



# **THE HOLY EUCHARIST**

## **TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

### **October 17, 2021**

#### **10:00 AM**

#### **VISION STATEMENT**

We seek to form Beloved Community, which is welcoming and diverse,  
with Christian worship and service at the heart.

#### **MISSION STATEMENT**

We feed people in body, mind and spirit with the love of God, in the name of Jesus,  
and by the power of the Holy Spirit.

#### **CORE VALUES**

Beloved Community + Loving Service + Sacred Space + Spirit Filled + Sustainability

# THE GATHERING RITE

## WELCOME

HYMN *standing*

By all your saints

*Hymnal #232*



1. By all your saints still striv - ing, for all your saints at rest, your  
2. For Luke, be - loved phy - si - cian, all praise, whose God - pel shows the  
3. Then let us praise the Fa - ther and wor - ship God the Son and



ho - ly Name, O Je - sus for ev - er - more be blessed. You rose, our King vic -  
heal - er of the na - tions, the one who shares our woes. Your wine and oil, O  
sing to God the Spi - rit, e - ter - nal Three in One, till all the ran -omed



to - rious, that they might wear the crown and ev - er shine in splen - dor re -  
Sav - ior, up - on our spi - rits pour, and with true balm of Gil - ead an -  
num - ber who stand be - fore the throne a - scribe all power and glo - ry and



flect - ed from your throne.  
oint us ev - er - more  
praise to God a - lone.

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## ENTRANCE RITE

### OPENING ACCLAMATION

*Presider* Blessed be the one, holy, and living God

*People* **Glory to God for ever and ever. Amen.**

*Presider* Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the

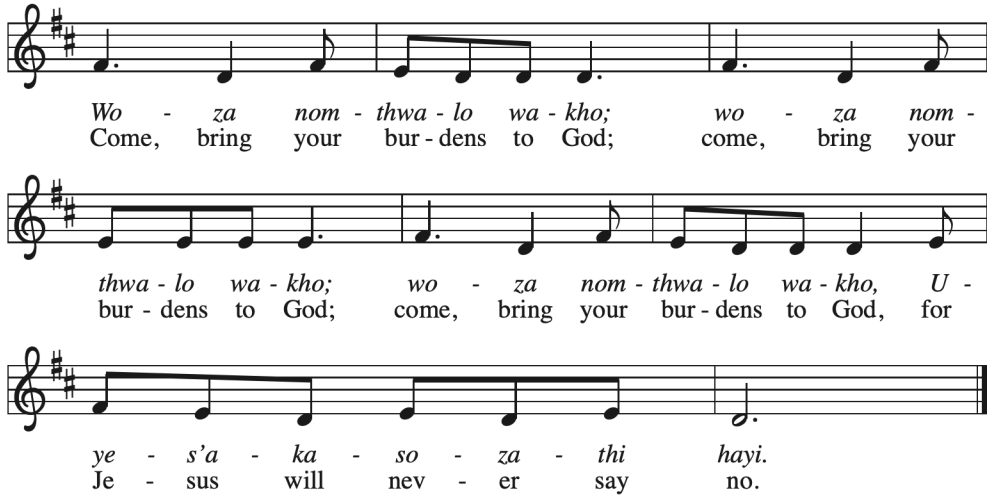
thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,  
that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your  
Holy Name; through Christ our Lord.

All **Amen.**

SONG OF PRAISE

Come Bring Your Burdens to God

ACS 1009



Wo - za nom - thwa - lo wa - kho; wo - za nom -  
Come, bring your bur - dens to God; come, bring your  
thwa - lo wa - kho; wo - za nom - thwa - lo wa - kho, U -  
bur - dens to God; come, bring your bur - dens to God, for  
ye - s'a - ka - so - za - thi hayi.  
Je - sus will nev - er say no.

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## COLLECT OF THE DAY

*Presider* God be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Presider* Let us pray

*People* **Almighty God, who inspired your servant Luke the physician to set forth in the Gospel the love and healing power of your Son: Graciously continue in your Church this love and power to heal, to the praise and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

# THE WORD OF GOD

THE FIRST LESSON *seated*

Sirach 38:1-4, 6-10, 12-14

Honor physicians for their services,  
for the Lord created them;

for their gift of healing comes from the Most High,  
and they are rewarded by the king.

The skill of physicians makes them distinguished,  
and in the presence of the great they are admired.

The Lord created medicines out of the earth,  
and the sensible will not despise them.

And he gave skill to human beings  
that he might be glorified in his marvelous works.

By them the physician heals and takes away pain;  
the pharmacist makes a mixture from them.

God's works will never be finished;  
and from him health spreads over all the earth.

My child, when you are ill, do not delay,  
but pray to the Lord, and he will heal you.

Give up your faults and direct your hands rightly,  
and cleanse your heart from all sin.

Then give the physician his place, for the Lord created him;  
do not let him leave you, for you need him.

There may come a time when recovery lies in the hands of physicians,  
for they too pray to the Lord

that he grant them success in diagnosis  
and in healing, for the sake of preserving life.

*Lector* Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 147:1-7

**1. Alleluia! How good it is to sing praises to you, O God; \*  
how pleasant it is to honor you with praise!**

**2. For you rebuild Jerusalem \*  
and gather the exiles of Israel.**

3. You heal the brokenhearted \*  
and bind up their wounds.
4. You count the number of the stars \*  
and call them all by their names.
5. Great are you and mighty in power; \*  
there is no limit to your wisdom.
6. You lift up the lowly, \*  
but cast the wicked to the ground.
7. We sing to you, Most High, with thanksgiving; \*  
we make music to you upon the harp,

THE SECOND LESSON *seated*

2 Timothy 4:5-13

As for you, always be sober, endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist, carry out your ministry fully.

As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

Do your best to come to me soon, for Demas, in love with this present world, has deserted me and gone to Thessalonica; Crescens has gone to Galatia, Titus to Dalmatia. Only Luke is with me. Get Mark and bring him with you, for he is useful in my ministry. I have sent Tychicus to Ephesus. When you come, bring the cloak that I left with Carpus at Troas, also the books, and above all the parchments.

*Lector*      Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.  
*People*      **Thanks be to God.**

Al - le - lu - ia!      Al - le - lu - ia!      Al - le - lu - ia!      Al - le - lu - ia!

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THE HOLY GOSPEL *standing*

Luke 4:14-21

*Presider*      The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.  
*People*      **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus, filled with the power of the Spirit, returned to Galilee, and a report about him spread through all the surrounding country. He began to teach in their synagogues and was praised by everyone.

When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written:

“The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,  
because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor.

He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives  
and recovery of sight to the blind,  
to let the oppressed go free,

to proclaim the year of the Lord’s favor.”

And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. Then he began to say to them, “Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing.”

Presider  
People

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

SERMON

Sonja Lund

THE NICENE CREED *said by all, standing*

**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 human.**

**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

*The Intercessor offers the petitions, and the People respond*

**Lord, hear our prayer.**

## SERVICE OF HEALING AND WHOLENESS

*Presider* Our Lord Jesus healed many as a sign of the reign of God come near and sent the disciples to continue the work of healing—with prayer, the laying on of hands, and anointing. In the name of Christ, the great healer and reconciler of the world, we now entrust to God all who are in need of healing.

Let us pray.

O God of peace, you have taught us that in returning and rest we shall be saved, in quietness and confidence shall be our strength: By the might of your Spirit lift us, we pray, to your presence, where we may be still and know that you are God; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever.

*People* **Amen.**

## LITANY OF HEALING

*Presider* Let us name before God those for whom we offer our prayers.

*The People audibly name those for whom they are interceding.*

God the Father, your will for all people is health and salvation;

*People* **We praise you and thank you, O Lord.**

*Presider* God the Son, you came that we might have life, and might have it more abundantly;

*People* **We praise you and thank you, O Lord.**

*Presider* God the Holy Spirit, you make our bodies the temple of your presence;

*People* **We praise you and thank you, O Lord.**

*Presider* Holy Trinity, one God, in you we live and move and have our being;



*People*        **We praise you and thank you, O Lord.**

*Presider*     Lord, grant your healing grace to all who are sick, injured, or disabled, that they may be made whole;

*People*        **Hear us, O Lord of life.**

*Presider*     Grant to all who seek your guidance, and to all who are lonely, anxious, or despondent, a knowledge of your will and an awareness of your presence;

*People*        **Hear us, O Lord of life.**

*Presider*     Mend broken relationships, and restore those in emotional distress to soundness of mind and serenity of spirit;

*Presider*     **Hear us, O Lord of life.**

*Presider*     Bless physicians, nurses, and all others who minister to the suffering, granting them wisdom and skill, sympathy and patience;

*People*        **Hear us, O Lord of life.**

*Presider*     Grant to the dying peace and a holy death, and uphold by the grace and consolation of your Holy Spirit those who are bereaved;

*People*        **Hear us, O Lord of life.**

*Presider*     Restore to wholeness whatever is broken by human sin, in our lives, in our nation, and in the world;

*People*        **Hear us, O Lord of life.**

*Presider*     You are the Lord who does wonders:

*People*        **You have declared your power among the peoples.**

*Presider*     With you, O Lord, is the well of life:

*People*        **And in your light we see light.**

*Presider*     Hear us, O Lord of life:

*People*        **Heal us, and make us whole.**

## THE CONFESSION

*The Presider says*

Let us confess our sins to God.

*Silence may be kept.*

*Presider and People*

**God of all mercy,  
we confess that we have sinned against you,  
opposing your will in our lives.  
We have denied your goodness in each other,  
in ourselves, and in the world you have created.  
We repent of the evil that enslaves us,  
the evil we have done,  
and the evil done on our behalf.  
Forgive, restore, and strengthen us  
through our Savior Jesus Christ,  
that we may abide in your love  
and serve only your will. Amen.**

*Presider* The Almighty Lord, who is a strong tower to all who put their trust in him, to whom all things in heaven, on earth, and under the earth bow and obey: Be now and evermore your defense, and make you know and feel that the only Name under heaven given for health and salvation is the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

*People* **Amen.**

## BLESSINGS FOR HEALING

*The presider will invite those present and all watching via livestream to receive a blessing for healing.*

*Presider* Sisters and brothers, I invite you to come and receive a sign of healing and wholeness in the name of the Triune God.

In the name of our Savior Jesus Christ, be strengthened and filled with God's grace, that you may know the healing power of the Spirit.

*People* **Amen.**



Heal - er of our ev - 'ry ill, light of each to - mor - row,



give us peace be - yond our fear, and hope be - yond our sor - row.



- 1 You who know our fears and sad - ness, grace us with your
- 2 In the pain and joy be - hold - ing how your grace is
- 3 Give us strength to love each oth - er, ev - 'ry sis - ter,
- 4 You who know each thought and feel - ing, teach us all your



peace and glad - ness; Spir - it of all com - fort, fill our hearts.  
 still un - fold - ing, give us all your vi - sion, God of love.  
 ev - 'ry broth - er; Spir - it of all kind - ness, be our guide.  
 way of heal - ing; Spir - it of com - pas - sion, fill each heart.

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## DOXOLOGY

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

### THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

*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 our thanks and praise.**

*Presider* We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant. From before time you made ready the creation. Your Spirit moved over the deep and brought all things into being: sun, moon, and stars; earth, winds, and waters; and every living thing. You made us in your image, and taught us to walk in your ways. But we rebelled against you, and wandered far away; and yet, as a mother cares for her children, you would not forget us. Time and again you called us to live in the fullness of your love. And so this day we join with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we sing:

*All (sung)* **Holy Holy Holy Lord  
God of power and God of might  
Heaven and Earth are full of your glory  
Hosanna**

*The prayer continues until*

*Presider* Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever.

*All* **AMEN.**

*Presider* As our Savior Christ has taught us we now pray

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

*All* **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.**

## THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

*The Presider breaks the consecrated Bread. Silence may be observed.*

*Presider*      We break this bread to share in the Body of Christ.

*People*        **We who are many are one body, for we all share in the one bread.**

## THE INVITATION AND COMMUNION

*The Presider says*

The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

*During communion each person or household group will come up to the altar and pick up the sacrament. Return to your chair. Sanitize your hands. Remove your mask. Open the top with the wafer and receive it. Then open the bottom cup and drink the wine. Place the empty receptacle in the basket by the door. Replace your mask. Sanitize your hands.*

COMMUNION MUSIC

*Ivar Hillesland*

## THE CONCLUDING RITE

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION *standing*

*Presider* Let us pray.

*Presider and People*

**God of abundance,  
you have fed us  
with the bread of life and cup of salvation;  
you have united us with Christ and one another;  
and you have made us one  
with all your people in heaven and on earth.  
Now send us forth  
in the power of your Spirit,  
that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world  
and continue for ever  
in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.**

THE BLESSING

*The Presider blesses the People.*

CLOSING HYMN *standing*      We Are One in the Spirit



1. We are one in the Spir - it, we are one in the Lord,  
2. We will work with each oth - er, we will work side by side,  
3. We will walk with each oth - er, we will march in the streets,  
4. All praise to the Fa - ther, from whom all things come,



We are one in the Spir - it, we are one in the Lord,  
We will work with each oth - er, we will work side by side,  
We will walk with each oth - er, we will march in the streets,  
and all praise to Christ Je - sus, God's on - ly Son,



And we pray that all u - ni - ty may one day be re - stored:  
And we'll guard hu - man's dig - ni - ty with Je - sus as our guide:  
And we'll shout words of life and love that fear can - not de - feat:  
and all praise to the Spir - it, who makes us one:



And they'll know we are Chris-tians by our love by our love,



Yes, they'll know we are Chris-tians by our love.

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DISMISSAL

*Presider*      Let us go forth into the world rejoicing in the power of the Spirit. Thanks be to God, Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia!

*People*      **Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia!**

## **Fall Cookie Exchange and Stewardship Kick off!**

Following today's worship instead of having coffee hour!

### **Fall Formation: Holy Half-Time!**

Wednesdays at 12:00pm: September 15th through November 17th

Join Mother Hillary each Wednesday at noon for *Holy Half-Time* to discuss and engage in a different prayer practice each week. This series will explore a different way of connecting with God each week. To join on Zoom:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89353158647?pwd=SlhtUjFZT0R2M09aQWhLZHJyZmk2Zz09>



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