

Prelude

Catherine Dubas, *organ*

Opening Hymn

O day of radiant gladness

Hymnal 48

Opening Acclamation

BCP 355

Celebrant *Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.*
People *And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.*
All **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.**

Song of Praise

Tune: *Regent Square*

**Laud and honor to the Father, laud and honor to the Son,
laud and honor to the Spirit, ever Three and ever One,
One in might, and One in glory, while unending ages run.**

Collect of the Day

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

Grant to us, Lord, we pray, the spirit to think and do always those things that are right, that we, who cannot exist without you, may by you be enabled to live according to your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

First Lesson

1 Kings 19:4-8

Elijah went a day's journey into the wilderness, and came and sat down under a solitary broom tree. He asked that he might die: "It is enough; now, OLORD, take away my life, for I am no better than my ancestors." Then he lay down under the broom tree and fell asleep. Suddenly an angel touched him and said to him, "Get up and eat." He looked, and there at his head was a cake baked on hot stones, and a jar of water. He ate and drank, and lay down again. The angel of theLORDcame a second time, touched him, and said, "Get up and eat, otherwise the journey will be too much for you." He got up, and ate and drank; then he went in the strength of that food forty days and forty nights to Horeb the mount of God.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 34:1-8

Benedicam Dominum

BCP 627

1bless theLORDall times; *
his praise shall ever be in my mouth.
2 I will glory in theLORD; *
let the humble hear and rejoice.
3 Proclaim with me the greatness of theLORD; *
let us exalt his Name together.
4 I sought theLORD, and he answered me *
and delivered me out of all my terror.
5 Look upon him and be radiant, *
and let not your faces be ashamed.
6 I called in my affliction and theLORDheard me *
and saved me from all my troubles.
7 The angel of theLORDthose who fear him, *
and he will deliver them.

8 Taste and see that the LORD good; *
happy are they who trust in him!

Second Lesson

Ephesians 4:25-5:2

Putting away falsehood, let all of us speak the truth to our neighbors, for we are members of one another. Be angry but do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, and do not make room for the devil. Thieves must give up stealing; rather let them labor and work honestly with their own hands, so as to have something to share with the needy. Let no evil talk come out of your mouths, but only what is useful for building up, as there is need, so that your words may give grace to those who hear. And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with which you were marked with a seal for the day of redemption. Put away from you all bitterness and wrath and anger and wrangling and slander, together with all malice, and be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ has forgiven you. Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual Hymn

Bread of the world in mercy broken

Hymnal 301

The Gospel

John 6:35, 41-51

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

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

Jesus said, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty."

Then the Jews began to complain about him because he said, "I am the bread that came down from heaven." They were saying, "Is not this Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How can he now say, 'I have come down from heaven'?" Jesus answered them, "Do not complain among yourselves. No one can come to me unless drawn by the Father who sent me; and I will raise that person up on the last day. It is written in the prophets, 'And they shall all be taught by God.' Everyone who has heard and learned from the Father comes to me. Not that anyone has seen the Father except the one who is from God; he has seen the Father. Very truly, I tell you, whoever believes has eternal life. I am the bread of life. Your ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness, and they died. This is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that one may eat of it and not die. I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh."

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

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

Homily

Mark Randall James

The Nicene Creed

BCP 358

**We believe in one God,
Father, the Almighty,
of heaven and earth,
all that is, seen and unseen.**

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
 only Son of God,
 begotten of the Father,
 from God, Light from Light,
 God from true God,
 , not made,
 one Being with the Father.
 him all things were made.
 For us and for our salvation
 came down from heaven:
 the power of the Holy Spirit
 became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
 was made man.
 our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
 suffered death and was buried.
 the third day he rose again
 accordance with the Scriptures;
 ascended into heaven
 is seated at the right hand of the Father.
 will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
 his kingdom will have no end.
 We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
 proceeds from the Father and the Son.
 the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
 has spoken through the Prophets.
 believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
 acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
 look for the resurrection of the dead,
 the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People Form IV BCP 388

Please stand or kneel as you are able.

Deacon	Let us pray for the Church and for the world.
Leader	Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world. Lord, in your mercy,
People	hear our prayer.
Leader	Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good. Lord, in your mercy,
People	hear our prayer.
Leader	Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory. Lord, in your mercy,
People	hear our prayer.
Leader	Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us. <i>(the people may add their petitions)</i> Lord, in your mercy,

People **hear our prayer.**
Leader Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation.

(the people may add their petitions)

Lord, in your mercy,

People **hear our prayer.**
Leader We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

(the people may add their petitions)

Lord, in your mercy,

People **hear our prayer.**
Celebrant Lord Jesus Christ, you said to your apostles, "Peace I give to you; my own peace I leave with you." Regard not our sins, but the faith of your Church, and give to us the peace and unity of that heavenly City, where with the Father and the Holy Spirit you live and reign, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Confession and Absolution

BCP 360

Deacon *Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.*

All **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.**
The Celebrant prays an absolution.

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Offertory Hymn

All who hunger gather gladly

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At the Presentation:

Hymnal 380, v. 3

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Great Thanksgiving Eucharistic Prayer B **BCP 367**

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 God thanks and praise.**

Celebrant It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

(the Celebrant continues until...)

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:

All *Sanctus* **Hymnal S-124**

(the Celebrant continues until...)

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

We remember his death,

We proclaim his resurrection,

We await his coming in glory;

(the Celebrant continues until...)

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

The Lord's Prayer **BCP 364**

The Breaking of the Bread: *Agnus Dei* **Hymnal S-161**

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Communion - All are welcome at Christ's Table. Gluten free wafers are available upon request. If you would prefer to receive a blessing, please cross your arms over your heart.

Communion Hymn Lord, make us servants of your peace **Hymnal 593**

Post-Communion Prayer **BCP 366**

Celebrant Let us pray.

All **Almighty and everliving God,
We thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food
of the most precious Body and Blood
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ;
and for assuring us in these holy mysteries
that we are living members of the Body of your Son,
and heirs of your eternal kingdom.
And now, Father, send us out
to do the work you have given us to do,
to love and serve you**

as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord.
To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit,
be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

Blessing

Closing Hymn God is Love, let heaven adore him **Hymnal 379**

Dismissal

Deacon Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People Thanks be to God.

Postlude

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Praise God for those who Serve Today

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Vestry Host:	Lloyd Belcher

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CHRIST CHURCH † WASHINGTON PARISH ON CAPITOL HILL
THE TWELFTH SUNDAY

AFTER PENTECOST

**HOLY EUCHARIST
RITE II**

11:00 AM—AUGUST 11, 2024

Welcome to Christ Church. We are happy to have you here with us today. Let this bulletin be your guide through our service. The hymns can be found in the blue hymnals located in the pews. Parts of the service, where designated, can be found in the red Book of Common Prayer (BCP), also in the pews.

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