



THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ST. MARTIN

Second Sunday after Pentecost Holy Eucharist Rite II 10:00am Sunday, June 11, 2023

SERVICE NOTES: *We are glad you have joined us! If you are online:* We have posted a hymn insert, which also has other helpful information about attending online. *If you are in person:* The hymns can be found in the hymn book in the pew rack in front of you, with some of the service music printed within the text. We encourage you to sing and pray actively. Thank you and welcome!

PRELUDE “Romance” A. Rubinstein; transcribed for piano by Hugo Frey
“Suite No. 1 for Organ” III. Air” Florence Price

Please stand, as you are able, for the Opening Hymn and Procession.

OPENING HYMN Hymnal 401 “The God of Abram praise” (Leoni) *In the Hymnal*

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Presider Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People And blessed be God’s kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

Presider 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.

All are invited to sing the Song of Praise.

SONG OF PRAISE “To God Be the Glory” (Ashgrove) M. Archer



To God be the glo - ry, all glo - ry__ in the
Lord Je - sus, the on - ly be - got - ten__ of the



high - est and peace to__ his__ peo - ple who dwell here be - low, Our
Fa - ther we praise and_ we__ bless you, the Son and the Lamb. The



hea - v'n - ly Fa - ther, our Lord, and__ our__ sov - 'reign, to
sin of the world you have tak - en__ up - on you, have

you, the Al - migh-ty, our prai - ses be - stow. We wor ship and a -
mer - cy up - on us, the Great I AM. For ho - ly, you
dore you, we bow here be - fore you with grate - ful thanks - gi - ving, our
meet us, yet low - ly you greet us, the Lord in the high est, the
song let us raise. All glo - ry and hon - our and glad a - do -
Ho - ly One. All glo - ry to the Fath - er, the Son and the
- ra - tion to God in the high - est, ho - san - na and praise.
Spi - rit, From a - ges ev - er - last - ing, the Three in One.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Presider Let us pray.

O God, from whom all good proceeds: Grant that by your inspiration we may think those things that are right, and by your merciful guiding may do them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

FIRST READING *Please be seated for the readings.*

Genesis 12:1-9

A reading from the book of Genesis

Now the Lord said to Abram, “Go from your country and your kindred and your father’s house to the land that I will show you. I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you, and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and the one who curses you I will curse; and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed.”

So Abram went, as the Lord had told him; and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he departed from Haran. Abram took his wife Sarai and his brother’s son Lot, and all the possessions that they had gathered, and the persons whom they had acquired in Haran; and they set forth to go to the land of Canaan. When they had come to the land of Canaan, Abram passed through the land to the place at Shechem, to the oak of Moreh. At that time the Canaanites were in the land. Then the Lord appeared to Abram, and said, “To your offspring I will give this land.” So he built there an altar to the Lord, who had appeared to him. From there he moved on to the hill country on the east of Bethel, and pitched his tent, with Bethel on the west and Ai on the east; and there he built an altar to the Lord and invoked the name of the Lord. And Abram journeyed on by stages toward the Negeb.

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

People Thanks be to God.

PSALM**Psalm 33:1-12**

Lector Please join in reading from Psalm 33.

- 1 Rejoice in God, you righteous; *
it is good for the just to sing praises.
- 2 Praise God with the harp; *
play upon the psaltery and lyre.
- 3 Sing for God a new song; *
sound a fanfare with all your skill upon the trumpet.
- 4 For your word, O God, is right, *
and all your works are sure.
- 5 You love righteousness and justice; *
your loving-kindness fills the whole earth.
- 6 By your word, O God, were the heavens made, *
by the breath of your mouth all the heavenly hosts.
- 7 You gather up the waters of the ocean as in a water-skin *
and store up the depths of the sea.
- 8 Let all the earth fear you; *
let all who dwell in the world stand in awe of you.
- 9 For you spoke, and it came to pass; *
you commanded, and it stood fast.
- 10 You bring the will of the nations to naught; *
and thwart the designs of the peoples.
- 11 But your will stands fast for ever, *
and the designs of your heart from age to age.
- 12 Happy is the nation that worships you, O Most High; *
happy the people you have chosen to be your own!

SECOND READING**Romans 4:13-25**

A reading from Paul's letter to the Romans.

The promise that he would inherit the world did not come to Abraham or to his descendants through the law but through the righteousness of faith. If it is the adherents of the law who are to be the heirs, faith is null and the promise is void. For the law brings wrath; but where there is no law, neither is there violation.

For this reason it depends on faith, in order that the promise may rest on grace and be guaranteed to all his descendants, not only to the adherents of the law but also to those who share the faith of Abraham (for he is the father of all of us, as it is written, "I have made you the father of many nations")—in the presence of the God in whom he believed, who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist. Hoping against hope, he believed that he would become "the father of many nations," according to what was said, "So numerous shall your descendants be." He did not weaken in faith when he considered his own body, which was already as good as dead (for he was about a hundred years old), or when he considered the barrenness of Sarah's womb. No distrust made him waver concerning the promise of God, but he grew strong in his faith as he gave glory to God, being fully convinced that God was able to do what he had promised.

Therefore his faith “was reckoned to him as righteousness.” Now the words, “it was reckoned to him,” were written not for his sake alone, but for ours also. It will be reckoned to us who believe in him who raised Jesus our Lord from the dead, who was handed over to death for our trespasses and was raised for our justification.

Lector Hear what the Spirit is saying to God’s people.
People Thanks be to God.

SEQUENCE HYMN Hymnal 178, “Alleluia, Alleluia” (*Alleluia No. 1*), verses 1 & 4 *In the Hymnal*
Please stand, as you are able.

GOSPEL **Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26**
Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.
People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

As Jesus was walking along, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax booth; and he said to him, “Follow me.” And he got up and followed him.

And as he sat at dinner in the house, many tax collectors and sinners came and were sitting with him and his disciples. When the Pharisees saw this, they said to his disciples, “Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?” But when he heard this, he said, “Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. Go and learn what this means, ‘I desire mercy, not sacrifice.’ For I have come to call not the righteous but sinners.”

While he was saying these things to them, suddenly a leader of the synagogue came in and knelt before him, saying, “My daughter has just died; but come and lay your hand on her, and she will live.” And Jesus got up and followed him, with his disciples. Then suddenly a woman who had been suffering from hemorrhages for twelve years came up behind him and touched the fringe of his cloak, for she said to herself, “If I only touch his cloak, I will be made well.” Jesus turned, and seeing her he said, “Take heart, daughter; your faith has made you well.” And instantly the woman was made well. When Jesus came to the leader’s house and saw the flute players and the crowd making a commotion, he said, “Go away; for the girl is not dead but sleeping.” And they laughed at him. But when the crowd had been put outside, he went in and took her by the hand, and the girl got up. And the report of this spread throughout that district.

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

THE SERMON *Silence is kept after the sermon.*

THE NICENE CREED *Please stand as you are able and join in the 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.
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

Deacon Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Leader God of grace and hope, arouse and provoke us in heart and in mind to take up the labor in your fields, sow to the Spirit, and reap the plentiful harvest to grow your family of faith.
(We pause, making space for prayers to be offered silently or out loud.)

Leader Lord of love and glory
All We call upon your Name.

Leader God of grace and hope, keep us wise, fervent, and unceasing in our quest to speak your truth to misguided power as we strive for justice, compassion, and principled governing across this world, this country, and our community.
(We pause, making space for prayers to be offered silently or out loud.)

Leader Lord of love and glory
All We call upon your Name.

Leader God of grace and hope, uplift and uphold all who lead us on our journey to you, as faithful witnesses of the love and presence of Christ, through their prayer and service in his name. We pray especially for our Bishop Megan and the clergy and lay leadership at St. Martin's.
(We pause, making space for prayers to be offered silently or out loud.)

Leader God of love and glory
All We call upon your Name.

Leader God of grace and hope, grant comfort and endurance to all who suffer from chronic or life-threatening disease, depression, or desperate circumstance, and constantly renew the energy of their caregivers. We now join our hearts together to pray for those in need, especially those on our parish prayer list.
(The deacon will read prayer requests and then invite the congregation to add their own petitions.)

Leader God of love and glory
All We call upon your Name.

Leader God of grace and hope, precious in your sight is the death of your servants. We hold them always in our hearts as you now hold them in your everlasting embrace.
(We pause, making space for prayers to be offered silently or out loud.)

Leader God of love and glory
All We call upon your Name.

Presider O merciful Creator, your hand is open wide to satisfy the needs of every living creature: Make us always thankful for your loving providence; and grant that we, remembering the account that we must one day give, may be faithful stewards of your good gifts; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

CONFESSION OF SIN

You may stand or kneel as you are able

The Deacon says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept

Presider and People

Most merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart;

we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.

We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.

For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,

have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will,

and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

ABSOLUTION *The Presider stands and says*

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

THE PEACE

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

We greet one another in the name of the Lord, with sensitivity to those who wish to maintain physical distance.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please see the announcement insert. We also have extended announcements on our website. If you do not currently receive an email from us with current news and events, contact info@churchofstmartin.org so we can be in touch. Feel free to take this bulletin and/or the announcements home with you.

CELEBRATIONS AND MILESTONES *All may join in praying.*

Watch over your children O Lord, as their days increase: bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes all understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

Presider Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving, and make good your vows to the Most High.

OFFERTORY NOTES

The ushers will pass collection plates. Online giving is also available; just look for the blue “give” button on our website or the QR code near the back of this bulletin—or contact the office for more information. We are very grateful to those who have pledged and who give regularly, as well as for all plate offerings. Thank you!

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Sung by the Pop-Up Choir

OFFERTORY RESPONSE *(Franconia) Please stand, as you are able, as the offering is brought forward.*

Please join in singing

We give thee but thine own, / Whate'er the gift may be;

All that we have is thine alone, / A trust, O God, from thee.

—William Walsham Howe

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Presider The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Presider Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give our thanks and praise.

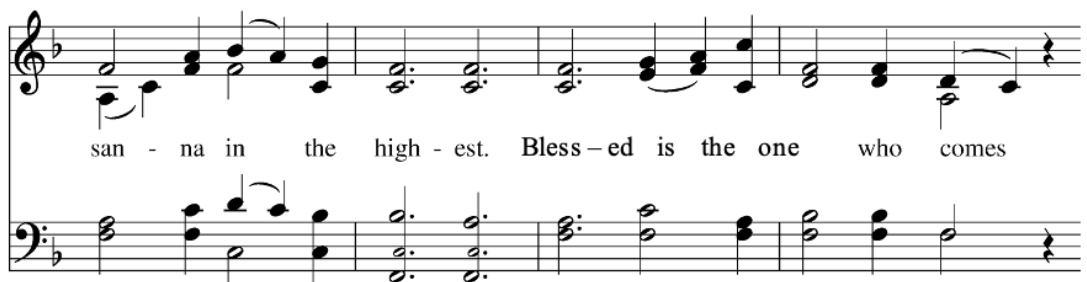
The Presider continues

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Almighty God, creator of heaven and earth, for by water and the Holy Spirit you have made us a new people in Jesus Christ our Lord, to show forth your glory in all the world. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

SANCTUS Wonder, Love, and Praise 858 (*Land of Rest*) *Presider and People sing:*



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and



san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is the one who comes



in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the



high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

The People stand or kneel. The Presider continues.

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh. For in these last days you sent Jesus to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In Christ, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into 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 disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he 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 shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me." Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

Presider and People

We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;

The Presider continues

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Savior of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with Martin and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray, *(first in Spanish and then in English,)*

People and Presider

Padre nuestro que estás en el cielo,
santificado sea tu Nombre,
venga tu reino,
hágase tu voluntad,
en la tierra como en el cielo.
Danos hoy nuestro pan de cada día.
Perdona nuestras ofensas,
como también nosotros perdonamos a los
que nos ofenden.
No nos dejes caer en tentación
y líbranos del mal.
Porque tuyo es el reino, tuyo es el poder,
y tuya es la gloria, ahora y por siempre.
Amen.

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, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and forever.
Amen.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

THE FRACTION ANTHEM

Presider Alleluia. Christ, our Passover, is sacrificed for us.

People Therefore, let us keep the feast. Alleluia

The Presider says

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

ABOUT RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

All are welcome at God's table, children included. Gluten-free Communion hosts are available; please ask. We have two Communion stations, each with a different way to receive the wine.

Please come forward down the center aisle, choosing whichever option you prefer.

The station on the left (your left, if you are facing the altar) will offer wine via intinction only; the priest will dip your host into the chalice of wine and then offer it to you to receive in your hand.

*The station on the right (your right, if you are facing the altar) will offer wine via the common cup only; after you have received a host from the priest, you can then receive wine directly from a Eucharistic Minister or clergy member, who will be holding the chalice. We will **not** be able to intinct at the station on the right.*

If you would prefer to receive bread/the host only, please choose the station on the right and simply walk past the chalice bearer after you have received the bread. If you find yourself in the station on the left, simply let the priest know that you want "bread only." The customary response upon receiving Communion is "Amen." Crossing your arms over your chest indicates you would like a blessing instead of Communion.

COMMUNION HYMNS

Wonder, Love, and Praise 772 "O Christ the Healer" (*Kedron*)

Hymnal 676 "There is a balm in Gilead" (*Balm in Gilead*)

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In the Hymnal

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER *Please stand as you are able.*

Presider Let us pray.

Presider and People

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

BLESSING

The Presider offers a blessing and the People respond Amen.

May the Spirit of truth lead you into all truth, giving you grace to confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, and to proclaim the wonderful works of God; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. Amen.

CLOSING HYMN Hymnal 472 "Hope of the world, thou Christ of great compassion" (*Donne secours*)

In the Hymnal

DISMISSAL

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE "Praeambulum in E" III. Zwischenspiel, IV. Zweite Fuge

Vincent Lübeck

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We acknowledge the land on which we are gathered. For thousands of years, this land has been the home of Patwin people. Today, there are three federally-recognized Patwin tribes: Cachil Dehe Band of Wintun Indians of the Colusa Indian Community, Kletsel Dehe Wintun Nation, and Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation. The Patwin people have remained committed to the stewardship of this land over many centuries. It has been cherished and protected, as elders have instructed the young through generations. We are honored and grateful to be here today on their traditional lands.

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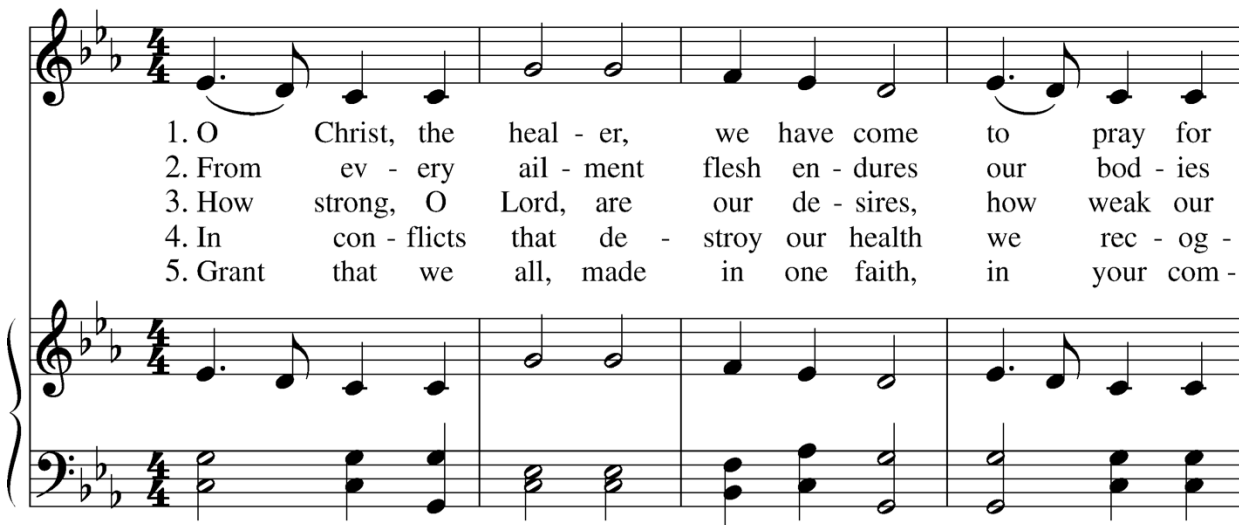


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1. O Christ, the heal - er, we have come to pray for
 2. From ev - ery ail - ment flesh en - dures our bod - ies
 3. How strong, O Lord, are our de - sires, how weak our
 4. In con - flicts that de - stroy our health we rec - og -
 5. Grant that we all, made in one faith, in your com -



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 would con - fess that whole - ness is our deep - est need.
 heal - ing truths un - con - scious pride re - sists our selves.
 clares our ills: is there no cure, O Christ, for these?
 rich - ing us, shall reach the whole of hu - man - kind.