



The 2nd Sunday after Pentecost
June 14, 2020
9:00am

Welcome

Prelude

There is a balm in Gilead

Roy Stewart

Hymn

Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim

Hymn 535
(vs 1 and 4)

Ye servants of god, your Master proclaim,
and publish abroad his wonderful name;
the Name all victorious of Jesus extol:
His kingdom is glorious; he rules over all.

Then let us adore, and give him his right:
all glory and power, all wisdom and might,
and honor and blessing, with angels above,
and thanks never ceasing and infinite love.

Opening Acclamation

Clergy O God, who created the heavens and stretched them out,
All **we praise you!**

Clergy You made the earth and all that lives here:
All **we praise you!**

Clergy You give breath to all creatures and your Spirit to all people:
All **we praise and thank you, O God!**

Clergy That the eyes of the blinded be opened, the poor hear the good news, the captives be brought
out of darkness, the wealth of the world serve the good of all,
All **your kingdom come, O God; your will be done!**

Clergy Then let us sing a new song to God,
All **With joy let us honor our maker.**

Glory to God

Glo - - ri - a, glor - - ri - a, in ex - cel - - sis De - o!
Glo - ry to God, glo - ry to God, glor - ry in the high - est!

Glo - - ri - a, glo - - ri - a, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
Glo - ry to God, glo - ry to God, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Collect of the Day

Clergy The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Clergy Let us pray.

Keep, O Lord, your household the Church in your steadfast faith and love, that through your grace we may proclaim your truth with boldness, and minister your justice with compassion; for the sake of our Savior Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Reading

Romans 5:1-8

Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 116:1, 10-17

¹ I love the LORD, because he has heard the voice of my supplication,
because he has inclined his ear to me whenever I called upon him.

¹⁰ How shall I repay the LORD
for all the good things he has done for me?

¹¹ I will lift up the cup of salvation
and call upon the Name of the LORD.

¹² I will fulfill my vows to the LORD
in the presence of all his people.

- ¹³ Precious in the sight of the LORD
is the death of his servants.
- ¹⁴ O LORD, I am your servant;
I am your servant and the child of your handmaid;
you have freed me from my bonds.
- ¹⁵ I will offer you the sacrifice of thanksgiving
and call upon the Name of the LORD.
- ¹⁶ I will fulfill my vows to the LORD
in the presence of all his people,
- ¹⁷ In the courts of the LORD's house,
in the midst of you, O Jerusalem.
Hallelujah!

Hymn

O Zion haste, thy mission high fulfilling

Hymn 539
(vs 1 and 2)

O Zion haste, thy mission high fulfilling,
to tell to all the world that God is Light;
that he who made all nations is not willing
one soul should fail to know his love and might.
Publish glad tidings: tidings of peace,
tidings of Jesus, redemption and release.

Proclaim to every people, tongue, and nation
that God, in whom they live and move, is Love;
tell how he stooped to see his lost creation,
and died on earth that all might live above.
Publish glad tidings: tidings of peace,
tidings of Jesus, redemption and release.

Holy Gospel

Matthew 9:35 – 10:8

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

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

Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest."

Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him.

These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: "Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, proclaim the good

news, 'The kingdom of heaven has come near.' Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment.

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

Sermon

The Rev. Dr. Becky Coerper

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth;
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of the People

Leader To God who so loved the world, let us pray with hearts full of love.

(A brief silence)

For the church everywhere: In our Parishes, we pray for Trinity Church in Canastota and their priest-in-charge the Rev. James Heidt; and St. Mark's Church in Candor and their long-term supply priest the Rev. Geraldine Bissell-Thompson. In our Diocese, we pray especially for all essential workers, first responders, and health care professionals. In our Companion Diocese, we pray for Iglesia San Juan Evangelista in San Salvador and their priest, The Very Rev. Luis Serrano. In the Episcopal Church, we pray for the Diocese of Western Louisiana and their bishop the Rt. Rev. Jacob W. Owensby. And in the Anglican Communion, we pray for the Anglican Church of Nigeria and their Primate Bishop, The Most Rev. Henry Chukwudum Ndukuba. May the church's life be marked by prayer and service to those in need. Loving God; **hear us as we pray.**

For peace among all peoples of the earth: may God redeem us from the slavery of selfishness. Loving God; **hear us as we pray.**

For the health and sustainability of the earth and all living things: may we grow as stewards of the marvelous gift you have given in all of creation. Loving God; **hear us as we pray.**

For this nation and our local communities: may we continually seek to offer gifts of care and advocacy, intervention and support until all people live in justice and freedom. Loving God; **hear us as we pray.**

For those who suffer from any illness, be it physical, mental, or spiritual, especially those we name silently or aloud _____. May they know the healing touch of Jesus to be a source of rest, comfort, and restoration. Loving God; **hear us as we pray.**

For those we have loved but see no longer, especially those we name silently or aloud _____. May they

live forever with God in Christ. Loving God; **hear us as we pray.**

Clergy Hear our prayers, loving and gracious God, and receive them for the sake of your Son our Savior, Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

Music for Reflection

Slow Dance

Ralph Vaughan-Williams

Announcements

Anniversary & Birthday Blessings

May the strength of God pilot you, May the power of God preserve you, May the wisdom of God instruct you, May the hand of God protect you, May the way of God direct you, May the shield of God guard you against the snares of evil and the temptations of the world. May the Spirit of God bless you in the coming year.

Adapted from Patrick, c.389 - c.46

The Lord's Prayer

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.

Prayer for mission

God of all power and love, we give thanks for your unfailing presence and the hope you provide in times of uncertainty and loss. Send your Holy Spirit to enkindle in us your holy fire. Revive us to live as Christ's body in the world: a people who pray, worship, learn, break bread, share life, heal neighbors, bear good news, seek justice, rest and grow in the Spirit. Wherever and however we gather, unite us in common prayer and send us in common mission, that we and the whole creation might be restored and renewed, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Blessing

Clergy Now go in peace,
do what God wills,
follow where Christ calls,
pray for the gifts of the Spirit;
and may the blessing of God,
Creator, Redeemer and Sustainer
Rest on and remain with you now and always.

All **Amen.**

Lift every voice and sing till earth and heaven ring,
 ring with the harmonies of liberty.
 Let our rejoicing rise high as the listening skies;
 let it resound loud as the rolling sea.
 Sing a song full of the faith that the dark past has taught us;
 sing a song full of the hope that the present has brought us;
 facing the rising sun of our new day begun,
 let us march on, till victory is won.

Stony the road we trod, bitter the chastening rod,
 felt in the days when hope unborn had died;
 yet, with a steady beat, have not our weary feet
 come to the place for which our parents sighed?
 We have come over a way that with tears has been watered;
 we have come, treading our path through the blood of the slaughtered,
 out from the gloomy past, till now we stand at last
 where the white gleam of our bright star is cast.

God of our weary years, God of our silent tears,
 Thou who hast brought us thus far on the way;
 Thou who hast by thy might led us into the light;
 keep us forever in the path, we pray.
 Lest our feet stray from the places, our God, where we met thee;
 lest, our hearts drunk with the wine of the world we forget thee;
 shadowed beneath thy hand may we forever stand,
 true to our God, true to our native land.

Dismissal

Clergy God has told us what is good and right;
 Live justly,
 Love kindly,
 Walk with God.

All **Amen. Alleluia. Thanks be to God.**

Postlude*Abbot's Leigh*

Robert Hobby

Additional source for today's liturgy:
 Iona Abbey Worship Book