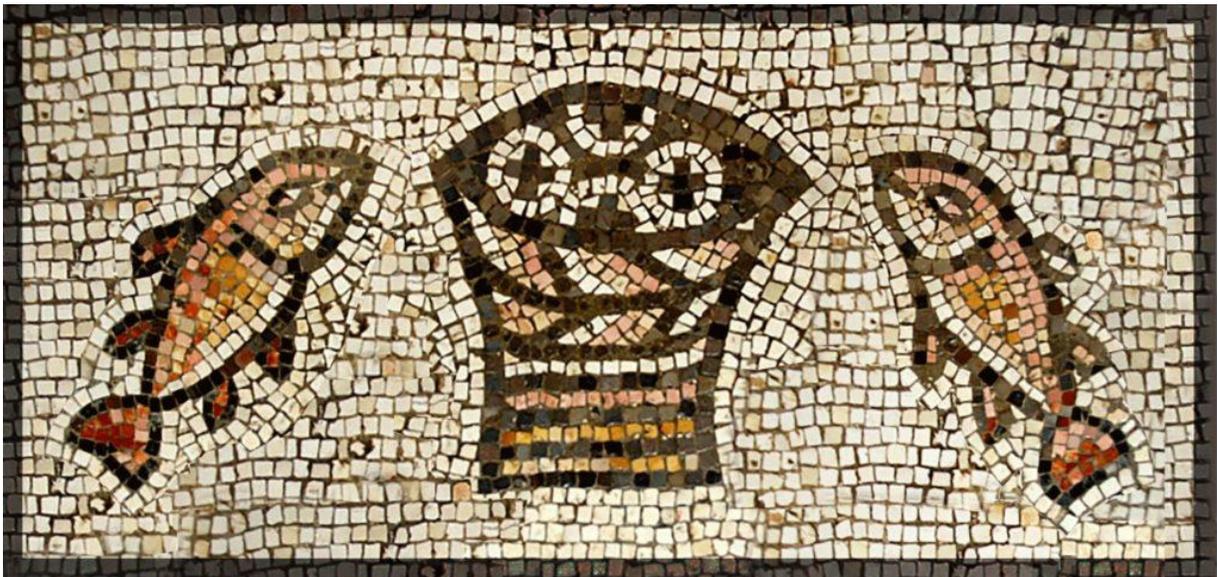




THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF
St. Paul & St. James



Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

July 25, 2021

10:30 AM Jazz Eucharist

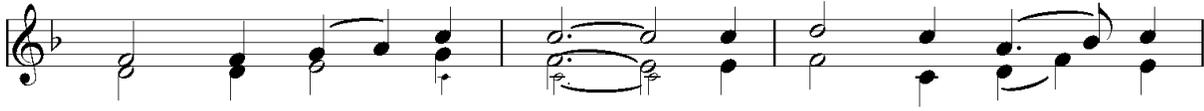
PRELUDE

HYMN H304

Please stand as able



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
4 And thus with joy we meet our Lord. His
5 To - geth - er met, to - geth - er bound, we'll



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
4 pres - ence, al - ways near, is in such friend - ship
5 go our dif - ferent ways, and as his peo - ple



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.
4 bet - ter known: we see, and praise him here.
5 in the world, we'll live and speak his praise.

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant: Blessed be the one, holy, living God.

People: Glory to God for ever and ever.

COLLECT FOR PURITY *(said together)*

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.

HYMN OF PRAISE

Sweet Holy Spirit

There's a sweet, sweet spir - it in this place, _____ and I
 know that it's the spir - it of _____ the Lord. _____ There are
 sweet ex - pres - sions on each face, _____ and I
 know we feel the pres - ence of _____ the Lord. _____
 Sweet Ho - ly Spir - it, sweet heav - en - ly dove,
 stay right here with _____ us fill - ing us with _____ your love.
 And for these bles - sings we lift our hearts in praise; with - out a
 doubt we'll know _____ that we have been re - vived _____ when we shall leave this place!

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant: God be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: Let us pray.

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: Increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that, with you as our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal, that we lose not the things eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **AMEN.**

FIRST LESSON 2 Samuel 11:1-15

In the spring of the year, the time when kings go out to battle, David sent Joab with his officers and all Israel with him; they ravaged the Ammonites, and besieged Rabbah. But David remained at Jerusalem.

It happened, late one afternoon, when David rose from his couch and was walking about on the roof of the king's house, that he saw from the roof a woman bathing; the woman was very beautiful. David sent someone to inquire about the woman. It was reported, "This is Bathsheba daughter of Eliam, the wife of Uriah the Hittite." So David sent messengers to get her, and she came to him, and he lay with her. (Now she was purifying herself after her period.) Then she returned to her house. The woman conceived; and she sent and told David, "I am pregnant."

So David sent word to Joab, "Send me Uriah the Hittite." And Joab sent Uriah to David. When Uriah came to him, David asked how Joab and the people fared, and how the war was going. Then David said to Uriah, "Go down to your house, and wash your feet." Uriah went out of the king's house, and there followed him a present from the king. But Uriah slept at the entrance of the king's house with all the servants of his lord, and did not go down to his house. When they told David, "Uriah did not go down to his house," David said to Uriah, "You have just come from a journey. Why did you not go down to your house?" Uriah said to David, "The ark and Israel and Judah remain in booths; and my lord Joab and the servants of my lord are camping in the open field; shall I then go to my house, to eat and to drink, and to lie with my wife? As you live, and as your soul lives, I will not do such a thing." Then David said to Uriah, "Remain here today also, and tomorrow I will send you back." So Uriah remained in Jerusalem that day. On the next day, David invited him to eat and drink in his presence and made him drunk; and in the evening he went out to lie on his couch with the servants of his lord, but he did not go down to his house.

In the morning David wrote a letter to Joab, and sent it by the hand of Uriah. In the letter he wrote, "Set Uriah in the forefront of the hardest fighting, and then draw back from him, so that he may be struck down and die."

Lector: Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Remain seated for the psalm and say in unison.

THE PSALM Psalm 145:10-19 *Exaltabo te, Deus*

**10 All your works praise you, O LORD, *
and your faithful servants bless you.**

**11 They make known the glory of your kingdom *
and speak of your power;**

- 12 That the peoples may know of your power *
and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.
- 13 Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom; *
your dominion endures throughout all ages.
- 14 The LORD is faithful in all his words *
and merciful in all his deeds.
- 15 The LORD upholds all those who fall; *
he lifts up those who are bowed down.
- 16 The eyes of all wait upon you, O LORD, *
and you give them their food in due season.
- 17 You open wide your hand *
and satisfy the needs of every living creature.
- 18 The LORD is righteous in all his ways *
and loving in all his works.
- 19 The LORD is near to those who call upon him, *
to all who call upon him faithfully.

Please stand and sing before and after the Gospel is read.

HYMN Alleluia



THE HOLY GOSPEL John 6:1-21

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to John.

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

Jesus went to the other side of the Sea of Galilee, also called the Sea of Tiberias. A large crowd kept following him, because they saw the signs that he was doing for the sick. Jesus went up the mountain and sat down there with his disciples. Now the Passover, the festival of the Jews, was near. When he looked up and saw a large crowd coming toward him, Jesus said to Philip, "Where are we to buy bread for these people to eat?" He said this to test him, for he himself knew what he was going to do. Philip answered him, "Six months' wages would not buy enough bread for each of them to get a little." One of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, said to him, "There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish. But what are they among so many people?" Jesus said, "Make the people sit down." Now there was a great deal of grass in the place; so they sat down, about five thousand in all. Then Jesus took the loaves, and when he had given thanks, he distributed them to those who were seated; so

also the fish, as much as they wanted. When they were satisfied, he told his disciples, "Gather up the fragments left over, so that nothing may be lost." So they gathered them up, and from the fragments of the five barley loaves, left by those who had eaten, they filled twelve baskets. When the people saw the sign that he had done, they began to say, "This is indeed the prophet who is to come into the world."

When Jesus realized that they were about to come and take him by force to make him king, he withdrew again to the mountain by himself.

When evening came, his disciples went down to the sea, got into a boat, and started across the sea to Capernaum. It was now dark, and Jesus had not yet come to them. The sea became rough because a strong wind was blowing. When they had rowed about three or four miles, they saw Jesus walking on the sea and coming near the boat, and they were terrified. But he said to them, "It is I; do not be afraid." Then they wanted to take him into the boat, and immediately the boat reached the land toward which they were going.

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

SERMON David Potter, Seminarian

JAZZ RESPONSE

A musical response to the sermon

Standing, as able

THE NICENE CREED

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, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. 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, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who 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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

In peace, we pray to Almighty God,

For all people in their daily life and work;

For our families, friend, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

For this community, the nation, and the world; praying especially for our sisters and brothers in Cuba and Haiti.

For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

For the just and proper use of your creation;

For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

For the peace and unity of the Church of God, praying for Christ Church Roxbury; St John's, Salisbury; Trinity, Seymour; and Christ Church, Sharon. We give special thanks for parish volunteers and seminary interns. In the Anglican cycle of prayer, we lift up The Scottish Episcopal Church.

For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

For Michael, our Presiding Bishop, Ian and Laura, our bishops, Harlon, our Missional Priest-in-Charge; and all bishops and ministers;

For all who serve God in the Church.

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

We pray especially for Alene & Oyarma, Cassie, Charles, Inge, Jarrell, Jill, Harlon, Julius, Laura, Martha, Olivia Rose, Pam, and those on our prayer list.

Silence

Hear us, Loving God;

For your mercy is great.

We thank you, Almighty God, for all the blessings of this life.

Silence

We pray especially for those who celebrate birthdays this week, Isis Jaske and Janie Lange.

We will exalt you, O God of Mercy;

And praise your Name for ever and ever.

We pray for all who have died, especially Nathan Empsall's grandmother, Fern Mascarella. Holy God, grant them pardon and rest in your eternal kingdom, and look with compassion on those who mourn their loved ones.

Silence

Eternal God, let your living-kindness be upon them;

Who put their trust in you.

Celebrant: Almighty God, by your Holy Spirit you have made us one with your saints in heaven and on earth: Grant that in our earthly pilgrimage we may always be supported by this fellowship of love and prayer and know ourselves to be surrounded by their witness to your power and mercy. We ask this for the sake of Jesus Christ, in whom all our intercessions are acceptable through the Spirit, and who lives and reigns for ever and ever. **AMEN.**

CONFESSION

Celebrant: Let us confess our sins to God.

Celebrant and People

God of all mercy, we confess that we have sinned against you, opposing your will in our lives. We have denied your goodness in each other, in ourselves and in the world you have created. We repent of the evil that enslaves us, the evil we have done, and the evil done on our behalf. Forgive, restore, and strengthen us through our Savior Jesus Christ, that we may abide in your love and serve only your will. AMEN.

ABSOLUTION

Celebrant:

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **AMEN.**

THE PEACE

Celebrant: La paz del Senor sea siempre con ustedes.

People: **Y con tu espiritu.**

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

The people greet one another with a sign of God's peace and then are seated.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER FOR A BIRTHDAY

O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servants Isis Jaske and Janie Lange as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

OFFERTORY

Celebrant: Let us with gladness present the offerings and oblations of our life and labor to the Lord.

OFFERTORY MUSIC

PRESENTATION HYMN



San - to, san - to, san - to, mi cor - a - zon te a - do - ra! Mi
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, my heart, my heart a - dores you! My
cor - a - zon te sa - be de - cir: san - to e - res Se - ñor.
heart is glad to say the words: you are ho - ly, Lord.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING *Eucharistic Prayer 1, Enriching Our Worship*

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 our thanks and praise.**

The Celebrant continues

It is truly right, and good and joyful, to give you thanks, all-holy God, source of life and fountain of mercy. You have filled us and all creation with your blessing and fed us with your constant love; you have redeemed us in Jesus Christ and knit us into one body. Through your Spirit you replenish us and call us to fullness of life. Therefore, joining with Angels and Archangels and with the faithful of every generation, we lift our voices with all creation as we sing

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Celebrant and People:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of hosts. —
— Hea - ven and earth are filled with your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the
high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name. — of the Lord, —
— of the Lord. — Ho - san - na in the
high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est. —

The Celebrant continues

Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love. You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards and show forth your bountiful grace. But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love. Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people.

Through Abraham and Sarah you called us into covenant with you. You delivered us from slavery, sustained us in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation. Then, in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

On the night before he died for us, Our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it and gave it to his friends, and said:

“Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you.

Do this for the remembrance of me.”

As supper was ending, Jesus 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 poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.”

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ's Body in the world. Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your daughters and sons, that with Paul and James and all your saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever.

The Great AMEN.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Celebrant: As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

OUR Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins,
as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil
For the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory
are yours, now and for ever.
AMEN.

PADRE nuestro que estás en los cielos
santificado sea tu Nombre,
venga tu reino Hágase,
tu voluntad
en la tierra como en el cielo.
Danos hoy el pan de este día
y perdona nuestras deudas
como nosotros perdonamos
nuestros deudores y no
nos dejes caer en al tentación
sino que libranos del mal.
Porque tuyo es el reino,
tuyo es el poder,
y tuya es la Gloria, ahora y por siempre.
AMEN.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread and a period of silence is kept.

Celebrant: We break this bread to share in the Body of Christ.

People: **We who are many are one body, for we share in the one bread.**

Celebrant: 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.

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

COMMUNION MUSIC

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Celebrant and People:

Loving God, we give you thanks for restoring us in your image and nourishing us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of Jesus Christ. Now send us forth a people, forgiven, healed, renewed; that we may proclaim your love to the world and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. AMEN.

BLESSING

HYMN LEVAS 194



Lead me, guide me, a - long the way,



For if you lead me, I can - not stray.

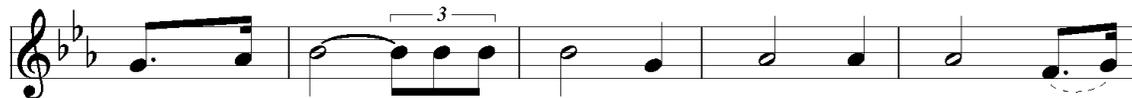


Lord, let me walk each day with Thee.



Lead me, Oh Lord, lead me.

Fine



1. I am weak and I need thy strength and power to
 2. Help me tread in the paths of right - eous - ness, be my
 3. I am lost if you take your hand from me, I am



1. help me o - ver my weak - est hour; Help me
 2. aid when sa - tan and sin op - press; I am
 3. blind with - out thy light to see; Lord, just



1. through the dark - ness thy face to see,
 2. put - ting all my trust in thee.
 3. al - ways let me thy ser - vant be.



1. Lead me, Oh Lord, lead me.
 2. Lead me, Oh Lord, lead me.
 3. Lead me, Oh Lord, lead me.

D.C.

DISMISSAL

Celebrant: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

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GRACE NOTES

— YOU ARE WELCOME HERE —

We continue to livestream our Sunday morning service at 10:30 am.

Please note that you cannot access the Sunday morning service via Zoom. Go to our web site: www.stpaulstjames.org

You can, however, use Zoom to participate in our Compline services every Tuesday and Thursday at 8 p.m. by clicking the following link:

[St. PJ's Compline](#)

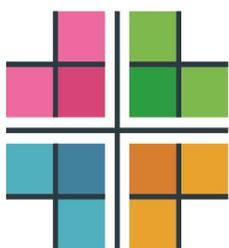
Alternatively, you can go to Zoom.com, click on "Join a Meeting", and enter meeting #: 962885125 and passcode 5700, if prompted.

For Zoom access to our Wednesday Noonday service at 12:20 p.m., click on the following link:

[St. PJ's Wednesday Noon service](#)

Alternatively, you can go to Zoom.com, click on "Join a Meeting" and enter meeting#: 824248223 and passcode 5700, if prompted.

The service will be conducted live & in person in the chapel at 12:20 every Wed. during July.



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SERVING TODAY

9TH Sunday after Pentecost
July 25, 2021

Celebrant:

The Rev. Harlon Dalton,
Missional Priest-in-Charge

Preacher:

David Potter, Seminarian

Worship Leaders:

Sally Fleming
Kate Galambos
Tudy Hill
David Potter

Musicians:

William Cleary
Andrew Fermo

Technical Assistance:

Claire Cody
Nate Solberg

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PRAYERS & THANKSGIVINGS

We pray for the souls of the faithful departed and their families and friends.

We remember our loved ones who have died.

Fern Mascarella (7/14)

Blessed are they who die in the Lord; even so saith the Spirit for they rest from their labors.
-Revelations 14:13

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

We give thanks for the birthdays and anniversaries of members, friends, and supporters of the St. Pj's community.

Isis Jaske (7/25)
Janie Lange (7/29)

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing...
-Romans 15:13

ST. PJ'S PRAYER LIST

The list reflects prayer requests for those who are homebound, or who have long-term concerns. During the Prayers of the People we read aloud the names of those who are experiencing acute illness or distress.

Charles Amore	Jennifer Nelson	Maxine Dunlop
Charles Harris	Joanie Gillette	Olivia Rose
Chris and Leslie	Julia	Pam Sayre
Dolph Santello	Julius Douglas	
Ebenezer Caine	Kathy	Sally Edwards
Eleanor Barrett	Krista Fanelli	Stephen Lett
Nanci Pabon Perez	Laura Luzzi	Tiras Jaske
Gary & Susan Sapp	Leota Tucker	Vanetta Lloyd
Gwen Chapin	Lisa Laymen	Inge Osborne
Hanne Howard	Marta	Alene & Oyarma Tate
Henry Noyes	Martha	Mary Creaser
Jarrell Evans	Jill Strawn & Harlon Dalton	Wilma & Thurmon Whitley

OUR STAFF

The Rev. Harlon Dalton, *Missional Priest-in-Charge*
William Cleary, Director of Music
Andrew Fermo, Assistant Director of Music
Tudy Hill, Minister of Spirituality and Aging
Susan Yates, Liturgist
Parish Administrator
Samuel Rodriguez, Sexton
The Rev. Steve Crowson, Priest Associate
The Rev. Nathan Empsall, Priest Associate

OUR VESTRY

Wardens: Brian Fillmore, Claire Cody
Treasurer: David Hill
Clerk: Maggie King

Bill Evans	Maggie King	Max Clayton
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