

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Grace Episcopal Church

The Rt. Rev. Dr. John C. Bauerschmidt, Bishop
The Rev. Joseph N. Davis, Vicar
Deanie Moore, Director of Music

July 2, 2023

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

Prelude

Procession “God of the Prophets Bless” Hymn 359

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 Hymn S-280; BCP, p. 356
(See service music sheet in your pew.)

The Collect of the Day BCP, p. 230

First Reading Jeremiah 28:5-9

Psalms 89:1-4, 15-18 BCP, p. 713
(See service music sheet in your pew.)

Epistle Romans 6:12-23

Sequence “The Church’s One Foundation” Hymn 525

The Gospel Matthew 10:40-42

Before the Gospel

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

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

After the Gospel

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon

The Rev. Joseph N. Davis

Nicene Creed

BCP, p. 358

The Prayers of the People

Form III, BCP, p. 387

Confession

BCP, p. 360

The Peace

BCP, p. 360

Offertory Sentence

Offertory “Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name” Hymn 345
(All stand and sing.)

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A

BCP, p. 361

Sanctus

Hymn S-125; BCP, p. 362

(See service music sheet in your pew.)

The Lord’s Prayer

BCP, p. 364

The Breaking of the Bread

Pascha Nostrum Hymn S-152; BCP, p. 364
(See service music sheet in your pew.)

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

People: Therefore, let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

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

(All baptized Christians are invited to receive communion. 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.)

Hymns at Communion:

“O Jesus, I Have Promised” Hymn 655

“For the Bread Which You Have Broken” Hymn 341

“Draw Nigh and Take” Hymn 328

Post Communion Prayer BCP, p. 365

Blessing

Procession “O Beautiful for Spacious Skies” Hymn 719

The Dismissal

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

People: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

A Note to Visitors

If you are a visitor, we thank you for joining us today. We would like to answer any questions you have about our service or about membership in Grace Church. You may reach out to us at the email addresses listed below.

Wednesday Noon Eucharist with Healing

This Wednesday, we will celebrate the Eucharist at noon with anointing of the sick and prayers for healing. Independence Day is a major feast for the Episcopal Church. Since it falls on Tuesday, we will use the propers (lessons and prayers for a particular celebration) for that feast on Wednesday. I won't be in the office this Tuesday. Have a safe and happy Independence Day. And God bless our country.

Fr. Joe

Giving to Grace Church

You may make a contribution to Grace Church by mail, or you may do so online by scanning the code below with your smartphone. There is also a link to online giving at our website.



Hospitality: Speaking to Someone You Do Not Know

Do we really know everybody here? Maybe not. Before you leave today, after the dismissal and the final bell has rung, please look around for someone you do not know, and introduce yourself to that person; and then speak to someone you do know. This way, we will get to know each other in a few Sundays, and we will be sure to speak to every visitor.

Father Joe

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to bring glory to God, build the spirituality of our people,
and bring Christ to our community.