

St. Peter's Episcopal Church and School

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The Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost:

Proper 17

The Holy Eucharist: Rite Two

August 30, 2026

10:00am

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Wednesday, September 2

5:00 pm – The Holy Eucharist: Rite Two

Sunday, September 6

8:00 am – The Holy Eucharist: Rite One

10:00 am – The Holy Eucharist: Rite Two

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Welcome to St. Peter's Episcopal Church. Beginning with today's Gospel reading, the ministry of Jesus is directed toward his approaching death and resurrection and his preparing the disciples for that event. Peter, who moments before expressed his faith in Jesus as the Messiah, now recoils at the thought of Jesus' death. Jesus begins to explain that the way into the Kingdom of God is sacrifice. His death and resurrection will be the model for that way. Jeremiah's reflection upon his experience of rejection and persecution, his hope of redemption through God's love, is read today as foreshadowing Jesus' greater work.

Today's passage from the Epistle to the Romans deals with the characteristics of Christian living. Note that we are called to love each other and to recognize that our lives are completely bound up in the lives of our brothers and sisters.

In the Eucharist, we find both of the scriptural themes for today. We are given many and varied ways of ministering and the Eucharist is a model of our ministry in caring for others and the world. In the Eucharist, by remembering Christ's dying and rising, we become participants in God's redemptive action. Our own lives are filled with meaning because we share in his life, death, and resurrection.

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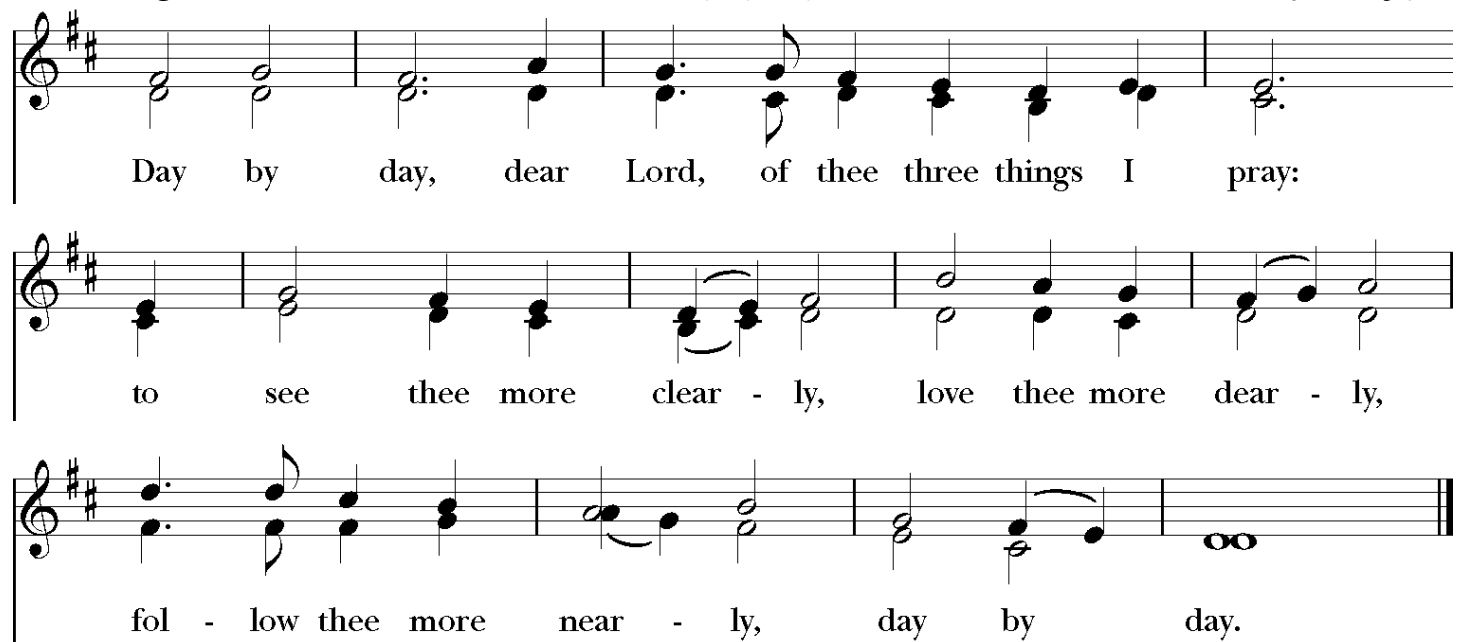
The Holy Eucharist: Rite Two

The Word of God

Gathering Music

Day by day

Hymn 654

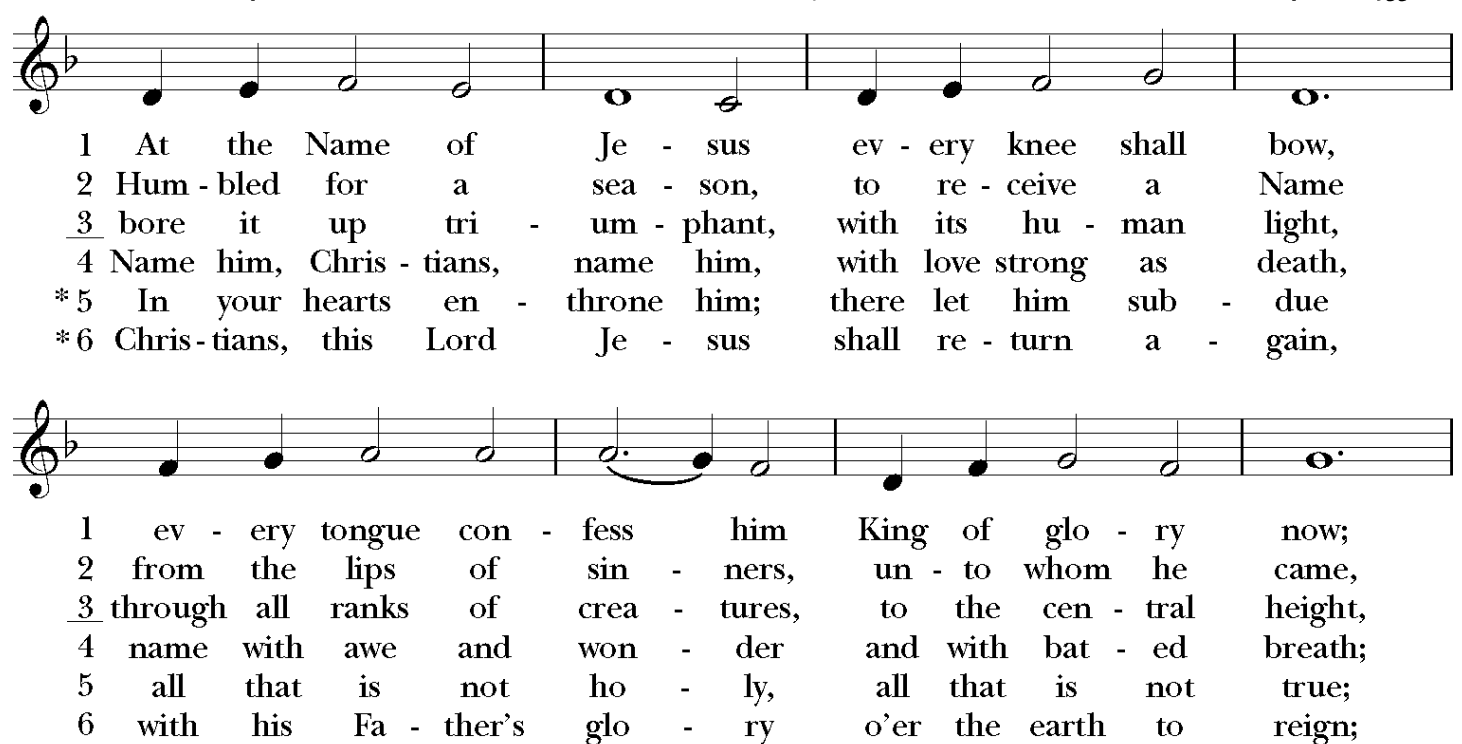


Day by day, dear Lord, of thee three things I pray:
to see thee more clear - ly, love thee more dear - ly,
fol - low thee more near - ly, day by day.

Processional Hymn

At the name of Jesus

Hymn 435



1 At the Name of Je - sus ev - ery knee shall bow,
2 Hum - bled for a sea - son, to re - ceive a Name
3 bore it up tri - um - phant, with its hu - man light,
4 Name him, Chris - tians, name him, with love strong as death,
*5 In your hearts en - throne him; there let him sub - due
*6 Chris - tians, this Lord Je - sus shall re - turn a - gain,
1 ev - ery tongue con - fess him King of glo - ry now;
2 from the lips of sin - ners, un - to whom he came,
3 through all ranks of crea - tures, to the cen - tral height,
4 name with awe and won - der and with bat - ed breath;
5 all that is not ho - ly, all that is not true;
6 with his Fa - ther's glo - ry o'er the earth to reign;



1 'tis the Fa - ther's plea - sure we should call him Lord
 2 faith - ful - ly he bore it spot - less to the last,
 3 to the throne of God - head, to the Fa - ther's breast;
 4 he is God the Sa - vior, he is Christ the Lord,
 5 crown him as your Cap - tain in temp - ta - tion's hour;
 6 for all wreaths of em - pire meet up - on his brow,



1 who from the be - gin - ning was the might - y Word.
 2 brought it back vic - to - rious, when from death he passed;
 3 filled it with the glo - ry of that per - fect rest.
 4 ev - er to be wor - shipped, trust - ed, and a - dored.
 5 let his will en - fold you in its light and power.
 6 and our hearts con - fess him King of glo - ry now.

All standing, the Celebrant says

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

People And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

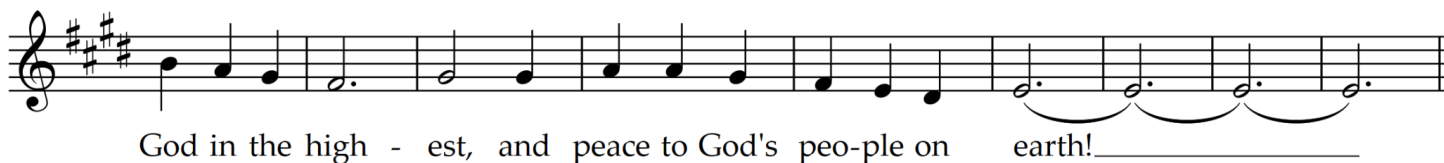
The Celebrant says the Collect for Purity

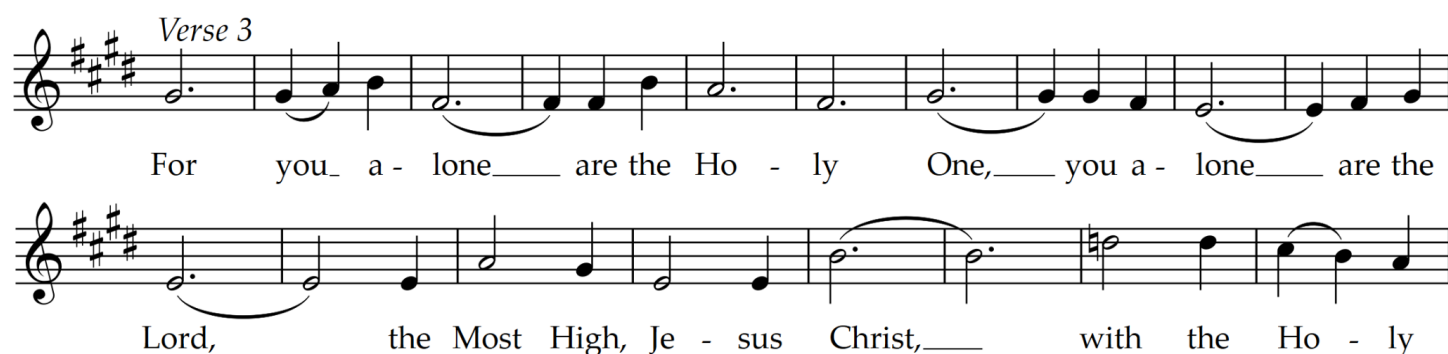
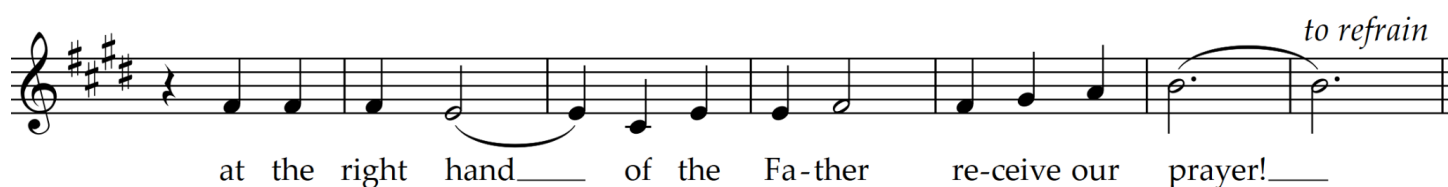
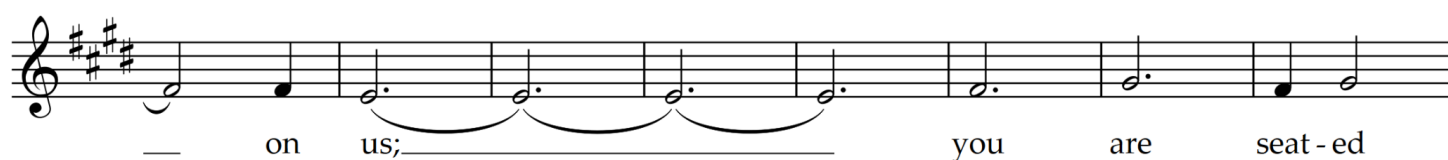
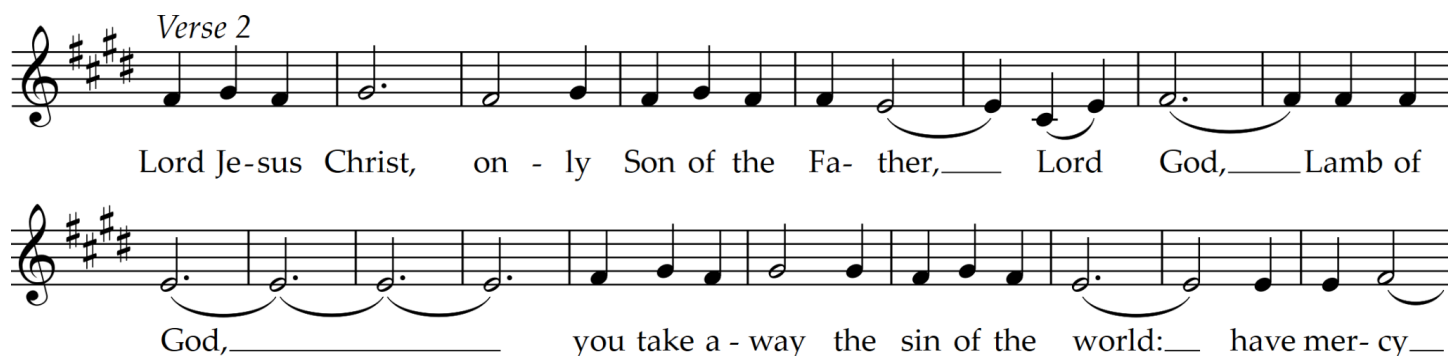
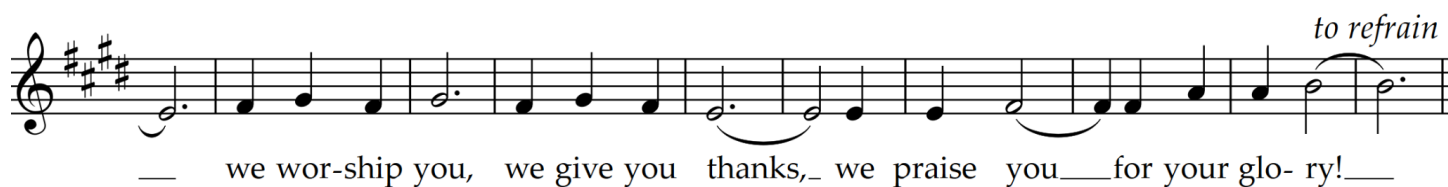
Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Song of Praise

Glory to God

David Haas





The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: Graft in our hearts the love of your Name; increase in us true religion; nourish us with all goodness; and bring forth in us the fruit of good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The people sit.

The First Reading

Jeremiah 15:15-21

O LORD, you know;
remember me and visit me,
and bring down retribution for me on my persecutors.

In your forbearance do not take me away;
know that on your account I suffer insult.

Your words were found, and I ate them,
and your words became to me a joy
and the delight of my heart;

for I am called by your name,
O LORD, God of hosts.

I did not sit in the company of merrymakers,
nor did I rejoice;

under the weight of your hand I sat alone,
for you had filled me with indignation.

Why is my pain unceasing,
my wound incurable,
refusing to be healed?

Truly, you are to me like a deceitful brook,
like waters that fail.

Therefore, thus says the LORD:

If you turn back, I will take you back,
and you shall stand before me.

If you utter what is precious, and not what is worthless,
you shall serve as my mouth.

It is they who will turn to you,
not you who will turn to them.

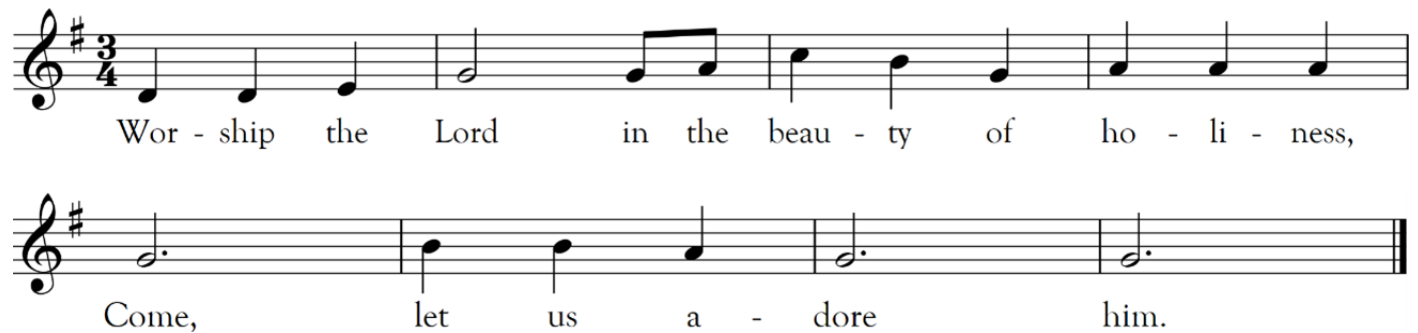
And I will make you to this people
a fortified wall of bronze;
they will fight against you,
but they shall not prevail over you,
for I am with you
to save you and deliver you,
says the LORD.

I will deliver you out of the hand of the wicked,
and redeem you from the grasp of the ruthless.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 26:1-8



1 Give judgment for me, O LORD,
for I have lived with integrity; *
I have trusted in the Lord and have not faltered.

2 **Test me, O LORD, and try me; ***
examine my heart and my mind.

3 For your love is before my eyes; *
I have walked faithfully with you.

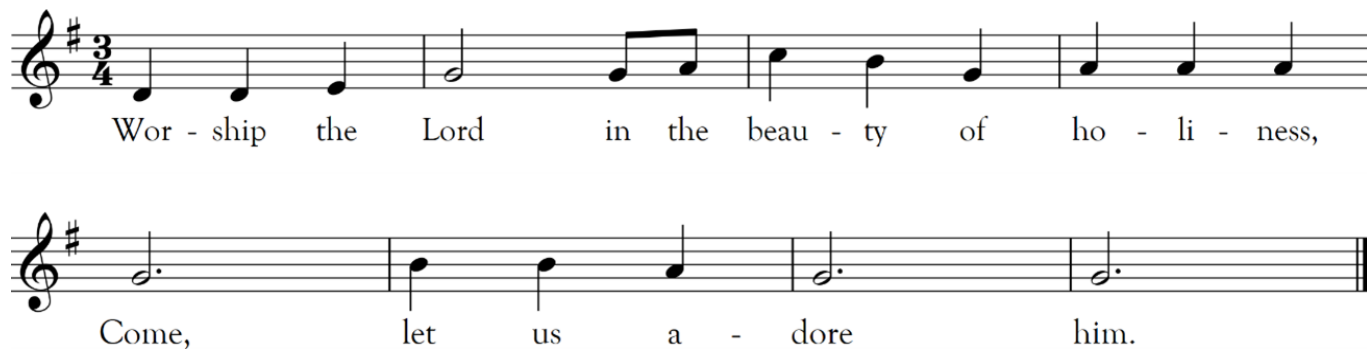
4 **I have not sat with the worthless, ***
nor do I consort with the deceitful.

5 I have hated the company of evildoers; *
I will not sit down with the wicked.

6 **I will wash my hands in innocence, O LORD, ***
that I may go in procession round your altar,

7 Singing aloud a song of thanksgiving *
and recounting all your wonderful deeds.

8 LORD, I love the house in which you dwell *
and the place where your glory abides.



The Second Reading

Romans 12:9-21

Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with mutual affection; outdo one another in showing honor. Do not lag in zeal, be ardent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, persevere in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints; extend hospitality to strangers. Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. Live in harmony with one another; do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly; do not claim to be wiser than you are. Do not repay anyone evil for evil, but take thought for what is noble in the sight of all. If it is possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all. Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave room for the wrath of God; for it is written, "Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord." No, "if your enemies are hungry, feed them; if they are thirsty, give them something to drink; for by doing this you will heap burning coals on their heads." Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

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

All stand.



1 Take up your cross, the Sa - vior said, if
 2 Take up your cross, let not its weight fill
 3 Take up your cross, heed not the shame, and
 4 Take up your cross, then, in his strength, and
 5 Take up your cross, and fol - low Christ, nor



1 you would my dis - ci - ple be; take up your cross with
 2 your weak spi - rit with a - larm; his strength shall bear your
 3 let your fool - ish heart be still; the Lord for you ac -
 4 calm - ly ev - ery dan - ger brave: it guides you to a -
 5 think till death to lay it down; for on - ly those who



1 will - ing heart, and hum - bly fol - low af - ter me.
 2 spi - rit up, and brace your heart, and nerve your arm.
 3 cept - ed death up - on a cross, on Cal - vary's hill.
 4 bun - dant life and leads to vic - tory o'er the grave.
 5 bear the cross may hope to wear the glo - rious crown.

The Holy Gospel

Matthew 16:21-28

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and undergo great suffering at the hands of the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, "God forbid it, Lord! This must never happen to you." But he turned and said to Peter, "Get behind me, Satan! You are a stumbling block to me; for you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things." Then Jesus told his disciples, "If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it. For what will it profit them if they gain the whole world but forfeit their life? Or what will they give in return for their life? "For the Son of Man is to come with his angels in the glory of his Father, and then he will repay everyone for what has been done. Truly I tell you, there are some

standing here who will not taste death before they see the Son of Man coming in his kingdom.”

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon

The Rev. Rich Nelson

Commissioning Hymn

Prayer of St. Francis

Verses 1, 2, 4

1. Make me a chan-nel of your peace. Where
2. Make me a chan-nel of your peace. Where
4. Make me a chan-nel of your peace. It

there is ha - tred, let me bring your love. Where
there's de - spair in life, let me bring hope. Where
is in par - don - ing that we are par - doned, in

there is in - ju - ry, your par - don, Lord, And
there is dark - ness, on - ly light, And
giv - ing of our - selves that we re - ceive, and in

where there's doubt, true faith in you.
where there's sad - ness, ev - er joy.
dy - ing that we're born to e - ter-nal life.

Verse 3

3. Oh, Mas-ter, grant that I may nev-er seek So much to be con-
soled as to con - sole. To be un-der-stood as to un-der-
stand. To be loved as to love with all my soul. D.C.

Admission of the Members of the Community of Saints Francis and Clare

Before or after the Creed the Presider invites those to be admitted into the CFC to come forward with their sponsors.

The Presider then addresses those to be admitted.

The question may be asked of everyone all at once, or to each person individually.

What do you seek?

Answer Life in Christ. *(The new members may expand on the answer in their own words.)*

The Presider then says

Jesus said, "The first commandment is this: Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God is the only Lord. Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your strength. The second is this: Love your neighbor as yourself. There is no other commandment greater than these." Do you accept these commandments?

Answer I do.

Presider

Will you be regular in attending the public worship of God, and will you open your ears to hear the Word of God?

Answer I will, with God's help.

Presider

Will you open your heart and mind to receive the Good News of Jesus Christ?

Answer I will, with God's help.

The Presider then addresses the sponsors

Will you who sponsor these persons support them by prayer and example, and help them to grow in the knowledge and love of God?

Answer I will.

Those to be admitted kneel. The sponsors remain standing and place a hand upon those to be admitted, while the Presider extends a hand toward them and says

May Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who has put the desire into your hearts to seek the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, grant you the power of the Holy Spirit to persevere in this intention and to grow in faith and understanding.

People Amen.

Each of those to be admitted is presented by name to the Presider, who, with the thumb, marks a cross on the forehead of each, saying

N., receive the sign of the Cross on your forehead and in your heart, in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

People Amen.

The Director of the CFC then vests the members of the CFC. After all members of the CFC are vested, the Director then says

Now it is an honor and joy to formally admit you to The Community of Saints Francis and Clare here at St. Peter's Episcopal Church. Be among us in ministry to our community, in fellowship with one another, and in service to the kingdom of God.

People Thanks be to God.

The Liturgy continues with the Creed and the Prayers of the People, in the course of which prayer is offered for the members of the CFC by name.

The People stand with the Celebrant and say together

The Nicene Creed

BCP 358

**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 people may stand or kneel.

Prayers of the People, Form III

BCP 387

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 give thanks for College Missions in West Texas.

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

Confession of Sin

BCP 359

The Deacon or Celebrant then says

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.**

The Celebrant 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.

All stand.

The Peace

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

Then the Ministers and the People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Announcements

The Holy Communion

Offertory

Praise the Lord

Natalie Sleeth

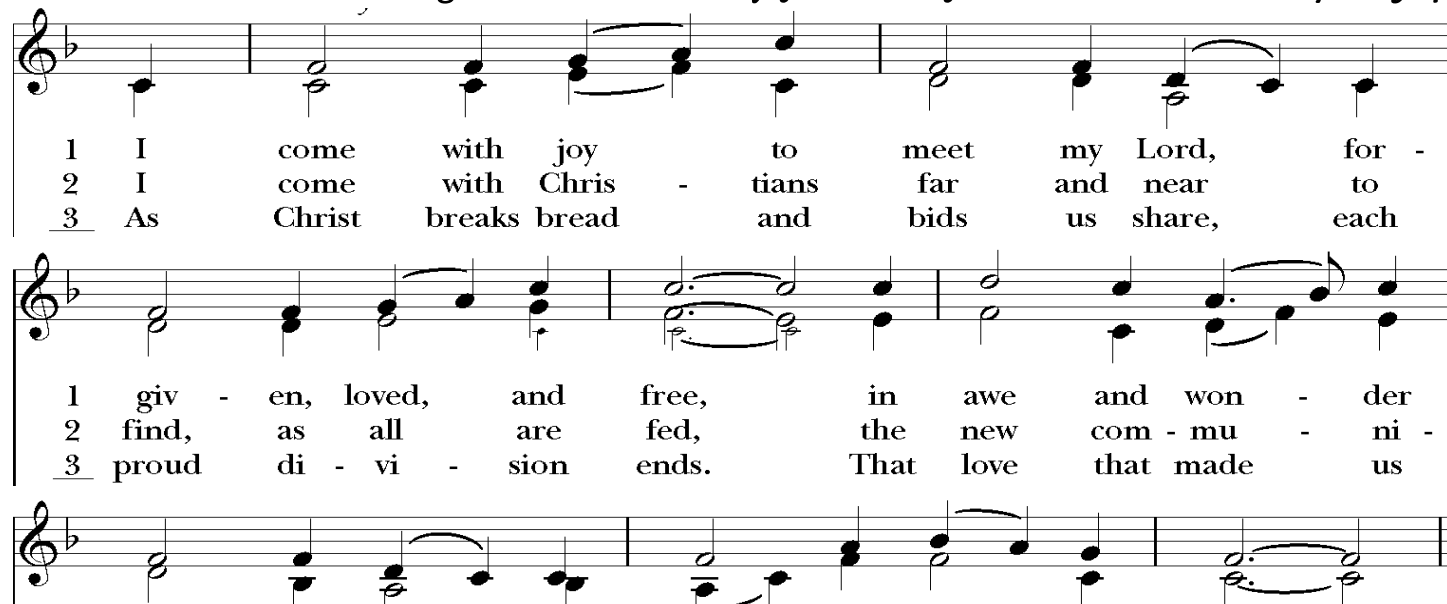
Praise the Lord with the sound of trumpet, Praise the Lord with the harp and lute,
Praise the Lord with gentle sounding flute. Praise the Lord in the field and forest,
Praise the Lord in the city square, Praise the Lord anytime and anywhere.
Praise the Lord in the wind and sunshine, Praise the Lord in the dark of night,
Praise the Lord in the rain or snow or in the morning light.
Praise the Lord in the deepest valley,
Praise the Lord on the highest hill, Praise the Lord, never let your voices be still.
Praise the Lord with the crashing cymbal, Praise the Lord with the pipe and strings,
Praise the Lord with the joyful songs you sing. Praise the Lord on a weekday morning,
Praise the Lord on a Sunday noon, Praise the Lord by the light of sun or moon.
Praise the Lord in the time of sorrow, Praise the Lord in the time of joy,
Praise the Lord every moment, nothing let your praise destroy.
Praise the Lord in peace and quiet,
Praise the Lord in your work or play, Praise the Lord everywhere in every way!

The people stand while the offerings are presented and placed on the Altar.

Presentation of the Offerings

I come with joy to meet my Lord

Hymn 304



1 I come with joy to meet my Lord, for -
2 I come with Chris - tians far and near to
3 As Christ breaks bread and bids us share, each

1 giv - en, loved, and free, in awe and won - der
2 find, as all are fed, the new com - mu - ni -
3 proud di - vi - sion ends. That love that made us

1 to re - call his life laid down for me.
2 ty of love in Christ's com - mun - ion bread.
3 makes us one, and stran - gers now are friends.

The people remain standing.

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.**

The Celebrant proceeds

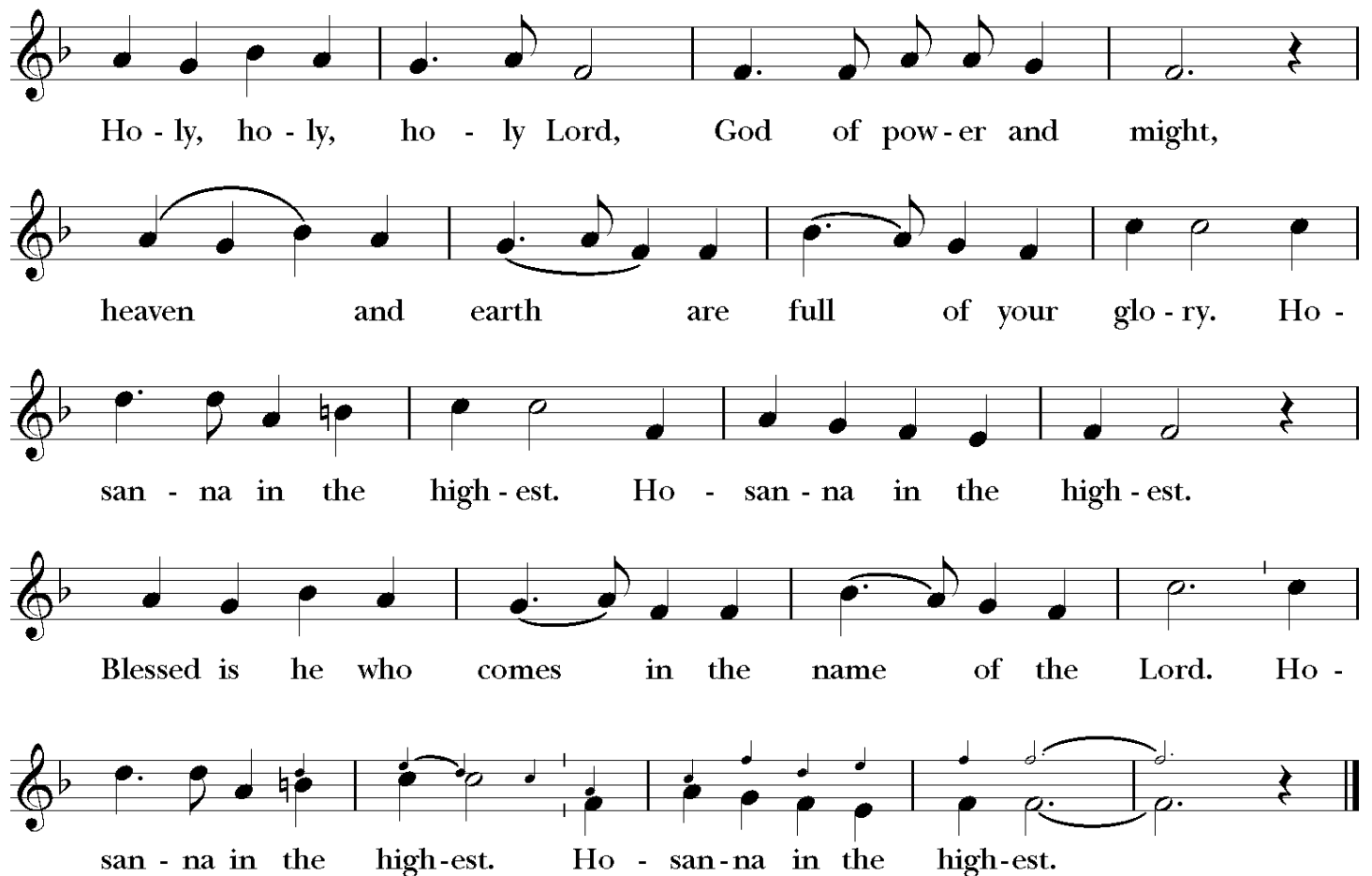
It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

For you are the source of light and life, you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

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:

Sanctus

S 125



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,
 heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
 san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
 Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
 san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

The people stand or kneel. The Celebrant continues

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;**

The Celebrant continues

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 blessed Peter, and 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 for ever. **AMEN.**

The Celebrant continues

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

People and Celebrant

**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 Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

The Celebrant says

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

Life-giving bread

Life - giv - ing bread, _____ as our hearts are trans-formed a -

new, _____ and life - giv - ing wine, _____ may we share in a

life with you. _____

1. Com - ing to - geth - er we cel - e - brate life, we are a peo - ple
 2. Tast - ing and see - ing the good-ness of God bids us to bless the
 3. Trans-form our lives with a heart that is new, we are the bro - ken,
 4. Called now to wit-ness your love, so di - vine, we are the branch-es,

gath - ered as one. Com - ing to - geth - er with Christ as our head;
 Lord at all times. Tast - ing and see - ing the fruit of the vine;
 we are the blessed. Trans-form our hearts with a heart that is true;
 you are the vine. Called to be ser - vants, called to be - come

life - giv - ing word _____ to life - giv - ing bread! _____
 life - giv - ing joy _____ in life - giv - ing wine! _____
 life - giv - ing hope _____ we of - fer to you! _____
 salt for the earth _____ and light for the world! _____

Communion Hymn

Lord, whose love through humble service

Hymn 610

(tune: Holy Manna)



Lord, whose love through hum - ble ser - vice bore the weight of hu - man need,
 Still your child - ren wan - der homeless; still the hun - gry cry for bread;
 As we wor - ship, grant us vi - sion, till your love's re - veal - ing light,
 Called by wor - ship to your ser - vice, forth in your dear name we go,



who u - pon the cross, for - sa ken, of - fered mer - cy's per - fect deed,
 still the cap - tives long for free - dom; still in grief we mourn our dead.
 in its height and depth and great - ness, dawns u - pon our quick - ened sight,
 to the child, the youth, the a - ged, love in liv - ing deeds to show;



we, your ser - vants, bring the wor - ship not of voice a - lone, but heart,
 As, O Lord, your deep com - pas - sion healed the sick and freed the soul,
 ma - king known the needs and bur - dens your com - pas - sion bids us bear,
 hope and health, good will and com - fort, coun - sel, aid, and peace we give,



con - se - cra - ting to your pur - pose ev - ery gift that you im - part.
 use the love your Spi - rit kin - dles still to save and make us whole.
 stir - ring us to tire - less striv - ing, your a - bund - ant life to share.
 that your ser - vants, Lord, in free - dom may your mer - cy know and live.

Communion Hymn

Jesus, keep me near the cross

1. Je - sus, keep me near the cross; there a pre - cious foun - tain,
 2. Near the cross, a tremb - ling soul, love and mer - cy found me;
 3. Near the cross! O Lamb of God, bring its scenes be - fore me;
 4. Near the cross I'll watch and wait, hop - ing, trust - ing ev - er,
 free to all, a heal - ing stream, flows from Cal - vary's moun - tain.
 there the bright and morn - ing star sheds its beams a - round me.
 help me walk from day to day with its sha - dow o'er me.
 till I reach the gold - en strand just be - yond the riv - er.
 In the cross, in the cross, be my glo - ry ev - er,
 till my rap - tured soul shall find rest be - yond the ri - ver.

When Eucharistic Visitors are sent, the Deacon says

In the name of St. Peter's Congregation, I send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood.

People We who are many are one body, because we all share one bread, one cup.

Deacon Go in peace.

Postcommunion Prayer

BCP 365

Celebrant Let us pray.

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 blesses the people, concluding

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you, and remain with you for ever. **Amen.**

All stand.

Processional Hymn

All hail the power of Jesus' Name!

Hymn 450

6 Let ev - ery kin - dred, ev - ery tribe, on this ter - res - trial

1 All hail the power of Je - sus' Name! Let an - gels pros - trate
2 Crown him, ye mar - tyrs of our God, who from his al - tar
3 Hail him, the Heir of Da - vid's line, whom Da - vid Lord did
* 4 Ye heirs of Is - rael's cho - sen race, ye ran - somed of the
* 5 Sin - ners, whose love can ne'er for - get the worm - wood and the

ball, to him a - scribe, and

1 fall; bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem, and
2 call: praise him whose way of pain ye trod, and
3 call, the God in - car - nate, Man di - vine, and
4 fall, hail him who saves you by his grace, and
5 gall, go, spread your tro - phies at his feet, and

crown him Lord of all! to him a -

1 crown him Lord of all! bring forth the roy - al
 2 crown him Lord of all! praise him whose way of
 3 crown him Lord of all! the God in - car - nate,
 4 crown him Lord of all! hail him who saves you
 5 crown him Lord of all! go, spread your tro - phies

scribe, and crown him Lord of all!

1 di - a - dem, and crown him Lord of all!
 2 pain ye trod, and crown him Lord of all!
 3 Man di - vine, and crown him Lord of all!
 4 by his grace, and crown him Lord of all!
 5 at his feet, and crown him Lord of all!

6 Let every kindred, every tribe,
 on this terrestrial ball,
 to him all majesty ascribe,
 and crown him Lord of all!

Dismissal

BCP 340

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Voluntary

*The flowers on our altar today are given to the Glory of God by the Baetz Family in celebration of
Oliver's 14th birthday.*

MINISTRY SCHEDULES

Ministries– August 30

Eucharistic Ministers

8:00 am

Lou Ann Maxwell

10:00 am

Nicia Oakes

Kenneth O’Neal

Vestry Rep.

Wynn Kilgore

Rebecca Taylor

Ushers

Nellwyn Sadler

Debbie Wilson

Hiram Wilson

Altar Guild – Barbara Cordova, Georganna Bell, Brooksie Bledsoe, Laurie Blewett, Amy Ives, Kay Haynes, Imelda Horne, Alice Whatley

Ministries– September 6

Eucharistic Ministers

8:00 am

Lou Ann Maxwell

10:00 am

Imelda Horne

Rita Self

Vestry Rep.

Wynn Kilgore

Rebecca Taylor

Ushers

Barbara Jansen

Wynn Kilgore

Bob Kinnan

Altar Guild – Nellwyn Sadler, Denise Baehre, Gail Brown, Helen Herget, Sarah Hibern, Beverly Lohmeyer, Punkie Kinnan

Worship Attendance:

Sunday, August 23: 8:00AM: 21; 10:00AM: 198; Hunt:

Wednesday, August 19: 5:00PM: 23

Monthly Giving as of 8/24/26:

Current month giving \$68,005

Current month budgeted \$90,417

YTD giving \$727,753

YTD budgeted \$723,333

PRAYER LISTS

Long Term Prayer List: Jerry and Stacy Kramer, Abigail, Baker, Holly, Marsha, Scott, Dennis, Jerry, Patty, Mitchell, Cana, Holly, Jim, Kathy, Norma

Short Term Prayer List: Pam, Lynn, Amie, Addison, Guidry Family, Beverlee, Beverly, Sam, Debbie, Mike

Military and Diplomatic Service Prayer List: Kareen Hart, George Hart, Justin Augustine, Elison Crum, Ross Davis, Kevin DeVore, Jr., Jason Horne and family, Emily Matz Corbin, Joshua Bosworth, Eric Wood, John Christy, Brittany Vinson, Ian Nix, Anna Heiligenstein, Sgt. Hunter Green, Matthew Kern, and all who serve our country.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: College Missions in West Texas

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, August 30

8:00 am	The Holy Eucharist: Rite One Traditional Service – no music
9:00 am	Coffee & Fellowship – Tucker Hall
10:00 am	The Holy Eucharist: Rite Two – with music
5:00 pm	Anglican Heritage Pilgrimage Informational Meeting – Tucker Hall

MONDAY, August 31

8:00 am – 3:00 pm	Cottage Shop Volunteer Workday. Call 830-257-0290 to make an appointment for consignments, accepted on Mondays only from 8AM – 11 AM.
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TUESDAY, September 1

9:00 am – 4:30 pm	Cottage Shop Open – Donations gratefully received without an appointment. We welcome all who would be interested in volunteering to serve in our Cottage Shop. To volunteer, please contact Marsha Hofland or Margaret Galloway at 830-257-0290.
11:00 am	Brotherhood of St. Andrew – Library. This men's organization is based on the threefold disciplines of Prayer, Study, and Service while spreading Christ's Kingdom among men in the Episcopal Communion. We meet in the Library in the church office every Tuesday. For more information, contact Don Glover at 512-650-0635 or donaldgloversr@gmail.com
12:00 pm	Prayers, Fellowship & Football – Tucker Hall P.F.F. is a men's lunch group with no agenda. It's purely social and men of all ages are

welcome. Join us for a delicious \$8.00 lunch and lively conversation! If you need more information, please feel free to call Jon Wilems at (281) 723-9671 or John Elliott at (830) 238-4958. An RSVP is appreciated, but not necessary.

1:00 pm

Centering Prayer – Church. Everyone is welcome. Our goal is to support one another in private contemplative prayer and meditation and share our faith journeys. If you're interested, please contact Susan Parker at 830-955-1088.

WEDNESDAY, September 2

5:00 pm

The Holy Eucharist: Rite Two – Church

5:30 pm

Choir Rehearsal – Choir Room

5:30 pm

Dinner & Fellowship – Tucker Hall

6:15 pm

Formation Classes – Various Campus Locations

THURSDAY, September 3

9:00 am – 4:30 pm

Cottage Shop Open

FRIDAY, September 4

9:00 am – 4:30 pm

Cottage Shop Open

11:00am – 12:00 pm

Ecumenical Book Study – AV Room. All are welcome. If you're interested, please contact Susan Parker at 830-955-1088.

LET US WELCOME THE NEW MEMBERS OF THE CFC



THE COMMUNITY OF
SAINTS
FRANCIS & CLARE

Brayden Ashorn
Hunter Cleland
Grayson Meyers
Bill Schneider

SIGN UP FOR A *Small Group*

Small groups are comprised of 4 to 6 families and gather monthly on Sundays for food, fellowship, and prayer.

Fall Dates

SEP.
20TH

OCT.
18TH

NOV.
15TH

Fill out the form below before September 14th
to be placed in a small group!





NEW CLASSES

Check out our new upcoming formation offerings!

PRACTICING OUR FAITH

A 26-session class led by Father Bert (Wednesdays)
Begins Wednesday, August 26 at 6:15PM in the AV Room



Even though we pray the words of The Book of Common Prayer each week, many of us don't know where these prayers come from, what they mean, or how they call us to live each day. This program year at St. Peter's, take a journey through The Book of Common Prayer, the Christian life, and the basic beliefs of our faith in this 26-session class led by Father Bert.

Practicing Our Faith walks step by step through the prayer book. Each week, participants gather to hear a short engaging lecture on one section of The Book of Common Prayer, exploring what each liturgy says and how it is typically used in our communities. The class then explores the connections between the words of our prayers, our beliefs, and the daily practice of faith, asking questions such as, "What does the burial liturgy teach us about what Episcopalians believe about death?" or "How does the Daily Office teach us to integrate prayer into our daily lives?"

Sessions correspond to the chapters in the companion book, *Walk in Love: Episcopal Beliefs & Practices*. The class will be offered in a series of sessions that follow the book section by section, making it easy to participate throughout the year.

ALL YOU NEED IS LOVE

A 12-session class led by Father Bert (Sundays)
Begins Sunday, August 23 at 9AM in the MPR



What does it mean to say that God is love? And what does that tell us about who we are?

Join us for a twelve-week exploration of the Christian vision of God and the human person. Beginning with the mystery of the Trinity, we'll explore what it means to be made in God's image and consider the body, our passions, marriage, forgiveness, prayer, and the life of the heart.

Together we'll discover how the ancient Christian tradition invites us into a life of deeper communion with God, with one another, and with the whole creation. All you need is love!

WHERE HAVE ALL THE ADULTS GONE?

*Growing into God: Reflections
on Christian Maturity*

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See what love the father has given
us, that we should be called
children of God; and so we are.

1 JOHN 3:1

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This class explores Jesus' call to
Christian fulfillment and the
desire and gift of the Christian
journey in spiritual Maturity -
formed through a relationship of
love, based on the book *Growing
into God* by John Gavin, S.J.

*Join us and
bring a friend!*



WEDNESDAYS
Beginning August 26
6:15 PM

LED BY
Father Mike

TUCKER HALL
*In the Multi-Purpose
Room (MPR)*

HELP US SHARE OUR

Sundays!

JOIN ST. PETER'S LIVE STREAM TEAM

NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED.

We'll teach you everything you need to know!

HELP OTHERS WORSHIP WITH US

When they are unable to be here in person.

BE PART OF THE TEAM!

Join a great group that is making a difference for our parish!



INTERESTED?

Send us an email at office@stpeterskerrville.com

JUNE 14 - JUNE 23, 2027

Join St. Peter's on an
**ANGLICAN
HERITAGE**
Pilgrimage

Join St. Peter's on a journey to England led by Father Bert and Father Ben Nelson from TMI Episcopal School. We will visit London, Canterbury, Salisbury, Swindon, Oxford, Cambridge, and York to see sites such as The Houses of Parliament, Westminster Abbey, Big Ben, Buckingham Palace, Stonehenge, The Magna Carta, Glastonbury Abbey, the Roman Baths, and many cathedrals.



Informational Meeting:

Sunday, August 30, 2026

5-7 PM in Tucker Hall

Appetizers & Refreshments will be served

RSVP to office@stpeterskerrville.com





PATH of LIFE

BIBLE STUDY

Path of Life Bible Study will begin on September 9 at 10:30 AM in the MPR with our study of *Walk in Love*. Books are available for purchase. All are welcome to join this learning, caring and fun group! If you have any questions, please contact Betty Mosty 830-351-1156.

SEPTEMBER 9th
10:30 AM in the MPR

