

The Day of Pentecost: Whitsunday

May 19, 2024

Prelude:

**Processional Hymn:** 

Holy Spirit, ever living

The Word of God

Hymn 511

**BCP 355** 

## Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ is risen. People: The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

**Celebrant:** Let us pray together our 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.* 

**Celebrant and People:** Hymn S280 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 Collect of the Day Celebrant: The Lord be with you. People: And also with you.

### Celebrant: Let us pray.

Almighty God, on this day you opened the way of eternal life to every race and nation by the promised gift of your Holy Spirit: Shed abroad this gift throughout the world by the preaching of the Gospel, that it may reach to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.** 

#### The Lessons

A Reading from Acts 2:1-21

When the day of Pentecost had come, the disciples were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs-- in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine."

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

> `In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood. before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

Lector: The word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God.

## Psalm 104:25-35, 37

- 25 O LORD, how manifold are your works! \* in wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.
- 26 Yonder is the great and wide sea with its living things too many to number, \* creatures both small and great.
- 27 There move the ships, and there is that Leviathan, \* which you have made for the sport of it.
- 28 All of them look to you \* to give them their food in due season.
- 29 You give it to them; they gather it; \* you open your hand, and they are filled with good things.
- 30 You hide your face, and they are terrified; \* you take away their breath, and they die and return to their dust.
- 31 You send forth your Spirit, and they are created; \* and so you renew the face of the earth.
- 32 May the glory of the LORD endure forever; \* may the LORD rejoice in all his works.
- 33 He looks at the earth and it trembles; \* he touches the mountains and they smoke.
- 34 I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; \* I will praise my God while I have my being.
- 35 May these words of mine please him; \* I will rejoice in the LORD.
- 37 Bless the LORD, O my soul. \* Hallelujah!

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Amen.

## The Epistle Romans 8:22-27

We know that the whole creation has been groaning in labor pains until now; and not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly while we wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies. For in hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what is seen? But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

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

## Sequence Hymn:



(Children leave for Sunday school)

# Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of Our Lord, Jesus Christ according to John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15

## People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said to his disciples, "When the Advocate comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who comes from the Father, he will testify on my behalf. You also are to testify because you have been with me from the beginning.

"I did not say these things to you from the beginning, because I was with you. But now I am going to him who sent me; yet none of you asks me, 'Where are you going?' But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your hearts. Nevertheless I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Advocate will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. And when he comes, he will prove the world wrong about sin and righteousness and judgment: about sin, because they do not believe in me; about righteousness, because I am going to the Father and you will see me no longer; about judgment, because the ruler of this world has been condemned.

"I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord. **People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.** 

The Homily

**Rev. Cynthia Baskin** 

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 III)**

Please stand or kneel as you are able

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, 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; *That our works may find favor in your sight*.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble; *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.

#### We pray for those on the Anglican and Diocesan Cycles of Prayer and our Parish Family and Friends

We pray for: Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury. Michael, our Presiding Bishop, Mariann our Bishop and Vikki, our Rector; for this gathering; and for all ministers and people.

#### **Anglican Cycle of Prayer:**

The Anglican Church of Canada

#### **Diocesan Cycle of Prayer**

Seabury Resources for Aging Friendship Terrace St. Mary's Court Collington Episcopal Life Care Community Pray for all Seniors and their Ministries in the Church St. Augustine's Church, DC

## For our Parish Family and Friends:

Judy Docca, Meredith Smith, Dana Burton, Victoria Cross, Delbert Wemple, Lydia Brittle, Steve O'Neil, Scott Peterson, Stevie Grimes, Laura Hobbs, Nancy Harding, Frank McMurtray, Janet McMurtray

Carolann Guerette (V. Cross) Frank and Jerry Cross (V. Cross) Rebecca Koltun & family (J. Rutherford) Susan Oliver (J. Shea) Thomas Cooper and Mrs. Boyd (D. Burton) Roseann Royle (N. Row) Darcy Alt (S. Henderson) Pam Jagusch (S. Grimes) Linda Abrahams (V. Clayton) Jeff Weinberger (S. Henderson) Nick Vlachos (C. Hendricks) Meghan Bradley (N. Row) Patty Terry (V. Clayton) The Dodge Family (M. Wemple) Seth Washington (S. Grimes) Amy Morris (D. Howard)

Helen Hamlin (N. Row) Amanda Graham (A. Fitts) Michele Shirron (V. Clayton & N. Row) Alma Bray (L. Bray) Karen Scott (M. Wemple) Jerrilyn Frame (M. Wemple) Scott & Barb McDonald (V. Cross) Paul Penfold (M. Wilner) Scott Johnston (V. Cross) Gerald Holbrook (M. Wemple) Caroline Cross (M. Wemple) Christine Pearson (V. Cross & J. Rutherford) Harper Schwille (L. Lucas-Dreiss) Edmund Ground (M. Smith) Allie Ground (M. Smith) Fred Downs (M. Wemple)

#### May Birthdays:

Janet Shea	May 6
Emma Rose Murtiff	May 13
Sally Hauber	May 17
John Strong	May 20
Julia White	May 21
Dean Jagusch	May 22
Lucy Trumbull	May 28
Janice Peterson	May 31

## **Celebrant:**

O Lord our 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.** 

#### The Confession of Sin

**BCP 360** 

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor. *Silence may be kept*.

Celebrant 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.

## **Celebrant:**

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

**BCP 360** 

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

## The Offertory

**Celebrant** Walk in love as Christ loved us and gave himself for us an offering and sacrifice to God.

## **Choir Anthem:**

Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me, arr. Dan R. Edwards

## Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him, all creatures here below. Praise Him above the Heavenly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. *Amen*.

The Great	Thanksgiving (Eucharistic Prayer B) BCP 367
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.

**Celebrant:** 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. In fulfillment of his true promise, the Holy Spirit came down on this day from heaven, lighting upon the disciples, to teach them and to lead them into all truth; uniting peoples of many tongues in the confession of one faith, and giving to your Church the power to serve you as a royal priesthood, and to preach the Gospel to all nations.

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:**

## Hymn S129

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.

## *Please stand or kneel as you are able* **Celebrant:**

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,

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

**Celebrant** 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 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 forever. **Amen.** 

**Celebrant:** And now as our Savior taught us we are bold to say:

Celebrant and People: 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 Fraction**

The Hymnal 1982, Service Music, #154



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#### **Celebrant:**

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:** *Come down, O love divine* 

Hymn 516

**Post Communion Prayer** 

Let us pray.

Celebrant and People 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

**Closing Hymn:** *O for a thousand tongues to sing* 

Hymn 493

Lay Eucharistic Minister: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord, alleluia, alleluia.

People: Thanks be to God, alleluia, alleluia.

#### **Postlude:**

Recessional on "Labe den Herren," arr. Dam R. Edwards

Serving Today Celebrant: The Rev. Cynthia Baskin

## Lay Reader Jennifer Rutherford Lay Eucharist Minister Ed Dalton Choir Director, Music Director, and Organist Lauren Fisher Usher Rob Palmer Altar Guild Judy O'Neil and Judith Schneider Broadcast Technician Randy and Evan Beans Flower Guild Judy O'Neil

#### St. Bartholomew's Vestry

Senior Warden Lois Leigh Junior Warden Jeff Bergsten Vestry: Victoria Cross, Lauren Fisher, William Fitts, Charles Frederick, David Landrith, Lauren Murtiff, Robert Palmer, Judith Schneider

**Coffee Hour** today is hosted by Deborah Howard and Sharon Henderson. Join us in the undercroft after the service.

## **Altar Flowers**

We encourage you to donate to the altar flower fund, which is not only for dedications or special occasions. The cost is \$65.00, but all donations are accepted. Make checks payable to St. Bartholomew's and write "flowers" in the memo line or put cash in an envelope marked flowers. Donations marked for special occasions are mentioned in the bulletin; send an email to parishadmin@saintbartholomews.org or call 301-355-7189 to let us know.

## **Bible Study**

Bible study is every Thursday at 10:30 am. We're reading "Scribes and Scriptures, The Amazing Story of How We Got The Bible". Contact the Parish Administrator (parishadminin@saintbartholomews.org) for more information or to have the Zoom link sent to you.

## Music Together with Sonia

Sonia offers music and dance for children from infants to five years old. There are classes at 9:30, 10:30, and 5:15. More information is available at musictogetherwithsonia.com.

**Memorial Garden Dedication**: The next Dedication Service will take place on **Sunday**, **June 2<sup>nd</sup>** following the 11 AM service. If you would like to dedicate a leaf or tree at this service, please contact Ann Fitts by May 19<sup>th</sup> at Janice.fitts@gmail.com or by cell phone at 240-252-8456. She will work with you on engraving information. The requested donation for a leaf is \$150 and for a tree is \$1500.

## **Food Giving Basket**

There is a food giving basket for Olney Help in the entry way of the church with a "wish list" of items. Please bring the items in a bag. Thank you for your generosity.

## Forward Day by Day

The new quarterly edition of Forward Day by Day for May, June and July is available in the racks at the front of the church. There are regular and large print available. Please take one.

## **On-Line Giving**

There is now the option to contribute to the ministries of St. Bartholomew's by using this QR code:



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