



The Third Sunday after Pentecost
Holy Eucharist
11:00am June 29, 2025

Prelude Voluntary in G by W. Walond

Opening Hymn #525 The Church's one foundation *Sung by all*

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

The Collect for Purity *BCP p.355, Standing*

Gloria S 280 Gloria in excelsis (Powell) *Sung by all*
(*"S" denotes "Service Music" section at front of the Hymnal*)

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Let us pray.

Collect of the Day

Lesson Galatians 5:1,13-25 *Seated*
For freedom Christ has set us free. Stand firm, therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery.

For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters; only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for self-indulgence, but through love become slaves to one another. For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." If, however, you bite and devour one another, take care that you are not consumed by one another.

Live by the Spirit, I say, and do not gratify the desires of the flesh. For what the flesh desires is opposed to the Spirit, and what the Spirit desires is opposed to the flesh; for these are opposed to each other, to prevent you from doing what you want. But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not subject to the law. Now the works of the flesh are obvious: fornication, impurity, licentiousness, idolatry, sorcery, enmities, strife, jealousy, anger, quarrels, dissensions, factions, envy, drunkenness, carousing, and things like these. I am warning you, as I warned you before: those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God.

By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things. And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh

with its passions and desires. If we live by the Spirit, let us also be guided by the Spirit.

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

Psalm 16 *Conserva me, Domine*

- 1 Protect me, O God, for I take refuge in you;
I have said to the Lord, "You are my Lord,
my good above all other."
- 2 All my delight is upon the godly that are in the land,
upon those who are noble among the people.
- 3 But those who run after other gods
shall have their troubles multiplied.
- 4 Their libations of blood I will not offer,
nor take the names of their gods upon my lips.
- 5 O Lord, you are my portion and my cup;
it is you who uphold my lot.
- 6 My boundaries enclose a pleasant land;
indeed, I have a goodly heritage.
- 7 I will bless the Lord who gives me counsel;
my heart teaches me, night after night.
- 8 I have set the Lord always before me;
because he is at my right hand I shall not fall.
- 9 My heart, therefore, is glad, and my spirit rejoices;
my body also shall rest in hope.
- 10 For you will not abandon me to the grave,
nor let your holy one see the Pit.
- 11 You will show me the path of life;
in your presence there is fullness of joy,
and in your right hand are pleasures for evermore.

All **Glory to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit:
As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.**

Gradual Hymn #488 vv.1-2 Be thou my vision *Standing, sung by all*

Gospel Luke 9:51-62

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

When the days drew near for Jesus to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem. And he sent messengers ahead of him. On their way they entered a village of the Samaritans to make ready for him; but they did not receive him, because his face was set toward Jerusalem. When his disciples James and John saw it, they said, "Lord, do you want us to command fire to come down from heaven and consume them?" But he turned and rebuked them. Then they went on to another village.

As they were going along the road, someone said to him, "I will follow you wherever you go." And Jesus said to him, "Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests; but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head." To another he said, "Follow me." But he said, "Lord, first let me go and bury my father." But Jesus said to him, "Let the dead bury their own dead; but as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God." Another said, "I will follow you, Lord; but let me first say farewell to those at my home." Jesus said to him, "No one who puts a hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God."

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

Gradual Hymn #488 v. 3 Be thou my vision *Sung by all*

Sermon The Rev. Benjamin Phillips *Seated*

Nicene Creed *Standing, said by all*

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 III *BCP p.387*
The leader and people pray responsively

Leader 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 Sean the Presiding Bishop, Kristin our Bishop, Ben our Rector, Cal, William, and the staff and leaders of St. George's. We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons.

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

We pray for Donald our President, Michael our governor, for the men and women of our armed forces and their families. 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;

That our works may find favor in your sight.

We pray for those in need of healing and comfort, especially those we name at this time. *[The people may add their own petitions.]*

That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest;

Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We remember those who have died in faith,

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.

All join in saying the concluding prayer.

Almighty and everliving God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth, hear our prayers for this parish family. Strengthen the faithful, arouse the careless, and restore the penitent. Grant us all things necessary for our common life, and bring us all to be of one heart and mind within your holy Church; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Confession of Sin *Kneeling*

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

The Peace

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

Announcements

The Offering *You may give your offering in the plates passed by the ushers or give online stgeorgesdayton.org or mail offerings, 5520 Far Hills Ave. Dayton, OH 45429-2204.*

Offertory Music

Presentation Hymn #380 v. 3*Standing, sung by all*

**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.**

Celebrant All things come from you, O Lord;
People **And of your own have we given to you.**

Holy Communion**The Great Thanksgiving Prayer B***BCP p.367*

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Celebrant continues with Preface... 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:

S 129 Sanctus (Powell)

(“S” denotes “Service Music” section at front of Hymnal)

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Celebrant continues the Eucharistic Prayer ... Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

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

Celebrant continues the Eucharistic Prayer.

At the conclusion, the people join, Amen.

The Lord’s Prayer

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.

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant O Lamb of God, that takes away the sins of the world,

People **Have mercy upon us.**

Celebrant O Lamb of God, that takes away the sins of the world,

People **Have mercy upon us.**

Celebrant O Lamb of God, that takes away the sins of the world,

People **Grant us your peace.**

Directions for receiving Holy Communion

- All Baptized Christians are welcome to receive; if you have not been baptized, you are welcome to cross your arms for a blessing.
- Gluten-free wafers are available, please indicate your need when receiving.
- If you prefer to drink from the chalice, please remain at the rail after receiving your wafer.
- If you prefer to intinct (dip) your wafer, please hold up your wafer and a lay minister with a small intinction cup will come to you.
- If you prefer to receive only the wafer, please return directly to your pew after receiving your wafer.

Communion Hymn #458 My song is love unknown*Sung by all***Prayer after Communion***Standing, said by all*

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

Blessing**Closing Hymn #550** Jesus calls us; o’er the tumult*Sung by all***Dismissal**

Deacon gives a dismissal

People **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude Monologue by J. Rheinbeger

The Weekly Messenger

COFFEE HOUR PRESENTATION—July 6

In early June, Deacon William attended the Triennial gathering of the Association for Episcopal Deacons. Highlights included a keynote address by Presiding Bishop Sean Rowe, workshops and forums specifically related to the ministries of deacons in The Episcopal Church. William will share about the conference at **10am** between services on **Sunday, July 6**.

SUMMER BIBLE STUDIES

It's not too late to join us for weekly Summer Bible Study!

Jeremiah, Psalms and word studies on **Tuesdays, 10:30am-12:30pm** in the Parish Hall. For more info contact Wendy Thornewill at wendy.thornewill@gmail.com.

James and Jude on **Zoom**, Sunday afternoons through August 24, from **2-3pm**. Please contact Wayne Wolfe, variety38@gmail.com or at 513-404-1753 with questions and to receive the Zoom invite.

JULY OUTREACH DRIVE—July 20

The start of the school year is right around the corner and growing kids in the local community need our help. On **Sunday, July 20**, from **9am-1pm**, COM will hold a drive for *new* kids' socks and underwear, sizes 2T-12. Items collected will be delivered to the Epiphany Lutheran's clothing shop in Centerville.

PRAYER VIGIL—July 20

Please join us as we gather together to pray for God's guidance and wisdom during the capital campaign process. A prayer vigil will be held in the Parish Hall at **10am** on **Sunday, July 20**. Prayer prompt cards will be provided. For questions or more information contact our campaign assistant at capital@stgeorgeohio.org.

CREATIVE GIVING SEMINAR—July 22

There are many ways you can make gifts to our capital campaign. Gifts of stocks, bonds, real estate, and bequests can make a huge impact. To learn about these and other ways to support our efforts, please join us for this informative seminar on **Tuesday, July 22, 7pm** in the Parish Hall.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekly Income: \$16,264.24 Year to Date Income: \$402,909.41
Weekly Expenses: \$6,779.20 Year to Date Expenses: \$438,383.05

WORSHIP LEADERS

Preacher	The Rev. Benjamin Phillips
Celebrant	The Rev. Dr. Calvin Lane, Associate Rector
Deacon	The Rev. Dr. William Sangrey, Deacon
Organist	Dr. David Crean, Director of Music
Verger	William Ayres
Lay Ministers	Susan Ayres, Jack Wells, Nicholas Ayres
Acolytes	Chinedu, Thomas, Daniel L, Chisom
Ushers	Sharon Oldham, Patricia Okocha, Jane McGee-Rafal, Marilyn Judd

The Flowers on the altar are given to the Glory of God

And in loving memory
of my mother,
Sally Abbott Pomputius,
by Susan Ayres

And in loving memory
of Chip Mumford by
Cara, Jeff, Mark,
Bradley and Sue



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