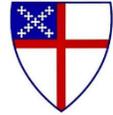


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HOLY EUCHARIST – RITE TWO

INSTRUMENTAL PRELUDE

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OPENING PRAYER

Almighty God, giver of every good gift: Look graciously on your Church, and so guide the minds of those who shall choose a bishop for this Diocese, that we may receive a faithful pastor, who will care for your people and equip us for our ministries; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Processional Hymn

L144, v1-2, Where He Leads Me

Norris

1. I can hear my Savior calling, I can hear my Savior calling, I can hear my Savior calling, "Take thy cross and follow, follow Me."	2. I'll go with Him through the garden, I'll go with Him through the garden, I'll go with Him the garden, I'll go with Him, with Him all the way.[Refrain]
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Refrain:

Where He leads me I will follow,
Where He leads me I will follow,
Where He leads me I will follow,
I'll go with Him, with Him all the way.

THE WORD OF GOD

The people standing, the Celebrant says

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

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

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

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.**

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us; you

are seated at the right hand of the Father receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. **Amen.**

The Celebrant says to the people

The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

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 LESSONS

The people sit

A Reading from the Book of 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

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 52 (*Read responsively by whole verse*)

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.

Glory be to the Father,

And to the Son,

And to the Holy Spirit.

As it was in the beginning,

Is now,

And ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

A Reading from Paul's Epistle to 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.

People: Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn

L17, v1, Rockin' Jerusalem

Spiritual

1. Church gettin' higher! Rockin' Jerusalem!
Church gettin' higher! Ringin' dem bells

Refrain:

O Mary, O Martha, O Mary, ring dem bells.
O Mary, O Martha, O Mary, ring dem bells
I hear archangels a rockin' Jerusalem,
I hear archangels a ringin' dem bells.

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Gospeler The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus according to Luke (10:38-42)

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

As Jesus and his disciples went on their way, he 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."

After the Gospel the Reader says:

The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sequence Hymn

L17, v2, Rockin' Jerusalem

Spiritual

2. New Jerusalem! Rockin' Jerusalem!
New Jerusalem! Ringin' dem bells. [Refrain]

Refrain:

O Mary, O Martha, O Mary, ring dem bells.

O Mary, O Martha, O Mary, ring dem bells

I hear archangels a rockin' Jerusalem,

I hear archangels a ringin' dem bells

SERMON

The Reverend Hugh Chapman

THE 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.

Prayers of the People Form IV

Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world.

Silence.

Lord, in your mercy,

Hear our prayer.

Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit especially our sick and those in need of peace and healing,

For those at Home:

Fr. Laughton Thomas, Rosalyn Greene, Ella Woodbury, Sam Oliver Sr., James Manning, Toni Jarmon, Rev. Leslie R. White, Rev. Ralph Griffith, Leonel Jones, Charles Walton, Joan Jackson Taylor, Christine Seymour, Mary Ann Nottage, Kove Lawson, Cynthia Holland, Genevieve Vaughn, Harriet Bowen, Livy Hitchcock, Sheila Gonzales, Sam & Sharal Jugger, Allan Johnson, and Fr. Terrance Rosheuvel.

For those in the care of the Doctor:

Andre Simon, Dourest & Joann Robinson, Leslie Baker, John Melville, Williamae Jackson, Lauren Sapp, Dr. Derek Spencer, Marva Davis, Delores Brown, Hattie Olivia Scott, Alexis Shermise Brown, Jasmine Hartin, Shevette Newkirk, Rudolph & Marva Griffith, Delois Abraham, Stella Harris, Pamela Harris Williams, Klcey Scott, Erica Scott, Renrick Alleyne, Jeffery Adams, Mayleen Rosheuvel, Ena Mason, Darlene Sheppard, Merrick Winston Edwards, Devonia Sears, Landon Dyre, Brittany Lee, Herma Watson Taylor, Barbara Gruden, Carolyn Allen, Camilla Stapleton, Carl Maxwell, Ann Dupree, Al Lawson Jr., Bill Bush, Nohemy Reid, Luann Hickman, Fred Hickman, Harold Dickey, Sterling Rinks, Scott Allen, Leslie Warren, Cardlous Walters, Ashley Griffith, Veronica Alleyne, Oscar Felker and David Wiley.

For those on the front lines in the fight against the coronavirus Pandemic:

Especially all doctors, nurses, scientists, and our own, Dr. Shaun Laurie, Dr. Nwamaka Onyeozili, Dr. Ross Howard McMillan, Dr. Ciara Grayson, Dr. Alaine Sharpe, Zuri A. White, and Cheston Williams.

For those in the Military:

Linzie Bogan II, Clark Bogan, Brianne Edwards, Vashti Thompson, Thandi Williams, Douglas Sampson [*and you may add your own petitions*]; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Collect for Coronavirus Pandemic.

Almighty God, Heavenly Healer, we bring to you all who are affected by our present pandemic; for the infirm and infected, the anxious and afraid. By your power defend us and heal us. Let us see one another not as vectors of infection, but as opportunities for love and service, for the sake of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. ***Amen.***

CONFESSION OF SIN

The Celebrant says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept. Minister and people

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.**

The Celebrant 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 Celebrant then says to the people

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

THE PEACE

May the Peace of the Lord

Nolan

May the peace of the Lord bring: Joy, Love, Comfort, Hope, Rest, Life

May the peace of the Lord surround you, May the peace of the Lord go with you. **Amen.**

Doxology

H380, Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

Old 100th

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. **Amen.**

Presentation of the Offering – prayer to be said

Father, we offer you these gifts which you have given us; this bread, this wine, this money. With them we offer ourselves, our lives, and our work, to become through your Holy Spirit, a reasonable, holy and lively sacrifice. As this bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Christ, so may we and all your people become channels of your love; through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

Offertory

Organ Interlude

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer A (remain standing)

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

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

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

The Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name.

Celebrant and People

SANCTUS

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.

The people stand or kneel

Celebrant continues

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:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

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 forever. **Amen.**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

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, forever and ever. **Amen.**

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

Therefore let us keep the feast.

Facing the people, the Celebrant says the following 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.

Communion Hymn L175, v1-2, Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen

Spiritual

Refrain:

Nobody knows the trouble I've seen,
Nobody knows but Jesus,
Nobody knows the trouble I've seen,
Glory, hallelujah.

1. Sometimes I'm up, sometimes I'm down,
Oh, yes, Lord,
Sometimes I'm almost to the ground,
Oh, yes, Lord. [Refrain]

2. Although you see me going 'long so,
Oh, yes, Lord,
I have my troubles here below,
Oh, yes, Lord. [Refrain]

Meditation Hymn

L174, Let the Heav'n Light Shine on Me

Carter

Let the heav'n light shine on me, (2x)
For low is the way to the upper bright world,
Let the heav'n light shine on me.
Shine on me, Shine on me.
Let the light from heav'n shine on me.
Amen. Amen.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

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

Announcements

Recessional Hymn

L106, v1-3, Precious Lord

Dorsey

1. Precious Lord, take my hand,
Lead me on, let me stand,
I am tired, I am weak, I am worn;
Through the storm, through the night,
Lead me on to the light,
Take my hand, precious Lord, Lead me home.

2. When my way grows drear,
Precious Lord, linger near,
When my life is almost gone;
Hear my cry, hear my call,
Hold my hand lest I fall.
Take my hand, precious Lord,
Lead me home.

3. When the darkness appears
And the night draws near,
And the day is past and gone;
At the river I stand,
Guide my feet, hold my hand.
Take my hand, precious Lord
Lead me home.

DISMISSAL

Celebrant Our worship has ended.
 Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

140th Anniversary Committee

Alexis Roberts McMillan and her committee has preliminary plans for the big celebration upcoming in September. There will of course be two (2) Sunday services – on September 25th when we commence the weeklong observance and October 2nd when Bishop Samuel Johnson Howard visits with us for confirmation, reaffirmation and reception of the candidates presented. Each parishioner including the children among us, will be asked to make a special anniversary gift (\$1.40, \$14.00, \$140, \$1400) to SMAA. Hopefully there will be a concert sometime during the course of the week.

Ms. Geri back Home

Alexis is reporting that Mr. Geri is back home and is doing well. She's got a new housekeeper and has hit her old stride. Still keep her in prayer.

TAKE TIME:

To think. It is the source of power.
To play. It is the secret of perpetual youth.
To read. It is the fountain of wisdom.
To pray. It is the greatest power on earth.
To love and be loved. It is a God given privilege.
To be friendly. It is the road to happiness.

WELCOME TO ST. MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS

*We extend a warm welcome to our guests. Thank you for worshipping with us today. If you are without a church home, we invite you to join our church family. Please sign the guest register, **include your home address, phone number and, if you would like to receive the monthly newsletter, news of special events and other happenings, please also add your e-mail address.***

***OUR VISION** is to be a cornerstone for serving the spiritual needs of the greater Tallahassee community, extending an eternal invitation to join our caring parish and to enrich the spiritual life of all people as we journey with Christ.*

***OUR MISSION** is to experience the Gospel of Jesus Christ by feeding the mind, body and spirit of our community in fellowship and service.*



HOLY COMMUNION: All baptized Christians are encouraged to receive the real and living presence of Christ in Holy Communion. To receive the Bread, extend your hands upward, palms crossed. When receiving the Wine, please guide the chalice as it is offered. If you prefer, you may leave the Bread on your palm for the person administering the chalice to dip into the Wine and place on your tongue. All persons are welcome to give thanks for God's blessings at the altar rail, simply crossing your arms at the wrist with fingertips extending upward towards your shoulders.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY TO OUR CHURCH FAMILY!

Judge Linzie & Dr. Yolanda Bogan (7/20), Ronald & Herma Taylor (7/22), Anthony & Chenee Lewinson (7/23), Brandon & Nadia Ceasor (7/23).

Anniversary Prayer

God our Father, who made men and women to live together in families: we pray that marriage may be held in honor; that husbands and wives may live together faithfully, according to their vows; and that members of every family may grow in mutual love and understanding, in courtesy and kindness, so that they may bear one another's burdens and so fulfill the law of Christ; for His name's sake.
Amen.



FROM THE RECTOR'S DESK

I Remember Nelson

There are so many and particularly those who live in the Orlando area, who continue to mourn the passing of Canon Nelson Pinder DD. Nelson came into my life back in 2007 when he introduced me as the new rector at St. Philip's Episcopal Church in Jacksonville. You would think that he had known me all my life! His engaging and persuasive personality easily won him friends and admirers across the South. He was a civil rights icon and rescued many young black men from going down the wrong path. He had the distinction of serving at St. John-the-Baptist Episcopal Church in Orlando as rector for 57 years and was president (emeritus) of the Union of Black Episcopalians. Among the many who are aggrieved at Canon's passing is our own Fr. Laughton Thomas who has held Nelson as a friend for 45 years. Do keep Ms. Marion (widow) and all who are mourning this great man's passing in your prayers. His funeral is set for July 23, 2022, (11:00 am) at St. Luke's Cathedral in Orlando.

Difficult Days

Anxiety can be crippling especially during these tumultuous times we face. We are living still with a pandemic, protests, racial unrests, simmering tensions, high prices for food and fuel and yes, a political divisiveness-that has spawned a degree of high anxiety for most of us. The comfortable lives we lived before of enjoying friends, going to restaurants and the movies – even cuddles, have now been replaced by fear of disease and death. The truth is, millions of our fellow citizens are overwhelmed by great anxiety. The good news is that we can rise above it all if our faith is firmly grounded in Jesus the Christ. What does the word say? Let me remind you – “Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God.” (Philippians 4:6). Let us seek then to free ourselves from worry by turning to God – He is the antidote for worry. Feel free to cast all your burdens upon Him – but He requires something from us in return. He wants us to focus on the vision for our lives, He wants us also to show compassion and love to all those who cross our paths each day. Remember always that the days may be difficult but our God still reigns.

Our Condolences

Eugenia Chapman and her friends over in St. Thomas, US Virgin Islands, are all mourning the sudden death of Lacey Thompson – he was only forty! According to the reports received, he died suddenly of a heart attack. So at this time, do keep the Thompson family in your prayers as well as those who are left mourning his passing.

Fr. Hugh+

SPECIAL PRAYERS

Prayer for the Hurricane Season

Almighty and everlasting God, Lord of Heaven and Earth: Grant unto us thy suppliant people, protection against hurricanes, earthquakes, and other calamities; that in tranquility of weather we may rejoice in the comfort we desire and may always make right use of thy bountiful goodness through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Capital Campaign Prayer

Most gracious Lord Jesus Christ and generous source of all abundance, in gratitude we invite you to expand our hearts as we seek to increase and improve this place of worship, peace, healing, forgiveness, outreach, service and fellowship. May all who enter here be restored and strengthened on their journey of faith. Guide us Heavenly Father, that we may make manifest your vision of a beloved and enlightened church and community, and be a shining example of the living presence of the Holy Spirit. May we and our Capital Campaign be a channel of God's abundant grace. Through Jesus Christ our Lord we pray. *Amen.*

Suggested daily Readings for season after Pentecost: July 18 – July 23

Mon.	Joshua 7:1-13	Psalm 41, 52	Matt. 26:36-46
Tue.	Joshua 8:1-22	Psalm 45	Matt. 26:47-56
Wed.	Joshua 8:30-35	Psalm 119:49-72	Matt. 26:57-68
Thurs.	Joshua 9:3-21	Psalm 50	Matt. 26:69-75
Fri.	Joshua 9:22 – 10:15	Psalm 40, 54	Matt. 27:1-10
Sat.	Joshua 23:1-16	Psalm 55	Matt. 27:11-23

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Crucifer: Hollis Sams

Gospel Book Bearer:

LEMS: Prokop Hruda

Lectors: Thomas Payne, Kimberly Douglas
Margaret Edwards

Vestry: Zollie White II

Organist: Debralee LaSeur-Helfand