

EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST: PROPER 11, YEAR A

Holy Eucharist, Rite II July 23, 2023 11:15 a.m.

Celebrant The Rev. Dr. Carol Petty, Assisting Priest

Preacher The Rev. Kristin Braun, Curate

Music Mark Wischkaemper, Director of Music, Bethell Hall

Eric Mellenbruch, Organist & Interim Choirmaster

St. David's Summer Choir

175th Anniversary Prayer

Most Holy and Gracious God,
from our beginning you have led and sustained
the people of St. David's Episcopal Church.
As we celebrate 175 years of ministry,
we ask that you continue to sustain and guide us
in our life of service to you, the city of Austin, and the world.
Where we are in error, correct us; where we are faithful, sustain us;
when we are weary, lift us up; when we are divided, reunite us.
For we aspire to be a city on a hill,
a beacon of your undying love for the world,
drawing others into your life-giving presence;
through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

The flowers on the Bethell Hall Altar are given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for Sandi Boone's leadership and the work of the committee members of the 175th Anniversary Planning Committee.

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SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES

All services are in Bethell Hall during the season of Historic Church renovation.

8 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite I

Spoken service without music

9 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Expansive Language

11:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Traditional liturgy and music

Livestreamed

3 p.m. Communion w/neighbors of

Trinity Center, Trinity Center

WELCOME HOME WEEKEND

Aug. 12 Pride Parade Eucharist

6:30 p.m. Historic Church

Aug. 13 Welcome Home Sunday

8 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite I, *Historic Church* 10:30 a.m. All-parish worship, *Historic Church*

WORSHIP WITH YOUNG CHILDREN

In the 9 a.m. service, at the gospel, young children are invited to follow the cross for a brief children's chapel and return after the sermon.

PRAYER REQUESTS



To request a prayer scan the QR code with your device's camera, complete a prayer card, or call 512.610.3500 to notify the clergy of someone who is in the hospital or has a special need.

Copies of the prayer list with complete names are posted on the 2nd-floor hallway bulletin board. Please feel free to take a copy for your prayers.

SUBSCRIBE TO OUR NEWSLETTER



Sign up for email news about special events, worship, and ways to connect with our community. Scan the QR code with your device's camera.

VISITORS

Welcome! We're so glad you've joined us for worship today. If you'd like more information about getting connected at St. David's, we invite you to fill out a Guest Card, or get in touch with Carter Leer by emailing (carter.l@stdave.org), or calling him at the church 512.610.3500. We look forward to getting to know you!

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RESTROOMS

Gendered bathrooms are outside Bethell Hall and Crail Hall. Non-gendered bathrooms can be found in the 2nd-floor hallway off the lobby.

PARKING

Parking is free for Sunday services and during church events. You do not need to scan anything to park in the garage. Questions? Contact worshipevents@stdave.org.

NEED A NAMETAG?

If you would like a new or replacement St. David's nametag, stop by the front desk to ask for one to be made for you by the next Sunday.

WAYS TO GIVE

- To give online scan the QR code with your device's camera.
- Complete the giving card or envelope found in the worship spaces and place in the offering plate.
- Text STDAVE to 73256.



CHURCH HOURS

Sundays: 7 a.m.-4 p.m.

Mon-Fri: 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Wednesdays: 8 a.m.-9 p.m.

Saturdays: Closed









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PRELUDE

INTROIT

Behold, God is my helper; the Lord is the sustainer of my being: The evil of my foes recoil upon them; in your righteousness destroy them, O Lord my protector. Save me, O God, by your Name; in your might, defend my cause.

Psalm 54.4-5,1

WELCOME

(Please stand and sing.)

ENTRANCE HYMN 404

₩ We will extol you, ever-blessèd Lord

Old 124th

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OPENING ACCLAMATION

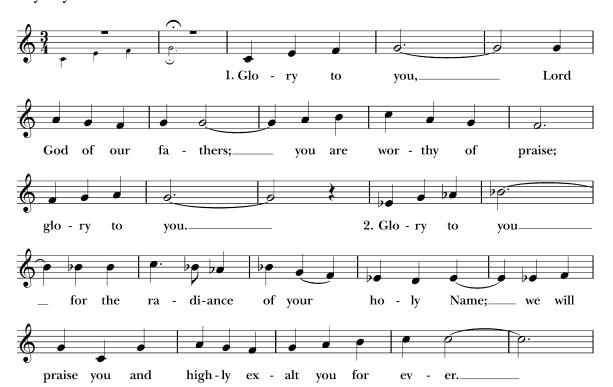
BCP, P. 355

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

♣ And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

SONG OF PRAISE

♥ Glory to you S236





The Lord be with you.

■ And also with you.

Let us pray.

COLLECT FOR PROPER 11

BCP, P. 231

Almighty God, the fountain of all wisdom, you know our necessities before we ask and our ignorance in asking: Have compassion on our weakness, and mercifully give us those things which for our unworthiness we dare not, and for our blindness we cannot ask; through the worthiness of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

(Please be seated.)

OLD TESTAMENT: Genesis 28:10-19a

A Reading from the Book of Genesis.

The Word of the Lord.

▼ Thanks be to God.

RESPONSE:

Psalm 139:1-11,22-23 (Please sing the refrain after the Cantor and at the appointed times.)

BCP, P. 794



Lord, you have searched me out and known me. from *Gradual Psalms for the RCL*, ed. Bruce E. Ford, Church Publishing Incorporated

- 1 You know my sitting down and my rising up; you discern my thoughts from afar.
- 2 You trace my journeys and my resting-places * and are acquainted with all my ways.

▼ Refrain

- 5 Such knowledge is too wonderful for me; * it is so high that I cannot attain to it.
- 6 Where can I go then from your Spirit? * where can I flee from your presence?

▼ Refrain

- 7 If I climb up to heaven, you are there; *
 - if I make the grave my bed, you are there also.
- 8 If I take the wings of the morning *

and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea,

9 Even there your hand will lead me * and your right hand hold me fast.

▼ Refrain

- 10 If I say, "Surely the darkness will cover me, * and the light around me turn to night,"
- 11 Darkness is not dark to you; the night is as bright as the day; * darkness and light to you are both alike.

▼ Refrain

- 22 Search me out, O God, and know my heart; * try me and know my restless thoughts.
- 23 Look well whether there be any wickedness in me * and lead me in the way that is everlasting.

▼ Refrain

EPISTLE: Romans 8:12-25

A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Romans.

The Word of the Lord.

▼ Thanks be to God.

SEQUENCE HYMN 665

■ All my hope on God is founded (Stanzas 1,3–5)

Michael

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

■ Glory to you, Lord Christ.

GOSPEL: Matthew 13:24-30,36-43

The Gospel of the Lord.

▶ Praise to you, Lord Christ.

SERMON: The Rev. Kristin Braun

(Please stand.)

THE NICENE CREED

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№ 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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE: FORM II

In the course of the silence after each bidding, the People offer their own prayers, either silently or aloud.

I ask your prayers for God's people throughout the world; for our Bishops, especially Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Andy, Kai, Jeff, and Hector, our Bishops; and for Alinafe, Bishop of Southern Malawi; for this gathering; and for all ministers and people.

Pray for the Church.

Silence

I ask your prayers for peace; for goodwill among nations; and for the well-being of all people. Pray for justice and peace.

Silence

I ask your prayers for the poor, the sick, the hungry, the oppressed, and those in prison. Pray for those in any need or trouble.

Silence

I ask your prayers for all who seek God, or a deeper knowledge of him.

Pray that they may find and be found by him.

Silence

I ask your prayers for the departed.

Pray for those who have died.

Silence

I ask your prayers for those for whom prayers have been requested through St. David's and those we name at this time... The People offer their own prayers, either silently or aloud.

Silence

I ask your thanksgiving for ______. The People offer their own prayers, either silently or aloud. Silence

Praise God for those in every generation in whom Christ has been honored.

Pray that we may have grace to glorify Christ in our own day.

Silence

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

Heavenly Father, you have promised to hear what we ask in the Name of your Son: Accept and fulfill our petitions, we pray, not as we ask in our ignorance, nor as we deserve in our sinfulness, but as you know and love us in your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

CONFESSION OF SIN

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

₩ Most merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

ABSOLUTION

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

★ Amen.

THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

₩ And also with you.

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY

Offertory Anthem: Jacob's Ladder trad. English, arr. Eric Mellenbruch

Based on Hymn 453.

Please stand as the ushers bring the people's offerings of bread and wine, and money or other gifts, to the Altar.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING: EUCHARISTIC PRAYER B BCP, P. 367

The Lord be with you.

■ And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

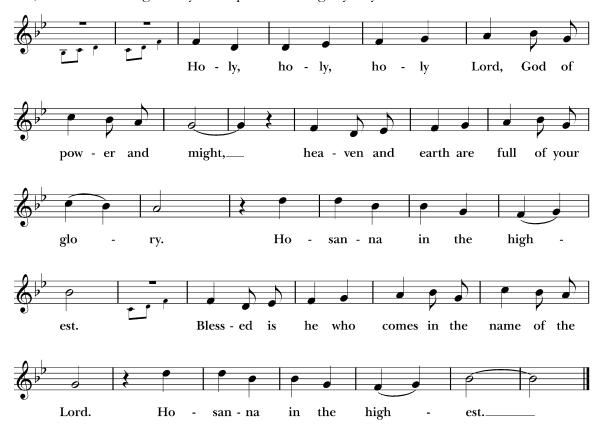
№ We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

■ It is right to give him 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; who on the first day of the week overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life.

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:



We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, 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, according to his command, O Father,

★ We remember his death, We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory;

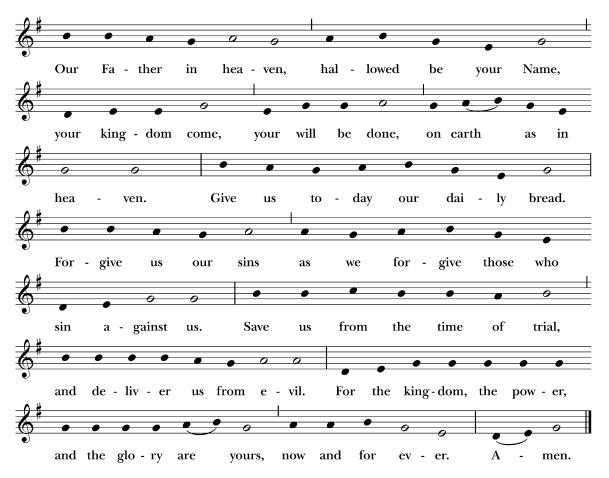
And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with the Blessed Virgin Mary, blessed David of Wales, and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

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**.

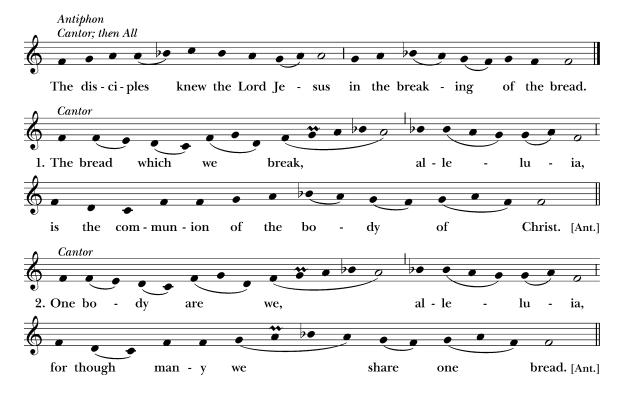
As our Savior Christ taught us, we now sing,

▼ THE LORD'S PRAYER



THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

▼ Fraction Anthem



INVITATION

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.

MINISTRATION OF COMMUNION

Please form two lines in the center aisle and proceed to the Altar, if you want to receive Communion or a blessing. Gluten-free wafers are available, by request. If you desire a blessing, please cross your arms across your chest. Please ask an usher if you need communion brought to you.

Communion Anthem

Lord, thou hast searched me and dost know *Kentucky Harmony*, 1816, arr. Eric Mellenbruch Based on Hymn 702, a paraphrase of Psalm 139.

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

BCP, P. 365

Let us pray.

★ 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.

Sending Out of a Eucharistic Visitor

(The Eucharistic Visitor comes forward to receive the communion kit.)

The bread which we break is a sharing in the Body of Christ, and the wine which we drink is a sharing of the Blood of Christ. NAME, take this bread and wine to our brothers and sisters who cannot be with us, and share with them this holy feast for our body and our soul. We being many are one body, for we all share in the one bread. **Amen.**

BLESSING

The blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. ♣ Amen.

(Please join in singing.)

DISMISSAL HYMN 709

▼ O God of Bethel, by whose hand (Stanzas 1,3–5)

Dundee

DISMISSAL

After the Dismissal, the People respond,

▼ Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE: Prelude on 'Dundee'

C.H.H. Parry

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AUSTIN PRIDE SERVICE SATURDAY AUG 12 6:30 PM

Eucharist and Blessing Service Afterward, walk together in the Austin PRIDE Parade.

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ADULT CLASSES

SUNDAYS, 10-11 a.m. (2nd Floor)

Crail C Lectures Guest speakers, panel discussions, and classes.

Sundays, July 16-Aug. 6

The Practice of Prayer lecture series

- July 16 Fixed Hour Prayer (The Daily Office), presented by Dr. Mona West
- July 23 Lectio and Visio Divina, presented by Joe Barry
- July 30 Centering Prayer, presented by Representatives from Contemplative Outreach
- Aug. 6 Meditation, presented by Gus Hernandez

Ongoing Groups

- Men's Bible Study
- Reading the Bible ToGather
- Wednesday Bible Study

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY, 6:30-7:30 p.m. (Zoom Only)

Join Dr. Mona West as we explore the relevance of the Ten Commandments for today.



Learn more on the Adult Classes and Speakers webpage. Scan the QR code with your device's camera.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH

SUNDAYS (First Floor)

Childcare: 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (2 months-4 years)
Families with children (Age 3-5th Grade): 10 a.m.
Meet in Sumners Hall for fellowship at the Family Table.
Youth (Grades 6-12): 10 a.m., Meet in Sumners Hall for check-in with friends at the Youth Table.

No check-in on July 23.



SUMMER SCHEDULE

Get the latest news about playdates, swimming, service opportunities, and other summertime fun for children and youth. Scan the QR code with your device's camera to visit the Children and Youth webpage.

HOSPITALITY

Sumners Hall (Third Floor) HAVE SUNDAY BREAKFAST WITH US 8:30 a.m.-11 a.m.

No breakfast on July 23

This isn't your typical church coffee hour.

We serve a homemade, hot meal, prepared by our in-house professional chef. Everyone is welcome.

Large plate 8.00, Small plate 6.00

Donuts/Pastry/Fruit a la carte 1.50

Let the cashier know if it is your first visit and your meal is on us!

ENJOY COFFEE IN HOLY GROUNDS

Sundays, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (Lobby)

WEDNESDAY DINNER

5:30-6:30 p.m. Returns Aug. 16

Gather for a weekly parish dinner with friends when you come to church for Wednesday evening offerings and events.

THURSDAY LUNCH

Next lunch: Aug. 3

11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. (Open to the public) Take a break from work and come by for Chef Ray's delicious food! Parking is validated for those eating lunch.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

DONATE IN LARGE LOBBY BIN FOR TRINITY CENTER AND NEXT-TO-NEW

Trinity Center (trinitycenteraustin.org) accepts seasonally appropriate clothing (men's pants/shorts needed) and travelsized toiletries for our neighbors experiencing homelessness.

Next-to-New (next2new.org, 5435 Burnet Road) accepts clothing and household items for resale. To learn about furniture and estate donation, or consignment, call the shop: 512-459-1288. A portion of profits is donated annually to local charities and the restoration of our Historic Church.



Learn more on the Community Engagement webpage. Scan the QR code with your device's camera.

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Photo: Last day of worship in Historic Church before 12 months of renovation, August 2022.

AUG. 13 **WELCOME HOME SUNDAY**

8AM

HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE I SPOKEN SERVICE, NO MUSIC

10:30 AM HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II

LIVESTREAMED

Traditional liturgy with traditional music Birthday and backpack blessings

Afterward, join us for a festive celebration in Bethell Hall for lunch, fellowship, and kickoff to our programming year.