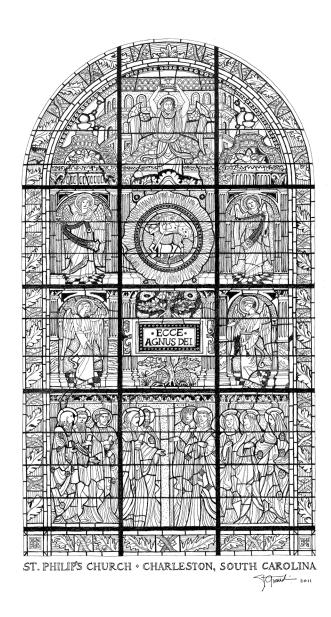
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THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

HOLY COMMUNION: RITE I JUNE 20, 2021 • 10:30 AM



WELCOME

To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest,

to all who mourn and long for comfort,

to all who struggle and desire victory,

to all who sin and need a Savior,

to all who are strangers and want fellowship,

to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness,

to all who have been blessed and wish to give thanks,

and to whoever will come—this church opens wide her doors

and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

HOLY COMMUNION: RITE I

THE PRELUDE Prelude in E flat major, BWV 552 J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

Matthew Wilkinson, organ

THE INTROIT My Eyes for Beauty Pine Herbert Howells (1892-1983)

My eyes for beauty pine, my soul for Goddes grace,

No other care nor hope is mine, to heaven I turn my face.

One splendour thence is shed from all the stars above:

'Tis named when God's name is said, 'tis love, 'tis heavenly love.

And every gentle heart that burns with true desire,

Is lit from eyes that mirror part of that celestial fire.

Words: Robert Bridges (1844-1930) Music: Herbert Howells (1892-1983)

THE WORD OF GOD

The people are invited to stand and sing the opening hymn.

THE OPENING HYMN 282

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

Lauda Anima

Praise, my soul, the King of heaven; to His feet thy tribute bring:

Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, ever more His praises sing;

Alleluia, alleluia! Praise the everlasting King.

Praise Him for His grace and favor to our fathers in distress:

Praise Him still the same as ever, slow to chide and swift to bless;

Alleluia, alleluia! Glorious in His faithfulness.

Father-like He tends and spares us; well our feeble frame He knows;

In His hand He gently bears us, rescues us from all our foes.

Alleluia, alleluia! Widely yet His mercy flows.

Angels, help us to adore Him; ye behold Him face to face;

Sun and Moon, bow down before Him, dwellers all in time and space.

Alleluia, alleluia! Praise with us the God of grace.

Text: Henry F. Lyte, 1834; alt.; based on Psalm 103. Music: Lauda anima John Goss, 1869. Public domain

THE ACCLAMATION

The people standing, the celebrant says

Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

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

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

The celebrant says

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE SUMMARY OF THE LAW

The celebrant says

Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ saith: Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.

THE KYRIE

Celebrant Lord, have mercy upon us.

People Christ, have mercy upon us.

Celebrant Lord, have mercy upon us.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And with thy spirit.

Celebrant Let us pray.

The people kneel.

O Lord, we beseech thee, make us to have a perpetual fear and love of thy holy Name, for thou never failest to help and govern those whom thou hast set upon the sure foundation of thy loving-kindness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The people sit for the reading of God's word.

THE LESSON 2 Corinthians 5:14-21

¹⁴For the love of Christ controls us, because we have concluded this: that one has died for all, therefore all have died; ¹⁵ and he died for all, that those who live might no longer live for themselves but for him who for their sake died and was raised. ¹⁶From now on, therefore, we regard no one according to the flesh. Even though we once regarded Christ according to the flesh, we regard him thus no longer. ¹⁷ Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come. ¹⁸ All this is from God, who through Christ reconciled us to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation; ¹⁹ that is, in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation. ²⁰ Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. ²¹ For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

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

The people are invited to stand and sing the gradual hymn.

THE GRADUAL HYMN 479

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

Hyfrydol

Love divine, all loves excelling, joy of heav'n, to earth come down, Fix in us thy humble dwelling, all thy faithful mercies crown. Jesus, thou art all compassion, pure, unbounded love thou art; Visit us with thy salvation, enter ev'ry trembling heart.

Come, almighty to deliver, let us all thy life receive; Suddenly return, and never, nevermore thy temples leave. Thee we would be alway blessing, serve thee as thy hosts above, Pray, and praise thee without ceasing, glory in thy perfect love.

Finish then thy new creation; pure and spotless let us be: Let us see thy great salvation perfectly restored in thee: Changed from glory into glory, till in heav'n we take our place, Till we cast our crowns before thee, lost in wonder love and praise.

Music: Rowland Hugh Prichard c. 1830. UBP. Words: Charles Wesley, 1747

THE GOSPEL Mark 4:35-5:20

The people remain standing. The priest reads the Gospel, first saying

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

People Glory be to thee, O Lord.

35 On that day, when evening had come, Jesus said to them, "Let us go across to the other side." ³⁶ And leaving the crowd, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. And other boats were with him. ³⁷ And a great windstorm arose, and the waves were breaking into the boat, so that the boat was already filling. ³⁸ But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion. And they woke him and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" ³⁹ And he awoke and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm. ⁴⁰ He said to them, "Why are you so afraid? Have you still no faith?" ⁴¹ And they were filled with great fear and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?" ^{5:1} They came to the other side of the sea, to the country of the Gerasenes. ² And when Jesus had stepped out of the boat, immediately there met him out of the tombs a man with an unclean spirit. ³ He lived among the tombs. And no one could bind him anymore, not even with a chain, ⁴ for he had often been bound with shackles and chains, but he wrenched the chains apart, and he broke the shackles in pieces. No one had the strength to subdue him. ⁵ Night and day among the tombs and on the mountains he was always crying out and cutting himself with stones. ⁶ And when he saw Jesus from afar, he ran and fell down before him. ⁷ And crying out with a loud voice, he said, "What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I adjure you by God, do not torment me." ⁸ For he was saying to him, "Come out of the man, you unclean spirit!" ⁹ And Jesus asked him, "What is your name?" He replied, "My name is Legion, for we are many." ¹⁰ And he begged him, saying, "Send us to

the pigs; let us enter them." ¹³ So he gave them permission. And the unclean spirits came out and entered the pigs; and the herd, numbering about two thousand, rushed down the steep bank into the sea and drowned in the sea. ¹⁴ The herdsmen fled and told it in the city and in the country. And people came to see what it was that had happened. ¹⁵ And they came to Jesus and saw the demon-possessed man, the one who had had the legion, sitting there, clothed and in his right mind, and they were afraid. ¹⁶ And those who had seen it described to them what had happened to the demon-possessed man and to the pigs. ¹⁷ And they began to beg Jesus to depart from their region. ¹⁸ As he was getting into the boat, the man who had been possessed with demons begged him that he might be with him. ¹⁹ And he did not permit him but said to him, "Go home to your friends and tell them how much the Lord has done for you, and how he has had mercy on you." ²⁰ And he went away and began to proclaim in the Decapolis how much Jesus had done for him, and everyone marveled.

After the Gospel, the priest says

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise be to thee, O Christ.

THE SERMON Can You Relate? The Rev. Jeffrey S. Miller

THE NICENE CREED

All stand and say in unison

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible; and in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried; and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of the Father; and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end. And I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord, and Giver of Life, who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spake by the Prophets. And I believe one holy catholic and Apostolic Church; I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins; and I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The leader and people kneel and pray responsively

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Father, we pray for your holy catholic Church; that we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you; that your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons; that they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world; that there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake; that our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble; that they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest; let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy; may we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

The celebrant continues

Almighty God, to whom our needs are known before we ask: Help us to ask only what accords with your will; and those good things which we dare not, or in our blindness cannot ask, grant us for the sake of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

CONFESSION OF SIN

Celebrant Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

The celebrant and people say in unison

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, maker of all things, judge of all men: 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 thy divine Majesty, provoking most justly thy 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 thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please thee in newness of life, to the honor and glory of thy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE ABSOLUTION

The celebrant stands and says

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all those who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto 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 reads several sentences from Scripture.

Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him. Come unto me, all ye that travail and are heavy laden, and I will refresh you. (Matthew 11:28) God so loved the world, that he gave his only-begotten Son, to the end that all that believe in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. (John 3:16) This is a true saying, and worthy of all men to be received, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. (1 Timothy 1:15) If any man sin, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; and he is the perfect offering for our sins, and not for ours only, but for the sins of the whole world. (1 John 2:1-2)

THE PEACE

All stand.

Priest The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And with thy spirit.

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE OFFERTORY ANTHEM

How Firm a Foundation

Emma Lou Diemer (b. 1927)

How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord, is laid for your faith in his excellent word! What more can he say than to you he hath said, to you that for refuge to Jesus have fled? "Fear not, I am with thee; O be not dismayed! For I am thy God and will still give thee aid;

I'll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand,

Upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand.

When through the deep waters I call thee to go, the rivers of woe shall not thee overflow;

For I will be with thee, thy troubles to bless, and sanctify to thee thy deepest distress.

When through fiery trials thy pathway shall lie, my grace, all-sufficient, shall be thy supply;

The flame shall not hurt thee; I only design thy dross to consume, and thy gold to refine.

The soul that on Jesus still leans for repose, I will not, I will not desert to his foes;

That soul, through all hell shall endeavor to shake, I'll never, no, never, no, never forsake." Amen.

Words: K in John Rippon's Selection of Hymns, 1787

Music: Foundation, arranged by Emma Lou Diemer; Copyright ©1981 by Hinshaw Music.

All are invited to stand and sing

Old Hundredth THE DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise him, all creatures here below;

Praise him above, ye heav'nly host:

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Music: Old Hundredth, melody from Pseaumes octante trois de David, 1551, alt.; harm after Louis Bourgeois (1510-1561).

Continuing with ...

HYMN 141 (S. 4) America

Our fathers' God, to thee, author of liberty, to thee we sing. Long may our land be bright with freedom's holy light;

Protect us by thy might, Great God, our King. Amen.

Music: America, in Thesaurus Musicus, 1740. Words: Samuel Francis Smith, 1832.

The celebrant faces the people and says

The Lord be with you.

People And with thy spirit. Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them up unto the Lord. Celebrant Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

People It is meet and right so to do.

All remain standing as the celebrant continues with the Eucharistic Prayer.

THE SANCTUS AND BENEDICTUS, HYMN 797

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts, Heaven and earth are full of thy glory: Glory be to thee, O Lord most High. Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord, Hosanna in the highest.

All kneel. The celebrant continues with the Eucharistic Prayer, concluding with

And here we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, our selves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy, and living sacrifice unto thee; humbly beseeching thee that we, and all others who shall be partakers of this Holy Communion, may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction, and made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him. And although we are unworthy, through our manifold sins, to offer unto thee any sacrifice, yet we beseech thee to accept this our bounden duty and service, not weighing our merits, but pardoning our offenses, through Jesus Christ our Lord; by whom, and with whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

People and Celebrant

Our Father, which 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 them that 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.

Remaining kneeling, all are invited to sing

THE AGNUS DEI, HYMN 712

Healey Willan

- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.
- O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.

THE PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

People and Celebrant

We do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table. But thou art the same Lord whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

Those worshiping from home may participate in the Eucharist by speaking the following words of the Prayer for Spiritual Communion.

PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

Dear Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things, and I desire to possess you within my soul. And since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, I beseech you to come spiritually into my heart. I unite myself to you, together with all your faithful people gathered around every altar of your Church, and I embrace you with all the affections of my soul. Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.

The congregation is invited to sing the following hymns.

COMMUNION HYMN

Come With Us, O Blessed Jesus

Werde Munter

Come with us, O blessed Jesus, with us evermore to be;

And though leaving now thine altar, let us nevermore leave thee.

Be thou one with us for ever, in our life thy love divine

Our own flesh and blood has taken, and to us thou givest thine.

Come with us, O mighty Savior, God from God, and Light from Light;

Thou art God, thy glory veiling, so that we may bear the sight.

Now we go to seek and serve thee, through our work as through our prayer;

Grant us light to see and know thee, in thy people everywhere.

Come with us, O King of glory, by angelic voices praised;

In our hearts as in thy heaven, be enraptured anthems raised;

Let the mighty chorus ever sing its glad exultant songs;

Let its hymn be heard for ever - peace for which creation longs.

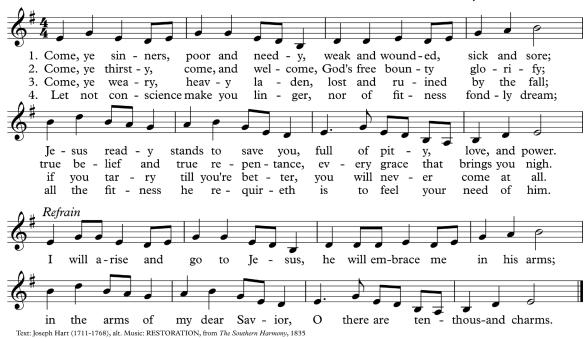
Words: John Henry Hopkins, Jr. (1820-1891) and Charles P. Price (b. 1920).

Music: Werde Munter, Johan Schop (d. 1665?), arr. and harm. Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)





Restoration



COMMUNION HYMN

Amazing Grace

New Britain

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound, That saved a wretch like me! I once was lost but now am found, Was blind but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And grace my fears relieved; How precious did that grace appear The hour I first believed!

The Lord has promised good to me, His word my hope secures; He will my shield and portion be As long as life endures.

Through many dangers, toils, and snares, I have already come; 'Tis grace that brought me safe thus far, And grace will lead me home.

When we've been there ten thousand years, Bright shining as the sun, We've no less days to sing God's praise Than when we'd first begun.

Words: John Newton (1725-1807), alt.; st. 5, from A Collection of Sacred Ballads, 1790; compiled by Richard Broaddus and Andrew Broaddus. Music: New Britain, from Virginia Harmony, 1831; adapt. att. Edwin Othello Excell (1851-921); harm. Austin Cole Lovelace (b. 1919)

THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

Celebrant Let us pray.

The people join in saying this prayer

Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

THE BLESSING

After the blessing, all are invited to stand and sing the closing hymn.

THE RECESSIONAL HYMN 551

A Mighty Fortress

Ein feste Burg

A mighty fortress is our God, a bulwark never failing;

Our helper he amid the flood of mortal ills prevailing:

For still our ancient foe doth seek to work us woe;

His craft and power are great, and, armed with cruel hate, on earth is not his equal.

Did we in our own strength confide, our striving would be losing;

Were not the right man on our side, the man of God's own choosing:

Dost ask who this may be? Christ Jesus, it is he;

Lord Sabaoth his Name, from age to age the same, and he must win the battle.

And tho' this world with devils filled, should threaten to undo us;

We will not fear, for God hath willed his trust to triumph through us:

The prince of darkness grim, we tremble not for him;

His rage we can endure, for lo! His doom is sure, one little word shall fell him.

That word above all earthly powers, no thanks to them, abideth;

The Spirit and the gifts are ours through him who with us sideth:

Let goods and kindred go, this mortal life also;

The body they may kill: God's truth abideth still, his kingdom is forever.

Words: Martin Luther (1483-1546); tr. Frederick Henry Hedge (1805-1890); based upon Psalm 46 Music: *Ein feste Burg*, melody Martin Luther (1483-1546)

THE DISMISSAL

The priest dismisses the people, and the people respond:

Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

THE POSTLUDE

Fugue in E flat major, BWV 552 Matthew Wilkinson, *organ* J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

• Blood Drive registration is going strong! The drive is on Tuesday, June 29, from 12:00-6:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall, and we're over halfway to the Home Missions Team's goal of 30 appointments scheduled—help us get all the way by making your appointment today! Scan the QR code at right or visit stphilipschurchsc.org/events for the links to register and/or volunteer and for helpful information for first-time donors.



- **St. Philip's Preschool Summer Camp** registration is open for session two (July 12-16). Children up to the age of three will enjoy socializing while engaging in age-appropriate activities. Learn more at stphilipschurchsc.org/events.
- **Theology on Tap,** a gathering of young adults in Charleston who long for meaningful conversation about life and God, meets twice a month at Henry's on Market. Contact Justin Hare for more details: jhare@stphilipschurchsc.org or (854) 429-1937.
- **Did you know** that when the church office updated the phone system earlier this year, staff members were given direct phone lines? Most numbers begin (854) 429-19**, so if you see a number like that pop up on your caller ID, it just may be a church call! Visit stphilipschurchsc.org/meet-the-team for each staff member's direct phone number.

Please check your email inbox or visit stphilipschurchsc.org/news for further information about the above announcements and the rest of this week's news.



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