



8:40 a.m.

## THE BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER

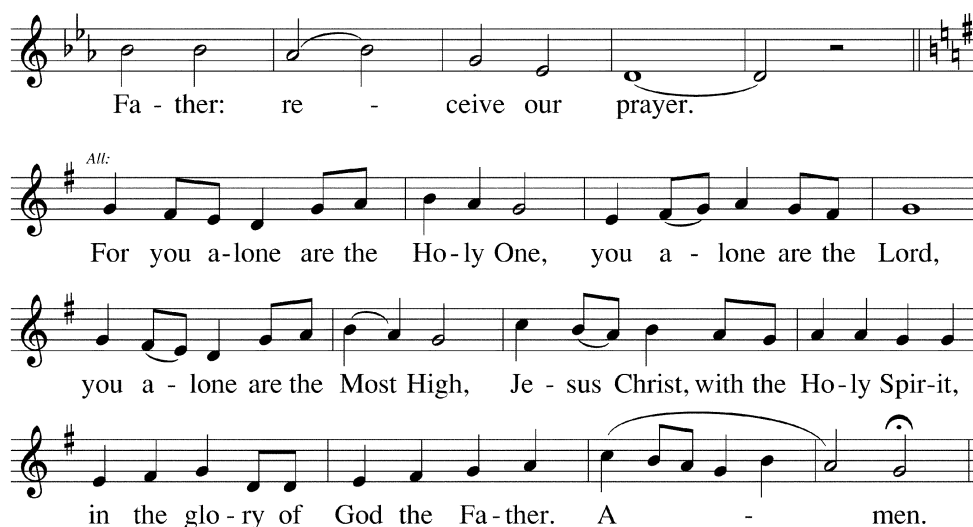
**Prelude:** Prelude..... César Franck**Processional:** All People that on Earth do dwell ..... Hymnal # 377**The Opening Acclamation**.....BCP pg. 355**Celebrant:** Alleluia! Christ is Risen.**People:** The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!

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.*

**Gloria**


Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and peace to his peo - ple on  
earth. Lord God, heav - en - ly King, al -  
might - y God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we  
give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry.

*Choir (Congr. ad lib):*  
Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God,  
Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world: have  
mer - cy on us; you are seat - ed at the right hand of the



**Celebrant:** The Lord be with you.

**People:** And also with you.

**Celebrant:** Let us pray.

### The Collect of the Day

O God, whose Son Jesus is the good shepherd of your people: Grant that when we hear his voice we may know him who calls us each by name, and follow where he leads; who, with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

### The Word of God

*Please be seated*

#### First Lesson: Acts 4:5-12

The day after they had arrested Peter and John for teaching about Jesus and the resurrection, the rulers, elders, and scribes assembled in Jerusalem, with Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. When they had made the prisoners stand in their midst, they inquired, "By what power or by what name did you do this?" Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders, if we are questioned today because of a good deed done to someone who was sick and are asked how this man has been healed, let it be known to all of you, and to all the people of Israel, that this man is standing before you in good health by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead. This Jesus is `the stone that was rejected by you, the builders; it has

become the cornerstone.' There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved."

**Reader:** The Word of the Lord.

**People:** Thanks be to God.

**Psalm 23** (*Hallock*)



**Choir:** *He makes me lie down in green pastures and leads me beside still waters. He revives my soul and guides me along right pathways for his Name's sake. Antiphon.*

**Choir:** *Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I shall fear no evil; for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. Antiphon.*

**Choir:** *You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me; you have anointed my head with oil, and my cup is running over. Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever. Antiphon.*

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**Second Lesson: 1 John 3:16-24**

We know love by this, that he laid down his life for us-- and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. How does God's love abide in anyone who has the world's goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help? Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. And by this we will know that we are from the truth and will reassure our hearts before him whenever our hearts condemn us; for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have boldness before God; and we receive from him whatever we ask, because we obey his commandments and do what pleases him. And this is his commandment, that we should believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. All who obey his commandments abide in him, and he abides in them. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit that he has given us.

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**Reader:** The Word of the Lord.

**People:** Thanks be to God.

**Gradual:** The King of Love My Shepherd is.....Hymnal # 645 (1,2/5,6)

*Please stand*

**Celebrant:** The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. John.

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

**The Gospel: John 10:11-18**

Jesus said, "I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away-- and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father."

**Celebrant:** The Gospel of the Lord.

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

*Please be seated*

**The Sermon:** .....Fr. Haynes

*Please stand*

**The Nicene Creed**

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 worshipped 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.

### **The Prayers of the People**

*Please kneel*

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, that your Holy Spirit would guide and direct your Church throughout the world to be a sign of the Kingdom; for the Episcopal Church, our Presiding Bishop, Katharine, and for Greg and Nedi, our Bishops. And we give you thanks for the gift of life, remembering the birthdays of.....and the wedding anniversary(ies) of....; We pray for all those on our prayer list...and those we now name; We pray for the deployed, especially....; We pray for those who have died, especially...; 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.*

*Please stand*

## The Peace

**Celebrant:** The peace of the Lord be always with you.

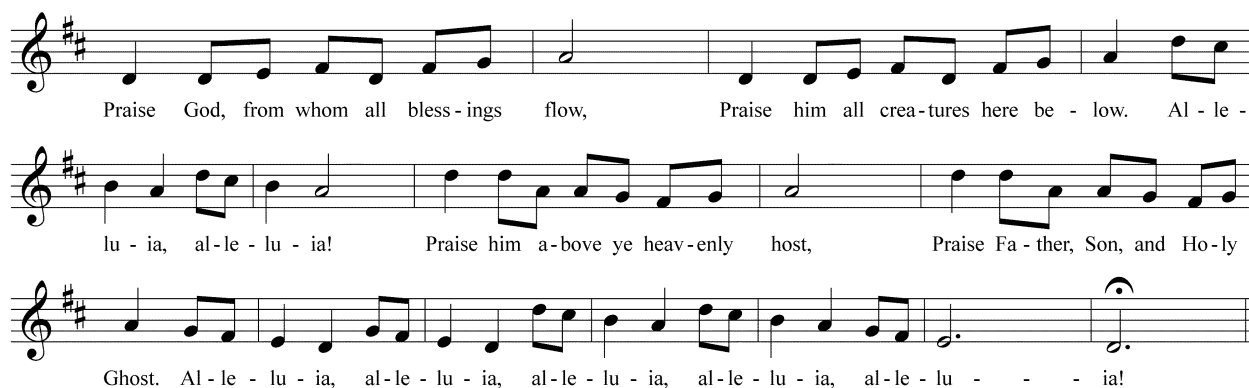
**People:** And also with you.

## Celebration Prayer

Watch over your children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

## Offertory

## Doxology



Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow, Praise him all crea - tures here be - low. Al - le -  
lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise him a - bove ye heav - enly host, Praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly  
Ghost. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!



## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

### Eucharistic Prayer A

*Celebrant*                      *People*

The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

*Celebrant*                      *People*

Lift up your hearts. 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.

**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.

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:

### Sanctus et Benedictus

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,

heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -

san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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

san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

*Celebrant continues*

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, 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; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, 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."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

*Celebrant and People*

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

*The Celebrant continues*

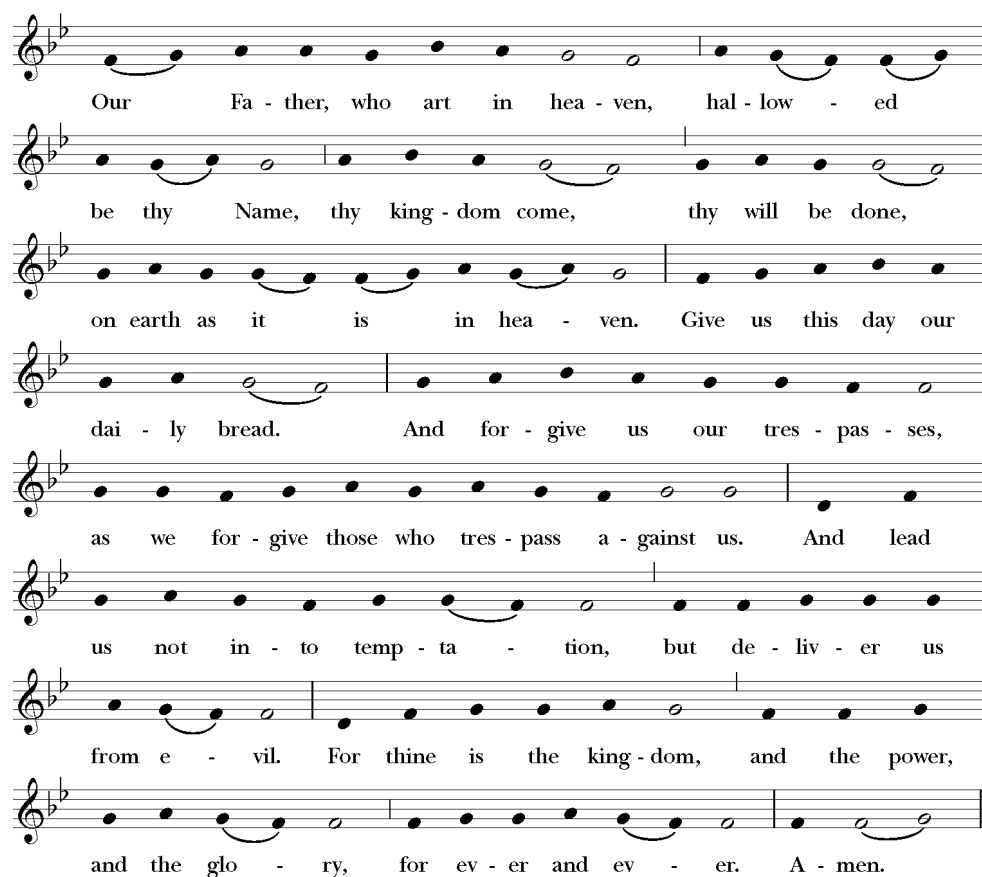
We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. 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.*

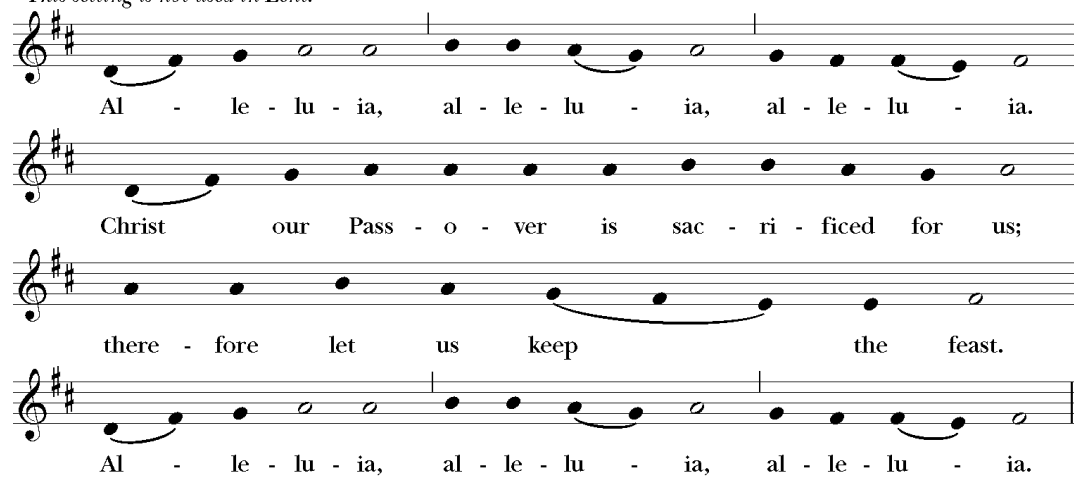
And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,



Our Fa - ther, who art in hea - ven, hal - low - ed  
be thy Name, thy king - dom come, thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in hea - ven. Give us this day our  
dai - ly bread. And for - give us our tres - pas - ses,  
as we for - give those who tres - pass a - gainst us. And lead  
us not in - to temp - ta - tion, but de - liv - er us  
from e - vil. For thine is the king - dom, and the power,  
and the glo - ry, for ev - er and ev - er. A - men.

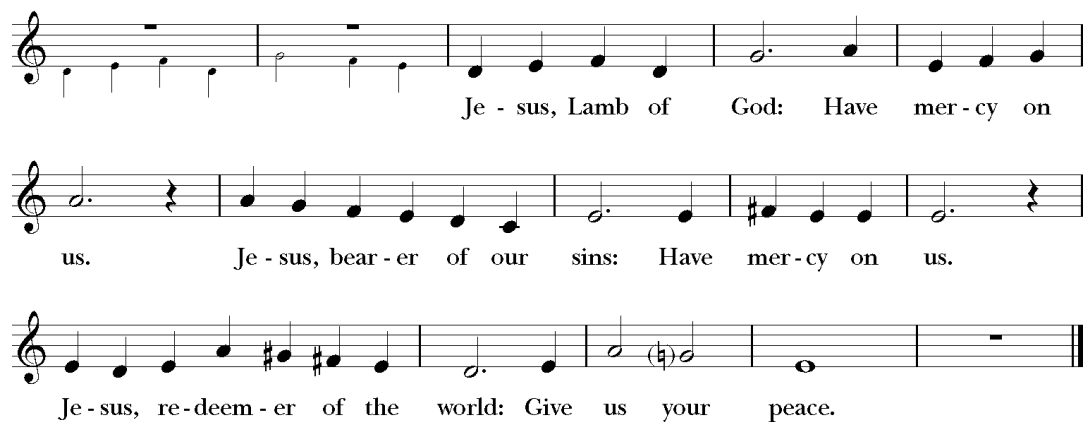
## The Breaking of the Bread

*This setting is not used in Lent.*



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.  
Christ our Pass - o - ver is sac - ri - ficed for us;  
there - fore let us keep the feast.  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

## Fraction Anthem



**Celebrant:** The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

### Invitation to Communion

*This is our Lord's Table, and He is our host. All baptized persons are invited to receive Holy Communion. Those who have yet to be baptized are invited to come forward for a blessing and are encouraged to speak with one of the clergy after the service about becoming baptized into Christ's Body.*

**Communion Hymn:** Shepherd of Souls, refresh and bless ..... Hymnal # 343  
*Please remain kneeling*

**Celebrant:** Let us pray.

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 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;

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and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. *Amen.*

**The Dismissal**

**Celebrant:** Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia. Alleluia.

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

**Processional:** Praise the Lord, Rise up Rejoicing..... Hymnal # 334

**Postlude:** Postlude..... Buxtehude

*(All children are invited to gather in the narthex around the wooden cross  
to proceed to Sunday School.)*

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Today's Liturgy

**Liturgists**

**8:40 a.m.**

**Lay Readers** – Craig Doupé, Pat Nordgren

**LEM's** – Terri Lolcama, Judy Bungay, Jean Gray, John Clancy

**Acolytes** – Lauren Dudley, Sarah Snyder, Lindon Coulter

**Greeters** – Terry & Walli Roarke

**10:30 a.m.**

**Lay Readers** – Frank McCracken

**LEM's** – Donna P. Snyder, Frank McCracken, Dave Johnson, Nicki Adams

**Acolytes** – Matt Burgess, Katie Willebrand, Clare Whalen

**Ushers** – Page Howard

**Greeters** – Dave & Joan Johnson

**Altar Candles**

The altar candles are given by Jo Jastad in loving memory of her sister, Sylvia and in celebration of the birthday of her niece, Nancy.

**Altar Flowers**

The altar flowers are given by Clyde and Jean Kalahan in thanksgiving for the birthday of their daughter, Martha Walker. Marion Schwartz in loving memory of Fred, on their wedding anniversary. Grace Boyd in loving memory of her mother, Ruth N. Schoop, on her birthday. Peter and Marylu Wallerich in loving memory of Clarence W. Wallerich. Ray Alburger in thanksgiving for the birthday of his son, Tim.

Remembrances for the Week

**Birthdays**

5 John Snyder  
7 Gayle Wells  
8 Maya McDonald-Neal  
9 Donna McCracken

**Wedding Anniversaries**

7 Herm & Mary Lou Sommer  
9 Brad & Liz MacGowan

**Death Anniversaries**

4 Gertrude Jackson  
6 Jane Wurster  
6 Jack Blackwell  
7 J. Leigh Deno  
8 Robert Heath

Special Announcements

*We welcome all of the young people who have participated in the JYC Conference at St. Mary's this weekend.*

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## **School News**

Dear Parishioners,

The month of May brings so many blessings, including *Mother's Day*, celebrated on May 10. Mother Teresa proclaimed Motherhood to be the greatest of all vocations. Please know that as we move into this special season, the mothers will be in our prayers of Thanksgiving.

I encourage you to please consider **St. Mary's Christian School** as a viable choice for your child. We serve children from ages 2 – 10 and our small class sizes and instructional practices insure individualized plans for each child. Please check us out, either on line, contact us, or drop by the office during business hours, daily from 8:00 – 3:00. The website address is: [www.holymotheroflakewood.org](http://www.holymotheroflakewood.org)

Blessings,  
Glen Lutz/Principal

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**The Worship Team ministry** supports the mission of St. Mary's Episcopal Church by providing praise and worship music at the second Sunday service each week. We currently have a pianist, percussion, vocals, and occasional guitar. If you sing or play an instrument and are interested in joining the Team, we would love to meet you and see how we can best use your musical skills to grow this ministry. **Rehearsals are on Saturday at 4:00 pm** in the Sanctuary, and Sunday mornings prior to service. Please contact the group's Director, Rachel Root ([Rachel.Root@tlc.edu](mailto:Rachel.Root@tlc.edu)) or Lay Leader, Heather Burgess ([heather.burgess2@gmail.com](mailto:heather.burgess2@gmail.com)) for additional information, or stop by a Saturday rehearsal. We look forward to having you join us!

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✕ May 17<sup>th</sup> – Pledge Sunday

✕ May 21<sup>st</sup> – Joint Episcopal/Lutheran Ascension Day Mass at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, 3315 S. 19<sup>th</sup> St., Tacoma WA 98409.

✕ May 23<sup>rd</sup> – Ascension Tea for the Women and Girls of St. Mary's from 2 to 4 p.m. Sign up in the narthex.

✕ May 31<sup>st</sup> – Pentecost – 10:00 a.m. Mass – Bishop Nedi Revira to celebrate. We will have baptisms, renewal of faith, blessing of 2009-2010 pledges and celebrate 50 years as a parish.