



# St. James Episcopal Church

Established in 1890

**To Know Christ and Make Him Known**

## Third Sunday After Pentecost

Holy Eucharist Rite II

June 13, 2021 10:00 am

**WELCOME TO ST. JAMES AND  
THANK YOU FOR JOINING US TODAY!**

*Portions of this service are found in  
The Book of Common Prayer (the red book in the pew rack).  
Hymns are found in The Hymnal 1982 (the blue book in the pew rack).*

**If you are a visitor or newcomer** to St. James, please take a white visitor bag from the back table to learn more about our ministries. If you want more information, or desire to become a member of our parish, please speak to an usher or greeter, or call the church office at 386-677-0872. You may also contact our Rector, Fr. Roy Allison at 813-310-8031.

**All baptized Christians** are invited to receive Holy Eucharist and are welcome at the Lord's Table. If you would prefer to receive a blessing rather than the bread, come forward at the time of communion and cross your arms over your chest. If you are unable to come to the altar, notify an usher and Communion will be brought to you.

**The Nursery & Children's Chapel** is located on the first floor of the Parish Life Center, and is available beginning at 9:45 am. The children will join their parents at The Doxology. *(Teachers are trained in "Safeguarding God's Children," First Aid/CPR & have had background checks).*

**Please silence your cell phones** and other electronic devices.

**If you are sick or in the hospital** and would like a pastoral visit, please call the church office at 386-677-0872 or Father Roy at 813-310-8031.

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**Prelude** I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord *arr. Robert W. Thygerson*

**The Entrance Rite**

**Opening Hymn 524** I love thy kingdom, Lord *St. Thomas*

*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. **Amen.**

**S280** Glory to God *Powell*

**The Collect of the Day**

*Celebrant:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant:* Let us pray

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. **Amen.**

**The Lessons**

**A Reading from the Book of the Prophet Ezekiel (17:22-24)**

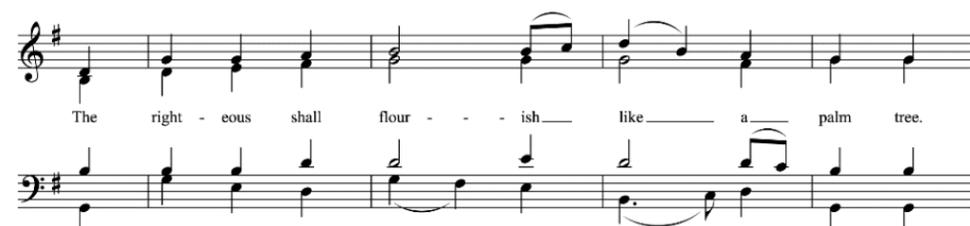
Thus says the Lord God: I myself will take a sprig from the lofty top of a cedar; I will set it out. I will break off a tender one from the topmost of its young twigs; I myself will plant it on a high and lofty mountain. On the mountain height of Israel I will plant it, in order that it may produce boughs and bear fruit, and become a noble cedar. Under it every kind of bird will live; in the shade of its branches will nest winged creatures of every kind. All the trees of the field shall know that I am the Lord.

I bring low the high tree, I make high the low tree; I dry up the green tree and make the dry tree flourish. I the Lord have spoken; I will accomplish it.

*Reader:* The Word of the Lord.

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

**Psalm 92:1-4,11-14**



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1 It is a good thing to give thanks to the Lord, \*  
and to sing praises to your Name, O Most High;  
2 To tell of your loving-kindness early in the morning \*  
and of your faithfulness in the night season;  
3 On the psaltery, and on the lyre, \*  
and to the melody of the harp. [ANT.]

4 For you have made me glad by your acts, O Lord; \*  
and I shout for joy because of the works of your hands.  
11 The righteous shall flourish like a palm tree, \*  
and shall spread abroad like a cedar of Lebanon. [ANT.]

12 Those who are planted in the house of the Lord \*  
shall flourish in the courts of our God;  
13 They shall still bear fruit in old age; \*  
they shall be green and succulent;  
14 That they may show how upright the Lord is, \*  
my Rock, in whom there is no fault. [ANT.]

**A Reading from the Second Letter of Paul to the Corinthians (5:6-17)**

We are always confident; even though we know that while we are at home in the body we are away from the Lord-- for we walk by faith, not by sight. Yes, we do have confidence, and we would rather be away from the body and at home with the Lord. So whether we are at home or away, we make it our aim to please him. For all of us must appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each may receive recompense for what has been done in the body, whether good or evil.

Therefore, knowing the fear of the Lord, we try to persuade others; but we ourselves are well known to God, and I hope that we are also well known to your consciences. We are not commending ourselves to you again, but giving you an opportunity to boast about us, so that you may be able to answer those who boast in outward appearance and not in the heart. For if we are beside ourselves, it is for God; if we are in our right mind, it is for you. For the love of Christ urges us on, because we are convinced that one has died for all; therefore all have died. And he died for all, so that those who live might live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised for them. From now on, therefore, we regard no one from a human point of view; even though we once knew Christ from a human point of view, we know him no longer in that way. So if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new!

*Reader:* The Word of the Lord.

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

**Gradual Hymn 589** Almighty God, your word is cast *Walden*

**The Gospel Reading**

*Celebrant:* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark (4:26-34)

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

Jesus said, “The kingdom of God is as if someone would scatter seed on the ground, and would sleep and rise night and day, and the seed would sprout and grow, he does not know how. The earth produces of itself, first the stalk, then the head, then the full grain in the head. But when the grain is ripe, at once he goes in with his sickle, because the harvest has come.”

He also said, “With what can we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable will we use for it? It is like a mustard seed, which, when sown upon the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth; yet when it is sown it grows up and becomes the greatest of all shrubs, and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the air can make nests in its shade.”

With many such parables he spoke the word to them, as they were able to hear it; he did not speak to them except in parables, but he explained everything in private to his disciples.

*Celebrant:* The Gospel of the Lord.

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

**Sermon** Fr. Roy Allison

**The Nicene Creed** BCP pg.358

**Prayers of the People – Form IV** BCP pg.388

**Confession of Sin** BCP pg.360

**Absolution**

**The Peace**

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

*People:* **And also with you.**

*The Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.*

**Announcements**

**Offertory Anthem** O Give Thanks *Joseph Corfe*

The Doxology *Old 100th*  
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. Amen.

**The Great Thanksgiving - Eucharistic Prayer B** BCP pg. 367

**S 129** Holy, holy, holy, Lord *Sanctus*

**The Lord’s Prayer** BCP pg. 364

**The Breaking of the Bread**

**S 154** Fraction Anthem: Christ our Passover *New Plainsong*

**The Holy Communion**

*All baptized persons are welcome to receive communion or a blessing.  
Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.*

**Communion Hymn** Give Thanks With a Grateful Heart *Henry Smith*

Musical score for 'Give Thanks With a Grateful Heart' by Henry Smith. Includes lyrics: 'Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy One; Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son. Give Son. And now let the weak say, "I am strong." let the poor say, "I am rich" because of what the Lord has done for us; And us. Give us. Give thanks.'

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**Comm. Hymn 302** Father, we thank thee who hast planted *Rendez a Dieu*

**Post Communion Prayer** BCP pg. 365

**The Blessing**

**Closing Hymn 615** “Thy kingdom come!” on bended knee *St. Flavian*

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

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

**Postlude** Fanfare Postlude on “St. Thomas” *Douglas E. Wagner*

The altar flowers are given in memory of Jeff Lankford by his mother & his daughter. 

**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Phil Bellico, Anne Bolter, June Brown, Nancy Brundage, Joe Chessa, Brianna Chesley, Chloe Clark, Nancy Coll, Edward Cornelius, Jesse Doran, Fran Ferguson, Rick Ferritto, Lauren Fisher, Elaine Gillespy, Grant, Larry Grodzicki, Jack Hadley, Erin Bradley Hindman, Daniel & Mamie Sue Hughes, Patricia Hunt, Trey Johnson, Allen & Veronica Kerr, Patty Kraft, Beau Lawler, Carol Lawrence, Glenn Laury, Emmert Lowry, Theresa Lucas, Natalie Lushchyk, Margaret Lyon, Ken, Theresa Mangino, David McCoy, Michael McNally, Melissa, Pat Mesnard, Mary Middleton, Nathan, John Nevin, Becky Nick, Bob Null, Bill & Patti Parsons, Lou Patrignani, Ginny Phillips, Ron Ray, Chris Rheuble, Michael Rickman, Heather Rishel, Cheryl Schadt, John Schebora, Lauren Singer, Johnitta Sirkle, Joe Sinex, Karen Spurge, Frank Underhill, Rosamond Williams, Dolph Veatch, Tammy Yates

THOSE WHO ARE IN NURSING HOMES OR SHUT IN

Ellen Andrews, Courtney Benford, Christine Meidling, Melinda Melachrino, Bob Payne, Charles Savoldi

THOSE IN THE ARMED FORCES

Logan Hadley, Charles May, Christiann Wolford, Matthew Taylor, Cathy Masters, Richard Morris, Shane Seibert, Joshua Hill, Sara Sundberg, Louie Hamilton, Matthew Thomas

THE CLERGY

The Rt. Rev. Gregory O. Brewer, Bishop of Central Florida  
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