

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, August 5	Tai Chi	7:30am
	Morning Prayer	9:00am
Tuesday, August 6	Ladies Exercise Group	9:15am & 10:30am
Wednesday, August 7	Game Night	6:00pm
Thursday, August 8	Ladies Exercise Group	9:15am & 10:30am
	Mah Jongg	1:00pm
	Bible Study at the Parsonage	3:00pm
	Evening Prayer	5:00pm
	AA	7:00pm
	Vestry Meeting	7:00pm
Friday, August 9	PARISH OFFICE CLOSED	
Saturday, August 10	Yoga	8:00am-11:00am
	Funeral for Tommy Thomas	11:00am
Sunday, August 11	The Holy Eucharist: Rite I	7:30am
<i>9th Sunday after Pentecost</i>	The Holy Eucharist: Rite II	9:30am
	Fellowship	10:30am

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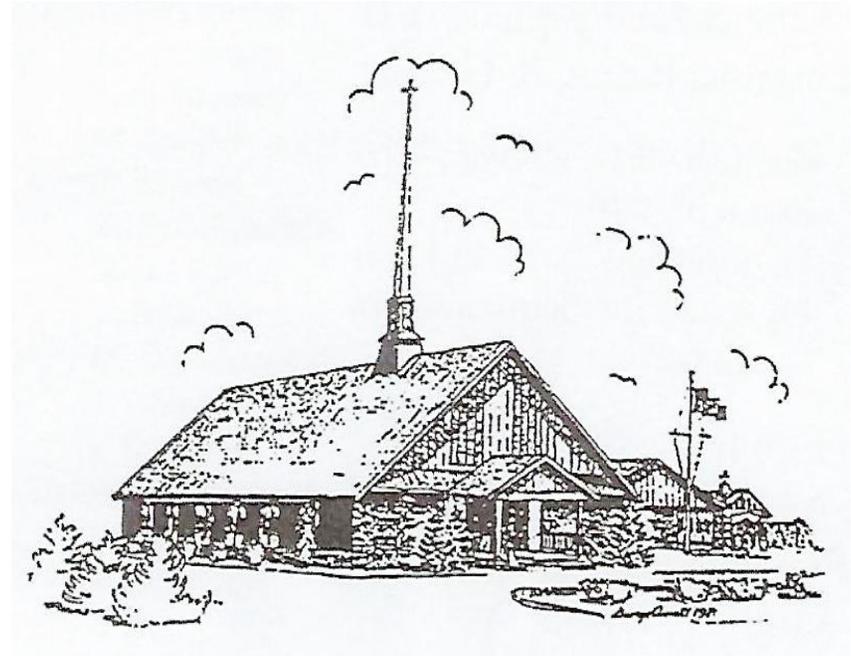
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Vestry Class of 2019	Vestry Class of 2020	Vestry Class of 2021
William Kehr	Margaret Aftanis	Diane Carter
Fran Kleber	Richard Cashel	Melissa Wall
Karen Vaughan	Judith Hamilton	Robert Weidmann

Robert Meyer, Church Warden, 2019 ~ Kay DeCicco, Church Warden, 2020

Mr. Lawrence Peacock, Parish Treasurer
Mr. Richard Cashel, Clerk of the Vestry
Mrs. Lisa Halpin, Parish Administrator
Mrs. Ellen J. Dondero, Minister of Music & Organist
Mrs. Suzette Whiting, President, ECW
Mrs. Jackie Sparks & Mrs. Melissa Wall, Co-Directors of the Altar Guild
Ms. Maggie Aftanis, Superintendent of the Church School
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The Holy Eucharist Eighth Sunday After Pentecost RITE II



*The Episcopal Church of The Holy Innocents
in the Borough of Beach Haven, New Jersey*

August 4, 2019 ~ 9:30 AM

**The Holy Eucharist:
Rite II**

Welcome! The liturgy is found in the **Red** Book of Common Prayer (BCP) and the Music is found in the **Blue** Hymnal. If you are a baptized Christian, regardless of denomination, you are welcome to receive Holy Communion. You may receive both the Bread and the Wine or just the Bread. If you do not wish to receive Communion, cross your hands over your heart as a sign to the clergy.

If you find are comfortable here and ready to talk about becoming a member of The Episcopal Church, please speak with our clergy. They are glad to help.

9:25 am - Sacrament of Healing

(If you would like prayers for healing for yourself and/or in intercession for a loved one, please come forward to the altar rail at this time)

Prelude

(Please observe respectful quiet during the Healing & Prelude. Thank you.)

** Indicates to stand as you are able*

THE WORD OF GOD

***Hymn 594** *God of Grace and God of Glory* CWM RHONDDA

**Celebrant:* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People:* **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

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. *All:* **Amen.**

***Gloria in excelsis Deo S-280** (All sing) Robert Powell

***The Collect of the Day** BCP, p. 230

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you**

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Let your continual mercy, O Lord, cleanse and defend your Church; and, because it cannot continue in safety without your help, protect

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS ~ August 4, 2018

Coffee Fellowship in the Rectory today!

Immediately following 9:30 am Worship.

Weekday Services

Morning Prayer at 9:00 a.m. on Mondays and

Evening Prayer at 5:00 p.m. Thursdays.

Bible Study

Thursday's from, July 11th through August 8th at The Parsonage at 3:00 p.m.

Parish Office Hours

Monday through Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Vestry Meeting

Thursday, August 8th at 7:00 p.m.

Yoga Classes in Martin Hall

Saturday mornings. The program will run from July 20th through August 31st from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00a.m.

Funeral Liturgy for Marcella Gallo

Will take place on August 9th at 10:30 a.m. followed by interment in the Memorial Garden and a repast in Martin Hall.

Communications

Please remember to check with the office and Mother Caroline before scheduling activities at the church. Also, help us keep you informed by updating your contact information!

Dinner with the Rector!

Mother Caroline will be hosting dinners at The Parsonage on the following dates: Tues. Aug. 13 at 7, Th. Aug. 15 at 7, Sun. Aug. 18 after fellowship, Mon. Aug. 19 at 7, and Tues. Aug. 27 at 7. Bring your families! Please sign up on sheets per date in the Narthex.

Backpack Collection

One month to bring in backpacks for children and schools in need. Please see Maggie Aftanis for details.

Parish Prayer List for the Week of August 4, 2019

After the last Sunday of each month, all names will be removed from this Prayer List. If you would like a name to remain on the prayer list for another month, please contact the Parish Administrator in the Church Office by the Thursday before the first Sunday of each month. You may add or remove names at any time during the month. Please be sure to give us the first name of the person to be prayed for. Last names may be given as well, if desired. Thank you.

Alicia & Jim
Glen Allen
Sharon Baalam
Carmen Bentivegna
Marie Bregler
Edward Broderick
Peg Cadigan
Jeannine
Jim & Cathy
Joan Connolly
Joan Cunningham
Michael Read Davis
Donald Deacon
Carol Dobbins
Meg & Rich Dougher
Carol Earl
Faye & Ed
Johnny
Deacon Judy
Kate & Simon
Diane Lee
Charles González
Luis González
Cecily Lovas
Maggie & John
Maryann & Greg
Moe & Barb. B.
Virginia Nicholas

Nicki
Susan Prithard
Carol Ann Renzland
Roberto
Sofie
Marylyn S.
Lara Sparks
Tara
Tatiana
Charlie & Nancy Steinmann
Barbara Walston
Colin Walker
Ann White
Rebecca & Genevieve Whitley
Suzette & Kneeland Whiting

Pray for those serving in the military and other dangerous professions:

Andrew Wall, Brandan White,
Joseph Alexander, Zachary Arlin,
Paul Bailey, Justin A. Dumhart

Birthdays:

Marley Lynn Boyle (08/06)
Robert B. Aljoe (08/08)

Anniversaries:

Pete & Mary Lee Pierce (08/06)

and govern it always by your goodness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *All: Amen.*

The Lesson

Ecclesiastes 1:2, 12-14; 2:18-23

Vanity of vanities, says the Teacher, vanity of vanities! All is vanity. I, the Teacher, when king over Israel in Jerusalem, applied my mind to seek and to search out by wisdom all that is done under heaven; it is an unhappy business that God has given to human beings to be busy with. I saw all the deeds that are done under the sun; and see, all is vanity and a chasing after wind. I hated all my toil in which I had toiled under the sun, seeing that I must leave it to those who come after me -- and who knows whether they will be wise or foolish? Yet they will be master of all for which I toiled and used my wisdom under the sun. This also is vanity. So I turned and gave my heart up to despair concerning all the toil of my labors under the sun, because sometimes one who has toiled with wisdom and knowledge and skill must leave all to be enjoyed by another who did not toil for it. This also is vanity and a great evil. What do mortals get from all the toil and strain with which they toil under the sun? For all their days are full of pain, and their work is a vexation; even at night their minds do not rest. This also is vanity.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

The Gradual: Psalm 49:1-11 (*Let us read Responsively by whole verse*)

- 1 Hear this, all you peoples;
 hearken, all you who dwell in the world, *
 you of high degree and low, rich and poor together.
- 2 My mouth shall speak of wisdom, *
 and my heart shall meditate on understanding.
- 3 I will incline my ear to a proverb *
 and set forth my riddle upon the harp.
- 4 Why should I be afraid in evil days, *
 when the wickedness of those at my heels surrounds me,
- 5 The wickedness of those who put their trust in their goods,
 *and boast of their great riches?

- 6 We can never ransom ourselves, *
or deliver to God the price of our life;
- 7 For the ransom of our life is so great, *
that we should never have enough to pay it,
- 8 In order to live for ever and ever, *
and never see the grave.
- 9 For we see that the wise die also;
like the dull and stupid they perish *
and leave their wealth to those who come after them.
- 10 Their graves shall be their homes for ever,
their dwelling places from generation to generation, *
though they call the lands after their own names.
- 11 Even though honored, they cannot live for ever; *
they are like the beasts that perish.

The Epistle

Colossians 3:1-11

If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory. Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient. These are the ways you also once followed, when you were living that life. But now you must get rid of all such things--anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive language from your mouth. Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. In that renewal there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

Sequence Hymn 574 *Before Thy Throne, O God, We Kneel* ST. PETERSBURG

The Breaking of the Bread

[*Alleluia.*] Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

All: **Therefore let us keep the feast.** [*Alleluia.*]

(*All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Holy Communion.*)

Fraction Anthem: *Agnus Dei* **S-160** (all sing)

Mason Martens

Music During Communion

We Are an Offering

Dwight Lyles

Linda McNee and Ellen Dondero, Duet

Postcommunion Prayer (*Stand or kneel*)

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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.

***Blessing**

***Hymn 60 (LEVAS)** *How Great Thou Art*

Swedish Folk Melody

***Dismissal**

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Deacon: Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit. *Alleluia! Alleluia!*

People: **Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Postlude

Sanctus and Benedictus S-129 (All sing)
(The People may stand or kneel)

Robert Powell

Celebrant: Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world. On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

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

Celebrant: We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

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. *All: AMEN.*

The Lord's Prayer

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***The Holy Gospel**

Luke 12:13-21

Deacon: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ

Someone in the crowd said to Jesus, "Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me." But he said to him, "Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?" And he said to them, "Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions." Then he told them a parable: "The land of a rich man produced abundantly. And he thought to himself, 'What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?' Then he said, 'I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, 'Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.' But God said to him, 'You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?' So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich toward God."

Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ. (All are seated)

The Sermon

The Rev. Dr. Caroline Carson

***The Nicene Creed**

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***The Prayers of the People: Form VI**

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(The people may stand or kneel)

Deacon: In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Silence

Leader: For all people in their daily life and work;

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

Leader: For Nancy our Mayor, Philip our Governor, and Donald our President; for this community, the nation, and the world;

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

Leader: For the just and proper use of your creation;

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

Leader: 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.**

Leader: For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

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

Leader: In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for the Church of the Province of South East Asia: The Most Revd Ng Moon Hing – the Archbishop of this province & Bishop of West Malaysia and his clergy and people. We pray for Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury; for Michael, our Presiding Bishop; for William our Bishop; for Judith our Deacon, for Caroline, our Rector and for all bishops and other ministers;

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

Leader: We pray for the special needs and concerns of this congregation, especially remembering all victims of climate change, and for the poor. We also remember all those mentioned in our Parish Prayer List: the sick, the shut in, and the grieving; those serving in the military and other dangerous professions, and for our enemies, that all hearts may be turned to peace. We may add our own petitions either silently or aloud at this time.

Leader: Hear us, Lord;

People: **For your mercy is great.**

Leader: We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life; for the beauty of your creation; for those celebrating birthdays this week: **Marley, Robert**, and for those celebrating anniversaries: **Pete & Mary Lee**, and for the Holy Innocents, and all the Saints. The congregation may add other thanksgivings at this time.

Leader: We will exalt you, O God our King;

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

Leader: We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom. *(Other deceased loved ones and friends may be mentioned at this time.)*

Leader: Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

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

Leader: 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.**

Absolution

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***The Peace** *(All stand)*

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

The Parish Notices

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory

Hosanna

Linda McNee, soloist

Brooke Ligertwood

***Presentation of the Gifts** *(All stand)*

***The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A**

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Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

All: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Celebrant: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and every where to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

For you are the source of light and life, you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

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