Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost October 22, 2023 – 8:00 AM (spoken)

10:15 AM (with music)

"For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."

-Mark 10:45

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Prelude: "Draw near, all ye people" from *Elijah*Jeremy Lee, Bass-baritone

Felix Mendelssohn

Draw near, all ye people to me!

Lord God of Abraham, Isaac, and Israel; this day let it be known that Thou art God,

and I am thy servant! Lord God of Abraham! O shew to all this people that I have done these things according to Thy word! Lord God of Abraham! O hear me Lord, and answer me! And let their hearts again be turned; O shew this people that Thou art Lord God, and let their hearts again be turned!

The ringing of the bell signals that our worship is about to begin.

Please stand as you are able.

Welcome

Opening Hymn #372 "Praise to the living God!"

Leoni

THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

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The Collect for Purity	p. 355
The Gloria #S202	Healey Willan

The Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, in Christ you have revealed your glory among the nations: Preserve the works of your mercy, that your Church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

Moses said to the LORD, "See, you have said to me, 'Bring up this people'; but you have not let me know whom you will send with me. Yet you have said, 'I know you by name, and you have also found favor in my sight.' Now if I have found favor in your sight, show me your ways, so that I may know you and find favor in your sight. Consider too that this nation is your people." He said, "My presence will go with you, and I will give you rest." And he said to him, "If your presence will not go, do not carry us up from here. For how shall it be known that I have found favor in your sight, I and your people, unless you go with us? In this way, we shall be distinct, I and your people, from every people on the face of the earth."

The LORD said to Moses, "I will do the very thing that you have asked; for you have found favor in my sight, and I know you by name." Moses said, "Show me your glory, I pray." And he said, "I will make all my goodness pass before you, and will proclaim before you the name, 'The LORD'; and I will be gracious to whom I will be gracious, and will show mercy on whom I will show mercy. But," he said, "you cannot see my face; for no one shall see me and live." And the LORD continued, "See, there is a place by me where you shall stand on the rock; and while my glory passes by I will put you in a cleft of the rock, and I will cover you with my hand until I have passed by; then I will take away my hand, and you shall see my back; but my face shall not be seen."

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 99

Dominus regnavit

1 The LORD is King;
let the people tremble; *
he is enthroned upon the cherubim;
let the earth shake.

2 The LORD is great in Zion; *

he is high above all peoples.

- 3 Let them confess his Name, which is great and awesome; * he is the Holy One.
- 4 "O mighty King, lover of justice, you have established equity; *

 you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob."
- 5 Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God and fall down before his footstool; *
 he is the Holy One.
- 6 Moses and Aaron among his priests, and Samuel among those who call upon his Name, * they called upon the LORD, and he answered them.
- 7 He spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud; *
 they kept his testimonies and the decree that he gave them.
- 8 O LORD our God, you answered them indeed; *
 you were a God who forgave them,
 yet punished them for their evil deeds.
- 9 Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God and worship him upon his holy hill; * for the LORD our God is the Holy One.

A Reading 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

Laurie Doran/Meg Beresik

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ:

Grace to you and peace. We always give thanks to God for all of you and mention you in our prayers, constantly remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labor of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. For we know, brothers and sisters beloved by God, that he has chosen you, because our message of the gospel came to you not in word only, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction; just as you know what kind of persons we proved to be among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for in spite of persecution you received the word with joy inspired by the Holy Spirit, so that you became an example to all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For the word of the Lord has sounded forth from you not only in Macedonia and Achaia, but in every place your faith in God has become known, so that we have no need to speak about it. For the people of those regions report about us what kind of welcome we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols, to serve a living and true God, and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead-- Jesus, who rescues us from the wrath that is coming.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn #684 "O for a closer walk with God" vs. 1-3

Caithness

The Gospel

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew 22:15-22

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

The Pharisees went and plotted to entrap Jesus in what he said. So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, "Teacher, we know that

you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality. Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not?" But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, "Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? Show me the coin used for the tax." And they brought him a denarius. Then he said to them, "Whose head is this, and whose title?" They answered, "The emperor's." Then he said to them, "Give therefore to the emperor the things that are the emperor's, and to God the things that are God's." When they heard this, they were amazed; and they left him and went away.

Celebrant: The Gospel of our Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Hymn #684 "O for a closer walk with God" vs. 4-5

Caithness

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(Please offer names at the appropriate bidding in the prayers)
For those who suffer from any grief or trouble, especially Robert, Sarah, Laura,
Alfredo, Greta, Ray, Linda R, Ian, and Jerry.

For those who will celebrate their anniversaries this week, especially Mark & Sharpe Beaton and Ed & Phyllis Kata.

Presider: Let us now join together in a litany for the restoration of peace in the Holy Land.

A LITANY FOR THE RESTORATION OF PEACE IN THE HOLY LAND

God of peace, we pray for the people of Palestine and Israel in these perilous and dangerous times.

For all who are fearful for the safety of their loved ones and themselves, we pray that the assurance of unfailing love, even in the midst of danger, settles upon them. Shelter them from despair and protect them from harm.

For all who are wounded, we pray they find healing.

For all who have died, we pray they find rest.

For all who grieve, we pray they find comfort.

For leaders on all sides, we pray for a renewed will to lay down arms, for the strength to put the grievances and wrongs suffered by their people to rest, and for the conviction to embrace a path of reconciliation and peace that preserves the rights and dignity of all of your children.

God of mercy, help us to remember there is no border that can separate us from your great love and protection, no stone that can sound the well of your deep mercy.

God of justice, we pray with hopeful hearts that your beloved children of the Holy Land will be spared a future of sustained violence and unrest and that a recognition of the humanity of all people will prevail.

We ask all this in the name of your Son, Jesus. Amen.

The Confession & Absolution

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The Peace

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

Almighty and everlasting God, mercifully look upon our infirmities, and in all our dangers and necessities, stretch forth thy right hand to help and defend us, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Doxology and Hymn #717, vs. 4 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.

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.

Voluntary: *Trio no 1 in Eb*Josef-Gabriel Rheinberger

Communion Hymn #337 "And now, O Father" (omit*)

Unde et memores

The Post-Communion Prayer p. 365

The Final Blessing
Announcements
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Closing Hymn #544 "Jesus shall reign"

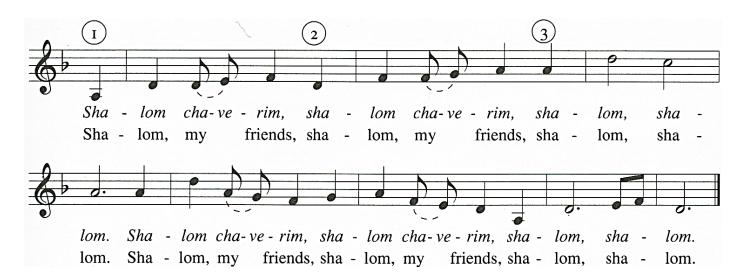
Duke Street

The Dismissal

Celebrant: Let us bless the Lord. Alleluia.

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia.

Postlude Agincourt Hymn (1415) John Dunstable





"The altar flowers are given to the glory of almighty God and in loving memory of Peter and Roe Harvey by Gerald Harvey."

Candles are given by Jeanette Caldwell in dedication to James & Eleanor Richards.

Service Participants

Celebrant: The Rev. Kathryn L. King

Verger: Clayton Smith

Ushers: Joe DeAmicis

Acolytes: Dick Hewson

Lectors: 8:00 Laurie Doran 10:15 Jeremy Lees, Meg Beresik

Chalice: Jim Doran 10:15 Greta Schneider

Organist: Stephen Pinel

Altar Guild: Chris Kyse, Sudy Mayo, Laurie Doran

Coffee Hour: Maureen Mulligan

ANNOUNCEMENTS



ALL PARISH EVENT Friday, October 27, 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. All Hollows Eve. Wear a costume and adopt a door for trick-or-treating. Simple supper, games, spooky time in church, crafts, and lots of fun! Sign up & bring your friends. Kids and adults!

COLLECTING EMPTY DETERGENT CONTAINERS We are collecting large, round, plastic detergent containers for a project for our All Hallow's Eve event on Friday, October 27. They are typically orange, white, and green. A sample of what we are looking for is on the sign-up bulletin boards. If you have any, we would love to save them from your recycle bin!

MOVIE PREMIER The Philadelphia 11, Friday, November 3 Mark your calendars and register for this free-ticketed event for the premier of the documentary on the ordination of the first women in the Episcopal Church. This event, covered worldwide on July 29, 1974, changed the face of the Episcopal Church. The Church of the



Advocate in Philadelphia hosted this event which was held without the approval of The Episcopal Church governance. Put on your finery to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the ordinations with a dress-up Hollywood-style reception and showing on a large movie screen. Pre-screening, red-carpet reception begins at 6 PM with the screening at 7 PM. Tickets and sign-ups are available in Bristol Hall.

ALL SAINTS NECROLOGY We will observe All Saints on Sunday, November 5. As part of our observance, you are again encouraged to submit names of loved ones you hold in your heart. Submission forms can be found in baskets at the sign-up bulletin boards and from the ushers. Please submit names by Wednesday, November 1.

ST. NICHOLAS BAZAAR is just around the corner. Save the date! November 11. Items for sale can be dropped off at All Saints Conference Room between 9 - 1 beginning October 1. Please note We do not accept clothing or electronics.