

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.

Nineteenth Sunday After
Pentecost

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

Mission Council Meeting

The mission council will meet this Wednesday, October 19, at 6:00 p.m.

Giving to Grace Church

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



After the Gospel

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon
Nicene Creed

The Reverend Joseph N. Davis
BCP, p. 358

The Prayers of the People
Confession
The Peace

Form V, BCP, p. 389
BCP, p. 360
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Offertory Sentence

Offertory "Take My Life and Let It Be"

Hymn 707

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 will not practice 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.)

"I Come with Joy to Meet My Lord"

Hymn 304

"Let Thy Blood in Mercy Poured"

Hymn 313

Post Communion Prayer

BCP, p. 365

Blessing

Procession "Ye Servants of God"

Hymn 535

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.

Blessing of the New Stained Glass Window

At 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 5, we will have a brief service to bless the new stained glass window given by the Donna and Sammy Isbell in memory of their son Chad Bodine. This beautiful window has already begun brightening up our church. It depicts St. Francis with several animals. The dog is based on the service dog that helped Chad so much. St. Francis had an amazing affinity with "all things bright and beautiful, all creatures great and small." Chad's dog lived as an example of how much good the creatures of God can do for us and for God's glory. The news media will be given time from noon until about 1:40 for pictures and interviews. After the blessing of the window, the church is invited to the Isbells' home for a reception.

Prelude

Procession "Spread, O Spread" Hymn 530

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. 235

First Reading Genesis 32:22-31

Psalms 121 BCP, p. 779

(See lesson insert for text.)

Epistle 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5

Sequence "Book of Books" Hymn 631

Before the Gospel

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

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

The Gospel Luke 18: 1-8