

ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Stewardship Ingathering & Parish Thanksgiving
November 24, 2024
8:00 AM (spoken) 10:15 AM (with music)



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Prelude: *Trumpet Tune in C Major*

Henry Purcell

*The ringing of the bell signals that our worship is about to begin.
Please stand as you are able.*

Opening Hymn #290 "Come, ye thankful people, come"

St. George's Windsor

Welcome

THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

Opening Acclamation

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The Collect for Purity

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The Gloria #S278

William Mathias

The Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Almighty and gracious Father, we give you thanks for the fruits of the earth in their season and for the labors of those who harvest them. Make us, we pray, faithful stewards of your great bounty, for the provision of our necessities and the relief of all who are in need, to the glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

A Reading from 2 Samuel 23:1-7

Mark Durham/Barbara Tuzio

These are the last words of David: The oracle of David, son of Jesse, the oracle of the man whom God exalted, the anointed of the God of Jacob, the favorite of the Strong One of Israel: The spirit of the LORD speaks through me, his word is upon my tongue. The God of Israel has spoken, the Rock of Israel has said to me: One who rules over people justly, ruling in the fear of God, is like the light of morning, like the sun rising on a cloudless morning, gleaming from the rain on the grassy land. Is not my house like this with God? For he has made with me an everlasting covenant, ordered in all things and secure. Will he not cause to prosper all my help and my desire? But the godless are all like thorns that are thrown away; for they cannot be picked up with the hand; to touch them one uses an iron bar or the shaft of a spear. And they are entirely consumed in fire on the spot.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 132:1-13 (14-19)

Memento, Domine

- 1 LORD, remember David, *
and all the hardships he endured;
- 2 How he swore an oath to the LORD *
and vowed a vow to the Mighty One of Jacob:
- 3 "I will not come under the roof of my house," *
nor climb up into my bed;
- 4 I will not allow my eyes to sleep, *
nor let my eyelids slumber;
- 5 Until I find a place for the LORD, *
a dwelling for the Mighty One of Jacob."
- 6 "The ark! We heard it was in Ephratah; *
we found it in the fields of Jearim.
- 7 Let us go to God's dwelling place; *
let us fall upon our knees before his footstool."
- 8 Arise, O LORD, into your resting-place, *
you and the ark of your strength.
- 9 Let your priests be clothed with righteousness; *
let your faithful people sing with joy.
- 10 For your servant David's sake, *
do not turn away the face of your Anointed.
- 11 The LORD has sworn an oath to David; *
in truth, he will not break it:
- 12 "A son, the fruit of your body *
will I set upon your throne.
- 13 If your children keep my covenant
and my testimonies that I shall teach them, *
their children will sit upon your throne for evermore."
- 14 For the LORD has chosen Zion; *
he has desired her for his habitation:
- 15 "This shall be my resting-place for ever; *
here will I dwell, for I delight in her.
- 16 I will surely bless her provisions, *
and satisfy her poor with bread.

- 17 I will clothe her priests with salvation, *
and her faithful people will rejoice and sing.
- 18 There will I make the horn of David flourish; *
I have prepared a lamp for my Anointed.
- 19 As for his enemies, I will clothe them with shame; *
but as for him, his crown will shine."

A Reading from Revelation 1:4b-8

Mark Durham/Jeremy Lees

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen. "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Hymn: #598 "Lord Christ, when first thou cam'st" vs. 1

Mit Freuden zart

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John 18:33-37

People: Glory to you Lord Christ

Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, "Are you the King of the Jews?" Jesus answered, "Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?" Pilate replied, "I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?" Jesus answered, "My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here." Pilate asked him, "So you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Hymn: #598 "Lord Christ, when first thou cam'st" vs. 3

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Sharing our blessings & Thanksgivings

Nicene Creed

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The Prayers of the People, Form V

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(Please offer names at the appropriate bidding in the prayers)

For those who suffer from any grief or trouble, especially Edward H., Jason, Florence, Barbs, Dominic, Hannah, Jen T., Sharon, Greg, Laurie, Joyce, Leslie B., Jim W., Martha H., Sarah, Laura, Alfredo, Linda R., Ian, Megan, Paula, Katherine C., Jorgy, Les, Pete, Pat, Yolande, Jen, Jim, Priscilla, Patti, Rich and Lindsay Coda.

For those who will celebrate birthdays this week especially, Scott McMurray, **and those celebrating anniversaries**, especially Duke and Gael Habernickel.

Confession and Absolution

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The Peace and Offertory Sentence

Please share the peace with those in your pew and a distanced greeting with others.

Offertory Anthem: Thanksgiving Anthem (1809)

Oliver Shaw

Curt Morton, Clarinet

O give thanks unto the Lord, and call upon his name. Tell the people, what things he hath done. O let your songs be of him and praise him, and let your talking be of all his wondrous works. Rejoice in his holy name. Let the heart of them rejoice that seek, seek the Lord and his strength. Seek his face forever more. It is the Lord our God, his judgments are in all the world. He hath been always mindful of his covenant and promise that he made to a thousand generations. Hallelujah. Hallelujah. Hallelujah. Amen.

When the ushers come forward with the collection, please follow them, place your pledges in the Baptismal font, and remain gathered there.

Let us pray together:

Gracious and loving God, giver of all that is good and true and beautiful and life-giving. These cards represent our sweat, they represent our lives, they represent our dreams. The pledges which we make on them are but tokens of the awesome gifts that have been given to us and they are pledged in thanksgiving for all we have received, for all we have been inspired to be, for all we are challenged to become, in this place. May they be the first fruits of all we have and not what we have left over, so that we may live out as closely as possible how you give to us. May we see them as our offering to you, sacred, holy, yet earthy, filled with possibilities. May we hold this image in our hearts and minds so as we watch our offerings each week come to your table, we can see our very selves being part of this offering, it is us on the table, living sacrifices to you. Amen.

Doxology

Lasst uns erfreuen

THE HOLY COMMUNION

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The Communion of the People

All are welcome to receive Communion. If you are unable to go to the Altar please notify an Usher. Communion will be brought to you. Those who desire to receive the wine may do so by intinction, which is to dip the host into the consecrated wine. It is available to all but required of none.

Hymn: #324 "Let all mortal flesh" *Picardy*

Anthem: "The Lord bless you and keep you" John Rutter

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The Lord lift up the light of his countenance upon you and give you peace. Amen.

Numbers 6: 24

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The Blessing

Announcements

Closing Hymn #291 "We plow the fields, and scatter" *Wir pflugen*

The Dismissal

Celebrant: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia.

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia.

Postlude: *Rigaudon* André Campra



The Altar flowers are given to the glory of almighty God and in Thanksgiving for my daughter Vanessa Rae by Carol Przybylski.

Service Participants

Celebrants: The Rev. Kathryn L. King
Verger: Clayton Smith
Usher: Frank Mulligan, Joe DeAmicis
Lectors: 8:00 Mark Durham
10:15 Barbara Tuzio, Jeremy Lees

Eucharistic
Minister: Dick Hewson, Rick Hager, Edwin Griffin
Organist: Stephen L. Pinel
Altar Guild: Janice Kiefer, Lois Eberhart
Hospitality: Peter & Jo Patrone



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Support those impacted by Hurricane Helene through the
Hurricane Relief Fund

Two ways to help:

1. Check payable to All Saints Church; in Memo write, ERD – Hurricane Helene. We will collect and send them along with all church donations.
2. Donate directly to ERD and list All Saints, Bay Head as your congregation. Copy Link for donations - <https://www.episcopalrelief.org/>

St. Gregory's Pantry

We help those in need locally through St. Gregory's Pantry. These items are especially needed in December.



Canned ham, mustard, tea, canned ground coffee, instant coffee, cocoa, pancake mix, syrup, instant oatmeal.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW FOR THESE UPCOMING EVENTS!!

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And
suddenly
there was
with the angel
a multitude of
the heavenly host
praising God,
and saying,
Glory to God
in the highest, and on earth
peace, good will toward men.
Luke
2:13-14

Come One and All

Parish Tree Lighting and Chili Cook-Off

Wednesday, December 4th, 5:30 – 7:30 pm

We will begin outside with a few carols, the blessing of our Christmas tree, and finally, the lighting of our beautiful tree for all to see! Then join in our Chili Cook-Off in Bristol Hall! If you have a chili or cornbread recipe you would like to prepare and enter, please sign up on the bulletin board.

There is also a sign-up for all who plan to attend to assist with our preparation. Suggested donation of \$5 per person or \$20 per family. If you have any questions speak to Linda Gyrko.

You are Invited!

All Saints Open House

Bay Head Christmas Walk, 12/6/2024, 6-8 pm



100+ Nativities from around the world

Crafts and Activities, Hot Chocolate & Cookies



Women's Guild Christmas Party - Tuesday, December 17

The Women's Guild will hold its Christmas Party on Tuesday, December 17 at noon in Bristol Hall. Attendees are asked to bring an appetizer, entrée, or dessert to share at the luncheon and a \$10 or more donation for the Guild's Tree. There will also be a gift exchange for grab bags. All are welcome.



Christmas gift-giving through St. Gregory's Pantry and Samaritan House

We will again be supporting the gift distribution through St. Gregory's Pantry. Kathryn has also contacted Samaritan House, the men's shelter at All Saints in Lakewood started by Bert Draesel, and is awaiting information on the needs of their guests. Information is coming in so please be on the lookout for the particulars. Thank you.