

Preparing for the Service

*Welcome to a time of quiet reflection
in order to prepare for worship.*

*Focus on the Lord. Pray for your own
concerns. Pray for our church. Pray
for our world.*

The Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

August 16, 2026

Renewed Ancient Text (BCP 2019)

Opening Song

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing

**Come, thou Fount of
every blessing;
Tune my heart to sing
thy grace;
Streams of mercy,
never ceasing,
Call for songs of loudest praise.**

**Teach me some
melodious sonnet,
Sung by flaming tongues above;
Praise the mount!
I'm fixed upon it,
Mount of God's
unchanging love!**

**Here I raise my Ebenezer;
hither by thy help I've come;
and I hope, by thy good
pleasure,
safely to arrive at home.**

**Jesus sought me when a
stranger,
wandering from the fold of God;
he, to rescue me from danger,
interposed his precious blood.**

**O to grace how great a debtor
daily I'm constrained to be!
Let that grace now, like a fetter,
bind my wandering heart to
thee.**

**Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,
prone to leave the God I love;
here's my heart; O take and seal
it;
seal it for thy courts above.**

The Acclamation

BCP 123

Celebrant Blessed be God: the
Father (✠), the Son, and
the Holy Spirit.

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

Collect for Purity

BCP 124

**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 Summary of the Law

BCP 124

*We are reminded of the essence
of God's commandments for us.*

The Kyrie

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Celebrant Lord, have mercy
upon us.

***People* Christ, have mercy
upon us.**

Celebrant Lord, have mercy
upon us.

The Gloria

(Ode to Joy)

**Glory be to God in heaven
peace to those who love Him
well
On the earth let all His people
speak His grace, His wonders
tell**

**Lord we praise You
for Your glory, mighty Father
heaven's King
Hear our joyful adoration
and accept the praise we bring.**

**Only Son of God the Father
Lamb Who takes our sin away
now with Him in triumph seated
for Your mercy, Lord we pray.**

**Jesus Christ most high and holy
Savior You are God alone
in the glory of the Father
with the Spirit, Three in One.**

The Collect for the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And with your spirit.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

*The Celebrant prays the Collect
of the Day*

The First Reading

Isaiah 56:1-8

After the reading:

<i>Reader</i>	The Word of the Lord.
<i>People</i>	Thanks be to God.

Psalm 67

**¹ May God be gracious to us
and bless us
and make his face to shine
upon us,**

**² that your way may be known
on earth,
your saving power among
all nations.**

**³ Let the peoples praise you, O
God;
let all the peoples praise you!**

**4 Let the nations be glad and sing
for joy,
for you judge the peoples with
equity
and guide the nations upon
earth.**

**⁵ Let the peoples praise you,
O God;
let all the peoples praise you!**

**⁶ The earth has yielded its
increase;**

God, our God, shall bless us.

**⁷ God shall bless us;
let all the ends of the earth
fear him!**

The Second Reading

Romans 11:13-24

After the reading:

<i>Reader</i>	The Word of the Lord.
<i>People</i>	Thanks be to God.

The Gradual Song

Ancient Words

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**Holy words long preserved
for our walk in this world
they resound with God's
own heart
oh let the ancient words impart.**

**Ancient words ever true
changing me and changing you
we have come with open hearts
oh let the ancient words impart.**

The Gospel Reading

Matthew 15:21-28

Celebrant The Holy Gospel (†) of
our Lord Jesus Christ
according to Matthew.

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

After the Gospel:

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

Gospeler: Jesus said to His disciples,
“Let the children come to me; do not
hinder them,

***People:* For to such belongs the
kingdom of God.**

Gospeler: Let us pray together:

O Lord Jesus Christ, who took little children into your arms and blessed them: Bless the children of this church, that they may grow up in godly fear and love.

Give them your strength and guidance day by day, that they may continue in your love and service to their lives' end. Grant this, O blessed Savior, for your own Name's sake. Amen.

The Gradual Song

Ancient Words

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**Holy words of our faith
handed down to this age
came to us through sacrifice
oh heed the faithful words of
Christ.**

**Ancient words ever true
changing me and changing you
we have come with open hearts
oh let the ancient words impart.**

The Sermon

The Nicene Creed

BCP 127

*An ancient statement of the core beliefs of
the Christian faith*

**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, visible and invisible.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus
Christ,**

**the only-begotten 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,
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit
and 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,
who with the Father and the Son
is worshiped and glorified,
who 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

BCP 128

After each bidding:

Reader Lord, in your mercy:

***People* Hear our prayer.**

Celebrant prays closing prayer

The Confession and Absolution of Sin

BCP 129-130

Let us humbly confess our sins to
Almighty God.

Silence

*The Deacon and People kneel as
able and pray*

**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.**

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to him, have mercy upon you, (†) pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Comfortable Words

BCP 131

*The priest stands and says the
Comfortable Words as assurance
of God's forgiveness of us.*

The Peace

BCP 131

Celebrant The Peace of the Lord
be always with you.

***People* And with your spirit.**

*Celebrant says the Offertory
Sentence*

Offertory Song

Speak, O Lord

**Speak, O Lord, as we come to You
To receive the food of Your holy
Word**

**Take Your truth, plant it deep in us
Shape and fashion us in Your
likeness**

**That the light of Christ might be
seen today**

**In our acts of love and our deeds of
faith**

**Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us
All Your purposes for Your glory**

**Teach us, Lord, full obedience
Holy reverence, true humility
Test our thoughts and our attitudes
In the radiance of Your purity**

**Cause our faith to rise, cause our
eyes to see**

**Your majestic love and authority
Words of pow'r that can never fail
Let their truth prevail over unbelief**

**Speak, O Lord, and renew our
minds**

**Help us grasp the heights of Your
plans for us**

**Truths unchanged from
the dawn of time**

**That will echo down
through eternity**

**And by grace, we'll stand
on Your promises
And by faith, we'll walk
as You walk with us
Speak, O Lord,
'til Your church is built
And the earth is filled
with Your glory**

The Doxology

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**Praise God from whom all
blessings flow**

**Praise Him all creatures
here below.**

**Praise Him above ye
heavenly hosts**

**Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.**

*The celebrant receives the offering
and blesses it to be used for the
purposes of the Gospel.*

*The celebrant then washes their
hands with the help of an acolyte,
and prays that God might use their
hands to provide for His people
through the Eucharist.*

The Sursum Corda

BCP 132

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And with your spirit.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them up to
the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the
Lord our God.

People **It is right to give him
thanks and praise.**

*The priest continues the prayer,
speaking of one of the many
reasons why it is right to give God
thanks and praise.*

The Sanctus

Bettencourt

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

**Holy, holy, holy Lord
God of power 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
blessed is He Who comes in
the name of the Lord.**

The Prayer of Consecration

BCP 132

*Unforgetting who God is and what
He has done for us, and all of His
creation, in and through His Son,
Jesus Christ*

Therefore we proclaim the mystery
of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

The Lord's Prayer

BCP 134

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

**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 Fraction

BCP 135

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ our
Passover Lamb has
been sacrificed, once
for all upon the cross.

People **Therefore let us keep
the feast. Alleluia!**

The Prayer of Humble Access

BCP 135

Celebrant and People together say

**We do not presume to come to this,
your table, O merciful Lord, trusting
in our own righteousness, but in
your abundant and great mercies.**

We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table; but you are the same Lord, whose character is always to have mercy.

**Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord,
so to eat the flesh of your dear Son
Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood,
that our sinful bodies may be
made clean by his body, and our
souls washed through his most
precious blood, and that we may
evermore dwell in him, and he in
us. Amen.**

The Agnus Dei

Lamb of God

Paris

Your only Son, no sin to hide

but You have sent

Him from Your side

To walk upon this guilty sod

and to become the Lamb of God.

**O Lamb of God
sweet Lamb of God**

I love the holy Lamb of God

**O wash me in, His precious blood
My Jesus Christ the Lamb of God.**

The Ministration of Communion

BCP 136

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.

All baptized Christians are welcome and encouraged to take Communion.

If you do not wish to receive Communion, we invite you to come forward, cross your arms, and receive a blessing.

Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.

A prayer team is available in the narthex to pray for healing or other concerns.

I Will Wait for You

**Out of the depths, I cry to You
In darkest places, I will call
Incline Your ear to me anew
And hear my cry for mercy, Lord**

**Were you to count my sinful ways
How could I come before
Your throne?**

**Yet full forgiveness meets my gaze
I stand redeemed by grace alone**

**I will wait for You, I will wait for You
On Your Word, I will rely
I will wait for You, surely wait
for You
'Til my soul is satisfied**

**So put your hope in God alone
Take courage in His pow'r to save
Completely and forever won
By Christ, emerging from the grave**

**I will wait for You, I will wait for You
On Your Word, I will rely
I will wait for You, surely
wait for You
'Til my soul is satisfied**

**His steadfast love has made a way
And God Himself has paid the price
That all who trust in Him today
Find healing in His sacrifice**

**I will wait for You, I will wait for You
On Your Word, I will rely
I will wait for You, surely
wait for You
'Til my soul is satisfied**

**I will wait for You, I will wait for You
Through the storm and through the
night**

**I will wait for You,
surely wait for You
For Your love is my delight**

**I will wait for You, I will wait for You
Through the storm and through the
night**

**I will wait for You,
surely wait for You
For Your love is my delight**

**O Praise the Name
(Anastasis)**

**I cast my mind to Calvary
Where Jesus bled and died for me
I see His wounds,
His hands, His feet
My Saviour on that cursed tree**

**His body bound and
drenched in tears
They laid Him down
in Joseph's tomb**

**The entrance sealed by heavy stone
Messiah still and all alone**

**O praise the Name
of the Lord our God
O praise His Name forevermore
For endless days
we will sing Your praise
O Lord, O Lord our God**

**Then on the third at break of dawn
The Son of heaven rose again
O trampled death
where is your sting
The angels roar for Christ the King**

**O praise the Name
of the Lord our God
O praise His Name forevermore
For endless days
we will sing Your praise
O Lord, O Lord our God**

**He shall return in robes of white
The blazing sun
shall pierce the night
And I will rise among the saints
My gaze transfixed on Jesus' face**

**O praise the Name
of the Lord our God
O praise His Name forevermore
For endless days
we will sing Your praise
O Lord, O Lord our God**

**O praise the Name
of the Lord our God
O praise His Name forevermore
For endless days
we will sing Your praise
O Lord, O Lord our God
O Lord, O Lord our God**

Great Are You, Lord

Please Stand

**You give life, You are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope, You restore every
heart that is broken
And great are You, Lord**

**You give life, You are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope, You restore every
heart that is broken
And great are You, Lord**

**It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise, we pour
out our praise**

**It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You
only**

**You give life, You are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope, You restore
Every heart that is broken
And great are You, Lord**

**It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise,
we pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You
only**

**All the earth will shout Your praise
Our hearts will cry,
these bones will sing
Great are You, Lord**

**All the earth will shout Your praise
Our hearts will cry,
these bones will sing
Great are You, Lord**

**All the earth will shout Your praise
Our hearts will cry,
these bones will sing
Great are You, Lord**

**It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise,
we pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You
only**

**It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise,
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It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You
only**

Post-Communion Verse

BCP 136

The Celebrant offers a sentence of Scripture from the day's readings, as a reminder that what we have received from the table is the same reality we received from the Word.

Silent Prayer

*We take time to open ourselves
to any word from the Lord, either
for ourselves or for the
congregation.*

The Post Communion Prayer

BCP 137

**Heavenly Father, 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
forever. Amen.**

Announcements

**We desire to be a church family
that forms disciples, lives
generously, and shares the love of
God in our neighborhoods**

Today

Thank you for joining us for worship
today!

Join us for fellowship after the
service.

Ways to Connect

Fellowship Meal - after the service
today

Heckle the Rector - after the service

How to Read the Bible - Thursdays
(8/20,27,9/3) @ 6pm, Room 212

SDRM Day at the Bay - Saturday,
August 29

The Blessing

BCP 137

...and the blessing of God
Almighty, the Father (†), the Son,
and the Holy Spirit be among you
and remain with you always.

Amen.

Be Thou My Vision

**Be thou my Vision,
O Lord of my heart;
Naught be all else to me
save that thou art.
Thou my best thought
by day and by night;
Waking or sleeping,
thy presence my light.**

**Be thou my battle Shield,
Sword for the fight;
Be thou my dignity,
thou my delight.
Thou my soul's shelter,
and thou my high tower;
Raise thou me Heavenward,
O Power of my power.**

**High King of Heaven,
my victory won,
May I reach Heaven's joys,
O bright Heav'ns Sun!
Heart of my heart, whatever befall,
Still be my vision, O Ruler of all.**

The Dismissal

BCP 138

Deacon Alleluia! Alleluia!
Let us go forth in the
Name of Christ.

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

