

The Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost



Holy Eucharist
October 6, 2024 | 10:00 am



WELCOME TO ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

At St. Andrew's, we believe that God's love is always expanding and calling us to love one another in new and deeper ways. The love of Christ welcomes us all to fully participate in the life and leadership of the Church, regardless of gender, identity, race, age, culture, ethnic background, sexual orientation, economic circumstances, family configuration, or difference of ability. All are truly welcome to participate in worship and we believe our community is made stronger by your unique presence as we join in prayer and communion.

TODAY'S HYMNS & READINGS

ENTRANCE HYMN

Joyful, joyful, we adore thee

The Hymnal 1982 #376

THE FIRST READING

Genesis 2:18=24

Reader A reading from the Book of Genesis.

The LORD God said, "It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper as his partner." So out of the ground the LORD God formed every animal of the field and every bird of the air, and brought them to the man to see what he would call them; and whatever the man called every living creature, that was its name. The man gave names to all cattle, and to the birds of the air, and to every animal of the field; but for the man there was not found a helper as his partner. So the LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall upon the man, and he slept; then he took one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. And the rib that the LORD God had taken from the man he made into a woman and brought her to the man. Then the man said, "This at last is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; this one shall be called Woman, for out of Man this one was taken." Therefore a man leaves his father and his mother and clings to his wife, and they become one flesh.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 8

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THE SECOND READING

Hebrews 1:1-4, 2:5=12

Reader A reading from the Letter to the Hebrews.

Long ago God spoke to our ancestors in many and various ways by the prophets, but in these last days he has spoken to us by a Son, whom he appointed heir of all things, through whom he also created the worlds. He is the reflection of God's glory and the exact imprint of God's very being, and he sustains all things by his powerful word. When he had made purification for sins, he sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high, having become as much superior to angels as the name he has inherited is more excellent than theirs. Now God did not subject the coming world, about which we are speaking, to angels. But someone has testified somewhere, "What are human beings that you are mindful of them, or mortals, that you care for them? You have made them for a little while lower than the angels; you have crowned them with glory and honor, subjecting all things under their feet." Now in subjecting all things to them, God left nothing outside their control. As it is, we do not yet see everything in subjection to them, but we do see Jesus, who for a little while was made lower than the angels, now crowned with glory and honor because of the suffering of death, so that by the grace of God he might taste death for everyone. It was fitting that God, for whom and through whom all things exist, in bringing many children to glory, should make the pioneer of their salvation perfect through sufferings. For the one who sanctifies and those who are sanctified all have one Father. For this reason Jesus is not ashamed to call them brothers and sisters, saying, "I will proclaim your name to my brothers and sisters, in the midst of the congregation I will praise you."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

SEQUENCE HYMN

Halle, halle, hallelujah!

booklet

(sung two times)

THE GOSPEL

Mark 10:2=16

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

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ**

Some Pharisees came, and to test Jesus they asked, "Is it lawful for a man to divorce his wife?" He answered them, "What did Moses command you?" They said, "Moses allowed a man to write a certificate of dismissal and to divorce her." But Jesus said to them, "Because of your hardness of heart he wrote this commandment for you. But from the beginning of creation, 'God made them male and female.' 'For this reason a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh.' So they are no longer two, but one flesh. Therefore what God has joined together, let no one separate." Then in the house the disciples asked him again about this matter. He said to them, "Whoever divorces his wife and marries another commits adultery against her; and if she divorces her husband and marries another, she commits adultery." People were bringing little children to him in order that he might touch them; and the disciples spoke sternly to them. But when Jesus saw this, he was indignant and said to them, "Let the little children come to me; do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of God belongs.

Truly I tell you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will never enter it.”
And he took them up in his arms, laid his hands on them, and blessed them.

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ**

OFFERTORY	Hail Thou Once Despised Jesus	The Hymnal 1982 #495
COMMUNION HYMN	Eternal Spirit of the Living Christ	The Hymnal 1982 #698
RECESSIONAL	All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name	The Hymnal 1982 #450

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Episcopal 101

The next time we will gather for Episcopal 101 is next Sunday, October 13 at 2:00 pm in the Parish Hall.

Holy Hike

We are planning a holy hike for October 19 at 1:00 pm at Toledo Botanical Gardens. Sorry, the Botanical Gardens does not allow dogs.

Diocesan Convention

November 8-9, 2024 at Hilton Garden Inn, Perrysburg. You are welcome to register to attend the Eucharist and reception dinner on Friday, November 8. The registration deadline is October 10.

PARISH PRAYER LIST

Alan Barnabus
Elery Baum
Sarah Bell
Brandon
Carol
Chuck
Cindy
Judy Collins
Richard Creekmore
Macy Crowell
Darlene
Doris Dvorack
Emily
Eve
Evelyn
Janice Flood
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Jane Fotoples
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Carole Hayes

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John Herzod
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Keith
Jordan
Keith & Carol J
Diane K
Mike Kaminski
Lillian & Jakeman
Lorna Keeton
The Lam Family
Carol Lewis
Mary Margaret
Maureen
Michael
Tim McManus & Family
Marsha Manon
Edgar Miller
Lisa Miyara
Lois Nelson
Kelly Norwood
Ron & Ronnie Ohm
Olivia

Erik P
Rose
Ron P
Pat Patton
Gene Pearson
Dale Pittman
Eunice Probert
Lurlene Quan
Gemma R
Helen Reichow
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Sue
Winnie Stewart
Liz Stover
Tammy
Tandra
Thomas
Brenda Wojtowicz

Serving in the Military

The Rev. Joshua Janko, John Petcoff, Sam Stickels, Derek Allen, Greg Allen

PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S LITURGY

The Reverend Nancy Kin
Celebrant & Preacher

Dennis Blubaugh
Musician

Sallye Miyara & Chris Nejvara
Eucharistic Ministers

Andy Jorgensen & Ellen Pittman
Lectors