

Order of Service: July 20th, 2025, 10:00 AM The Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

Prelude - The Solid Rock

arr. Alan Lohr; Bennie Green, Trumpet

The Welcome

Processional Hymn - Hail Thou Once Despised Jesus

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Opening Acclamation

BCP p. 355

The people standing, the Celebrant says

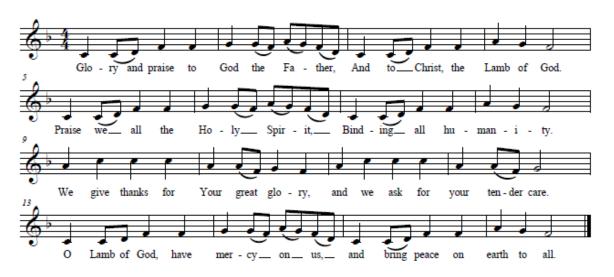
Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

And blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

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.**

Hymn of Praise

Holy Manna Gloria Patri - Jesse Ratcliffe



Collect of the Day

The Lord be with you

And also with you.

Let us pray.

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**.

The people are seated.

The First Lesson Amos 8:1-12

This is what the Lord God showed me—a basket of summer fruit. He said, "Amos, what do you see?" And I said, "A basket of summer fruit." Then the Lord said to me, "The end has come upon my people Israel; I will never again pass them by. The songs of the temple shall become wailings in that day," says the Lord God; "the dead bodies shall be many, cast out in every place. Be silent!" Hear this, you that trample on the needy, and bring to ruin the poor of the land, saying, "When will the new moon be over so that we may sell grain; and the sabbath, so that we may offer wheat for sale? We will make the ephah small and the shekel great, and practice deceit with false balances, buying the poor for silver and the needy for a pair of sandals, and selling the sweepings of the wheat." The Lord has sworn by the pride of Jacob: Surely I will never forget any of their deeds. Shall not the land tremble on this account, and everyone mourn who lives in it, and all of it rise like the Nile, and be tossed about and sink again, like the Nile of Egypt? On that day, says the Lord God, I will make the sun go down at noon, and darken the earth in broad daylight. I will turn your feasts into mourning, and all your songs into lamentation; I will bring sackcloth on all loins, and baldness on every head; I will make it like the mourning for an only son, and the end of it like a bitter day. The time is surely coming, says the Lord God, when I will send a famine on the land; not a famine of bread, or a thirst for water, but of hearing the words of the Lord. They shall wander from sea to sea, and from north to east; they shall run to and fro, seeking the word of the Lord, but they shall not find it.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Read Responsively by Whole Verse

Psalm 52

- 1 You tyrant, why do you boast of wickedness * against the godly all day long?
- 2 You plot ruin;

your tongue is like a sharpened razor, *

O worker of deception.

- 3 You love evil more than good * and lying more than speaking the truth.
- 4 You love all words that hurt, *

O you deceitful tongue.

- 5 Oh, that God would demolish you utterly, * topple you, and snatch you from your dwelling, and root you out of the land of the living!
- 6 The righteous shall see and tremble, * and they shall laugh at him, saying,
- 7 "This is the one who did not take God for a refuge, * but trusted in great wealth and relied upon wickedness."
- 8 But I am like a green olive tree in the house of God; * I trust in the mercy of God for ever and ever.
- 9 I will give you thanks for what you have done * and declare the goodness of your Name in the presence of the godly.

The Second Lesson Colossians 1:15-28

Jesus is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers—all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross. And you who were once estranged and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, he has now reconciled in his fleshly body through death, so as to present you holy and blameless and irreproachable before him—provided that you continue securely established and steadfast in the faith, without shifting from the hope promised by the gospel that you heard, which has been proclaimed to every creature under heaven. I, Paul, became a servant of this gospel. I am now rejoicing in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am completing what is lacking in Christ's afflictions for the sake of his body, that is, the church. I became its servant according to God's commission that was given to me for you, to make the word of God fully known, the mystery that has been hidden throughout the ages and generations but has now been revealed to his saints. To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory. It is he whom we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone in all wisdom, so that we may present everyone mature in Christ.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sequence Hymn - Jesus, All My Gladness

#701

The Gospel Luke 10:38-42

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

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

As Jesus and his disciples went on their way, Jesus entered a certain village, where a woman named Martha welcomed him into her home. She had a sister named Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to what he was saying. But

Martha was distracted by her many tasks; so she came to him and asked, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her then to help me." But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things; there is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon

The Rev. Catherine M. Thompson

The people stand, said by all.

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 Leader and People pray responsively

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;

That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, especially Carrie, priests, and deacons;

That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake; remembering especially our Military and First Responders: D., Bruce, Erin, Tavis, Charles, Chris, Jasmine, Ryan, Tyler, Tapanga and Vincent; and for our Seminarians: Jennifer, Daniel and Santana.

That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble, remembering especially: Adeline, Arlene, Bobby, Boyd, Carol, Caroline, Cindy B., Connor, Darlene, Dottie, Elgi, Elizabeth L., Ida, Ike R., Iva, Jack, Jim R., John & Sudha, John M., Mary, Mary Ann R., Matt S., Matthew N., Miles, Nancy, Pam R., Randy, Robert, Sarah & newborn Marco, Sheila H. Sheila P., Sherriz, Stacy L., Susan, Sylvia, Tyler F., Zach.

That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest;

Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions.

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect

O Lord God, accept the fervent prayers of your people; in the multitude of your mercies, look with compassion upon us and all who turn to you for help; for you are gracious, O lover of souls, and to you we give glory, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and forever. **Amen.**

Confession and Absolution

Let us confess our sins against God and one another.

Silence may be kept.

Leader and People

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.

The Priest, stands and says

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.

Announcements

BCP p. 830

Watch over your children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Offertory Sentence

We invite you to give generously to the mission and ministry of All Saints. To provide financial support of the church, scan our QR code, or visit allsaintsmd.org and click donate.



Offertory - Sostenuto from An American Sonata

Charles Callahan (1950-2023)

Hymn At The Presentation - From All That Well Below The Skies, Verse 3

#380

Praise God, from whom all blessing flow; praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A, BCP p. 361

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

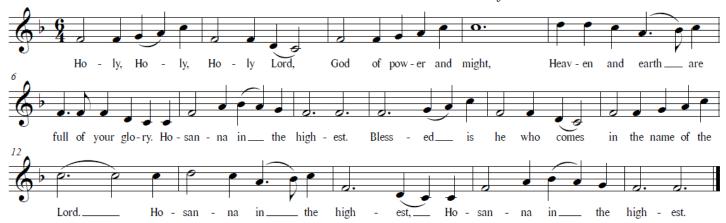
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our 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:



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, 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. **AMEN**.

The Lord's Prayer BCP p. 364

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, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Fraction

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.

Fraction Anthem

Land of Rest Acclamations -Richard Proulx



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.

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive communion at this, our Lord's table. If you would like to do so, please follow the guidance of the ushers to the front of the church. Once there, please hold out your hand to receive a wafer. If you require a gluten-free wafer, please place one arm over your chest to alert the clergy. If you would like to receive the wine, please assist in guiding the chalice to your lips. If you do not wish to receive communion, but would like to receive a blessing, please place both of your arms across your chest, and the clergy will know to pray for you.

Communion Voluntary

Communion Hymn - Humbly I Adore Thee

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The Post Communion Prayer

Celebrant and People pray together

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

The Celebrant offers a blessing, and the people respond Amen.

Recessional Hymn - Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise #423

The Dismissal

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Postlude - Finale from Sonata No. 6

D. Gabrieli (c. 1650-1690), ed. S. D. Wolff (1916-2004)

ARE YOU NEW?

We are so glad you are with us today. Whether in person or online for a short time or a lifetime, sure in faith or full of doubt, you belong here. If this is your first time at All Saints, we'd love to learn more about you. Please scan this QR code to fill out our welcome form and a member of our Newcomer's Committee will be in touch with you shortly. We look forward to getting to know you better.



Today at All Saints

8:00 AM	Holy Eucharist	(Historic Church)
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9:00 AM Fellowship (Parish Hall)

10:00 AM Holy Eucharist (Historic Church)

10:00 AM Children's Chapel Service (St. Paul's Chapel)

11:15 AM Fellowship (Parish Hall)

11:15 AM Confirmation Class (Conference Room)

This Week at All Saints: July 21 - July 27:

Monday:

7:30 AM Morning Prayer (Historic Church & Zoom)

7:00 PM Men's Ministry (Conference Room)

7:00 PM Weekly Bible Study (Zoom)

Tuesday:

7:30 AM Morning Prayer (Historic Church & Zoom)

7:00 PM Vestry Meeting (Conference Room)

Wednesday:

7:30 AM Morning Prayer (Historic Church & Zoom)
 12:00 PM Bach's Lunch, Harp Duets (Historic Church)
 5:30 PM Healing Service with Eucharist (St. Paul's Chapel)

Thursday:

7:30 AM Morning Prayer (Historic Church & Zoom)

Friday:

7:30 AM Morning Prayer (Zoom)

Saturday:

8:30 AM Centering Prayer Group (Zoom)

9:00 AM Environmental Ministry - Trinity Trek (Frederick Watershed)

Sunday:

8:00 AM Holy Eucharist (Historic Church)

9:00 AM Fellowship (Parish Hall)

10:00 AM Holy Eucharist (Historic Church)

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11:15 AM Fellowship (Parish Hall)

Weekly Bible Study on the Appointed Gospel (Zoom)

All are welcome to join the Gospel Bible Study Zoom held every Monday evening. Our Study is guided by the Rev. Elaine Prince revprince1986@gmail.com on **Mondays from 7-8:30 PM**. Our next meeting will be on **Monday, July 21st,** when we will study the Gospel for the coming Sunday which is **Luke 11:1-13**. Anyone wishing to study this Gospel reading for next Sunday may gather on Zoom, hosted by Lynn Gebrowsky LGNMI@comcast.net.

Meeting ID: 881 8405 9606 Passcode: 272102

Worman's Mill Get Together

On Thursday evening **July 24th**, Peggy Vaughn, Hilary Pettigrew and Rev. Catherine are hosting a neighborhood get-together pot luck at **2301 Roe Ln. at 6.00 pm**. All ASEC members and their partners who live in this neighborhood are welcome! Please contact Peggy or Hilary if you are a Worman's Mill dweller who would like to join us. **Email**: peggyvaughn@verizon.net or text 240 643 8460 **Email**: hilarypetti@gmail.com or text 856 685 4237

YAM's Campfire & S'mores

The Young Adult Ministry presents; Campfire and S'mores! **Friday July 25th at 7:00PM.** Board Games, s'mores, music and fun! Bring blankets, card games and instruments! For more information contact Alex Harrington: aharrington@allsaintsmd.org Phone: 240-792-9246

Confirmation Classes

Bishop Carrie Schofield-Broadbent will be here for Confirmations (and Receptions for former Roman Catholics) on Sunday, September 7th. If you are interested, there is a required five-week class to prepare. **Starting today** and then **August 10th, August 17th, August 24th, and August 31st**. The last class on the 31st is on Labor Day weekend. If you need to miss a class due to vacation schedules, please let Rev. Catherine know and she will ensure you receive the materials. All classes will be in the Conference Room at 11:15 a.m. If you plan to attend or have any questions, please contact the church office at churchoffice@allsaintsmd.org.

Hollis & Jacqueline Thoms 55th Wedding Celebration

You are invited to celebrate with us in advance by singing a hymn composed by Hollis. It will be sung at the worship service commemorating the renewal of their marriage vows. They would love to have you celebrate with us on **August 16.** At 1PM we will have a worship service, 1:45PM a dessert reception and at 2:15PM a mini concert featuring the premier of Hollis' "Occhi". Performed by Kristopher Jean and Jeremy Lyons.

Blessing of the Classrooms and Water Games!

Join us after the 10:00 service on **August 17th** for a blessing of the updated classroom space! After the blessing, come to the Memorial Garden where we'll celebrate the end of the summer with Water Games! Sprinklers, reusable water balloons, and more, starting at 11:30! (Please bring a towel.)

Keys Game Fellowship

Please join us for a fun summer Fellowship event at the Keys Game, on **August 17th at 3:00pm!** Tickets for the All Saints group event can be purchased using the portal link provided. Please use the link in the Eblast and on the website to ensure you are included in the group! We will plan to meet at the Stadium and sit together in General Admission seating! We hope you will join! For questions, please contact Megan Fowle, megan.fowle7@gmail.com.

Spaghetti Dinner & Talent Show

SAVE THE DATE for the All Saints Spaghetti Dinner and Talent show, coming this fall. The dinner will take place on **September 27**, **2025**. The talent show will be open to ALL participants! More information and sign-ups will be announced later this Summer, so for now mark your calendars for this exciting event! AND for anyone interested in participating in the Talent Show, start planning your act now! Please contact Megan Fowle, <u>megan.fowle7@gmail.com</u>.

Hospitality Ministry

As a growing church community, we are expanding our efforts to welcome and embrace people through hospitality. Are you interested in guiding our hospitality committee ministry? Do you enjoy working with teams to extend hospitality? As a hospitality chairperson, your role will be to oversee the Fellowship Committee (Sunday morning coffee hours) and a Receptions Committee (special receptions and potlucks lunches). For more information, please contact Reverend Catherine or Betty Briese-Ludwig, bettybrieseludwig@gmail.com.

<u>Name Tags, *Please!*</u> - To better acquaint and reacquaint each other, we need name tags! Until we determine a more long term approach, please fill out a name tag as you enter church each Sunday, **OR** if you have one from the past please wear it. We are always looking to connect and build relationships with one another.

<u>July Outreach</u> <u>Special Challenge Camp, July 27th - 31st</u>

Special Challenge Camp week is a 5 day, 4 night program for high functioning adults with intellectual disabilities and is held at the Bishop Claggett Center, in Buckeystown, MD. This Camp has been in operation since 1978 and this will be All Saints' 21st year in supplying volunteers!

This year's theme will connect with Claggett's summer theme of "A Place for Everyone." There are plenty of ways you can help and No experience is necessary. We will provide you with all the information you need to be part of this amazing experience. Children under 14 may volunteer but must be accompanied by an adult. Below is a brief outline of this year's volunteering opportunities at camp:

- **Sunday:** Help set up, Arts & Crafts
- Monday: Woodworking, Arts & Crafts
- Tuesday: Arts & Crafts, Woodworking, Olympics
- Wednesday: Dog Show, Arts & Crafts, Woodworking, Decorate for Dinner Dance
- Thursday: Chapel with Eucharist, Clean & Sort Arts & Crafts

A sign up poster will be in the lower gathering space at Church.

If you would like to contribute financially rather than donating your time and talent, please make your check payable to All Saints Episcopal Church and write "Bishop Claggett Center- Special Challenge Camp Scholarship" on the Memo line. If you would like to make a donation directly through the Claggett Center website: claggettcenter.org/support/special-challenge-week.

If you have any questions, please reach out to June Miller at <u>iluv2labs@comcast.net</u> and she will provide you with the answers!

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