

CALVARY

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost
September 27, 2015
9 a.m.
The Holy Eucharist, Rite II



A faithful Episcopal Church welcoming all in the name of Christ

9:00 A.M. The Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Prelude *Two Voluntaries*

William Croft

*The Congregation is asked to sit as far forward as possible,
using the front pews of the Nave and of the Transepts.*

THE WORD OF GOD

All stand as the ministers enter.

Opening Acclamation

BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER, page 355

Priest: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People: And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Song of Praise *How wondrous and great thy works*

HYMNAL, 533

All sing together.

Collect for Purity

Collect of the Day

The Readings *All sit for the Lessons and Psalm.*

The Lesson

Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29

Psalm 19:7-14 *All say together.*

The Epistle

James 5:13-20

Gospel Alleluia-Verse *A cantor sings Alleluia, and all repeat it*



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, — al - le - lu - ia.

The law of the LORD is perfect, and revives the soul. —Ps. 119:97

The Holy Gospel *All standing*

Mark 9:38-50

Response before the Gospel Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Response after the Gospel Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Homily

The Reverend Jonathon W. Jensen

The Nicene Creed *Congregation standing*

BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER, page 358

The Prayers of the People

Intercessor Living God, in your mercy,

People hear our prayer.

Confession and Absolution

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The Peace

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

People: And also with you.

All may greet one another.

Welcome and Announcements

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Hymn

Spirit of God, descend upon my heart LIFT EVERY VOICE & SING II, 119

All stand and sing together

Eucharistic Prayer B

BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER, page 367

Sanctus *Holy, holy, holy Lord* All sing together HYMNAL, S 125
Hymnal "S"—numbers refer to Service Music, printed at the front of the Hymnal.

The service continues on page 368 of THE BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER.

The Lord's Prayer All say together

The Breaking of the Bread (A brief silence is kept.)

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

People: Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

THE ADMINISTRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

All baptized persons are welcome to receive Holy Communion.

Those not wishing to receive Communion may come forward for a blessing.

Parents are encouraged to bring children to receive Communion or a blessing.

Gluten free wafers are available upon request.

Music at Communion *Lord, what love have I* William Croft
Lord, what love have I unto thy law:
all the day long is my study in it. —Ps. 119:97

Hymn at Communion *Shepherd of souls, refresh and bless* HYMNAL, 343
All sing together, seated or kneeling

Postcommunion Prayer All say together BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER, page 365

The Blessing

Recessional Hymn *Lord, dismiss us with thy blessing* HYMNAL, 344

Dismissal All respond Thanks be to God.

Postlude *Psalm XIX* Benedetto Marcello

All who wish to listen to the postlude from the Choir Stalls are invited to do so.

Christian Formation classes for all ages begin at 10 A.M.

MUSICAL NOTES

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Introit *I have longed for thy saving health* William Byrd
I have longed for thy saving health, O Lord: thy Law is my delight.
O let my soul live, and it shall praise thee, and thy judgments shall help me.
—Psalm 119:174-75

Entrance Hymn *When morning gilds the skies* HYMNAL, 427
All sing together.

Opening Acclamation BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER, page 355
Priest Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Collect for Purity

Song of Praise *Glory to God in the highest* HYMNAL, S 278
Hymnal "S"—numbers refer to Service Music, printed at the front of the Hymnal.

THE WORD OF GOD

The Collect of the Day *All remain standing.*

Priest The Lord be with you.
People And also with you.
Priest Let us pray. *The Priest prays the Collect; all say Amen.*

The Readings *All sit for the Lesson and Epistle. The texts of the Readings are printed on the Insert.*

The Lesson Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29

Psalm 19:7-14 *setting by Alan Lewis*
The Choir sings the Refrain, and all repeat it



The Epistle James 5:13-20

Sequence Hymn

Spirit of God, descend upon my heart LIFT EVERY VOICE & SING II, 119
All stand and sing Stanzas 1-3

The Holy Gospel Mark 9:38-50

Response before the Gospel Glory to you, Lord Christ.
Response after the Gospel Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon The Reverend Jonathon W. Jensen

The Nicene Creed *All standing* BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER, page 358

The Prayers of the People *Congregation standing*

Intercessor: Living God, in your mercy,
People: hear our prayer.

Confession and Absolution BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER, page 360

The Peace *All may greet one another in the Lord's name.*

Welcome and Announcements

The Lord's Prayer *all say together*

The Breaking of the Bread *(A brief silence is kept.)*

Fraction Anthem *Alleluia. Christ our Passover*

HYMNAL, S155



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
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.

Setting: Gerald R. Near (b. 1942)

All baptized persons are welcome to receive Holy Communion. An usher will guide you to the altar rail or pulpit station. At the altar rail, kneel or stand, with hands cupped one on top of the other, to receive the consecrated bread. Please guide the chalice containing the wine to your lips. If you do not wish to receive directly from the chalice, you may dip a portion of the wafer carefully into the wine, or you may simply cross your arms over your chest as the Chalice Bearer passes.

Parents are encouraged to bring children to receive Communion or a blessing.

Those not wishing to receive Communion may come forward for a blessing.

Gluten free wafers are available upon request at the pulpit station

After receiving Communion, those who would like to receive laying on of hands and prayers for healing may go to the altar rail in the Lady Chapel.

Music at Communion *Teach me, O Lord, the way of thy statutes* Byrd

Teach me, O Lord, the way of thy statutes: and I shall keep it unto the end.

Give me understanding, and I shall keep thy law: yea, I shall keep it with my whole heart.

Make me to go in the path of thy commandments, for therein is my desire.

Incline my heart unto thy testimonies, and not to covetousness.

O turn away mine eyes, lest they behold vanity, and quicken me in thy way.

O 'stablish thy word in thy servant, that I may fear thee.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost,

As it was in the beginning, and is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

—Psalm 119: 33-38, with Gloria

Lord, what love have I

Croft

Lord, what love have I unto thy law: all the day long is my study in it. —Ps. 119:97

Hymn *O Food to pilgrims given*

HYMNAL, 309

Post-Communion Prayer

BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER, page 365

Said by all together, kneeling.

The Blessing

Hymn *Awake, my soul, stretch every nerve*

HYMNAL, 546

Dismissal *All respond: Thanks be to God.*

Postlude *Psalm XIX*

Benedetto Marcello

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Benedetto Marcello (1686-1739) was an Italian contemporary of Croft. His settings for voices and occasional instruments of the first fifty Psalms were published in Venice in the same years as Croft's *Music Sacra*; his *Psalm XIX* is widely heard in an adaptation for organ alone.

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MUSIC AT CALVARY

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3 at 8 P.M.

Anonymous 4 in Concert

The famed female quartet has released over 20 best-selling recordings and has delighted audiences around the world. This year marks their farewell tours; this appearance in Pittsburgh is co-presented with the Renaissance & Baroque Society of Pittsburgh.

Tickets at the door, or at www.rbsp.org



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23 at 8 P.M.

Organ Recital by Scott Dettra

Scott Dettra has been acclaimed as one of the leading American concert organists of his generation. He combines an active performance schedule with his post as Director of Music and Organist at the Church of the Incarnation in Dallas, where he leads a vibrant music program in the country's fifth largest Episcopal parish.



Presented by The Organ Artists Series of Pittsburgh, sponsored by the Pittsburgh Chapter, American Guild of Organists. *For details, visit www.pitago.org.*

NEWCOMERS AND GUESTS are always welcome at Calvary Church. Our service uses the three books located in the pew: *The Book of Common Prayer*, *The Hymnal 1982*, and *Lift Every Voice and Sing II*. Directions in the service bulletin indicate where it is customary to stand or kneel. We invite you to participate as you are able. We hope you will take a moment to read and complete the Welcome Card in the pew, and place it in the offertory plate as it passes.

CHILDREN OF ALL AGES are welcome in worship services. Packets of materials for children are available from the ushers. *Nursery Care available during the 9 a.m. and the 11 a.m. services.* The Infants' and Toddlers' Nursery is downstairs on the Christian Education level.

WEEKLY OFFERING CARDS that say "My gift comes electronically or by mail" can serve as a visible sign of your gift. Look for the purple cards in a basket in the Narthex or by the North Transept door each week, take one, and place it in the offering plate.

PARISH COUNCIL invites you to stop by our "Welcome and Join-in" booth in the Parish Hall.

Participants in Today's Services

8 a.m. – The Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Celebrant & Preacher . . . The Reverend Leslie G. Reimer
LectorGeorge Carvell
Chalice BearerDavid Eichelberger

9 a.m. – The Holy Eucharist, Rite II

CelebrantThe Reverend T.J. Freeman
PreacherThe Reverend Jonathon W. Jensen
AcolyteIsabella Victoria
LectorsNancy Bromall Barry, Walter Bowman
Chalice BearersPhilip Parr, Katie Wooldridge

11 a.m. – The Holy Eucharist, Rite II

CelebrantThe Reverend T.J. Freeman
PreacherThe Reverend Jonathon W. Jensen
VergersJim Cassaro
AcolytesAdrian O'Sullivan, Reese Basehore,
Lowrie Woodside, Charlie Merriman
LectorsRussell Ayres, Stuart Knoop, Sarah Wilson
Chalice BearersWilliam Stevens, Kathleen Farrington,
Jon Mazur, Ruth Fowler
Flower DeliveryGillian Cannell, Ellen Maye
Altar GuildMelissa Crimmins' Team
Coffee Hour HostsParish Council

3 p.m. – Sheldon Calvary Camp Holy Eucharist

Celebrant & Preacher . . . The Reverend Leslie G. Reimer

5 p.m. – CandleMass

Celebrant & Preacher . . . The Reverend Jonathon W. Jensen
LectorJean Ferguson Carr
Chalice BearerDavid Eichelberger

Our Parish Life

Sheldon Calvary Camp in Pittsburgh

Calvary Church hosts a Sheldon Calvary Camp service on the fourth Sunday of each month. **All are invited TODAY at 3 p.m.** for an informal celebration of the Holy Eucharist with music from the camp songbook. We will meet in the Refectory.



Holy Baptism

On **All Saints Sunday, November 1**, we will be offering the sacrament of Holy Baptism at the 11 o'clock service. If you yourself or someone you know desires to partake in this sacrament please contact the Rev. T.J. Freeman (tjfreeman@calvarypgh.org or 412.661.0120 ext. 112) **prior to October 5**, so that the appropriate preparation and arrangements can be made.

Our New Photo Directory

Be part of our upcoming photography event. We will take reservations for portrait sessions outside the Parish Hall each Sunday after services. The photo dates are **October 6–10, 13 & 14, 2015**. Each church family receives a complimentary 8x10 and a free directory for participating. You will have the opportunity to purchase additional portraits for yourself, family and friends. (Pets are welcome to your portrait session). Look for the insert in your service bulletins for more details.

Needed: Kitchen Mixer with Dough Hook

The Women of Calvary is in need of a KitchenAid Professional Mixer with a dough hook, to be used for the making of bread for our weekly welcome gift to visitors. If you are downsizing and wish to donate a KitchenAid Professional, let us know. We can pick it up or receive it at the church. Or if you wish to make a donation towards a purchase, please contact Kathy Farrington at farringtonk@me.com, 412.606.3983.

EECM Food Pantry “Food of the Month”

Each month, East End Cooperative Ministry makes a special appeal for a particular food pantry staple; however, donations of *all* non-perishable foods are always welcome! **The food for October it's Stuffing Mix; for November it's Instant Mashed Potatoes.** Leave your donation in the shopping cart in the Parish Hall. Thank you so much.

E-Waste Recycling Event

October 17, 2015 • 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. in Calvary's Parking Lot

Calvary Episcopal Church and Commonwealth Computer Recycling are proud to offer an opportunity to responsibly recycle obsolete electronics. We will accept all electronic devices with a plug EXCEPT large appliances, TVs, CRT monitors, and smoke detectors. A portion of the proceeds will benefit Calvary Episcopal Church. On-site data destruction available for a \$10 donation per hard drive. For a full list of acceptable items please visit the recycle website events page at www.ccrCyber.com/events/

Pittsburgh East CROP Hunger Walk

Sunday, October 11, 2015

If you are interested in participating, please contact Marsha Morris, Calvary Parish Secretary, at 412.661.0120 ext. 111, secretary@calvarypgh.org. There will be opportunities to sign up for the walk **TODAY with Colleen Sari**, and on October 4 with Mary Ann Slater. Look for the registration table in the Parish Hall.

Blessing of the Animals

Please bring your furry and feathered friends and gather with the clergy of Calvary Episcopal Church in the Swan Garden **at 3 p.m. on October 4** for the annual Blessing of the Animals. Human and animal treats will be served. For their happiness and safety, please keep your pets leashed or otherwise in your loving care.

2015 Holiday Bazaar November 14, 10 a.m.–3 p.m.

Silent Auction



Along with special event tickets and decorative items, we are looking for “Theme Gift Baskets” to be sold at our table. Ideas are many, but include things such as a Teachers Gift Basket, a New Mother’s Basket or a Recipes & Spices Basket. There are so many creative ideas, and they will be popular items to include in our Silent Auction. Please call Sandy Ekstrom to discuss or donate at 412.721.9764.

Nature’s Gifts

Diane Styles is hosting a craft workshop on Wednesday, September 30 to create sale items for Nature’s Gifts. Call to let her know you’ll be coming at 412.780.1245 and she’ll give you directions. Diane’s address is 137 Ryan Drive, Pittsburgh 15220, a 20-minute drive from Calvary. There are no stairs to climb and instructions (as needed) and supplies are furnished. Please join us for fun and fellowship! Also, we’d love to have you volunteer for a 2-hour shift to help us the day of the Bazaar at our sales tables. Call Diane to volunteer or with any questions.

Autumn Women’s Home Eucharist

Women of Calvary will be hosting a Autumn Women’s Home Eucharist to be held on **Thursday, October 22, 2015** at Longwood at Oakmont, 500 Route 909, Verona, PA 15147, from 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Lunch will be at noon followed by Eucharist led by the Reverend Leslie Reimer. This event is for all of the Women in our Parish. Please bring a side dish or dessert. RSVP Kathy Farrington: farringtonk@me.com, 412.606.3983.

Dinner and a Movie

Calvary’s next “Dinner and a Movie” is set for **Saturday, October 17** in the parish hall.

“Bedazzled,” a perennial comic favorite at religious film festivals, is a 1967 version the Faust legend set in 1960s swinging London. A down-and-out short-order cook (Dudley Moore) promises his soul to the Devil (Peter Cook) and in return receives seven wishes but is continually foiled by the Devil and some creatively depicted sins. In his review, critic Roger Ebert wrote the film was “magnificently photographed, intelligent (and) very funny.”

A potluck dinner begins at 5:30 p.m., with the movie starting at 6:30. Attendees whose last names begin with the letter A- M are asked to bring a main dish; those with last names beginning N-Z should bring a side dish or dessert to share. Along with a food dish, please bring your beverage of choice.

For more information, please contact Mary Ann Slater, 724.840.5477 or Tom Slater, 724.549.2950.

The Calendar

Weekday Eucharists

Monday: 6 P.M.; Wednesday: 7 A.M., 10:30 A.M. (Healing Service)

Office Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Sunday September 27, 2015

The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

- 7:30 A.M. Coffee
- 8:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist
- 9:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist
- 9:00 A.M. Choristers' Warm-Up
- 9:00 A.M. Bible Study
- 10:00 A.M. Adult Forum
- 10:00 A.M. Christian Formation Classes
- 10:00 A.M. Adult Choir Warm-Up
- 11:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist
- 12:00 P.M. Hospitality Hour
- 12:30 P.M. CYG
- 3:00 P.M. Calvary Camp Holy Eucharist
- 4:00 P.M. Hospitality Hour
- 5:00 P.M. CandleMass
- 6:00 P.M. Reception

Monday September 28, 2015

Richard Rolle, 1349, Walter Hilton, 1396, and Margery Kempe, c. 1440, Mystics

- 6:00 P.M. Holy Eucharist
- 6:30 P.M. Vestry Dinner and Meeting
- 7:00 P.M. Centering Prayer

Tuesday September 29, 2015

Saint Michael and All Angels

- 8:30 A.M. Beginnings
- 10:00 A.M. Staff Meeting
- 1:00 P.M. Beginnings
Extended Day Program

Wednesday September 30, 2015

Jerome, Priest, and Monk of Bethlehem, 420

- 7:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist
- 8:30 A.M. Beginnings
- 9:45 A.M. ESL
- 10:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist
- 4:00 P.M. Choristers' Study Hall
- 4:30 P.M. Choristers' Rehearsal
- 6:00 P.M. EfM

Thursday October 1, 2015

Remegius, Bishop of Rheims, c. 530

- 8:30 A.M. Beginnings
- 9:30 A.M. EfM
- 9:45 A.M. ESL
- 7:30 P.M. Adult Choir Rehearsal

Saturday October 3, 2015

George Kennedy Allen Bell, Bishop of Chichester, and Ecumenist, 1958; John Raleigh Mott, Evangelist and Ecumenical Pioneer, 1955

- 10:00 A.M. Centering Prayer
- 8:00 P.M. Anonymous 4 in Concert

Sunday October 4, 2015

Saint Michael and All Angels (observed)

- 7:30 A.M. Coffee
- 8:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist
- 9:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist
- 9:00 A.M. Bible Study
- 9:00 A.M. Choristers' Warm-Up
- 10:00 A.M. Adult Forum
- 10:00 A.M. Christian Formation Classes
- 10:00 A.M. Adult Choir Warm-Up
- 11:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist
- 12:00 P.M. Hospitality Hour
- 12:45 P.M. CYAM (at The Steel Cactus)
- 3:00 P.M. Blessing of the Animals
- 5:00 P.M. CandleMass
- 6:00 P.M. Reception

*To make reservations for starred events, for which a meal is being prepared, please telephone the church office, 412.661.0120, extension 140.

Christian Formation _____

Sunday School class locations:

Nursery – Level A • Pre-K & K – Level A • Grades 1-3 – Level A
Grades 4 & 5 – Level E, Conference Room
Grades 6 & 7 – Level F, Evans Room
Confirmation Class (Grades 8 & 9) – Level E, Shoemaker Room
High School – Level G, Youth Room



10 a.m., in the Refectory

TODAY – “*Calvaryography*”

Phil Hallen will discuss this memoir about his fifty-five years as a Calvary parishioner. He says of *Calvaryography*, “For those who were around at the time, it may bring back memories of other events. For those joining Calvary’s family later, I hope captures some of the drama of those historic times, the excitement of pioneering and how Calvary has always seized the moment.”

Sunday, October 4: Invite•Welcome•Connect

“Inviting, welcoming, and connecting persons in our congregations are vital steps for building healthy, vibrant and growing churches. Mary Parmer developed these materials as a congregational development consultant and they include assessment tools and creative, concrete resources to form a systematic and intentional newcomer ministry.” Curate T.J. Freeman recently attended Invite•Welcome•Connect training. He will share lessons learned from this experience and from the past year of engaging in newcomer ministry at Calvary Episcopal Church. The conversation will explore best practices for inviting, welcoming, connecting with new members in our community of disciples of Jesus Christ.

Sunday, October 11: Journey to Generosity

Michelle and Mark Rust will provide a summary of the upcoming Stewardship campaign. Jonathon will then follow-up with a discussion of the current status of Calvary and his vision for the future.

Calvary Youth Group

Calvary Youth Group will be starting up again this fall! If you, or anyone your know is in 6th–12 grade, you are welcome to join the Calvary Youth Group, a community centered around friendship, service, and growing up in the church.

Hold on your calendar September 27, October 11, and October 18, from 1-3 p.m. for future Youth Group meetings. Questions? Please email calvarysquad@gmail.com.

–Your excited new youth group leaders: Julia Carr and Emma Schauf

CALVARY YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Sunday, October 4 – Brunch (Steel Cactus, 5505 Walnut) 12:45 p.m.

Tuesday, October 13 – Holy Happy Hour (The Yard, 736 Bellefonte) 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, October 21 – Thursday Theology: Baptism (in the Evans Room), 6–8 p.m.
(Please note that this is actually a Wednesday due to a scheduling conflict in the church)

The Prayers of the People_____

For the Anglican Communion, and for Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury:

Spokane (Province VIII, The Episcopal Church) – The Right Reverend James Waggoner.

For the Episcopal Church, and for Katharine, Presiding Bishop, and for Michael, our Presiding Bishop elect.

For the Episcopal Diocese of Pittsburgh and for The Right Reverend Dorsey W. M. McConnell, Bishop.

For the parishes of the Episcopal Diocese of Pittsburgh, especially St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Brentwood, the Reverend Canon Dr. Jay Geisler, and the Reverend Howard Gillette.

For those serving in the armed forces.

For those who are ill or convalescing: Cynthia McCormick, Sara Colligan.

Let us remember those who continue in our prayers: Charles Mullen, Ann Wardrop, Dora Graff, Julie Grimstad, Louise Manning, Richard Fahrner, Michael.

For those who have been commended to our prayers: William Marchl, Don Harrison, Joe Norton, Dan Christopher, Mary and Charlie, Daniel McCormick, Ceil Sugar, Barbara Arbogast, Ann Lee Grimstad, André, Henry Edward Albee, Marvin Patterson, John Hellegers, Jane Miller, David, Peg, Benjamin Jackson, Evelyn and Jack Nickel, Jane and Lorraine Balun, Judy Reese, Benjamin Hutto.

For people throughout the world living with HIV and AIDS.

For all those with long-term or life-threatening illnesses.

For caregivers.

For those who have died: Joan Clark.

For those in whose memory altar flowers are given:

HIGH ALTAR Its founder, Mrs. Strong Vincent, *by the Sisterhood.*

LADY CHAPEL Conrad Hess, *by his wife and family, Carolyn Hess, Pamela and Bill Jones, Carolyn and Charles Hess, and three grandchildren.*

{To add or remove names from the Prayer List, please call the church office }

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Proper 21

September 27, 2015

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

O God, you declare your almighty power chiefly in showing mercy and pity: Grant us the fullness of your grace, that we, running to obtain your promises, may become partakers of your heavenly treasure; 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 the Book of Numbers [11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29]

The rabble among them had a strong craving; and the Israelites also wept again, and said, "If only we had meat to eat! We remember the fish we used to eat in Egypt for nothing, the cucumbers, the melons, the leeks, the onions, and the garlic; but now our strength is dried up, and there is nothing at all but this manna to look at." Moses heard the people weeping throughout their families, all at the entrances of their tents. Then the LORD became very angry, and Moses was displeased. So Moses said to the LORD, "Why have you treated your servant so badly? Why have I not found favor in your sight, that you lay the burden of all this people on me? Did I conceive all this people? Did I give birth to them, that you should say to me, 'Carry them in your bosom, as a nurse carries a sucking child,' to the land that you promised on oath to their ancestors? Where am I to get meat to give to all this people? For they come weeping to me and say, 'Give us meat to eat!' I am not able to carry all this people alone, for they are too heavy for me. If this is the way you are going to treat me, put me to death at once – if I have found favor in your sight – and do not let me see my misery." So the LORD said to Moses, "Gather for me seventy of the elders of Israel, whom you know to be the elders of the people and officers over them; bring them to the tent of meeting, and have them take their place there with you. So Moses went out and told the people the words of the LORD; and he gathered seventy elders of the people, and placed them all around the tent. Then the LORD came down in the cloud and spoke to him, and took some of the spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders; and when the spirit rested upon them, they prophesied. But they did not do so again. Two men remained in the camp, one named Eldad, and the other named Medad, and the spirit rested on them; they were among those registered, but they had not gone out to the tent, and so they prophesied in the camp. And a young man ran and told Moses, "Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp." And Joshua son of Nun, the assistant of Moses, one of his chosen men, said, "My LORD Moses, stop them!" But Moses said to him, "Are you jealous for my sake? Would that all the LORD's people were prophets, and that the LORD would put his spirit upon them!"

Reader: The Word of the LORD

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 19:7-14

- 7 The law of the LORD is perfect and revives the soul; *
the testimony of the LORD is sure and gives wisdom to the innocent.
- 8 The statutes of the LORD are just and rejoice the heart; *
the commandment of the LORD is clear and gives light to the eyes.
- 9 The fear of the LORD is clean and endures for ever; *
the judgments of the LORD are true and righteous altogether.
- 10 More to be desired are they than gold, more than much fine gold, *
sweeter far than honey, than honey in the comb.

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- 11 By them also is your servant enlightened, *
and in keeping them there is great reward.
- 12 Who can tell how often he offends? *
cleanse me from my secret faults.
- 13 Above all, keep your servant from presumptuous sins;
let them not get dominion over me; *
then shall I be whole and sound, and innocent of a great offense.
- 14 Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my
heart be acceptable in your sight, *
O LORD, my strength and my redeemer.
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.
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A Reading from the Letter of James [5:13-20]

Are any among you suffering? They should pray. Are any cheerful? They should sing songs of praise. Are any among you sick? They should call for the elders of the church and have them pray over them, anointing them with oil in the name of the LORD. The prayer of faith will save the sick, and the LORD will raise them up; and anyone who has committed sins will be forgiven. Therefore confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective. Elijah was a human being like us, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth. Then he prayed again, and the heaven gave rain and the earth yielded its harvest. My brothers and sisters, if anyone among you wanders from the truth and is brought back by another, you should know that whoever brings back a sinner from wandering will save the sinner's soul from death and will cover a multitude of sins.

Reader: The Word of the LORD
Congregation: Thanks be to God.

**The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ According to Mark
[9:38-50]**

Response before the Gospel: Glory to you, LORD Christ.

John said to Jesus, "Teacher, we saw someone casting out demons in your name, and we tried to stop him, because he was not following us." But Jesus said, "Do not stop him; for no one who does a deed of power in my name will be able soon afterward to speak evil of me. Whoever is not against us is for us. For truly I tell you, whoever gives you a cup of water to drink because you bear the name of Christ will by no means lose the reward. If any of you put a stumbling block before one of these little ones who believe in me, it would be better for you if a great millstone were hung around your neck and you were thrown into the sea. If your hand causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life maimed than to have two hands and to go to hell, to the unquenchable fire. And if your foot causes you to stumble, cut it off; it is better for you to enter life lame than to have two feet and to be thrown into hell. And if your eye causes you to stumble, tear it out; it is better for you to enter the kingdom of God with one eye than to have two eyes and to be thrown into hell, where their worm never dies, and the fire is never quenched. For everyone will be salted with fire. Salt is good; but if salt has lost its saltiness, how can you season it? Have salt in yourselves, and be at peace with one another."

Response after the Gospel: Praise to you, LORD Christ.

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