you
The Good News of Jesus Christ according to Matthew
People: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ
The Gospel Reading: Matthew 14: 22-33
Reader: Deacon Elinor Smith
The Gospel of Christ

People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

Sermon – *The Rev. Dr. Jane Rowland*

The Prayers of the People – *Trish Peebles*

Invitation and Peace

OFFERTORY HYMN # 483 May the Spirit of Christ Be Our Hope *(Blue Book)*

Eucharistic Prayer
Celebrant: May God be with you
People: And also with you.
Celebrant: Lift up your hearts
People: We lift them to the Holy One
Celebrant: Let us give thanks to our loving God
People: It is right to offer thanks and praise

Celebrant: It is right indeed that we should praise you…….
……. as we sing:

Hymn # 719 Holy, Holy, Holy Lord *(Blue Book)*
Holy, holy, holy, Lord
God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest
Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.
Hosanna in the highest.

Celebrant: To you indeed be glory, almighty God,…….
……. the mystery of our faith

Hymn # 720 acclamation
Christ has died
Christ is risen
Christ will come again

Celebrant: Therefore, loving God,…….
……. in songs of everlasting praise.

Hymn # 721 Amen, Amen, Amen (*Blue Book)*

The Lord's Prayer
Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen.

The gifts of God for the people of God
Thanks be to God

Chant # 90 Don't Be Afraid *(Red Book)*

THE COMMUNION

Communion # 176 Three Things I Promise *(Red Book)*

The Prayer after Communion

Glory to God,
whose power working in us
can do infinitely more
than we can ask or imagine.
Glory to God from generation to generation,
in the church and in Christ Jesus
for ever and ever. Amen.

Announcements

HYMN: What is the World Like (*See Insert*)

The Dismissal

