

# The Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

## August 14, 2022

### MORNING PRAYERS

#### Rite Two

*Officiant:* I was glad when they said to me

*People:* "Let us go to the house of the Lord."

#### ***Confession of Sin***

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Officiant and People together*

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.

The Officiant

Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life. *Amen.*

#### ***The Invitatory and Psalter***

*Officiant:* Lord, open our lips.

*People:* And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

*Officiant and People*

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. *Amen*

Officiant and People

*The earth is the Lord's for he made it: Comet let us adore him.*

*INVITATORY*

Come, let us sing to the Lord; \*

*let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation.*

Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving \*

*and raise a loud shout to him with psalms.*

For the Lord is a great God, \*

*and a great King above all gods.*

In his hand are the caverns of the earth, \*

*and the heights of the hills are his also.*

The sea is his, for he made it, \*

*and his hands have molded the dry land.*

Come, let us bow down, and bend the knee, \*

*and kneel before the Lord our Maker.*

*For he is our God,*

and we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand. \*

*Oh, that today you would hearken to his voice*

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## Psalm 80

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*(Psalm 80:1-2,8-18)*

1 Hear, O Shepherd of Israel, leading Joseph like a flock; \*

*shine forth, you that are enthroned upon the cherubim.*

2 In the presence of Ephraim, Benjamin, and Manasseh, \*

*stir up your strength and come to help us.*

8 You have brought a vine out of Egypt; \*

*you cast out the nations and planted it.*

9 You prepared the ground for it; \*

*it took root and filled the land.*

10 The mountains were covered by its shadow \*

*and the towering cedar trees by its boughs.*

11 You stretched out its tendrils to the Sea \*

*and its branches to the River.*

12 Why have you broken down its wall, \*

*so that all who pass by pluck off its grapes?*

13 The wild boar of the forest has ravaged it, \*

*and the beasts of the field have grazed upon it.*

14 Turn now, O God of hosts, look down from heaven;

behold and tend this vine; \*

*preserve what your right hand has planted.*

15 They burn it with fire like rubbish; \*

*at the rebuke of your countenance let them perish.*

- 16 Let your hand be upon the man of your right hand, \*  
*the son of man you have made so strong for yourself.*
- 17 And so will we never turn away from you; \*  
*give us life, that we may call upon your Name.*
- 18 Restore us, O LORD God of hosts; \*  
*show the light of your countenance, and we shall be saved.*

## **A Reading from the Book of Isaiah**

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*(Isaiah 5:1-7)*

Let me sing for my beloved  
my love-song concerning his vineyard:

My beloved had a vineyard  
on a very fertile hill.

He dug it and cleared it of stones,  
and planted it with choice vines;

he built a watchtower in the midst of it,  
and hewed out a wine vat in it;

he expected it to yield grapes,  
but it yielded wild grapes.

And now, inhabitants of Jerusalem  
and people of Judah,

judge between me  
and my vineyard.

What more was there to do for my vineyard  
that I have not done in it?

When I expected it to yield grapes,  
why did it yield wild grapes?

And now I will tell you  
what I will do to my vineyard.

I will remove its hedge,  
and it shall be devoured;

I will break down its wall,  
and it shall be trampled down.

I will make it a waste;  
it shall not be pruned or hoed,  
and it shall be overgrown with briars and thorns;

I will also command the clouds  
that they rain no rain upon it.

For the vineyard of the LORD of hosts  
is the house of Israel,  
and the people of Judah  
are his pleasant planting;  
he expected justice,  
but saw bloodshed;  
righteousness,  
but heard a cry!

**The Word of the Lord.**  
*Thanks be to God*

## **The Song of Zechariah**

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*(Luke 1:68-79)*

*Benedictus Dominus Deus*

Blessed be the Lord God of Israel, \*  
*for he has come to his people and set them free*

He has raised up for us a might savior, \*  
*Born of the house of his servant David.*

Through his holy prophets he promised of old, that he would be saved from  
our enemies, \*  
*from the hand of all who hate us;*

He promised to show mercy to our fathers, \*  
*and to remember his holy covenant;*

This was the oath which he swore to our father Abraham, \*  
*to set us free from the hands of our enemies,*

Free to worship him without fear\*  
*holy and righteous in his sight all the days of our life,*

You, my child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High,\*  
*for you will go before the Lord to prepare this way,*

To give his people knowledge of salvation\*  
*by the forgiveness of their sins.*

In the tender compassion of our God\*  
*the dawn from on high shall break upon us,*

To shine on those who dwell in darkness and the shadow of death\*  
*and guide to our feet into the way of peace*

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:\*  
*as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.*

## A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Hebrews

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*(Hebrews 11:29-12:2)*

By faith the people passed through the Red Sea as if it were dry land, but when the Egyptians attempted to do so they were drowned. By faith the walls of Jericho fell after they had been encircled for seven days. By faith Rahab the prostitute did not perish with those who were disobedient, because she had received the spies in peace.

And what more should I say? For time would fail me to tell of Gideon, Barak, Samson, Jephthah, of David and Samuel and the prophets-- who through faith conquered kingdoms, administered justice, obtained promises, shut the mouths of lions, quenched raging fire, escaped the edge of the sword, won strength out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign armies to flight. Women received their dead by resurrection. Others were tortured, refusing to accept release, in order to obtain a better resurrection. Others suffered mocking and flogging, and even chains and imprisonment. They were stoned to death, they were sawn in two, they were killed by the sword; they went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, persecuted, tormented-- of whom the world was not worthy. They wandered in deserts and mountains, and in caves and holes in the ground.

Yet all these, though they were commended for their faith, did not receive what was promised, since God had provided something better so that they would not, apart from us, be made perfect.

Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, who for the sake of the joy that was set before him endured the cross, disregarding its shame, and has taken his seat at the right hand of the throne of God.

**The Word of the Lord.**

*Thanks be to God*

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## Canticle 21

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You are God: we praise you;\*

*You are the Lord: we acclaim you;*

You are the eternal Father:\*

*All creation worships you.*

To you all angels, all the powers of heaven,  
Cherubim and Seraphim, sing in endless praise:\*

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

The glorious company of apostles praise you.\*

*The noble fellowship of prophets praise you.*

The white-robed army of martyrs praise you.  
Throughout the world the holy Church acclaim you;\*  
*Father, of majesty unbounded,  
your true and only Son, worthy of all worship,  
and the Holy Spirit, advocate and guide.*

You, Christ, are the king of glory,\*  
*the eternal Son of the Father.*

When you became man to set us free\*  
*you did not shun the Virgin's womb.*

You overcame the sting of death\*  
*and opened the kingdom of heaven to all believers.*

You are seated at God's right hand in glory.\*  
*We believe that you will come and be our judge.  
Come then, Lord, and help your people,  
bought with the price of your own blood,  
and bring us with your saints  
to glory everlasting*

***The Gospel:***

## **The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ According to Luke**

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*(Luke 12:49-56)*

*Glory to you, Lord Christ*

Jesus said, "I came to bring fire to the earth, and how I wish it were already kindled! I have a baptism with which to be baptized, and what stress I am under until it is completed! Do you think that I have come to bring peace to the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division! From now on five in one household will be divided, three against two and two against three; they will be divided:

father against son  
and son against father,  
mother against daughter  
and daughter against mother,  
mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law  
and daughter-in-law against mother-in-law."

He also said to the crowds, "When you see a cloud rising in the west, you immediately say, 'It is going to rain'; and so it happens. And when you see the south wind blowing, you say, 'There will be scorching heat'; and it happens. You

hypocrites! You know how to interpret the appearance of earth and sky, but why do you not know how to interpret the present time?"

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

***The Message: The Reverend Susan Riis***

**The Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit  
and born of the Virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen

**The Prayers**

*Officiant:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* And also with you.

*Officiant:* Let us pray.

*Officiant and People*

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.

### **SUFFRAGES**

- V. Show us your mercy, O Lord;  
R. *And grant us your salvation.*
- V. Clothe your ministers with righteousness;  
R. *Let your people sing with joy.*
- V. Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;  
R. *For only in you can we live in safety.*
- V. Lord, keep this nation under your care;  
R. *And guide us in the way of justice and truth.*
- V. Let your way be known upon earth;  
R. *Your saving health among all nations.*
- V. Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;  
R. *Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.*
- V. Create in us clean hearts, O God;  
R. *And sustain us with your Holy Spirit*

*The Officiant then says the following Collect*

### **Collect for the day**

Grant to us, Lord, we pray, the spirit to think and do always those things that are right, that we, who cannot exist without you, may by you be enabled to live according to your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

### **Prayer For Mission**

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of your faithful people is governed and sanctified: Receive our supplications and prayers which we offer before you for all members of your holy Church, that in their vocation and ministry they may truly and devoutly serve you; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

### **The General Thanksgiving**

*Officiant and People*

Almighty God, Father of all mercies,  
we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks  
for all your goodness and loving-kindness  
to us and to all whom you have made.  
We bless you for our creation, preservation,  
and all the blessings of this life;  
but above all for your immeasurable love  
in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ;  
for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.

And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies,  
that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise,  
not only with our lips, but in our lives,  
by giving up our selves to your service,  
and by walking before you  
in holiness and righteousness all our days;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit,  
be honor and glory throughout all ages. *Amen.*

### **A Prayer of St. Chrysostom**

#### *Officiant and People*

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. *Amen.*

#### ***Blessing***

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and mind in the knowledge and love of God, and his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, be upon you and remain with you always. *Amen*

### **Concluding Versicle**

Let us bless the Lord,  
*Thanks be to God,*

### ***Concluding Prayer***

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. *Amen. 2 Corinthians 13:14*

***PRAYER LIST***

Our Military

Zachary Spiker  
Ben Spiker

Audrey Spiker  
Jacob Spiker

We pray also for:

Jane and Sharon Donoho  
Deborah Robinson Sekou  
John Graham  
Fr. Rob Willmann  
Shirley Stephens  
Greg Meadows  
Barbara Schriefer  
Dave Michael  
Jim Horton  
Greta Hauser  
George Preston  
Andrea Salahub  
Rudy Arnold  
Theresa Bray  
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