

September 10, 2017



THE 14TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST (Proper 18)

8:00 a.m. HOLY EUCHARIST Rite I

10:00 a.m. HOLY EUCHARIST Rite II

Saint Peter's Episcopal Church

Hebron, Connecticut

Celebrant: The Rev. Jim Speer

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8:00 a.m. HOLY EUCHARIST (RITE I)

THE WORD OF GOD

The Opening Acclamation, The Collect for Purity &

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Lord have mercy upon us BCP page 324

The Collect of the Day (*Proper 18*) BCP page 181

The Lessons (*page 4-5*)

The Sermon

The Rev. James Speer

The Nicene Creed BCP page 326

The Prayers of the People BCP page 329

Prayer for Guidance (*said in unison*):

Almighty and ever-living God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth, hear our prayers for this parish family. Grant us, in this time of transition, the grace to ask what thou would have us to do. Grant peace and confidence to the uncertain. Guide us as we discern the needs of our parish family and your mission for St. Peter's. Inspire our witness to Jesus Christ and bring us all to be of one heart and mind within your holy Church; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen*

Confession of Sin BCP page 331

The Peace

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory

The Great Thanksgiving:

Eucharistic Prayer 1 BCP page 333

The Lord's Prayer BCP page 336

The Breaking of the Bread BCP page 337

The Communion

The Blessing

The Dismissal: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

10:00 a.m. HOLY EUCHARIST (RITE II)

Prelude: “Tiento III (Juan Bautista Cabanilles)

Joshua Ziemski, Organist

Opening Hymn: #376 “Joyful, Joyful”

Hymn to Joy

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Hymn of Praise: Hymn #1 (verse 1)

Christe sanctorum

*Father, we praise thee, now the night is over,
active and watchful, stand we all before thee;
singing we offer prayer and meditation:
thus we adore thee.*

The Collect of the Day

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The Lessons (page 4-5)

Sequence Anthem: “Teach me, O Lord”

Attwood

The Sermon

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The Nicene Creed

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The Prayers of the People, form VI

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Confession of Sin

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The Offertory

Offertory Hymn: LEVAS #74 “Jesu, Jesu”

Ghana Folk Song

The Great Thanksgiving:

Eucharistic Prayer A

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Sanctus: #S-125

Proulx

The Lord’s Prayer

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The Breaking of the Bread

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The Communion

Communion Music: “Aria in B (Theme, var. 1 & 2)

John Philipp Krieger

Post Communion Prayer (said in unison)

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Closing Hymn: #610 “Lord, whose love through humble service”

Blaenhafren

The Blessing

The Dismissal: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Postlude: “Sarabanda in G” (Johan P. Krieger)

Joshua Ziemski, Organist

Please join us for refreshments and fellowship after the service

Upcoming Sunday Schedule

As of today, September 10th, we are returning to our usual two services at 8:00 a.m. (Rite I) and 10:00 a.m. (Rite II)

On September 17th, we welcome back all our **Church School** children at 10 a.m., and we hope some new faces will join in the fun. Registration forms are available in the church, in Phelps Hall (office) or on-line.

Parish Family Remembrances and Thanksgivings

We pray for our clergy: Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, the Presiding Bishop; Ian & Laura, the Bishops of Connecticut; for all bishops, priests and deacons; for Fr. Jim Speer, our celebrant today;

In St Peter's Cycle of Prayer, we pray for all our parish family and especially for those who celebrate their birthdays this week: Christine Mangiafico (9/15), Devon Rogers (9/11),

In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for St. John's, Stamford; Calvary, Stonington; St. Mark's, Storrs; The Province of New England: the Dioceses of Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont, and Western Massachusetts; their bishops, clergy, parish and diocesan staff, and congregations; Provincial Synod; all Provincial Networks

Parish Prayer List

Prayers added the week of Sept 10: Joan, Melissa; Barbara Potterton; Henry Jones; Natalie Perry; Sam & Grace Downey; The Conrad families, Cathy Palazzi, Deanne & John Bowen; Danielle, Chantelle and Kayleigh; Jim Vicevich, Bob & Bev Winter, Brian & Connie Rich, Scott Richard, Florence Coulombe, and Mike Duval; Lianie; Kyle;

Prayers added the week of September 3: V.F., R. Bettancourt, S.F., C. Farren, T. Jeter, E. Caron, N. Vidal, H. Jones, S. Hicks;

Prayers added the week of August 27: Wendy; Linda, Margie; June & Bill;

Prayer List: Our new Prayer Ministry will confidentially and faithfully pray for those on our prayer list. While individuals will continue to be included on our prayer list for a month, we will publish only the most recent additions in the bulletin.

The Response: Psalm 119:33-40

- 33 Teach me, O LORD, the way of your statutes, *
and I shall keep it to the end.
- 34 Give me understanding, and I shall keep your law; *
I shall keep it with all my heart.
- 35 Make me go in the path of your commandments, *
for that is my desire.
- 36 Incline my heart to your decrees *
and not to unjust gain.
- 37 Turn my eyes from watching what is worthless; *
give me life in your ways.
- 38 Fulfill your promise to your servant, *
which you make to those who fear you.
- 39 Turn away the reproach which I dread, *
because your judgments are good.
- 40 Behold, I long for your commandments; *
in your righteousness preserve my life.

The Epistle: Romans 13:8-14

Owe no one anything, except to love one another; for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law. The commandments, “You shall not commit adultery; You shall not murder; You shall not steal; You shall not covet”; and any other commandment, are summed up in this word, “Love your neighbor as yourself.” Love does no wrong to a neighbor; therefore, love is the fulfilling of the law.

Besides this, you know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armor of light; let us live honorably as in the day, not in reveling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarreling and jealousy. Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

The Gospel: Matthew 18:15-20

Jesus said, “If another member of the church sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If the member listens to you, you have regained that one. But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. If the member refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a Gentile and a tax collector. Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.”