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June 30, 2024, A Service of Holy Eucharist Proper 8 – 10:30am

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**Prelude** 

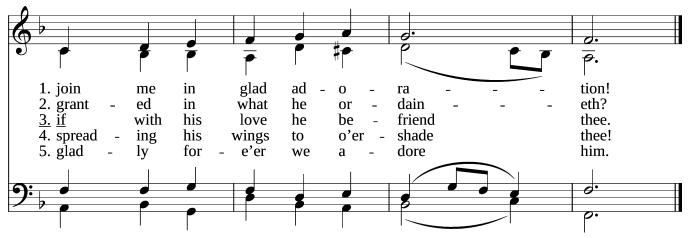
Little Prelude and Fugue in F – J. S. Bach

The Processional

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

The people stand, if able, and sing facing the procession





The Acclamation and Collect for Purity

The people remain standing

Celebrant Blessed be God, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

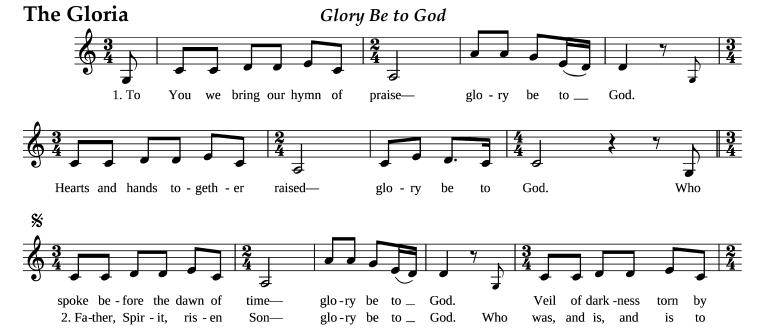
People And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

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.** 

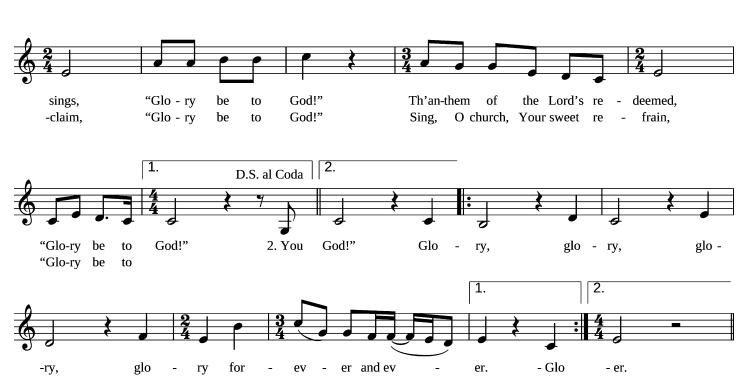
# The Summary of the Law

Jesus said: You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets.

*Matthew* 22:37-40







# The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.People And with your spirit.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: Graft in our hearts the love of your Name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and bring forth in us the fruit of good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

### The Lessons

The people sit for the reading of the lessons.

# The First Lesson

### Deuteronomy 15:7-11

Pew Bible pg. 159, LP pg. 187

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

#### Psalm 112

- 1 Praise the LORD! Blessed is the one who fears the LORD, \* who has great delight in his commandments.
- 2 His seed shall be mighty in the land; \*

the generation of the faithful shall be blessed.

3 Riches and plenteousness shall be in his house, \* and his righteousness shall endure for ever.

4 For the upright, there rises light in the darkness; \* he is merciful, loving, and righteous.

5 It is good for him to be generous in lending \* and to guide his words with discretion.

6 For he shall never be moved, \*

and the righteous shall be kept in everlasting remembrance.

7 He will not be afraid of any evil tidings, \* for his heart is steadfast and trusts in the LORD.

8 His heart is established, and will not fear; \*

at the last he shall see his desire upon his enemies.

9 He has given freely to the poor, \* and his righteousness endures for ever; his horn shall be exalted with honor.

10 The ungodly shall see it, and shall be angry; \*

he shall gnash his teeth, and waste away; the desire of the ungodly shall perish.

### The Second Lesson

Acts 18:1-11

Pew Bible pg. 927, LP pg. 1102

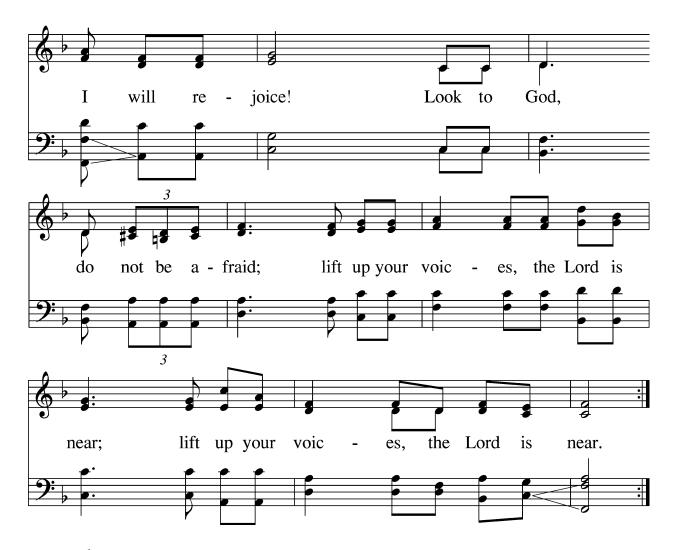
Reader The Word of the Lord.People Thanks be to God.

# The Gradual

In the Lord I'll be Ever Thankful

The people stand and sing, facing the procession





# The Gospel

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Mark.

People Glory to You, Lord Christ.

Mark 5:22-43

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

### The Sermon

The Reverend Jonathon Groves

# The Nicene Creed

The people stand if able

Celebrant Let us confess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed:

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

Let us pray for the Church and for the world, saying, "hear our prayer."

For the peace of the whole world, and for the well-being and unity of the people of God.

Reader Lord, in your mercy

People Hear our prayer.

For Foley, Julian, and William, our Bishops, for Matt, Jonathan, and all who minister at Good Shepherd, for Jerry and Ife, and for all the clergy and people of our Province and diocese.

(For a smooth transition of administration and authority from Archbishop Beach to Archbishop Woods. And in ADLW thanksgiving for the birth of Sara to the Rev. David and Wendolyn Montes.)

Reader Lord, in your mercy

People Hear our prayer.

For all those who proclaim the Gospel at home and abroad; and for all who teach and disciple others, especially for Tyler at New Covenant School, and for the work of Life Choices and for women and families in difficult situations.

Reader Lord, in your mercy

People Hear our prayer.

For our brothers and sisters in Christ who are persecuted for their faith. This week we pray for Christians in harm's way in the Anglican Communion.

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

For our nation, for those in authority, and for all in public service especially President Biden, Governor Hochul, Senator Webb, and Mayor Kraham.

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

For all those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially those you might name now.

Reader Lord, in your mercy
People Hear our prayer.

We bless your holy Name for all your servants who have departed this life, praying you will grant us grace to follow their good examples, that with them we might partake in your heavenly kingdom.

Your own additional prayers and thanksgivings are invited.

Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for the sake of Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.** 

### The Confession of Sin

Celebrant Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbors.

The people kneel if able and pray together

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
maker of all things, judge of all people:
We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness,
which we from time to time most grievously have committed,
by thought, word, and deed, against your divine Majesty,
provoking most justly your wrath and indignation against us.
We do earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings;
the remembrance of them is grievous unto us, the burden of them is intolerable.
Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;
for your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past;
and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please you in newness of life,

to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### Celebrant stands and says

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

### *The Celebrant says*

Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him.

If anyone sins, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.

~1 John 2:1-2

### The Peace

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

People And with your spirit.

Then the Celebrants and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

### The Announcements

# The Offertory

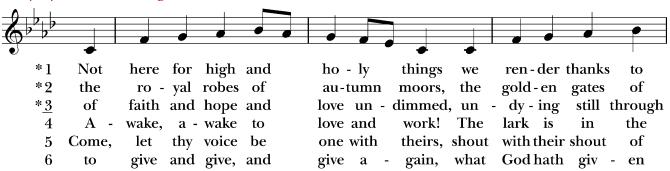
Let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven.

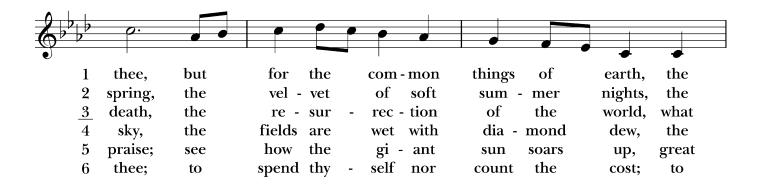
~Matthew 5:16

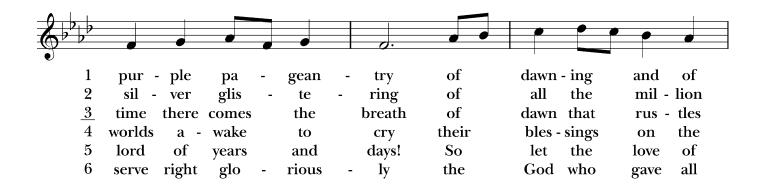
If you are a guest with us today, please do not feel obligated to give an offering. If you are a regular attender at Good Shepherd, you may give your tithe in several ways. An offering plate will be passed and you are welcome to give your offering there. There is also an offering box at the rear of the sanctuary where you may drop your tithe, or you can mail checks to 360 Conklin Avenue, Binghamton, NY, 13903. You can also give online through <u>Breeze</u> or you can text a donation through Breeze at 607-882-6551. Good Shepherd also has a <u>PayPal</u> account. As always, thank you for your great generosity and kind support.

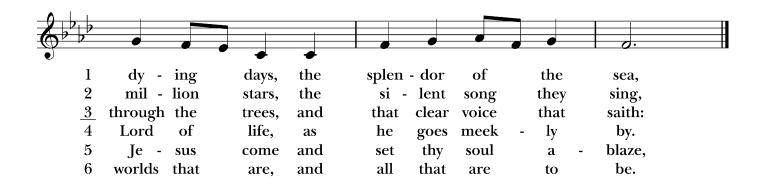
# **The Offertory Music** Not Here for High and Holy Things

The people remain sitting



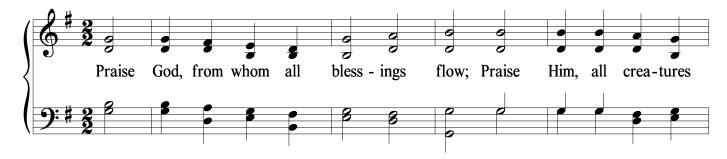


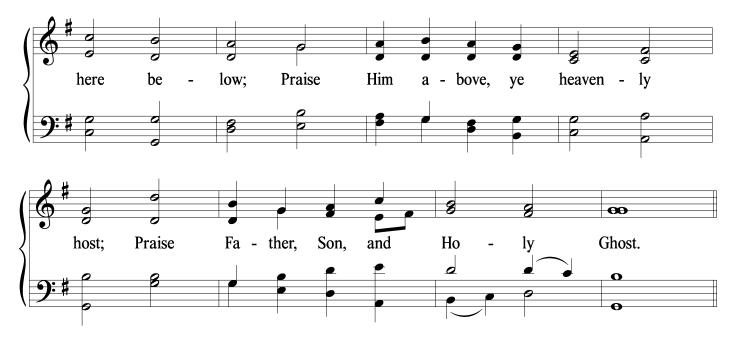




# The Presentation of the Gifts

The people stand, if able, and sing





# The Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And with your spirit.

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 just and right so to do.

# Facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds

It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

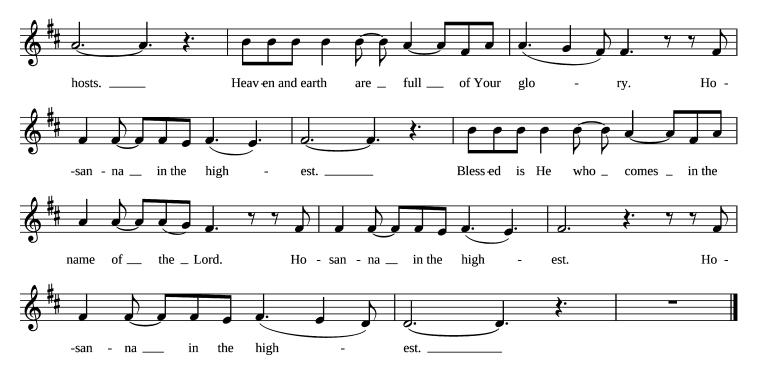
Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who on the first day of the week overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life

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:

### The Sanctus

The people remain standing and sing





# The Prayer of Consecration

The people kneel. The Celebrant continues

All praise and glory is yours, O God our heavenly Father, for in your tender mercy, you gave your only Son Jesus Christ to suffer death upon the Cross for our redemption. He made there, by his one oblation of himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation, and satisfaction, for the sins of the whole world; and he instituted, and in his Holy Gospel commanded us to continue, a perpetual memory of his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

So now, O merciful Father, in your great goodness, we ask you to bless and sanctify, with your Word and Holy Spirit, these gifts of bread and wine, that we, receiving them according to your Son our Savior Jesus Christ's holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most blessed Body and Blood.

For on the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my Body, which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for 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 in remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith

### Celebrant and People together



And here we offer and present to you, O Lord, ourselves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy, and living sacrifice. We humbly pray that all who partake of this Holy Communion may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ, be filled with your grace and heavenly benediction, and be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him.

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.



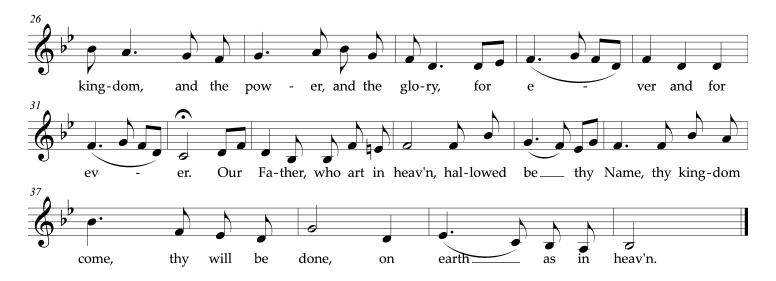
And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray:

# The Lord's Prayer

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The people remain kneeling, and say





### Fraction

The people remain kneeling and say

*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

Celebrant and people say together

We do not presume to come to this your Table,

O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness,

but in your manifold 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 property is always to have mercy.

Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord,

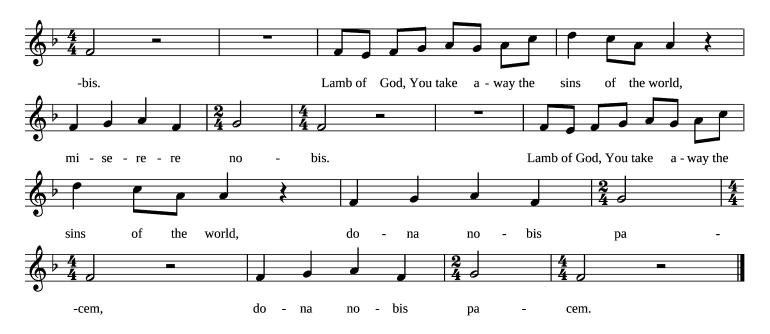
so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body,

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





# The Communion of the People

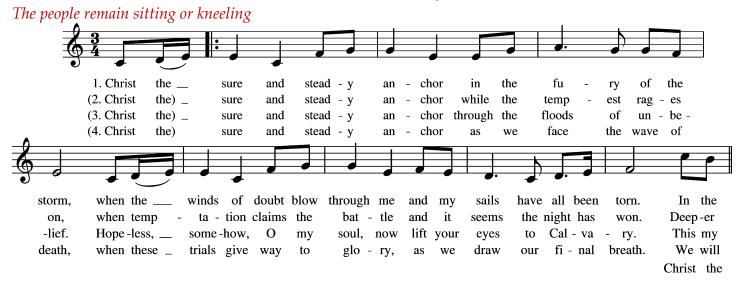
All Christians baptized in any denomination and in good standing with their home church are welcome to take Communion. If you are unable to take communion for any reason, you are warmly invited to the rail for a prayer and blessing: just place your hands across your chest and one of the pastors will bless and pray for you. If you are in a wheelchair or are unable to come forward for any reason, please let an usher know and we will bring the Sacrament to you in your pew. Gluten free wafers are available upon request when you come forward.

### The Invitation

#### 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.

# Communion Music Christ the Sure and Steady Anchor







# The Post-Communion Prayer

The people kneel

Celebrant Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

Almighty and ever-living God, we thank you for feeding us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us, through this Sacrament, of your favor and goodness towards us; and that we are true members of the mystical body of your Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of your everlasting kingdom. And we humbly ask you, heavenly Father, to assist us with your grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as you have prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

# The Blessing

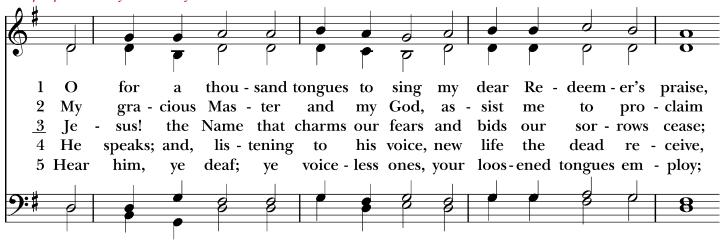
#### Celebrant

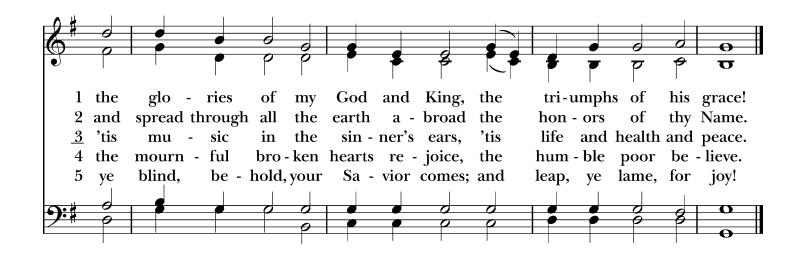
T he peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.** 

### The Recession

# O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

The people stand if able and face the recession





6 Glory to God and praise and love be now and ever given by saints below and saints above, the Church in earth and heaven.

### The Dismissal

The people stand if able

*Celebrant* Let us go forth, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit. Alleluia, alleluia.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

### **Postlude**

Fugue in G Major – J. S. Bach

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Did you have trouble reading the bulletin? Large Print copies are available upon request at the usher's table in the entryway.

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### Weekly Update, June 30, 2024

# **Ongoing Ministries**

**Tuesday Morning Bible Study** meets at 9:05 am in the Parish Hall to walk through the bible, verse by verse. It meets in person and is available online by livestream. They are currently in II Samuel.

### Shepherd's Bowl

Good Shepherd offers a dinner to the church and wider community on Thursday evenings from 5:30-6:30. This is a great time to get to know others and enjoy a free and delicious meal.

**Thursday Evening Bible Study** This study meets directly after Shepherd's Bowl in the Youth Room and is currently in Galatians.

Friday Morning Men's Bible Study meets at 6:30 am for breakfast, study, and prayer. If you are interested, please email or text Matt or Jonathan, or contact the church office. This class is currently in the Book of Revelation.

Women's Bible Study meets at 4:30pm on Friday afternoons in the Parish Hall. They are currently studying the book of Luke. Text Anne for a zoom link if you can't make it in person. WBS is on hiatus through July & August.

Morning Prayer meets online by Zoom at 7am Monday through Friday. The liturgy and readings are available at www.dailyoffice2019.com. Join the parish email list and look for a weekly email invitation in your inbox. Morning Prayer is on hiatus through July & August.

**Home Groups** meet weekly around the Binghamton area. They study the readings for the Sunday coming up, pray, and build relationships. Check in with Jonathan or Joe to get connected.

Home groups are on hiatus until the fall.

**Good Shepherd Youth Group** meets Sundays at 6pm. This is an engaging context for kids to grow in

- 1) Knowledge of scripture and doctrine
- 2) Faithfulness to Christ
- 3) Service to others

The youth group is on summer hiatus and will resume in September.

### **Christian Education for Everyone**

#### Children

For children aged 1-12 Good Shepherd offers Catechesis of the Good Shepherd—a program of prayer, worship, and scripture in specially prepared Montessori-style rooms—The Pen (1-3), The Pasture (3-6), The Vineyard (6-9), and The Tabernacle (7-12).

#### **Teens**

Teens aged 12 to 14 cover a range of topics—the Bible, Liturgy, Church History, Apologetics, the 39 Articles—in a three-year cycle. This is a discussion-style class that prepares kids for confirmation.

#### **Adult Class**

Discussion and study on topics ranging from Christian literature, the 39 articles, church history, difficult passages of the bible, and more.

### **Good Shepherd Food Pantry**

Having a bit of a hard time making ends meet? The Good Shepherd Food Pantry is for church members stocked by food provided by the congregation. If you could use some help, please feel free to pop into the food pantry (just off the kitchen). We also have a small basket in the freezer that might have a few items as well.

Everyone's generous donations are appreciated! Even a can or two can help.

Food Pantry current needs are: peanut butter, spaghetti sauce (especially with meat), Parmesan Cheese, Canned Soups other than tomato & chicken noodle, Canned Ravioli, and Tuna.

### Week at a Glance Schedule, June 30, 2024 – July 7, 2024

Sunday	
8:00am	Service of Holy Eucharist, no music
9:15am	Christian Ed for adults and children (online stream available)
10:30am	Service of Holy Eucharist (online stream available)

Congratulations! Ken and Kit Donovan welcomed their fifth child, Augustine Jerome, this month. Please pray for the family while they settle into being a household of seven, and if you are able, please consider taking them a meal. You can find the sign up sheet at: https://takethemameal.com/MMFC0265

### Tuesday

9:05am Tuesday Morning Bible Study

#### **Thursday**

5:30pm Shepherd's Bowl Community Dinner

6:00pm Beginners Bible Study

### **Friday**

6:30am Men's Breakfast and Bible Study

#### Sunday

8:00am Service of Holy Eucharist, no music

9:15am Christian Ed for adults and

children (online stream available)

10:30am Service of Holy Eucharist (online

stream available)

12:30pm Potluck

### Good Shepherd's Women's Group (EAW)

### Summer and Autumn Dates

July 20 Catechesis Materials Making Day

August 17 Flower Arranging and Flower Guild Introduction

September 21 Church Fall Cleaning Day

October 19 Potluck and Altar Guild Presentation November 16 Advent/Christmas Wreath Making

December Christmas Tea in Lieu of a meeting

### Happy Birthday!

- 3 Zhuri Fredette
- 5 Sawyer Groves
- 5 Don Dean
- 5 Darrell Dean
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#### **Potluck Schedule**

As summer is upon us, this seems like a good time to introduce the potluck schedule.

The first Sunday of most months is a potluck or cooking competition. Bring a dish to pass, or just come and have lunch after the 10:30!

If you're a person that enjoys competition, or judging other people (heh) please see Steph or Claudia to sign up as a judge for cooking competitions.

Asian Foods	July 7, 2024
Chili & Cornbread Competition	August 4, 2024
Church Picnic	*TBD
All Things Pumpkin	October 6, 2024
*TBD	November 3, 2024
Cookie & Pie Bakeoff	December 1, 2024

<sup>\*</sup>Please keep in mind that these are subject to change.

#### Pastries on the Portico

For the summer, Coffee Hour is on the porch facing Saratoga Ave. Stay after the 10:30 to catch up with old friends and make some new ones. If you like to bake, there's a sign up by the coffee urns.

### Please Pray For...

**ACNA Cycle of Prayer**: For a smooth transition of administration and authority from Archbishop Beach to Archbishop Woods.

**Anglican Diocese of the Living Word:** Thanksgiving for the birth of Sara to the Rev. David and Wendolyn Montes.

#### For the Homebound

Charles Mabula, Susan Dewing, Beverly Williams, Lyn Habicht, Chuck Corse

#### For the Sick

Peyton, Rick, Charles, Larry Dimmick, Chris, Joe, Sue, William and Arianna, Lin, Helen & Dave, Jeremy, Sarah, Ronnie, Theresa, Angel, Griffy, Ken

For our Missionaries

Please pray for the work of Life Choices and for women and families in difficult situations.

### The Vestry of Good Shepherd

Sr. Warden: Tom Dinnel
Jr. Warden: Scott Pineau
Treasurer: Chris Emmons
Mary Restino
Kariah Manwaring
Chris Jones
Sarah Dreher
Bill Lane

Daily Lectionary, Year II			
60 Day Psalter Cycle			
Monday	Psalm 148		
July 1	Judges 12		
•	I Corinthians 1:1-25		
Tuesday	Psalm 1,2		
July 2	Judges 13		
	I Corinthians 1:26-2-end		
Wednesday	Psalm 5,6		
July 3	Judges 14		
	I Corinthians 3		
Thursday	Psalm 9		
July 4	Judges 15		
	I Corinthians 4:18-5-end		
Friday	Psalm 8,11		
July 5	Judges 16		
	I Corinthians 6		
Saturday	Psalm 12,13,14		
July 6	Ruth 1		
	I Corinthians 7		
Sunday	Psalm 18:1-20		
July 7	Ruth 2		
	I Corinthians 8		