

THE SIXTH SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST
SUNDAY, JULY 9TH 2023 AT 10:30 AM



HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II
ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH
6301 PARKMAN PLACE
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If you are joining us for the first time, we are so glad you are with us today! Know that wherever you are on your spiritual journey, you are welcome here.

We invite you to sign our guest book as you exit or fill out a visitor's card in the pew rack in front of you and return it to the offering plate. We'd love to stay connected with you and tell you about all of the wonderful offerings we have at All Saints Episcopal Church.

Please feel free to also find out more about us on our website at allsaintscincinnati.org

PRELUDE

H 210

The Day of Resurrection

OPENING HYMN

H 599

Lift Every Voice and Sing

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People *And blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever.*
 Amen.

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

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.

GLORIA

S 278

1. Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and
peace to his peo-ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heaven-ly King, al-
might-y God and Fa-ther, we wor-ship you, we give you thanks, we
praise you for your glo-ry. 3. Lord Je-sus Christ,

on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you
 take a - way the sin of the world: have mcr - cy on us;
 5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re -
 ceive our prayer. 6. For
 you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, you a - lone are the Lord,
 7. you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the
 Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the glo - ry of
 God the Fa - ther. A - men.

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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 LITURGY OF THE WORD

THE FIRST LESSON

Genesis 24:34-38, 42-49, 58-67

The servant said to Laban, “I am Abraham’s servant. The LORD has greatly blessed my master, and he has become wealthy; he has given him flocks and herds, silver and gold, male and female slaves, camels and donkeys. And Sarah my master’s wife bore a son to my master when she was old; and he has given him all that he has. My master made me swear, saying, ‘You shall not take a wife for my son from the daughters of the Canaanites, in whose land I live; but you shall go to my father’s house, to my kindred, and get a wife for my son.’”

“I came today to the spring, and said, ‘O LORD, the God of my master Abraham, if now you will only make successful the way I am going! I am standing here by the spring of water; let the young woman who comes out to draw, to whom I shall say, “Please give me a little water from your jar to drink,” and who will say to me, “Drink, and I will draw for your camels also” —let her be the woman whom the LORD has appointed for my master’s son.’”

“Before I had finished speaking in my heart, there was Rebekah coming out with her water jar on her shoulder; and she went down to the spring, and drew. I said to her, ‘Please let me drink.’ She quickly let down her jar from her shoulder, and said, ‘Drink, and I will also water your camels.’ So I drank, and she also watered the camels. Then I asked her, ‘Whose daughter are you?’ She said, ‘The daughter of Bethuel, Nahor’s son, whom Milcah bore to him.’ So I put the ring on her nose, and the bracelets on her arms. Then I bowed my head and worshiped the LORD, and blessed the LORD, the God of my master Abraham, who had led me by the right way to obtain the daughter of my master’s kinsman for his son. Now then, if you will deal loyally and truly with my master, tell me; and if not, tell me, so that I may turn either to the right hand or to the left.”

And they called Rebekah, and said to her, "Will you go with this man?" She said, "I will." So they sent away their sister Rebekah and her nurse along with Abraham's servant and his men. And they blessed Rebekah and said to her, "May you, our sister, become thousands of myriads; may your offspring gain possession of the gates of their foes." Then Rebekah and her maids rose up, mounted the camels, and followed the man; thus the servant took Rebekah, and went his way. Now Isaac had come from Beer-lahai-roi, and was settled in the Negeb. Isaac went out in the evening to walk in the field; and looking up, he saw camels coming. And Rebekah looked up, and when she saw Isaac, she slipped quickly from the camel, and said to the servant, "Who is the man over there, walking in the field to meet us?" The servant said, "It is my master." So she took her veil and covered herself. And the servant told Isaac all the things that he had done. Then Isaac brought her into his mother Sarah's tent. He took Rebekah, and she became his wife; and he loved her. So Isaac was comforted after his mother's death.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People ***Thanks be to God.***

THE PSALM

Psalm 45:11-18

Read responsively by whole verse

- 11 "Hear, O daughter; consider and listen closely; *
forget your people and your father's house.
- 12 ***The king will have pleasure in your beauty; *
he is your master; therefore do him honor.***
- 13 The people of Tyre are here with a gift; *
the rich among the people seek your favor."
- 14 ***All glorious is the princess as she enters; *
her gown is cloth-of-gold.***
- 15 In embroidered apparel she is brought to the king; *
after her the bridesmaids follow in procession.
- 16 ***With joy and gladness they are brought, *
and enter into the palace of the king.***
- 17 "In place of fathers, O king, you shall have sons; *
you shall make them princes over all the earth.

*18 I will make your name to be remembered
from one generation to another; *
therefore nations will praise you for ever and ever."*

THE SECOND LESSON

Romans 7:15-25a

I do not understand my own actions. For I do not do what I want, but I do the very thing I hate. Now if I do what I do not want, I agree that the law is good. But in fact it is no longer I that do it, but sin that dwells within me. For I know that nothing good dwells within me, that is, in my flesh. I can will what is right, but I cannot do it. For I do not do the good I want, but the evil I do not want is what I do. Now if I do what I do not want, it is no longer I that do it, but sin that dwells within me.

So I find it to be a law that when I want to do what is good, evil lies close at hand. For I delight in the law of God in my inmost self, but I see in my members another law at war with the law of my mind, making me captive to the law of sin that dwells in my members. Wretched man that I am! Who will rescue me from this body of death? Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ our Lord!

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People *Thanks be to God.*

The people stand to sing the following.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

H 480, v 1

When Jesus Left His Father's Throne

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according
to Matthew.
People *Glory to you, Lord Christ.*

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

H 480, v 1

When Jesus Left His Father's Throne

THE GOSPEL

Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30

Jesus said to the crowd, “To what will I compare this generation? It is like children sitting in the marketplaces and calling to one another,

‘We played the flute for you, and you did not dance;
we wailed, and you did not mourn.’

For John came neither eating nor drinking, and they say, ‘He has a demon’; the Son of Man came eating and drinking, and they say, ‘Look, a glutton and a drunkard, a friend of tax collectors and sinners!’ Yet wisdom is vindicated by her deeds.”

At that time Jesus said, “I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and the intelligent and have revealed them to infants; yes, Father, for such was your gracious will. All things have been handed over to me by my Father; and no one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.

“Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.”

Gospeller The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON

The Rev. Meredith Day Hearn

THE NICENE CREED

*We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,*

*God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.*

For us and for our salvation

*he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.*

*For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.*

*On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven*

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

*He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.*

*We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.*

With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.

He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

*We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.*

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Celebrant: O God our ruler and our strength, lead your people along your pathways and grant us your refreshment and wisdom, that all may be blessed as we pray: We carry our burdens to you, O God; give rest for our souls.

Litanist: Holy One, with joy and gladness we bring you our gifts and enter into your royal presence. Let your Church rejoice and rest in the Risen Christ; heal our anxiety and divisions, and put your joy into our hearts. We carry our burdens to you, O God; *give rest for our souls.*

Infinite God, your wisdom is hidden from the wise and revealed to infants: Give to our nation and to all in authority a childlike faith to trust in your strength and to bring such reconciliation to the world that nations will praise you for ever and ever. We carry our burdens to you, O God; ***give rest for our souls.***

Gracious One: Look upon any who live with threat or poverty and bring them rescue from this body of death. We carry our burdens to you, O God; ***give rest for our souls.***

Loving One, look upon this community with your patience and grace to guide us in our work and in our families, that we may live simply and justly before you. We carry our burdens to you, O God; ***give rest for our souls.***

Compassionate One, we pray for the concerns of our hearts and for all who suffer or are troubled, especially for ____.

We give thanks for the goodness of life, especially for ____ .

We remember those who have entered into your eternal rest, especially ____ .

We carry our burdens to you, O God; ***give rest for our souls.***

In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for the people of St. Phillip's Columbus, St. Stephen's Columbus, Trinity Columbus, and Extraparochial priests.

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for The Church of Bangladesh, Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil, and The Anglican Church of Burundi.

Celebrant: You are faithful and loving, O God: Draw us into Christ's gentle and humble heart, where the yoke is easy and the burden is light, that we may find rest for our souls in your Spirit, and know you through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. ***Amen.***

THE PEACE

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CELEBRATIONS

THE LITURGY OF THE TABLE

MUSIC AT THE OFFERTORY

H 203

O Sons and Daughters, Let Us Sing

AT THE PRESENTATION

H 686, v 1



I Come, thou fount of ev - ery bless - ing, tune my
heart to sing thy grace! Streams of mer - cy nev - er
ceas - ing, call for songs of loud - est praise.
Teach me some me - lo - dious son - net, sung by
flam - ing tongues a - bove. Praise the mount! Oh, fix me
on it, mount of God's un - chang - ing love.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer A

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 God thanks and praise.*

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth through Jesus Christ our Lord. 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:

SANCTUS

S 128

Ho - ly, ho - ly,
 ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,
 heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho-san-na in the
 high - est. Bless - ed is he who
 comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high-est.

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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:

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

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, & 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. ***AMEN.***

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Our Father, who art in heaven,

hallowed be thy Name,

thy kingdom come,

thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,

*as we forgive those
 who trespass against us.
 And lead us not into temptation,
 but deliver us from evil.
 For thine is the kingdom,
 and the power, and the glory,
 for ever and ever. Amen.*

FRACTION

LEVAS 154

Taste and see. Taste and see the good - ness
 of the Lord. O Taste and see. Taste and
 see the good - ness of the Lord, of the Lord. **Fine**

Celebrant: The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

A Note About Communion: All are Welcome.

All who seek God and a deeper life in Christ are welcome to receive Holy Eucharist.

Gluten-free wafers are available; please make your need known to the priest.

If you do not wish to receive the Sacrament, simply come forward and cross your arms over your chest so that the priest may give you a blessing.

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

H 335

I Am the Bread of Life

H 324

Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

Standing; said by 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

Life is short and we do not have much time to gladden the hearts of those we make the journey with. So be swift to love and make haste to be kind. And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you forever.
Amen.

HYMN AT THE CLOSE

H 473

Lift High the Cross, The Love of Christ Proclaim

THE DISMISSAL

Celebrant Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
People *Thanks be to God.*

O Come All Ye Faithful

Serving Today 7/9

Readers: Amanda Almaguer and Johnny Arguedas

Server: Tony Nagygyor

Usher: Mackenzie Hammel

Altar Guild: Helen Prather

Communion Bread: Erica Bowen

Coffee Hour: James Corbett

Serving Next Week 7/16

Readers: Tony Nagygyor and Amanda Almaguer

Server: Dorothy Powell

Usher: Tom Carter

Altar Guild: Karen Murphy

Communion Bread: Erica Bowen

Coffee Hour: Parish Potluck

Musician: Rachel Kramer, piano

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR SUNDAY, JULY 9TH

Coffee Hour Volunteers Needed Through August

It's been wonderful having a rotation of parishioners help with our weekly coffee hour this past year! Our schedule is looking a little thin on volunteers for the rest of the summer, so if you're able to bring treats/help clean up please sign up via our Sign Up Genius link. Thank you for taking part in this important ministry!

All Saints Music Ministry Survey

As we move into a new chapter of music at All Saints with Marianne's retirement, the search committee for finding a new

director of music ministry is looking to get input from the broader church. This input will be reviewed by the committee and used to both help form the interview process as well as help guide any final hiring decision. We ask that the questionnaire be completed only once per individual, adults in the same household are welcome to submit individual responses.

Rev. Meredith Serving as Chaplain Next Week

Next week, July 12th-15th, Rev. Meredith will be away serving as chaplain at our diocesan Family Camp at the Procter Center. She will still be working as much as possible during the week, but please be aware that if you reach out, it may take some time to hear back from her.

T-Shirt Fundraiser Benefiting Summer Saints

To celebrate Pride Month and the inclusivity at All Saints we are offering a sale of All Saints Pride tie dye t-shirts. All proceeds will go directly to the Summer Saints program. Please order now so we can get your shirts made and delivered to you by the end of the month. Any questions please reach out to Asha at summersaints@allsaintscincinnati.org.



Upcoming Summer Saints Events

Saturday, 7/8

Enchanted Tea Party at Community Happens Here

Tuesday, 7/11

Summer Safely - Making Natural Mosquito Repellents

Tuesday, 7/18

Tie Dye + Cricut Workshop - Design + Create Your Own Tees

*Limited scholarships available, email summersaints@allsaintscincinnati.org to find out how to apply.

Save the Dates for Summer Fellowship Events!

Wednesday, July 12th

All Saints (and Sinners) Club Fellowship at 7pm at High Grain Brewing

Sunday, July 16th

Parish Potluck After Church

Saturday, August 5th

Ridge Day Event

Tuesday, August 8th

All Saints Night at the Cincinnati Reds Game

Wednesday, August 9th

All Saints (and Sinners) Club Fellowship at 7pm (Location TBD)

Sunday, August 13th

Parish Potluck After Church

Ways to Give

All Saints has several ways to give in addition to cash or checks in the offering plate. You can donate via text by texting GIVE to 513-540-4633 or you can give by credit card by scanning the QR code below.



Parish Prayer List

Join us in praying for Tim Slater, Charlotte Powell, Bob Slater, Devon Fults, Dory Sellers, T.H., Morgan Anderson, Phoebe Macaulay, Allison Rosenberg, and Makayla Conder. If you would like to add a name to the prayer list, please call the parish office or add the name to the list at the back of the church. Names remain on the list for 30 days unless requested otherwise.



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