Emmanuel Episcopal Church

The Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost October 23, 2022 8:00am & 10:30am



The Pharisee and the Publican James Tissot 1886-189

As we gather before the service begins, we encourage people to use the time as a centering for prayer and meditation. Please recycle your bulletin. Bins are located at the entrances.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Prelude

Sarabande and Interlude Trish Rooney, organ

Processional Hymn

Praise the Spirit in creation

(stand as you are able)

Opening Acclamation

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

The Collect for Purity

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.*

The Gloria in Excelsis

People: 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.

Sumsion

Hymn #506



(standing) Collect for the Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

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

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Lessons

Old Testament A Reading from the Prophet Joel

Joel 2:23-32

O children of Zion, be glad and rejoice in the LORD your God;

for he has given the early rain for your vindication, he has poured down for you abundant rain, the early and the later rain, as before.

The threshing floors shall be full of grain, the vats shall overflow with wine and oil.

I will repay you for the years that the swarming locust has eaten,

the hopper, the destroyer, and the cutter, my great army, which I sent against you.

You shall eat in plenty and be satisfied, and praise the name of the LORD your God, who has dealt wondrously with you.

And my people shall never again be put to shame.

You shall know that I am in the midst of Israel, and that I, the LORD, am your God and there is no other.

And my people shall never again be put to shame.

Then afterward

I will pour out my spirit on all flesh;

your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams,

and your young men shall see visions.

Even on the male and female slaves, in those days, I will pour out my spirit. I will show portents in the heavens and on the earth, blood and fire and columns of smoke. The sun shall be turned to darkness, and the moon to blood, before the great and terrible day of the Lord comes. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved; for in Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there shall be those who escape, as the Lord has said, and among the survivors shall be those whom the Lord calls.

The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.



Psalm 84:1-6

1 How dear to me is your dwelling, O / LORD of hosts! * My soul has a desire and longing for the courts of the LORD; my heart and my flesh re-/joice in the living God.

2 The sparrow has found her a house, and the swallow a nest where she may / lay her young; * by the side of your altars O LORD of hosts, my / **King** and my God.

3 Happy are they who dwell / in your house! * they will / <u>always</u> be praising you.

4 Happy are the people whose / strength is in you! * whose hearts are set / on the pilgrims' way.

5 Those who go through the desolate valley will find it a / place of springs, * for the early rains have / <u>covered it with</u> pools of water.

6 They will climb from / height to height, * and the God of gods will re-/veal himself in Zion.

Glory to the Father and / to the Son,* And / to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the be-/ginning, is now,* And will / be for ever. Amen.

Epistle A Reading from Second Timothy

I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

At my first defense no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

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

Gradual Hymn

Surely it is God who saves me

(stand as you are able)

The Gospel The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

Luke 18:9-14

Hymn #679

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt: "Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, `God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income.' But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, `God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted."

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

(seated) Message

Steven KinCannon, Seminarian

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 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.

(stand) The Prayers of the People

The Leader and People pray responsively

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God. *Silence*

For all people in their daily life and work; For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

For this community, the nation, and the world; For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

For the just and proper use of your creation; For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble; For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

For the peace and unity of the Church of God; For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

For Michael our Presiding Bishop, Paula our Bishop, and for all bishops and other ministers; *For all who serve God in his Church.*

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation, especially Nancy, Kylla, Nile, and the people of Ukraine and Rockford;

Silence

The People may add their own petitions

Hear us, Lord; For your mercy is great.

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life and for those celebrating birthdays, especially Christee *Joesten (10/24)*, Susan *Gillespie (10/25)*, Kevin *Gayden (10/27)*, Lee *Joesten (10/27)*, Sally *Goddard (10/28)*, and Sarah *Torrence (10/28)* and for the birth of Olivia Rose.

Silence

The People may add their own thanksgivings

We will exalt you, O God our King; And praise your Name for ever and ever. We pray for all who have died, especially Kenneth and Charmaine, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them; *Who put their trust in you*.

Confession

Deacon: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

(you may kneel or be seated)

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 and Announcements

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

People: And also with you.

Offertory Anthem

Ubi Caritas tatutes

Duruflé/Hatwich

Ubi caritas et amor, Deus ibi est.	Where charity and love are, God is there.
Congregavit nos in unum Christi amor.	Christ's love has gathered us into one.
Exultemus, et in ipso iucundemur.	Let us rejoice and be pleased in Him.
Timeamus, et amemus Deum vivum.	Let us fear, and let us love the living God.
Et ex corde diligamus nos sincero. Amen.	And may we love each other with a sincere heart. Amen.

(8:00 am spoken)

Offertory Response

Celebrant: All things come of thee O Lord. People: And of thine own have we given thee.

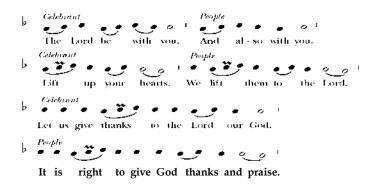
(10:30am sung) Offertory Response

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 LITURGY OF THE TABLE

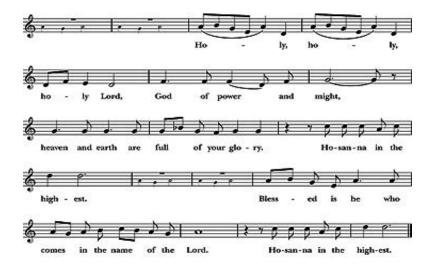
(standing) Eucharistic Prayer A

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 God 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:



(kneeling or seated)

Celebrant: **H**oly 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.

Celebrant: 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:

Lord's Prayer

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

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.

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

A period of silence is kept.

Agnus Dei (8:00 am spoken)

Celebrant and People:

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us your peace. (10:30 sung)



Celebrant: The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Communion Hymn

I sing the almighty power of God

Hymn #398

Harmon

Postcommunion 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.

Blessing (†)

(standing)

Recessio	onal Hymn	How firm a foundation	Hymn #637
Dismiss	al		
Deacon:	Let us go forth in the name of	Christ. Alleluia, alleluia.	
People:	Thanks be to God. Alleluia, allela	uia.	
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Postlude

Lyons

<u>Announcements</u>

A reminder to everyone, the Park Street doors are locked on Sunday mornings for everyone's safety. If you arrive at church and the narthex is empty, ring the bell and we will let you in.

Book Club will meet Tuesday, November 8th at 7pm on Zoom. November's Book is "Through the Narrow Gate" by Karen Armstrong Through the Narrow Gate is Karen Armstrong's intimate memoir of life inside a Catholic convent. With honesty and clarity, she explains what drove her at age seventeen to devote herself to God. Over the next seven years, she endures the difficulties of convent life—the enforced silence, the lack of friendship and family, her own guilt at not being able to stifle her voracious intelligence—and unveils the secrets of religious life during the post–Vatican II years. Through the Narrow Gate is a moving account of a young woman's search for God and the experiences that put Karen Armstrong on her way to becoming one of the most admired and most respected interpreters of religious faith.

<u>Civility Discussion Part Two:</u> today after the 10:30 service. Lunch is provided.

Dining Out Group: Indian Summer has come and gone and due to shorter days the Dining Out group will now start meeting for LUNCH at 11:30. Our next restaurant will be Fresco at the Gardens on Wednesday, Oct. 26th, 11:30. Please call Mary Nielsen at 815-654-8995 so reservations can be made. We look forward to sharing a meal and conversation with you. Won't you join us?

<u>Stewardship Lunch</u>: October 30th, at 11:45 in the Undercroft. There will be a catered lunch with a vegetarian option. Please RSVP to the office by October 24th.

<u>Clue:</u> For the next few weeks, Andrew Jessop, is streaming the 10:30 service remote while he is in "Clue" as Professor Plum. If interested in tickets, go to the link below. https://www.mercurytheaterchicago.com/clue-1#/?month=2022-11

<u>Calling all crafters!</u> We are asking that those of you who knit, crochet, weave, work with fleece, etc., consider committing to create an extra scarf or two this fall to donate to the Jubilee Center. We would like to make these scarves available to Jubilee Center clients on December 6th, which is St. Nicholas Day. A homemade item is a small gesture, but hopefully, one that shows someone cares. Last year we gave away over 700 scarves. Please help to make this happen again this year. Donations should be completed by Thanksgiving. If you should have questions, please get in touch with Greg Cox at: gcox@aghllaw.com.

Jeremiah Development is hosting a Moveable Trivia Contest fundraiser on Saturday, October 29 from 2:00-4:30 p.m. The cost per team is \$35. Register by contacting the JD office at 815-627-0001.Volunteers are needed to be at various sites during the hunt to pass out the trivia questions. Please contact Trish Rooney (815-985-0143) if you are able to volunteer or have any questions.

It's getting towards the end of the year, please remember to keep your pledge current.

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Assisting in the Liturgy

8:00 a.m.	Lector: Kyla Chapman-Neal
10:30 a.m.	Crucifer/Server: Stacey LaRosa Old Testament: Stacey LaRosa Epistle: Timothy Borden Prayers of the People: Steven KinCannon Altar Guild: Gale Degner Ushers: Robert & Betsy Parker

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