

The Seventh Sunday of Easter
June 2, 2019 · 8:30 & 10:30 AM
Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Welcome to your Spiritual Home! We invite you to prepare for worship with prayer, quiet, and meditation before the service.
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Special greetings to our Visitors! We want your experience to be as enjoyable as possible. If you have questions, please speak to one of our Greeters, or any member of the Clergy. Visit our website, or contact us at Visitor@ChristChurchCharlotte.org.

This bulletin is designed for use with the Book of Common Prayer (BCP) and the Hymnals found in your pew rack. Text in ***bold italics*** is read aloud or sung by the congregation. Text in *regular italics* provides directions or details.

Prelude, Prelude in D Major, BWV 532

J.S. Bach

Hymn 450, All hail the power of Jesus' Name

Coronation

THE WORD OF GOD

The Opening Acclamation

BCP 355

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People: ***The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.***

The Collect for Purity

BCP 355

Gloria in excelsis S-278, Glory to God in the highest (*The S- numbers are found in the front of the Hymnal.*)

William Mathias

The Collect of the Day

BCP 226

The First Reading: Acts 16:16-34

Bible, pg. 1279

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: ***Thanks be to God.***

Psalm 97 (*seated*)

C.V. Stanford

Silence

Alleluia Verse

Tone VI

The congregation is invited to sing the Alleluia below as indicated. At the beginning, the choir will sing it first, then the choir and congregation will repeat it. After the psalm verse, all will sing together.



The Lord said, "I will not leave you desolate; I will come back to you, and your hearts will rejoice."

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Sing to God, O kingdoms of the earth; sing praises to the Lord.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

At the 10:30 AM service, children may now follow the banner for Children's Chapel in the Green Room, and will return during The Peace.

The Gospel: John 17:20-26

Bible, pg. 1256

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

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

After the Gospel is read,

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

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

The Sermon

The Reverend Patty Rhyne

The Nicene Creed

BCP 358

The Easter Prayers of the People

Leader: O God, we pray that the joy and victory of Easter be celebrated throughout all creation;

People: *Risen Lord, hear our prayer.*

Leader: May the reconciliation you won on the cross flourish among families, communities, and nations;

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Leader: Bring your resurrection hope and healing to the sick, the poor, the oppressed, and the lonely;

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Leader: Raise up in us renewed faith to discover you in the stranger and in the breaking of the bread;

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Leader: As the empty tomb gave way to the risen Lord, may our hearts give way to God's gracious will in our lives;

People: *All thanks and praise to you, risen Christ. Alleluia.*

Parish intercessions are offered.

Celebrant: O risen and victorious Christ, hear the prayers of your people and ascend the throne of our hearts, that what we have asked faithfully, we may obtain effectually, to the glory of your Name.
Amen.

The Peace *(standing)*

BCP 360

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Anthem

8:30 AM: Jesus, the very thought of thee

Eric H. Thiman

The words may be found in The Hymnal 1982, number 642.

10:30 AM: Sing we merrily

Sidney Campbell

Sing we merrily unto God our strength; make a cheerful noise unto the God of Jacob.

Take the psalm, bring hither the tabret, the merry harp with the lute.

Blow up the trumpet in the new moon, even in the time appointed, and upon our solemn feast day.

For this was made a statute for Israel and a law of the God of Jacob. Alleluia!

Presentation Hymn 214 (stanza 4 only), Hail the day that sees him rise

Llanfair

Lord beyond our mortal sight, Alleluia! Raise our hearts to reach thy height, Alleluia!

There thy face unclouded see, Alleluia! Find our heaven of heavens in thee. Alleluia!

The Great Thanksgiving

BCP 367

Sanctus S-125, Holy, holy, holy Lord

Richard Proulx

The Lord's Prayer

BCP 364

The Communion

*All are invited to receive the bread and wine of Holy Communion. Gluten-free wafers are available in the Chapel only.
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Communion Hymn 318, Here, O my Lord, I see thee face to face

Song 1

Communion Motet

10:30 AM: *Oculi omnium*

Charles Wood

Oculi omnium in te sperant, Domine: The eyes of all wait upon you, O Lord:
et tu das escam illorum in tempore opportuno. and you give them their food in due season.
Gloria tibi Domine, Amen. Glory to you, Lord, Amen.

The Postcommunion Prayer

BCP 366

The Blessing

Hymn 215, See the Conqueror mounts in triumph

In Babilone

The Easter Dismissal

BCP 366

Priest: Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia.

People: *Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.*

Postlude, Carillon

Louis Vierne

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Congregational hymnals used: *The Hymnal 1982* and *The Faith We Sing (TFWS)*

Music for Meditation (*seated*)

TFWS 2075, King of Kings
TFWS 2063, You are worthy

King of Kings
Digno

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BCP 355

The Collect for Purity

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 450, All hail the power of Jesus' Name

Coronation

The Collect of the Day

BCP 226

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Bible, pg. 1279

Hymn 2130, The Summons

Kelvingrove

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The Peace

Announcements, Birthdays, and Anniversaries

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Hymn 2246, Deep in the shadows of the past

Kingsfold

Presentation Hymn 380 (stanza 3 only), Praise God, from whom all blessings flow

Old 100th

**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.**

The Great Thanksgiving

BCP 367

Sanctus S-125, Holy, holy, holy Lord

Richard Proulx

The Lord's Prayer

Tom Belt

Our Fa - ther in heav-en, ho-ly is your Name, your king-dom come, your will be done, on
earth as in heav-en. Give us to - day our dai - ly bread. For - give us our
sins as we for-give those who sin a-gainst us. Save us from the time of tri-al, and de - liv-er us from
e - vil. For the king - dom, and the pow - er, and the glo - ry are yours,
now and for - ev - er. A - men. A - men. A - men. A - men. — A - men.

The Breaking of the Bread

BCP 364

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People: **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

The Communion

*All are invited to receive the bread and wine of Holy Communion. Gluten-free wafers are available.
Please let the priest know that you require one as you approach to take Communion.*

TFWS 2132, You who are thirsty

All who humbly seek

TFWS 2081, Thank you, Jesus, amen!

Tino Tenda

The Postcommunion Prayer

BCP 366

The Blessing

Hymn 460 (stanzas 1, 2, 4, and 5), Alleluia! sing to Jesus

Hyfrydol

Dismissal

BCP 366

Priest: Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia.

People: **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.**

Readings and Intercessions
The Seventh Sunday of Easter
June 2, 2019

The Collect

O God, the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: Do not leave us comfortless, but send us your Holy Spirit to strengthen us, and exalt us to that place where our Savior Christ has gone before; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.

The New Testament: Acts 16:16-34

With Paul and Silas, we came to Philippi in Macedonia, a Roman colony, and, as we were going to the place of prayer, we met a slave girl who had a spirit of divination and brought her owners a great deal of money by fortune-telling. While she followed Paul and us, she would cry out, "These men are slaves of the Most High God, who proclaim to you a way of salvation." She kept doing this for many days. But Paul, very much annoyed, turned and said to the spirit, "I order you in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her." And it came out that very hour.

But when her owners saw that their hope of making money was gone, they seized Paul and Silas and dragged them into the marketplace before the authorities. When they had brought them before the magistrates, they said, "These men are disturbing our city; they are Jews and are advocating customs that are not lawful for us as Romans to adopt or observe." The crowd joined in attacking them, and the magistrates had them stripped of their clothing and ordered them to be beaten with rods. After they had given them a severe flogging, they threw them into prison and ordered the jailer to keep them securely. Following these instructions, he put them in the innermost cell and fastened their feet in the stocks.

About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them. Suddenly there was an earthquake, so violent that the foundations of the prison were shaken; and immediately all the doors were opened and everyone's chains were unfastened. When the jailer woke up and saw the prison doors wide open, he drew his sword and was about to kill himself, since he supposed that the prisoners had escaped. But Paul shouted in a loud voice, "Do not harm yourself, for we are all here." The jailer called for lights, and rushing in, he fell down trembling before Paul and Silas. Then he brought them outside and said, "Sirs, what must I do to be saved?" They answered, "Believe on the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household." They spoke the word of the Lord to him and to all who were in his house. At the same hour of the night he took them and washed their wounds; then he and his entire family were baptized without delay. He brought them up into the house and set food before them; and he and his entire household rejoiced that he had become a believer in God.

Psalm 97 *Dominus regnavit*

The Lord is King; let the earth rejoice;
let the multitude of the isles be glad.
Clouds and darkness are round about him,
righteousness and justice are the foundations of his throne.
A fire goes before him
and burns up his enemies on every side.
His lightnings light up the world;
the earth sees it and is afraid.
The mountains melt like wax at the presence of the Lord,
at the presence of the Lord of the whole earth.
The heavens declare his righteousness,
and all the peoples see his glory.
Confounded be all who worship carved images and delight in false gods!
Bow down before him, all you gods.
Zion hears and is glad, and the cities of Judah rejoice,
because of your judgments, O Lord.
For you are the Lord, most high over all the earth;
you are exalted far above all gods.
The Lord loves those who hate evil;
he preserves the lives of his saints and delivers them from the hand of the wicked.
Light has sprung up for the righteous,

and joyful gladness for those who are truehearted.
Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous,
and give thanks to his holy Name.

The Gospel: John 17:20-26

Jesus prayed for his disciples, and then he said. "I ask not only on behalf of these, but also on behalf of those who will believe in me through their word, that they may all be one. As you, Father, are in me and I am in you, may they also be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me. The glory that you have given me I have given them, so that they may be one, as we are one, I in them and you in me, that they may become completely one, so that the world may know that you have sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me. Father, I desire that those also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to see my glory, which you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world.

"Righteous Father, the world does not know you, but I know you; and these know that you have sent me. I made your name known to them, and I will make it known, so that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them."

The Intercessions

The Church – Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Sam and Anne, our Bishops; Metlha, Bishop of Botswana; Orlando, Bishop of Costa Rica; and in the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for the Anglican Church of Mexico

People of Other Religions – Prayers for the people of all world religions, that we might share a spirit of respect, understanding and cooperation for the welfare and peace of the world

Leaders of All Nations – Donald, our President; Roy, our Governor; Vi, our Mayor; the Congress, the Courts, and all in authority

Those in Harm's Way – U.S. Military; First Responders; for those affected by natural disasters and acts of violence

Our Community Partners in Mission and Outreach – especially the Diocese of Botswana

The sick in body, mind, or spirit – John Norman, Johnsie Canny, Wayne Lloyd, Cliff Boylston, Kim Seymour, Lillie Cowan, Robert Rash, Jim Corbett, Jane Harrell, Dwight Andrews, Anna Clifford, John Griffin, Elizabeth Flowers, Arthur Middleton, and Peter Schreiner

For those who long to have children and for the expectant mothers in our parish – Allison Popp, Lindsay Leary, Neely Whiteside, Jenny Purcell, Connor Macon, Meredith Adkins, Wendelyn Kelly, Meredith Riggins, Carr Doerre, Kathryn Woodruff and Jessica Phelps

Birth – James Archibald Stuart Bonner III, son of Martha and Stuart Bonner

Marriage – Anne Christian Jones and Joseph Tyler Brown; Rosemary Luran Chandler and Christopher Hamilton Wells

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Eugenia and John McAlister by Tom, and Leigh Poe and family.

The floral garland around the church door is given to the glory of God and in Thanksgiving for the wedding of Rosemary Chandler and Christopher Wells.

*Hospitals no longer notify churches when parishioners are hospitalized.
Please notify the church if you or family members are in the hospital.
To be included in this prayer list, contact any of the Clergy at 704-714-6951.*