

Liturgy for Sundays after Pentecost 2025

Rite II - 9:00am

This liturgy booklet is reused during the season of Pentecost.

Welcome to St. Paul's Parish!

Gathering together, worshiping God, sharing the journey since 1851.

On Pentecost we celebrate the gift of the Holy Spirit.

- -It sounded like the rush of a violent wind.
- -Tongues of fire rested on them.
- -They spoke and heard of God's deeds of power.

God's Spirit--the Holy Spirit--has moved over the face of creation since the very beginnings. It is a spirit of truth teaching us the ways of God. May we know that same mighty wind and may it bring God's peace--a peace surpassing all understanding--into the lives we lead and into the world.

Shawn Dickerson, Parish Priest

8:55 Bell is Rung – Music Begins

St. Paul's Parish Steeple Bell

Inscribed on the bell:

St. George's Sunday School Hempstead, Long Island, New York to St. Paul's Oregon City, 1874, Laus Deo, Praise God.



Welcome, Announcements, Birthdays & Anniversaries

Prelude

Opening Hymn See insert or Hymn Board for number.

Liturgy of the Word

BCP 355

Presider: Blessed be God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
People: And blessed be God's 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.**

Hymn of Praise

Blue Hymnal 362 vs. 1 & 2

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee: Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty, God in three Persons, blessed Trinity.

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee, casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee, which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.

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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.

Prayers of the People – Season of Pentecost

People traditionally stand or kneel.

- <u>Presider:</u> Let us offer prayers to the living God, whose+++ Spirit gives life.
- *Intercessor:* For the people of God in every place. *Silence People:* Lord, have mercy.
- Intercessor: For all nations, their leaders and citizens. For Donald our president, Tina our governor, and Denyse our mayor. Silence
 - People: Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor: For all who are oppressed, afflicted, or in need, and for those who work for a just distribution of food. Silence

People: Lord, have mercy.

- Intercessor: For marriages, committed relationship, and friendships everywhere. May each of us be a true helper and build healthy relationships. Silence
 - *People:* Lord, have mercy.
- Intercessor: For those who are sick and homebound in our community, and for those who visit and care for them. Silence
 - People: Lord, have mercy.
- Intercessor: For all of us gathered at the wedding banquet of the Lamb, and for those who have died. Silence
 - People: Lord, have mercy.
- Intercessor: Remembering the Blessed Virgin Mary, St Paul, and all the saints, let us offer ourselves and one another to the living God through Christ. Silence
 - People: To you, O Lord, our God. Silence
 - +++ God, our Lord and bridegroom, who gives us
 - <u>Presider:</u> the new wine of an everlasting marriage feast, hear the prayers we offer you this day and take us to yourself in righteousness and justice; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Confession of Sin & Absolution

Presider: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor. *Silence is kept.*

- All: 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.
- *Presider:* 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.
 - All: Amen.

The Exchange of the Peace

Presider: The peace of the Lord be always with you. *People:* And also with you.

The people exchange the peace with those near them.

Offertory Hymn See insert or Hymn Board for number.

Congregation remains seated until the last verse. The ushers will collect the offering from the center aisle.

Presentation Hymn

Blue Hymnal 376 vs. 3

Thou art giving and forgiving, ever blessing, ever blest, well-spring of the joy of living, ocean-depth of happy rest! Thou our Father, Christ our Brother: all who live in love are thine; teach us how to love each other, lift us to the joy divine.

Liturgy of the Table ~ The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A

BCP **361**

The people traditionally stand.

Presider: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Presider: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. People: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

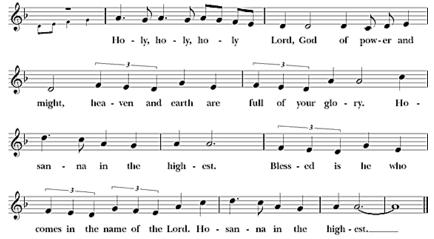
For by water and the Holy Spirit you have made us a new people in Jesus Christ our Lord, to show forth your glory in all the world.

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:

Sanctus

Blue Hymnal **S 129**

People traditionally stand or kneel as is comfortable.



Holy 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:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

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 pray,

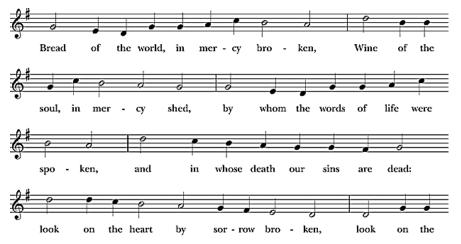
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

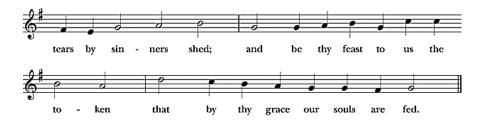
Breaking of the Bread

The bread is broken. Silence is kept.

Fraction Anthem

Blue Hymnal 301





All baptized are welcome and invited to receive communion at the railing. If you would like a blessing, fold your arms across your chest. We are happy to bring communion to you. Gluten-free bread is available. The cup is sanitized with alcohol between each person.

Communion Hymn See insert or Hymn Board for number.

Post Communion Prayer

BCP **365**

Presider: Let us pray.

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

Closing Hymn See insert or Hymn Board for number.

Dismissal

Presider: Let us go forth into the world rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

People: Thanks be to God.

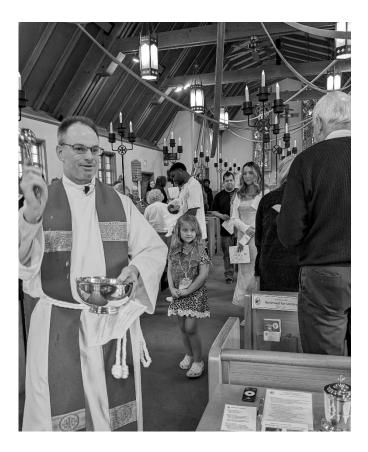
Postlude

Coffee Hour

All are invited to gather in the Parish Hall following this worship service for coffee and fellowship. The Sunday Forum will gather in the Kelly Room at 10:15.

Liturgical Notes

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- BCP-Book of Common Prayer 1979
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+ St. Paul's Events During Pentecost +

+ **Spaghetti Fundraiser w/Saggy Bottom Band** & Week at the Beach Raffle – Saturday, June 28 at 5:00 pm

+ ECW meets July 12 & Oct 11 at 10:30 am

+ Parish Picnic at the Church – Sunday, July 20 half an hour after worship

+ Mcloughlin Neighborhood Sale & St Paul's Craft Supplies Sale – Aug 8 & 9

- St Paul's will host a Craft Supply Sale in the parish hall. Donate no longer needed supplies to the church i.e. scrapbooking, yarn, fabric, trim, paints & brushes etc.

- Parishioners are invited to host a table of their own items in the yard (rain or shine). You are welcome to use parish tables and chairs. Please be sure they are returned to the parish hall after the event at 3 pm and that any of your unsold items leave with you.

+ **Porch Fest** – Saturday Aug 9 at 4 pm – *come join us and sing hymns in the garden during the neighborhood music fest.*

+ **Bishop Visitation** – Sunday, September 21 for worship & coffee hour. *This is an opportunity to be confirmed or received into the church. Speak to Shawn+ to prepare for this.*

- + Blessing of Animals Sunday, October 5 at 11:30 am
- + Diocesan Convention October 17 & 18 in Salem
- + Fall Clean-up TBD
- + All Saints' Day Sunday, November 2 special worship

Monthly:

- + Building & Grounds meets 2nd Sundays after worship
- + Finance Team meets Tuesday before Vestry meeting

+ Come to Dinner – 1st Wednesdays at 5:30 pm

+ **Vestry** meets 2nd Wednesdays at 3 pm in the Parish Hall *Office closed Fridays following Vestry meetings.*

St Paul's Vestry

	Retiring Feb. 2026 Ted Clayton John deAguirre ^{*3} Marsha Jett ^{*1}	Retiring Feb. 2027 Elaine Kniesteadt Susan Mansfield	Retiring Feb. 2028 Jackie Fishback Dorrie McGregor Marty Moyer _{*2}
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