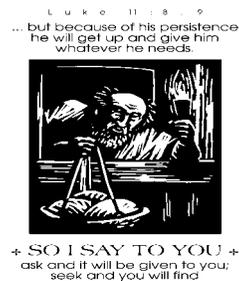




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## The Seventh Sunday after Pentecost Proper 12

July 28, 2019

### The Liturgy of The Holy Eucharist II

#### Gathering Music

Freely, Freely

Refrain: Freely, freely, you have received,  
Freely, freely, give.  
Go in my name, and because you believe,  
Others will know that I live.

1. God forgave my sin in Jesus' name,  
I've been born again in Jesus' name.  
And in Jesus' name I come to you,  
To share his love as he told me to. He said
2. All pow'r is giv'n in Jesus' name,  
In earth and heaven in Jesus' name.  
And in Jesus' name I come to you,  
To share his pow'r as he told me to. He said

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#### Procession to the Altar Hymn #410

*Praise, my soul, the King of heaven*

*Celebrant* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

*People* **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

#### *Celebrant*

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.**

Gloria, *said* at 8am

Sing Halleluia, *sung* at 10am

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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, the protector of all who trust in you,  
without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy:  
Increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that,  
with you as our ruler and guide, we may so pass  
through things temporal, that we lose not the

things eternal; 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 Genesis** (18:20-32)

The LORD said to Abraham, "How great is the outcry against Sodom and Gomorrah and how very grave their sin! I must go down and see whether they have done altogether according to the outcry that has come to me; and if not, I will know."

So the men turned from there, and went toward Sodom, while Abraham remained standing before the LORD. Then Abraham came near and said, "Will you indeed sweep away the righteous with the wicked? Suppose there are fifty righteous within the city; will you then sweep away the place and not forgive it for the fifty righteous who are in it? Far be it from you to do such a thing, to slay the righteous with the wicked, so that the righteous fare as the wicked! Far be that from you! Shall not the Judge of all the earth do what is just?" And the LORD said, "If I find at Sodom fifty righteous in the city, I will forgive the whole place for their sake." Abraham answered, "Let me take it upon myself to speak to the Lord, I who am but dust and ashes. Suppose five of the fifty righteous are lacking? Will you destroy the whole city for lack of five?" And he said, "I will not destroy it if I find forty-five there." Again he spoke to him, "Suppose forty are found there." He answered, "For the sake of forty I will not do it." Then he said, "Oh do not let the Lord be angry if I speak. Suppose thirty are found there." He answered, "I will not do it, if I find thirty there." He said, "Let me take it upon myself to speak to the Lord. Suppose twenty are found there." He answered, "For the sake of twenty I will not destroy it." Then he said, "Oh do not let the Lord be angry if I speak just once more. Suppose ten are found there." He answered, "For the sake of ten I will not destroy it."

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

### **Psalm 138**

**(Read in unison after the first asterisk)**

1    I will give thanks to you, O LORD, with my whole heart; **\*before the gods I will sing your praise.**

2    **I will bow down toward your holy temple and praise your Name, \* because of your love and faithfulness;**

3    **For you have glorified your Name \* and your word above all things.**

4    **When I called, you answered me; \* you increased my strength within me.**

5    **All the kings of the earth will praise you, O LORD, \*when they have heard the words of your mouth.**

6    **They will sing of the ways of the LORD, \* that great is the glory of the LORD.**

7    **Though the LORD be high, he cares for the lowly; \*he perceives the haughty from afar.**

8    **Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you keep me safe; \*you stretch forth your hand against the fury of my enemies; your right hand shall save me.**

9    **The LORD will make good his purpose for me; \*O LORD, your love endures for ever; do not abandon the works of your hands.**

### **A Reading from Colossians** (2:6-19)

As you have received Christ Jesus the Lord, continue to live your lives in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving. See to it that no one takes you captive through philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the universe, and not according to Christ. For in him the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily, and you have come to fullness in him, who is the head of every ruler and authority. In him also you were circumcised with a spiritual circumcision, by putting off the body of the flesh in the circumcision of Christ; when you were buried with him in baptism, you were also raised with him through faith in the power of God, who raised him from the dead. And when you were dead in trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you alive together with him, when he forgave us all our trespasses, erasing the record that stood against us

with its legal demands. He set this aside, nailing it to the cross. He disarmed the rulers and authorities and made a public example of them, triumphing over them in it. Therefore do not let anyone condemn you in matters of food and drink or of observing festivals, new moons, or sabbaths. These are only a shadow of what is to come, but the substance belongs to Christ. Do not let anyone disqualify you, insisting on self-abasement and worship of angels, dwelling on visions, puffed up without cause by a human way of thinking, and not holding fast to the head, from whom the whole body, nourished and held together by its ligaments and sinews, grows with a growth that is from God.

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

**Gradual Hymn #711, vs. 1**                      *Seek Ye First*

**The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ  
According to Luke**                                      (11:1-13)

**Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples." He said to them, "When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. Give us each day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial." And he said to them, "Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set before him.' And he answers from within, 'Do not bother me; the door has already been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything.' I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, at least because of his persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs. So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for a fish, will give a snake instead of a fish? Or if the child asks for an egg, will

give a scorpion? If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"

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

**Gradual Hymn #711, vs. 2**                      *Seek Ye First*

**The Sermon**    Father 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**

Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

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. We pray for the Anglican Communion, especially for the Dioceses of Northern Zambia - (Central Africa), Belize - (West Indies), Kanyakumari - (South India), Northwest Ankole - (Uganda), Bendigo - (Australia), Northwest Texas - (The Episcopal Church), Benin - (Nigeria), Bermuda - (Bermuda), Northwestern Pennsylvania - (The Episcopal Church), Bethlehem - (The Episcopal Church), Norwich - (England), Bhopal - (North India), Kapoeta - (South Sudan), Nova Scotia & Prince Edward Island - (Canada), Bida - (Nigeria), Karachi - (Pakistan), and The Scottish Episcopal Church; our diocese, especially for Episcopal Mission to Seafarers; The Refugee Resettlement Office; The Center for Spiritual Development; and for our parish, especially for our parishioners Rachel, Kevin, Stella and Luna Bacon; Brita Barry; Andy & Arren Bartels.

Lord, in your mercy,  
**Hear our prayer**

Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, especially Donald our President, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good. We pray for our armed forces, their families, and those who are deployed, especially for those we now name;

Lord, in your mercy,  
**Hear our prayer.**

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,  
**Hear our prayer.**

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

Lord, in your mercy,  
**Hear our prayer**

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. We pray for those on our prayer list and those in our hearts, praying especially for Lyn, Areewa, Brenda, Marisa, Sandy, Justin, Patricia, Paulette, Erica, Rico, Steven, Thatcher, Ken, Jan, Sue, David, Jenny, Elaine, Ann, Stephen, Jacquie, Kerry, Emelita,

Anita, Dana, Bob, Mike, Joan, Dianne, Laura, Jackie, Daisy, Alfred, Pat, and for those we now name;

Lord, in your mercy,  
**Hear our prayer.**

We commend to your mercy all who have died, especially Fred Axberg, Pearly Paul "Bucko" Palmer, and Betty Kay Dawes, that your will for them may be fulfilled. We pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

Lord, in your mercy,  
**Hear our prayer.**

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Leader 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.**

*Celebrant*

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**

*Celebrant* The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

## **Announcements, Birthdays, Anniversaries**

### **Offertory**

#### Let Forgiveness Flow

Father here am I again in need of mercy,  
Hurt from sin, so by the blood and Jesus' love Let forgiveness flow.

In my heart and in my mind, in word and deed I've been so blind. So by the blood and Jesus' love, Let forgiveness flow.

To me, from me, so my heart will know,  
Fully and sweetly, let forgiveness flow.

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## **The Great Thanksgiving C**

[Please see Book of Common Prayer, pg. 369]

*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*

God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.

***Glory to you for ever and ever.***

At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

***By your will they were created and have their being.***

From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

***Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.***

Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

***By his blood, he reconciled us. By his wounds, we are healed.***

And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

*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*

And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord. On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends, 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, gave thanks, 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.” Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving, ***We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.***

Lord God of our Fathers; God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name. ***Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.***

Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation.

**AMEN.**

**Lord’s Prayer** *said at 8 am & sung at 10 am*  
*(Printed on the Green Pew Sheet)*

*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**

### His Name is Wonderful

His name is wonderful,  
His name is wonderful,  
His name is wonderful Jesus, my Lord.  
He is the mighty King,  
Master of everything,  
His name is wonderful, Jesus, my Lord.  
He's the great shepherd,  
The rock of all ages,  
Almighty God is he.  
Bow down before him,  
Love and adore him,  
His name is wonderful, Jesus, my Lord.

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### Let All That is Within Me

1. Let all that is within me, cry, "Holy!"  
Let all that is within me, cry, "Holy!"  
Holy, holy, holy is the Lamb that was slain.
2. Let all that is within me cry, "Worthy!"  
Let all that is within me cry, "Worthy!"  
Worthy, worthy, worthy is the Lamb that was  
slain.
3. Let all that is within me cry, "Jesus!"  
Let all that is within me cry, "Jesus!"  
Jesus, Jesus, Jesus is the Lamb that was slain.

4. Let all that is within me cry, "Glory!"  
Let all that is within me cry, "Glory!"  
Glory, glory, glory to the Lamb that was slain.

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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*

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.**

## **The Blessing**

The Peace of God, which passes all understanding  
keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and  
love of God, and of his son Jesus Christ our Lord;  
and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the  
Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain  
with you always. **Amen.**

## **Procession to the Neighborhood**

### Fear Not, Rejoice and Be Glad

*Refrain:* Fear not, rejoice and be glad,  
The Lord hath done a great thing;  
Hath poured out his Spirit on all  
humankind, On those who confess his  
name.

1. The fig tree is budding, the vine beareth fruit,  
The wheat fields are golden with grain.  
Thrust in the sickle, the harvest is ripe,  
The Lord has given us rain.
2. Ye shall eat in plenty and be satisfied,  
The mountains will drip with sweet wine .  
My children shall drink of the fountain of life,  
My children will know they are mine.
3. My people shall know that I am the Lord,  
Their shame I have taken away.  
My spirit will lead them together again.  
My spirit will show them the way.
4. My children shall dwell in a body of love,  
A light to the world they will be.  
Life shall come forth from the Father above,  
My body will set all free.

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## 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 into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

*People*      **Thanks be to God.**

### 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  
 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  
 Dana (Jill Little’s sister) – cancer and treatment  
 Bob Lolcama (friend of Manning/Haynes) – mantel cell lymphoma  
 Mike Inglis (son of Dave & Sue Inglis) – imprisonment  
 Joan Collman (friend of Liz Latsis) – illness  
 Dianne Aid Tssf – broken leg  
 Laura Predmore (friend of Linda Pomeroy-Hull) – cancer  
 Jackie Pomeroy (mom of Linda Pomeroy-Hull) – extreme confusion  
 Daisi Lane – Second Sex Confirmation surgery  
 Alfred Myers – hospice  
 Pat Harnish – back injury

**To add someone or take someone off the prayer list, email [saintmatthewpastoralcare@gmail.com](mailto:saintmatthewpastoralcare@gmail.com)**

### This Sunday’s Ministries

<b>Celebrant</b>	The Rev. Kendall Haynes
<b>Worship Leader</b>	Mary Blacker
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	Lee Holland
<b>Lector</b>	Art Ladley
<b>Acolytes</b>	Zawadi Chege Nicholas Yun
<b>Ushers</b>	Terry Elofson - 8 John Kennedy Art Ladley
<b>Greeters</b>	Claire Scharmach Janet Witter
<b>Eucharistic Visitor</b>	Sue Inglis
<b>Bread Maker</b>	Marian Oberg
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Beth Latsis, Liz Latsis -8 Mary Blacker, Elizabeth Holland
<b>Counters</b>	Art Ladley Kathy Manning
<b>Coffee Hour</b>	Rich & Kate Gould
<b>Altar Guild Director</b>	Linda Pomeroy-Hull