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6th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 21st, 2019

8:30 and 10:00 a.m.

Holy Eucharist, Healing Service & Baptism

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Processional: *God of Grace and God of Glory* #577 HB

The Greeting Rev. Michael Pg.151

The Collect of the Day (Prayer of the Day)

Almighty God, your Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence. Give us pure hearts and constant wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

First Reading: Amos 8:1-12

A READING FROM THE BOOK OF AMOS

This is what the Lord God showed me - a basket of summer fruit. He said, "Amos, what do you see?" And I said, "A basket of summer fruit." Then the Lord said to me, "The end has come upon my people Israel; I will never again pass them by.

The songs of the temple shall become wailings in that day," says the Lord God; "the dead bodies shall be many, cast out in every place. Be silent!" Hear this, you that trample on the needy, and bring to ruin the poor of the land, saying, "When will the new moon be over so that we may sell grain; and the sabbath, so that we may offer wheat for sale?"

Assisting Rev. Michael today:

Celebrant/Preacher	The Rev. Michael Peterson
Bread	Rev. Michael, Peter Beckett
Chalice	Pat Broomes, Margaret Paradis
Anointers – 8:30	Neil Purcell
10:00	Maggie Prentice, Michelle Sinclair
Prayer Team:	Doug Court, Joy Packham
First Reading	Doug Court
Second Reading	Laura Johnston
Prayers	Margaret Paradis
Gospel	Peter Beckett
Readings (8:30):	Michelle Sinclair
Server: 8:30	Neil Purcell, Michelle Sinclair
10:00	Sharon Zacchigna, Ivory Snow
Audio/Visual	David Paradis
Music:	Craig Snider
Chancel Ministry	Beth Steffler
Sunday School:	out for summer
Sidespersons	Kevin LeMoine, Bob Cheesman

This morning in our worship we remember in our prayers those of our family and friends who have immediate needs and concerns:

Fraser Family; Margaret & Husband; Kate Watson & Family; Martin Bertelsen; Don; Noah; Rebecca Bowskill; Nancy Dodds; Neil Purcell; Donna Wilson; Sharon Zacchigna; Cathy & Robert; Michelle Sinclair & family; Jean Wallace; Robert Jessem; Brenda Jessem; Kathy & Brian; Lorraine W; Jaine; Adkins; Rose Court; Karen Smithers; Bernard Lacey; Don; Brian; Ken & Sheila; Barb Munshaw; Wendy Goodyer; Lillian; Lee & Jeannie Martin; Bill & Cathy Gray; Marg Abbott; Doug Shutter.

The names below are people in need of ongoing prayers for various reasons so we ask you to please continue to pray for them and their continuing need of God's healing touch and grace:

Marianne S.; Garn Mennell & Lequita Carrie Snow; Maggie Prentice; Jordan Downing; Robert Hamann; Gloria & Joe Connolly & Family; Kate-Lynn Bagley; Margaret & Gordon Kennedy; Keith Calendar; Maura Dunlop; Ginny Kennedy; Mary White & Family; Paul & Rose McIntyre; Jim Tomkins; Do Saunders; John Lake; Gail Jones; Jefferson Jr.; Rosie Boujos; Jack & June Osolin; Neil & Livia; Ian Sinclair; Stephen Bertelsen; Sid Maddock; Tanya Wade-Vargas.

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for:

The Diocese of Puerto Rico

In the Toronto Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for:

Mission to Seafarers

Celebrant: And now, as our Saviour Christ has taught us, we are bold to sing,

People: 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, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Breaking of Bread #2
Lamb of God

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THE COMMUNION

Communion Hymns: *As the Deer* #40 SB
Open Our Eyes Lord #2 SB

Prayer after Communion

O God, as we are strengthened in these holy mysteries, may our lives be a continual offering, holy and acceptable in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Doxology

Glory to God, whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever Amen. Amen.

The Blessing

Reminders: *Birthdays/Anniversaries/Announcements*

Recessional *The Church's One Foundation* #525 HB

The Dismissal

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We will make the ephah small and the shekel great, and practise deceit with false balances, buying the poor for silver and the needy for a pair of sandals, and selling the sweepings of the wheat."

The Lord has sworn by the pride of Jacob: Surely I will never forget any of their deeds. Shall not the land tremble on this account, and everyone mourn who lives in it, and all of it rise like the Nile, and be tossed about and sink again, like the Nile of Egypt? On that day, says the Lord God, I will make the sun go down at noon, and darken the earth in broad daylight.

I will turn your feasts into mourning, and all your songs into lamentation; I will bring sackcloth on all loins, and baldness on every head; I will make it like the mourning for an only son, and the end of it like a bitter day.

The time is surely coming, says the Lord God, when I will send a famine on the land; not a famine of bread, or a thirst for water, but of hearing the words of the Lord. They shall wander from sea to sea, and from north to east; they shall run to and fro, seeking the word of the Lord, but they shall not find it.

Psalm: 52

REFRAIN: I trust in the mercy of God for ever and ever.

You tyrant, why do you boast of wickedness against the godly all day long? You plot ruin; your tongue is like a sharpened razor, O worker of deception. You love evil more than good and lying more than speaking the truth. You love all words that hurt, O you deceitful tongue. **R**

Oh, that God would demolish you utterly, topple you, and snatch you from your dwelling, and root you out of the land of the living! **R**

The righteous shall see and tremble, and they shall laugh at him, saying, "This is the one who did not take God for a refuge, but trusted in great wealth and relied upon wickedness." **R**

But I am like a green olive tree in the house of God; I trust in the mercy of God for ever and ever. I will give you thanks for what you have done and declare the goodness of your Name in the presence of the godly. **R**

Second Reading: Colossians 1:15-28

A READING FROM THE LETTER OF PAUL TO THE COLOSSIANS

He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers all things have been created through him and for him.

He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

And you who were once estranged and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, he has now reconciled in his fleshly body through death, so as to present you holy and blameless and irreproachable before him provided that you continue securely established and steadfast in the faith, without shifting from the hope promised by the gospel that you heard, which has been proclaimed to every creature under heaven.

I, Paul, became a servant of this gospel. I am now rejoicing in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am completing what is lacking in Christ's afflictions for the sake of his body, that is, the church.

I became its servant according to God's commission that was given to me for you, to make the word of God fully known, the mystery that has been hidden throughout the ages and generations but has now been revealed to his saints.

To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory. It is he whom we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone in all wisdom, so that we may present everyone mature in Christ.

The Gradual: *Alleluia*

#715 HB

The Holy Gospel: Luke 10:38-42

Celebrant: I sign you with the cross, and mark you as Christ's own for ever.

Celebrant: Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon this your servant the forgiveness of sin, and have raised him to the new life of grace. Sustain him, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give him an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works. **Amen.**

The Giving of the Light:

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Celebrant: Receive the light of Christ, to show you have passed from darkness to light.

People: **Let your light so shine before others that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.**

Celebrant: Let us welcome the newly baptized, **Jordan.**

People: **We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.**

The Peace:

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THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Offertory Hymn: ***Lo God is Here***

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Prayer over the Gifts

O God, accept our praise and thanksgiving. Help us in all we do to offer ourselves as a true and living sacrifice; through Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

Eucharistic Prayer #2

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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.

Celebrant: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People: I believe in God the Holy Spirit, the holy Catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Celebrant: Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you persevere in resisting evil and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you proclaim by word and example the good news of God in Christ?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbour as yourself?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

People: I will, with God's help.

Celebrant: Will you strive to safeguard the integrity of creation, and respect, sustain and renew the life of the earth?

People: I will, with God's help."

THE BAPTISM:

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Celebrant: ***Jordan***, I baptize you in the name of the Father, and the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

THE HOLY GOSPEL OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST
ACCORDING TO LUKE

Now as they went on their way, he entered a certain village, where a woman named Martha welcomed him into her home. She had a sister named Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to what he was saying.

But Martha was distracted by her many tasks; so she came to him and asked, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her then to help me." But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things; there is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her."

Gradual: Alleluia

Sermon: Fr. Michael

(Time allowed for Silent Reflection.)

BAPTISM SERVICE:

Presentation of the Candidate for Baptism

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Celebrant: The candidate for Holy Baptism will now be presented

Sponsor: **I present Jordan to receive the sacrament of baptism.**

Celebrant: Do you desire to be baptized?

Candidate: **I do.**

Questions and Promises:

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Question: Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?

Answer: **I renounce them.**

Question: Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?

Answer: **I renounce them.**

Question: Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?

Answer: I renounce them.

Question: Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Saviour?

Answer: I do.

Question: Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love?

Answer: I do.

Question: Do you promise to obey him as your Lord?

Answer: I do.

Celebrant: Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support **Jordan** in his life in Christ?

People: We will.

Prayers for the Candidate:

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Celebrant: Let us now pray for **Jordan** who is to receive the sacrament of new birth.

Celebrant: Deliver him, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Celebrant: Open his heart to your grace and truth.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Celebrant: Fill him with your holy and life-giving Spirit.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Celebrant: Teach him to love others in the power of the Spirit.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Celebrant: Send him into the world in witness to your love.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Celebrant: Bring him to the fullness of your peace and glory.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

Celebrant: Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM

The Thanksgiving over the Water

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Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over water the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through water you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In water your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

We thank you, Father, for the water of baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit. Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptising them in the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

Now sanctify this water by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who are here cleansed from sin and born again, may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Saviour.

To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honour and glory, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Celebrant: Let us join with those who are committing themselves to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.

The Baptismal Covenant (said by all):

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Celebrant: Do you believe in God the Father?

People: **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Celebrant: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People: **I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.**