

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Vestry Meeting

This morning, after coffee hour in the parish library for all vestrymen and officers. Please let Father or Joe McRoy know if you would like to observe. Thank you!

Ascensiontide Novena

Copies of the Ascensiontide Novena to the Holy Spirit are available on the table in the narthex for anyone without a copy of the St. Augustine's Traditional Prayer Book. Daily prayers will also be posted on St. Luke's Faithlife page.

Eastertide Anglican Scripture Study

"The Victory of Christ in Early English Poetry". A study of Atonement and Paschal themes in medieval verse and the Scriptures that inspired them. Following the 6:30 PM Evensong every Wednesday through May 26th. Please see Fr. Trout for handouts, if interested!

Vigil of Pentecost & SKCM Meeting

The liturgy for the Vigil of Pentecost will be observed this Saturday at 10:00 a.m. in place of the regular Sung Mattins, prior to the SKCM Meeting. Holy Rosary will still follow afterwards around 12:00 Noon.

The Altar Flowers are dedicated to the Glory of God, and in Memory of Ms. Naomi Williams by St. Luke ACC; and for Mrs. Terry Champlin, by Mr. George Champlin.

UPCOMING SERVICE & STUDY SCHEDULE

- Tuesday, May 18: **Sung Mattins** and breakfast at 8:30 AM
- Wednesday, May 19: **Evensong** at 6:30 PM; followed by Supper and Study
- Thursday, May 20: ASCENSION OCTAVE. **Low Mass with Unction** at 11:30 AM
- Saturday, May 22: VIGIL OF PENTECOST. **Low Mass** at 10:00 AM; **Holy Rosary** at Noon.
- Sunday, May 23: WHITSUN. **Low Mass** at 9:00 AM. **Sung Mattins** at 10:30 AM. **Sung Mass** at 11:00 AM

PRAYER LIST

George, Susan, Heidi, Sue, Nathan, Laura, Levine, Julia, Lynn, Benita, Leslie, William, Ernie, Ruth, Kristi, James, Preacher, John, Amy, Lamar, Wanda, Penny, Hope, Marsha, Stephanie, Wendy, Becky, Norah, Kevin, Elizabeth, Emma, Michael, Robin, Ronnie, Michi, Grace, Todd, Bryan, Jacquie, Lecia, Diann, Donna, Tommy, Jonathan, Stephen, Kathie, Alex, Birkie, Phyllis, Nancy, Beth, Kenna, Nicki, David, ✠Chad



Sunday in the Octave of the Ascension

16 MAY 2021

10:30 AM SUNG MATTINS
11:00 AM HOLY COMMUNION



The Rev. Fr. Daniel S. Trout, *Rector*
Mr. C. Lance Davis, CAGO, *Music Minister*
The Most Rev. Mark Haverland, Ph.D., *Bishop Ordinary*

Joseph McRoy, *Senior Warden*; Barbara Z., *Junior Warden*; Rebecca Blair, *Treasurer*; Roberta Hannibal, *Secretary*; Beverly Roberts, *Editor*; Lucy Whitehorne, Barbara Cope, *Vestrymen*

Welcome to St. Luke Church, especially if you are a newcomer or visitor. Children of all ages are fully welcome in each liturgy. If you are a visitor, please sign the Guest Book located in the Narthex and fill out a Visitor Card. Newcomer packets are also available upon request. Please refer to the *Book of Common Prayer* (beginning on pg. 67) and the *Hymnal* throughout the Mass. We ask that you please keep prayerful silence in the church both before and after the liturgy. Silence is golden, but especially in church!

SUNG MATTINS

¶ The following page numbers relate to “The Daily Office Noted” booklet, unless otherwise stated. The liturgy begins on page 29 of the booklet. Please observe all postures as noted in that booklet.

¶ Please stand as the bells are rung.

Opening Sentence	BCP 5
Opening Versicles	DON 2
Invitatory & Venite, <i>Tone 1</i>	DON 3
Psalm 72, <i>Tone 3</i>	BCP 426
Lesson	<i>Isa. 33:5-6, 17, 20-22</i>
<i>Benedictus</i>	DON 15
Creed & Preces	DON 19
Collects & Closing Versicles	DON 21

SUNG MASS

¶ Please stand as the bells are rung.

Processional Hymn Hymn Board

Vidi Aquam
I saw water proceeding out of the temple, from the right side thereof, alleluia: and all men, whithersoever the waters shall come, shall be healed, and shall say, alleluia, alleluia. O give thanks unto the Lord, for he is gracious, because his mercy endureth forever. *Gloria Patri.*

℣. O Lord, show thy mercy upon us, alleluia.
℟. *And grant us thy salvation, alleluia.*
℣. O Lord, hear my prayer.
℟. *And let my cry come unto thee.*
℣. The Lord be with you.
℟. *And with thy spirit.*

A NOTE ON TODAY’S LITURGY

Christ's Ascension has given us greater privileges and joys than the devil had taken from us. Accordingly, dearly-beloved, throughout this time which elapsed between the Lord's Resurrection and Ascension, God's Providence had this in view, to teach and impress upon both the eyes and hearts of His own people that the Lord Jesus Christ might be acknowledged to have as truly risen, as He was truly born, suffered, and died. And hence the most blessed Apostles and all the disciples, who had been both bewildered at His death on the cross and backward in believing His Resurrection, were so strengthened by the clearness of the truth that when the Lord entered the heights of heaven, not only were they affected with no sadness, but were even filled with great joy.

And truly great and unspeakable was their cause for joy, when in the sight of the holy multitude, above the dignity of all heavenly creatures, the Nature of mankind went up, to pass above the angels' ranks and to rise beyond the archangels' heights, and to have Its uplifting limited by no elevation until, received to sit with the Eternal Father, It should be associated on the throne with His glory, to Whose Nature It was united in the Son. Since then Christ's Ascension is our uplifting, and the hope of the Body is raised, whither the glory of the Head has gone before, let us exult, dearly-beloved, with worthy joy and delight in the loyal paying of thanks.

For today not only are we confirmed as possessors of paradise, but have also in Christ penetrated the heights of heaven, and have gained still greater things through Christ's unspeakable grace than we had lost through the devil's malice. For us, whom our virulent enemy had driven out from the bliss of our first abode, the Son of God has made members of Himself and placed at the right hand of the Father, with Whom He lives and reigns in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever. Amen.

Pope St. Leo the Great, AD 395 - 461

1. To Je - sus Christ, our Sov - 'reign King, Who is the world's sal - va - tion,
2. Thy reign ex - tend, O King be - nign, To eve - ry land and na - tion,
3. To thee and to thy Church, great King, We pledge our heart's ob - la - tion,

All praise and hom - age do we bring, And thanks and ad - o - ra - tion.
For in thy king - dom, Lord di - vine, A - lone we find sal - va - tion.
Un - til be - fore thy throne we sing, In end - less ju - bi - la - tion.

Refrain:

Christ Je - sus Vic - tor, Christ Je - sus Rul - er! Christ Je - sus,

Lord and Re - deem - er!

Let us pray. Graciously hear us, O Lord, Holy Father Almighty, Everlasting God; and may it please thee to send thy holy Angel from heaven to guard and cherish, to protect and visit, and to defend all who dwell in this thy holy habitation. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

¶ Please kneel during the Introit.

Introit

Hearken unto my voice, O Lord, when I cry unto thee, alleluia: my heart hath talked of thee, Seek ye my face; thy face, Lord will I seek: O hide not thou thy face from me, alleluia, alleluia. The Lord is my light and my salvation: whom then shall I fear? *Gloria Patri.*

Collect for Purity
Summary of the Law
Kyrie eleison
Collect(s) of the Day

BCP 67
BCP 69
Hymnal #710
BCP 179

¶ Please be seated.

The Epistle

BCP 179

¶ Please stand for the Alleluia.

Alleluia

Cantors *All*
vj. 
AL- LE- LU- IA. Al - le- lu- ia.

God reigneth over the heathen: God sitteth upon his holy seat. ALLELUIA. I will not leave you comfortless: I go away and come again unto you, and your heart shall rejoice. ALLELUIA.

The Gospel
Nicene Creed

BCP 179
BCP 71

¶ The Creed will be monotoned together.

Sermon Hymn

Hymn Board

¶ Please be seated.

Sermon

¶ Please stand for the Offertory Sentence and Hymn.

God is gone up with a merry noise: and the Lord with the sound of the trump,
alleluia.

Hymn Board
Hymnal #139

℣. Pray, brethren, that this my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the Father almighty.

℟. *May the Lord receive the sacrifice at thy hands for the praise and glory of his name, both to our benefit, and that of all his holy Church.*

Prayer for the Whole State of Christ's Church	BCP 74
General Confession & Comfortable Words	BCP 75
Sursum Corda and Preface	Hymnal #734
Sanctus et Benedictus	Hymnal #796
The Canon of the Mass	BCP 80
The Lord's Prayer	Hymnal #722

Our Fa - ther, who art in hea - ven, hal - low - ed
 be thy Name, thy king - dom come, thy will be done,
 on earth as it is in hea - ven. Give us this day our
 dai - ly bread. And for - give us our tres - pas - ses,
 as we for - give those who tres - pass a - gainst us. And lead
 us not in - to temp - ta - tion, but de - liv - er us
 from e - vil. For thine is the king - dom, and the power,
 and the glo - ry, for ev - er and ev - er. A - men.

Rx. *Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldest come under my roof; but speak the word only, and my soul shall be healed. (Said thrice)*

Father, while I was with them in the world, I kept those that thou gavest me, alleluia: and now I come to thee: I pray not that thou shouldest take them out of the world, but that thou shouldest keep them from the evil, alleluia, alleluia.

Hymn Board
BCP 83

Hymnal #713

BCP 84

Following page

¶ During the Organ Voluntary, you may kneel or be seated. We ask that you remain in quiet prayer, and suggest that you make your Communion Thanksgiving at this time. Suitable devotions may be found on pg. 100ff of *St. Augustine's Prayer Book*. Please wait until arriving in the Parish Hall before carrying on conversations with others. Thank you for your assistance as we strive to make St. Luke's a place of prayer, reverence, and peace.