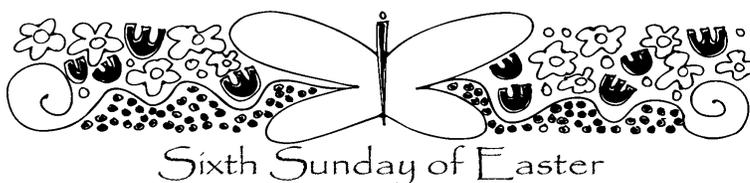




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**The Liturgy of
 The Holy Eucharist II**

Gathering Music

Spirit of the Living God

1. Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me.
 Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me.
 Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.
 Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me.
2. Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on us.
 Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on us.
 Melt us, mold us, fill us, use us.
 Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on us.

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Process to the Altar Hymn #410

Praise, my soul, the king of heaven

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ is risen!
People **The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

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.**

(said at 8:00 / sung at 10:00)
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**Glory to God in the highest,
 and peace to his people on earth.**

**Lord God, heavenly King/ almighty God and Father,
 we worship you, we give you thanks,
 we praise you for your glory.**

**Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
 Lord God, Lamb of God/ you take away the sin
 of the world: have mercy on us;
 you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
 receive our prayer.**

**For you alone are the Holy One,
 you alone are the Lord,
 you alone are the Most High/ Jesus Christ,
 with the Holy Spirit,
 in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you**
Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as surpass our understanding: Pour into our hearts such love towards you, that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

A Reading from Acts (16:9-15)

During the night Paul had a vision: there stood a man of Macedonia pleading with him and saying, "Come over to Macedonia and help us." When he had seen the vision, we immediately tried to cross over to Macedonia, being convinced that God had called us to proclaim the good news to them. We set sail from Troas and took a straight course to Samothrace, the following day to Neapolis, and from there to Philippi, which is a leading city of the district

of Macedonia and a Roman colony. We remained in this city for some days. On the sabbath day we went outside the gate by the river, where we supposed there was a place of prayer; and we sat down and spoke to the women who had gathered there. A certain woman named Lydia, a worshiper of God, was listening to us; she was from the city of Thyatira and a dealer in purple cloth. The Lord opened her heart to listen eagerly to what was said by Paul. When she and her household were baptized, she urged us, saying, "If you have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come and stay at my home." And she prevailed upon us.

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

Psalm 67

(Read in unison after the first asterisk)

- 1 May God be merciful to us and bless us,* **show us the light of his countenance and come to us.**
- 2 **Let your ways be known upon earth,* your saving health among all nations.**
- 3 **Let the peoples praise you, O God;* let all the peoples praise you.**
- 4 **Let the nations be glad and sing for joy,* for you judge the peoples with equity and guide all the nations upon earth.**
- 5 **Let the peoples praise you, O God;* let all the peoples praise you.**
- 6 **The earth has brought forth her increase;* may God, our own God, give us his blessing.**
- 7 **May God give us his blessing,* and may all the ends of the earth stand in awe of him.**

A Reading from Revelation (21:10, 22-22:5)

In the spirit the angel carried me away to a great, high mountain and showed me the holy city Jerusalem coming down out of heaven from God. I saw no temple in the city, for its temple is the Lord God the Almighty and the Lamb. And the city has no need of sun or moon to shine on it, for the glory of God is its light, and its lamp is the Lamb. The nations will walk by its light, and the kings of the earth will bring their glory into it. Its gates will never be shut by day-- and there will be no night there. People will bring into it the glory and the honor of the nations. But nothing unclean will enter it, nor anyone who practices abomination or falsehood, but only those who are written in the Lamb's book of life. Then the angel showed me the river of the water of life, bright as crystal, flowing from the throne of God and of the Lamb through the middle of the street of the city. On either side of the river is the tree of life with its twelve kinds of fruit, producing its fruit each month; and the leaves of the tree are for the healing of the nations. Nothing accursed will be found there any more. But the throne of God and of the Lamb will be in it, and his servants will worship him; they will see his face, and his name will be on their foreheads. And there will be no more night; they need no light of lamp or sun, for the Lord God will be their light, and they will reign forever and ever.

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

Gradual Hymn #516 vss.1-2

Come down, O Love divine

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ According to John (14:23-29)

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said to Judas (not Iscariot), "Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them. Whoever does not love me does not keep my words; and the word that you hear is not mine, but is from the

Father who sent me. "I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid. You heard me say to you, 'I am going away, and I am coming to you.' If you loved me, you would rejoice that I am going to the Father, because the Father is greater than I. And now I have told you this before it occurs, so that when it does occur, you may believe."

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

Gradual Hymn #516 vs. 3

Come down, O Love divine

The Sermon

Fr. Haynes

Silence for reflection

The Nicene Creed (Standing, as able.)

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 / By the power of the Holy Spirit / he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man / 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 and the Son / With the Father and the Son he is

worshiped and glorified / He 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

Alleluia! Our glorious God has raised Jesus from death to life; let every heart be filled with praise. Alleluia!

Sanctify your creation as abundant new life now bursts forth.

That all may share in the wholeness promised to our broken world.

Guide those in authority to transcend the barriers that separate the human family and build together an everlasting peace, praying especially for an end to all war, terror and violence in every heart and land.

That our world may know the blessings of life in you.

Encourage your Church to celebrate the resurrection with joy, committing ourselves to the work of reconciliation.

That Christ's Body may be One.

Empower your ministers to proclaim boldly the message of the resurrection.

That all may come to see you as our Risen Lord.

Inspire us to live faithfully our Baptismal vows and to partake lovingly of the Sacred Bread and Wine.

That we may be an Easter people.

Assist those who suffer or are in need; the poor, the lonely, the disabled.

That they too may share in your abundant life.

Embrace those who have died with your eternal love.

That they may rejoice in your presence forever more.

Hear our special intercessions for this day, O Lord, as we pray: for the Anglican Communion, especially the Dioceses of Dioceses of Nambale - (Kenya), Aberdeen & Orkney - (Scotland), Ili-Oluji - (Nigeria), Namibia - (Southern Africa), Abuja - (Nigeria), Namirembe - (Uganda), Abye -

(South Sudan), Accra - (West Africa), Nandyal - (South India), Adelaide - (Australia), Nasik - (North India), Afikpo - (Nigeria), Ilesa - (Nigeria), Ilesa South West- (Nigeria), Nasir - (South India), Agra - (North India), and Indianapolis - (The Episcopal Church); The Episcopal Church; our diocese, especially Christ Church, Puyallup; our parish, especially for our parishioners Alex Ringstad & Kathy Sanders; Mary Saray; Claire Scharmach; that your Holy Spirit would guide and direct your Church throughout the world to be a sign of your Kingdom;

We pray for the deployed and their families, especially Brice Clarimont and for those we now name;

We pray for all those on our prayer list, especially for Lyn, Areewa, Brenda, Marisa, Sandy, Justin, Patricia, Paulette, Erica, Allen, Rico, Steven, Thatcher, Ken, Jan, Sue, David, Jenny, Elaine, Ann, Stephen, Jacquie, Kerry, Emelita, Anita, Kitty, Dana, Dorothy, Bob, Penney, Mike, Joan, Ron, Dianne, Laura, Jackie and for those we now name;

We thank you for all the blessings of this life, especially for those we now name;

We pray also for those who have died, and those we now name;

We praise you and bless you, O Christ.
We praise you and bless you.

Celebrant
Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of the Lord's resurrection, may be raised from the death of sin by your life-giving Spirit; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

In keeping with the ancient custom of the Church, the confession is omitted during the Great Fifty Days of Easter.

The Peace

Celebrant The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Announcements, Birthdays, Anniversaries

Offertory Hymn #513

Like the murmur of the dove's song

Our Sunday loose cash offerings now go to our Local Outreach/Discretionary Fund, which directly serves families and individuals in need within our community. Your generosity makes saying "yes" to those who need help the most possible.

The Great Thanksgiving – A

[Please see Book of Common Prayer, pg. 361]

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 him thanks and praise.**

The Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing...

Celebrant and People

Sanctus

(Said at 8:00; sung at 10:00)

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Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The people stand or kneel. The Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love...

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption...

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**

Lord's Prayer *said at 8 am & sung at 10 am*
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Celebrant As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

**Our father in heaven
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us this day 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 and Holy Communion

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.

A period of silence is kept.

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

The ministers receive the Sacrament in both kinds, and then immediately deliver it to the people.

This is our Lord's Table, and He is our host. All persons are invited to receive Holy Communion. Those who have yet to be baptized are encouraged to speak with the clergy after the service about becoming baptized into Christ's Body. Gluten-free hosts and alcohol-free wine are available upon request at the rail.

Communion Music

Thy Word

Chorus: Thy word is a lamp unto my feet
And a light unto my path.
Thy word is a lamp unto my feet
And a light unto my path.

1. When I feel afraid, think I've lost my way,
still you're there right beside me.

And nothing will I fear as long as you are near.

Please be near me to the end.

2. I will not forget your love for me, and yet,
My heart forever is wandering.
Jesus, be my guide and hold me to Your side,
And I will love You to the end.

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Be Not Afraid

1. You shall cross the barren desert,
but shall not die of thirst.
You shall wander far in safety
though you do not know the way.
You shall speak your words in foreign lands
and all will understand.
You shall see the face of God and live.

Refrain: Be not afraid. I go before you always.
Come follow me and I will give you rest.

2. If you pass through raging waters
in the sea, you shall not drown.
If you walk amid the burning flames,
you shall not be harmed.
If you stand before the pow'r of hell
and death is at your side,
Know that I am with you through it all. *Refrain*
3. Blessed are the poor,
for the Kingdom shall be theirs.
Blest are you that weep and mourn,
for one day you shall laugh.
And if wicked men insult and hate you
all because of Me,
Blessed, blessed are you. *Refrain*

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COMMISSIONING OF LAY EUCHARISTIC VISITORS

Celebrant: In the name of this congregation we send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood.

Celebrant and People: **We who are many are one body because we all share one bread, one cup.**

The Post Communion Prayer

Celebrant
Let us pray

Celebrant 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.

The Blessing

The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, the great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is well-pleasing in his sight; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Process to the Neighborhood

Hymn #490 *I want to walk as a child of the light*

St. Matthew Mission Statement

St. Matthew Church: **To be a church that passionately embraces and values all people, growing in the love of Christ through word and action.**

Celebrant Let us go forth in the name of Christ.
Alleluia, Alleluia!

People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia!**

This Sunday's Ministries

Celebrant	The Rev. Kendall Haynes
Worship Leader	Frank Blacker
Eucharistic Minister	Mary Blacker
Lector	Pamela Reed
Acolytes	Zawadi Chege Nicholas Yun
Ushers	Jill Little - 8 Ken St. John Bob Witter
Greeters	John Kennedy Leanne Kennedy
Eucharistic Visitor	Jim Sloan
Bread Maker	Marian Oberg
Altar Guild	Beth Latsis, Liz Latsis -8 Mary Blacker, Elizabeth Holland
Counters	Kathy Manning Tom Peterson
Coffee Hour	Alex Ringstad & Kathy Sanders
Altar Guild Director	Linda Pomeroy-Hull

Current Prayer List

Lyn Zimmerman – Myotonic Dystrophy
Areewa Saray – imprisonment
Brenda Gilbert – fighting severe health problems
Marisa La Rue – (friend of Kathleen Manning) – Parkinson's
Sandy Green – (brother-in-law of Alex Ringstad) – hospice
Justin Smith – (husband of Abby Smith) – cont. health
Patricia Stanley – (dear friend of Pamela Reed) – ALS
Paulette – (Jim Sloan's sister-in-law) –cancer of the throat
Erica Frey-Hoyer – (friend of Sandy Dawes) - cancer
Allen Wohler – (friend of Linda Pomeroy-Hull) - PTSD
Rico Hernandez (brother-in-law of Lee Holland) –alcoholism
Steven Lusk (Jim Sloan) - Acute Immune Encephalitis
Thatcher Hamblin – (toddler friend of Pomeroy-Hull's) – chemo
Ken & Jan Maravilla (friends of Jim Sloan's) – eye/caregiving
Sue Oyster (friend of Sherry Hartley) – recovery from cliff fall
David Dokter – cancer and treatment, blood clot
Jenny Phelps (niece of Terry Elofson) – pancreas/surgery
Elaine Taylor – ALS
Ann Taugher (mother of Kathy Stewart) –pelvic fracture/hospice
Stephen Peterson (son of Tom Peterson) – back surgery recovery
Jacquie Stanton – broken femur recovery
Kerry Schimnowski (nephew of Beth Latsis) –cancer surgery
Emelita (friend of Daisi Lane's) - stroke
Anita (friend of Daisi Lane's) – stroke
Kitty Walker – surgery recovery
Dana (Jill Little's sister) – cancer and treatment
Dorothy Hartwig (Bob Hartwig's mother) – hospice
Bob Lolcama (friend of Manning/Haynes) – mantel cell lymphoma
Penney (friend of Randy White's) – health issues
Mike Inglis (son of Dave & Sue Inglis) – imprisonment
Joan Collman (friend of Liz Latsis) – illness
Ron Bartels (father of Andy Bartels) – pneumonia
Dianne Aid Tssf – broken leg
Laura Predmore (friend of Linda Pomeroy-Hull) – cancer
Jackie Pomeroy (mom of Linda Pomeroy-Hull) – extreme confusion

To add someone or take someone off the prayer list, email saintmatthewpastoralcare@gmail.com