

Saint Patrick's Anglican Church Brevard, North Carolina

"Biblical Faith and Morals, Traditional Anglican Worship"

Pentecost (Whitsunday.)



Pentecost, Jean II Restout, 1732.

05/19/2024

Electronic Service

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From the Vicar

This coming Sunday, Pentecost, celebrates the outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the fiftieth day after Easter (hence the name.) There was already a Jewish Holy Day on this date, known as Shavuot, which was originally an agricultural festival marking in offering of the “first fruits,” but became a Feast Day in honor of the giving of the Law.

For us, it is a time of special Thanksgiving for the gift (gift, singular, not gifts, plural) of the Holy Spirit, “God’s first gift for those who believe.” It is marked as the “Birthday of the Church,” because the Christian Church depends on the presence of the Holy Spirit for its life and ministry. It is He who makes us Children of God and heirs of heaven. I pray we shall all prepare ourselves for this most Holy Day by thinking of all the ways in which we are blessed by the presence of the Holy Spirit in our lives.

Yours in Christ,
Nick Henderson+

Genesis Reading Assignment

In “Genesis for Normal People,” please read “Cain Is a Fool,” pp. 43-50, and the summary and questions pp. 119-120.

Upcoming Events

May 15, 2024	12:15 William Hobart Hare (white.)
May 19, 2024	10:30 Whitsunday (Pentecost.)
May 22, 2024	12:15 Jackson Kemper
May 26, 2024	10:30 Trinity Sunday, Intake for Sharing House, Potluck, Mission Committee.
May 29, 2024	12:15 The Visitation (white.)
June 2, 2024	10:30 Trinity I, Intake for VOM, update Prayer list.
Jul.29-Aug.2,2024	Diocesan Synod, St John’s Church, Greensboro, NC.

Those who serve:

Preacher: Fr. Nick.

Committee Member: Sandra Long.

Lector: Karen Shank.

Epistoler: Philip Sheppard.

Server: Philip Sheppard.

Birthdays and Anniversaries: Philip Sheppard (5/26.)

Music:

(Setting is Willan)

101 Prelude Komm, Gott, Schopfer, heiliger Geist, Pachelbel

102 Pro 107 Hail thee festival day (Pentecost)

104 Sequence 249 Thy Gospel Jesus

105 Sequence 249 Thy Gospel Jesus (short for after)

106 Ser 111 Spirit of mercy, truth, and love

107 Anthem 376 Come down O love divine

108 Doxology

109 Sanctus

110 712 Agnus Die

111 Com 200 2 Therefore we before him bending

112 Willan Gloria

113 Rec 378 2 Come, gracious Spirit

114 Postlude Komm, heiliger Geist, Bach

Proper Lessons

Collect

O GOD, who as at this time didst teach the hearts of thy faithful people, by sending to them the light of thy Holy Spirit; Grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgment in all things, and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the same Spirit, one God, world without end. *Amen.*

First Lesson

Joel 2:28

(The Lesson is written in the 2nd chapter of the Book of the Prophet Joel, beginning at the 28th verse.)

And it shall come to pass afterward, that I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh; and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions: And also upon the servants and upon the handmaids in those days will I pour out my spirit. And I will shew wonders in the heavens and in the earth, blood, and fire, and pillars of smoke. The sun shall be turned into darkness, and the moon into blood, before the great and the terrible day of the LORD come. And it shall come to pass, that whosoever shall call on the name of the LORD shall

be delivered: for in mount Zion and in Jerusalem shall be deliverance, as the LORD hath said, and in the remnant whom the LORD shall call.

Here endeth the Lesson.

Psalm 145

- 1 I WILL magnify thee, O God, my King; * and I will praise thy Name for ever and ever.
- 2 Every day will I give thanks unto thee; * and praise thy Name for ever and ever.
- 3 Great is the LORD, and marvellous worthy to be praised; * there is no end of his greatness.
- 4 One generation shall praise thy works unto another, * and declare thy power.
- 5 As for me, I will be talking of thy worship, * thy glory, thy praise, and wondrous works;
- 6 So that men shall speak of the might of thy marvellous acts; * and I will also tell of thy greatness.
- 7 The memorial of thine abundant kindness shall be showed; * and men shall sing of thy righteousness.
- 8 The LORD is gracious and merciful; * long-suffering, and of great goodness.
- 9 The LORD is loving unto every man; * and his mercy is over all his works.
- 10 All thy works praise thee, O LORD; * and thy saints give thanks unto thee.
- 11 They show the glory of thy kingdom, * and talk of thy power;
- 12 That thy power, thy glory, and mightiness of thy kingdom, * might be known unto men.
- 13 Thy kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, * and thy dominion endureth throughout all ages.
- 14 The LORD upholdeth all such as fall, * and lifteth up all those that are down.
- 15 The eyes of all wait upon thee, O Lord; * and thou givest them their meat in due season.

16 Thou openest thine hand, * and fillest all things living with plenteousness.
17 The LORD is righteous in all his ways, * and holy in all his works.
18 The LORD is nigh unto all them that call upon him; * yea, all such as call upon him faithfully.
19 He will fulfil the desire of them that fear him; * he also will hear their cry, and will help them.
20 The LORD preserveth all them that love him; * but scattereth abroad all the ungodly.
21 My mouth shall speak the praise of the LORD; * and let all flesh give thanks unto his holy Name for ever and ever.

For the Epistle. Acts ii. 1.

(The portion of Scripture appointed for the Epistle is written in the 2nd chapter of the Acts of the Apostles, beginning at the 1st verse.)

WHEN the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place. And suddenly there came a sound from heaven as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting. And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance. And there were dwelling at Jerusalem Jews, devout men, out of every nation under heaven. Now when this was noised abroad, the multitude came together, and were confounded, because that every man heard them speak in his own language. And they were all amazed and marvelled, saying one to another, Behold, are not all these which speak Galilaeans? And how hear we every man in our own tongue, wherein we were born? Parthians, and Medes, and Elamites, and the dwellers in Mesopotamia, and in Judaea, and Cappadocia, in Pontus, and Asia, Phrygia, and Pamphylia, in Egypt, and in the parts of Libya about Cyrene, and strangers of Rome, Jews and proselytes, Cretes and Arabians, we do hear them speak in our tongues the wonderful works of God.

Here endeth the Epistle.

Gospel

St. John xiv. 15.

JESUS said unto his disciples, If ye love me, keep my commandments. And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you for ever; even the Spirit of truth; whom the world cannot receive, because it seeth him not, neither knoweth him: but ye know him; for he dwelleth with you, and shall be in you. I will not leave you comfortless: I will come to you. Yet a little while, and the world seeth me no more; but ye see me: because I live, ye shall live also. At

that day ye shall know that I am in my Father, and ye in me, and I in you. He that hath my commandments, and keepeth them, he it is that loveth me: and he that loveth me shall be loved of my Father, and I will love him, and will manifest myself to him. Judas saith unto him, not Iscariot, Lord, how is it that thou wilt manifest thyself unto us, and not unto the world? Jesus answered and said unto him, If a man love me, he will keep my words; and my Father will love him, and we will come unto him, and make our abode with him. He that loveth me not keepeth not my sayings: and the word which ye hear is not mine, but the Father's which sent me. These things have I spoken unto you, being yet present with you. But the Comforter, which is the Holy Ghost, whom the Father will send in my name, he shall teach you all things, and bring all things to your remembrance, whatsoever I have said unto you. Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you: not as the world giveth, give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid. Ye have heard how I said unto you, I go away, and come again unto you. If ye loved me, ye would rejoice, because I said, I go unto the Father: for my Father is greater than I. And now I have told you before it come to pass, that, when it is come to pass, ye might believe. Hereafter I will not talk much with you: for the prince of this world cometh, and hath nothing in me. But that the world may know that I love the Father; and as the Father gave me commandment, even so I do.

Prayer List

For the Peace of the World, especially in the Ukraine and the Middle East. The Unity of the Body of Christ, and the Lord's blessings on Saint Patrick's. For Sharing House/Bread of Life and Holy Trinity Cathedral, Jammalamadugu. For all who suffer from disasters. For the return of domestic tranquility and civility. For all who suffer for their faith. For guidance in bringing people into the saving knowledge of God's Son.

Thanksgiving for Healing for: Chuck.

Healing for: Catherine, Melissa, Tory, Haddie, Fr. Steve Miller, Ethel and Jill, Michael, Pastor Balke, Brayden, Kathy, Gerald, Barb, Bob, Bill, Ollie, James, Nick, Bob, John, Angie, Jennie, Annie, Ann, Jacquelyn, Andrew, Samuel, Mike, Bill, Dee, Fred, Christian, Sandra.

Special Intentions for: Amashya, A family in crisis, Rena, Bob and Sally, Scott, Sondra, Karen, Patsy, Betty and Edwin, Jessica and Jared and family, Jeff and Vicky, Nancy, Anne.

Fellowship Prayers for: Bob and Sally Shoup.

In our Provincial Cycle of Prayer: Saint Gabriel's Church, Deerfield Beach, FL.
The Rev. Scott Koszalinski, Vicar.

*Changes in Prayer List – call/text (843) 200-6446 or email drmpsheppard@gmail.com