

Grace Episcopal Church

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It is the Mission of Grace Episcopal Church
to bring glory to God, build the spirituality of our people,
and bring Christ to our community.

Seventeenth Sunday After
Pentecost

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October 2, 2022

*Please keep silence in the church before the service
and turn off all cell phones.*

Fr. Peter Keese

The Rev. Peter Keese, a native of Chattanooga, was ordained Priest in 1962 at St. John's, Knoxville. He married Helen Vander Horst in 1963. They had two children, William and Kate, and eight grandchildren.

Fr. Peter has served at St. Anne's, Millington, St. James the Less, Madison, and Christ Church, Rugby, all in Tennessee.

He is certified as an Educator in the Association for Clinical Pastoral Education (ACPE). He directed and initiated major CPE programs for over forty years. (CPE is required in most seminaries as part of a minister's experiential education to prepare him or her for pastoral care in a congregation.) Fr. Peter also has a limited practice as a Pastoral Counselor.

Fr. Peter's wife Helen died two years after they moved to Brentwood in 2018. He continues to live there and maintain his pastoral counseling practice.

Fr. Peter looks forward to being at Grace Church on October 2.

After the Gospel

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

The Sermon

The Reverend Peter Keese

Nicene Creed

BCP, p. 358

The Prayers of the People

Form V, BCP, p. 389

Confession

BCP, p. 360

The Peace

BCP, p. 360

Offertory Sentence

Offertory

"O Jesus, I Have Promised"

Hymn 655

The Great Thanksgiving
(*All baptized Christians are welcome to receive communion.*)

Eucharistic Prayer A

BCP, p. 361

(*See service music sheet in your pew.*)

Sanctus

BCP, p. 362

(*See service music sheet in your pew.*)

The Lord's Prayer

BCP, p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread

Pascha Nostrum

BCP, p. 364

Priest: Alleluia. Christ our passover is sacrificed for us.

People: Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

(See service music sheet in your pew.)

Priest: The Gifts of God for the People of God.

(You may come to the altar rail for communion. Please note that we prefer not to use intinction for the time being. If you prefer not to receive the chalice, please cross your arms and bow your head when the priest or chalice bearer comes by.)

If you would like a blessing instead of receiving communion, bow your head and cross your arms over your chest, and the priest will give you a blessing.)

"O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee" Hymn 660

"Let Us Break Bread Together" Hymn 325

"Shepherd of Souls, Refresh and Bless" Hymn 343

Post Communion Prayer BCP, p. 365

Blessing

Procession "Rise Up, Ye Saints of God" Hymn 551

The Dismissal

Priest: Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

A Note to Visitors

We are glad to have you with us. Please fill out a visitor's card and drop it in the offering plate and sign our guest register in the narthex. If you have any questions about our service or about membership in Grace Church, please reach out to us at one of the email addresses listed on the last page of this bulletin.

Vicar's Vacation

I will be on vacation until October 6. Father Peter Keese is our supply priest today. I have included below some information about his life and work. Please welcome him warmly and help him in any way you can.

Father Joe

Prelude

Giving to Grace Church

Procession "Ye Servants of God" Hymn 535

Acclamation BCP, p. 355

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

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

Collect for Purity

Gloria BCP, p. 356

(See service music sheet in your pew.)

The Collect of the Day BCP, p. 234

First Reading Habakkuk 1:1-4, 2:1-4

Psalm 37:1-10 BCP, p. 634

(See lesson insert for text.)

Epistle 2 Timothy 1:1-14

Sequence "Come, Labor On" Hymn 541

Before the Gospel

Priest: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to Luke.

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

The Gospel Luke 17: 5-10

To make a contribution to Grace Church, you may put a check in one of the offering plates at the front and back of the church; or you may send your offering in the mail to the office; or you may make a contribution online through our website or by scanning the computer code below into your smartphone.

If you have particular needs for prayer or other ministrations of the Church, please contact me, the office, or the senior warden.
Father Joe

