



Announcements

Special Thanks to **The Rev. Fredrick Baldwin** for being our Supply Priest today.

TODAY: June 17th – FATHER’S DAY

**We will be celebrating Dad with grilled Bratwurst!
Plan on sticking around to help us honor our fathers!**

June 12th was the Newsletter Deadline:

If you have schedules, articles, pictures, etc. that need to go into the July Newsletter, please forward them to the office by Monday!

Wednesday, July 4th - The church office will be closed in observance of the Independence Day Holiday.
No Masses will be said.

Sunday: July 8th - Mr. Robert Wallace will be our Homilist at the 8:00 & 10:30 AM Masses.
His topic will be: *“I am proud to be an American”*

Copies of the June Newsletter are available on the Agnus Dei gift counter.

Worship at the Church of the Holy Communion:

Sundays

8:00 AM - Low Mass
8:30 AM - Muffin Minute
9:00 AM - Rite II Mass
10:30 AM - Solemn High Mass
12:00 PM - Fellowship & Coffee

Daily

Wednesday: 5:30 PM - Healing Mass
with Unction

The Sanctuary lamp candle is given to the glory of God
and in thanksgiving for
The birthday of Carolyn Conlon

The Altar Flowers are given to the glory of God
and in thanksgiving for
The 40th Wedding Anniversary of Carroll & Janet Gallagher

The Music is given to the glory of God
and in memory of
Thurman Malcolm Fortenberry
and
Robert Cavanaugh

Acolytes: Tricia Nimocks, Frank Royster, McCartney Royster, Lisa Barrington,
Ellison Holland, Eudora Holland, Riley Fischer
Lectors: William Prioleau, Jan Schumann
Sub-Deacon: Frank Royster
M/C: Sarah Covington
Altar Guild: Jerry Jellico, Stephanie Jellico, Lisa Covington
Ushers: Jeff Davis, Ben Traywick, Tim Carswell
Greeters: Joy Hume, Catherine Emory
Fellowship Host/Hostess: Parish Life
Vestry Person of the Day: Tim Carswell

The Most Rev. Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury
The Most Rev'd Michael Curry, Presiding Bishop
The Rt. Rev'd Gladstone B. “Skip” Adams III, Provisional Bishop;
The Rev'd Michael Smith, Deacon;
Clara D. Godshall, Choirmaster/Organist;
Dorothy Porcher Holland, Youth & Children’s Ministry Director;
Mary Neale Berkaw, Coordinator of Altar Guild Ministries;
Kimberly McAtee, Parish Administrator; **Janet Gallagher**, Treasurer; **Dana Friedman & Rebecca Friedman**, Nursery Care; **Cappy Traywick**, Day School Director.

Vestry Members: **Dawn Balsam**, Sr. Warden; **Tim Carswell, Jr.** Warden; **Mary Neale Berkaw**, 18; **Charles Geer**, 18; **John Pelletier**, 18; **Ben Traywick**, 18; **Lisa Covington**, 19; **Catherine Emory**, 19; **Adam J. Moore**, 19; **Sharon Dean**, 20; **Frank Royster**, 20.

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June 17, 2018
The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
Father’s Day

Warm Welcome

We welcome you to the Church of the Holy Communion.
Please sign our guest book at either door so that we may be more responsive to your needs.

Church of the Holy Communion confidently proclaims that in the Holy Mass the Bread and Wine become the True Body and Blood of our Risen Savior Jesus Christ. All Christians who have been baptized with water and in the Name of the Blessed Trinity are invited joyfully to receive these Holy Mysteries of His Real Presence.

Those who are not able to receive Holy Communion are encouraged to come forward to the rail for a blessing. Please cross your arms over your chest as a sign to the priest that you wish to receive his Blessing.
You are welcome in this Holy Place!

Holy Quiet Before Mass

The fifteen minutes before the Liturgy begins is consecrated for prayer and meditation in the church.

This is a holy time during which we may prepare our souls to hear the Word of God and receive the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ. You are invited to take advantage of these few moments of silence. We ask also that you respect this holy time by abstaining from conversation within the church.

Low Mass (8:00 am)

The Liturgy begins on page 249 of the Anglican Service Book (ASB)

Solemn High Mass (10:30 am)

*The Liturgy follows the Solemn High Mass booklet
(please leave the Mass booklet at the church)*

Voluntary Hymn Verbum supernum prodiens *George Oldroyd*
209 *St. Botolph*

Liturgy continues on page 3 of the Mass Booklet

Introit *Exaudi, Domine*

Consider, O Lord, and hear me, when I cry unto thee: be thou my succour, O cast me not away, neither forsake me utterly, O God of my salvation. *Ps.* The Lord is my light, and my salvation: whom then shall I fear? Glory be... and to the Holy Ghost: As it was... ever shall be: world without end. Amen. Consider, O Lord...

Acclamation

Kyrie

Gloria

Collect of the Day

Keep, O Lord, we beseech thee, thy household the Church in thy steadfast faith and love, that by the help of thy grace we may proclaim thy truth with boldness, and minister thy justice with compassion; for the sake of our Savior Jesus Christ, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

The Lesson *Ezekiel 17:22-24*

Thus says the Lord God: I myself will take a sprig from the lofty top of a cedar; I will set it out. I will break off a tender one from the topmost of its young twigs; I myself will plant it on a high and lofty mountain. On the mountain height of Israel I will plant it, in order that it may produce boughs and bear fruit, and become a noble cedar. Under it every kind of bird will live; in the shade of its branches will nest winged creatures of every kind. All the trees of the field shall know that I am the Lord. I bring low the high tree, I make high the low tree; I dry up the green tree and make the dry tree flourish. I the Lord have spoken; I will accomplish it.

Gradual (sung by the choir) *Psalms 92: 1-4, 11-14* chant: *Crotch*
(*Antiphon for 8:00 AM Mass Only*)

Antiphon: The righteous shall flourish like a palm tree.

It is good to give thanks to the Lord: *
and to sing praises unto thy name, O most Highest
To tell of thy loving kindness early in the morning: *
and of thy truth in the night season. *[Antiphon]*

Upon an instrument of ten strings and upon the lute: *
upon a loud instrument and upon the harp.
For thou, Lord, hast made me glad through thy works: *
and I will rejoice in giving praise for the operations of thy hands. *[Antiphon]*

The righteous flourish like the palm tree: *
and shall spread abroad like a cedar in Lebanon.
Such as are planted in the house of the Lord: *
shall flourish in the courts of the house of our God. *[Antiphon]*

They shall also bring forth more fruit in their age: *
and shall be fat and well-liking.
That they may shew how true the Lord my strength is: *
and that there is no unrighteousness in him. *[Antiphon]*

The Epistle *2 Corinthians 5:6-10, 14-17*

We are always confident; even though we know that while we are at home in the body we are away from the Lord-- for we walk by faith, not by sight. Yes, we do have confidence, and we would rather be away from the body and at home with the Lord. So whether we are at home or away, we make it our aim to please him. For all of us must appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each may receive recompense for what has been done in the body, whether good or evil.

For the love of Christ urges us on, because we are convinced that one has died for all; therefore all have died. And he died for all, so that those who live might live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised for them. From now on, therefore, we regard no one from a human point of view; even though we once knew Christ from a human point of view, we know him no longer in that way. So if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new!

Alleluia

Alleluia. Alleluia. The King shall rejoice in thy strength, O Lord: exceeding glad shall he be of thy salvation. Alleluia.

Hymn **620** *Land of Rest*

The Gospel *Mark 4:26-34*

Jesus said, "The kingdom of God is as if someone would scatter seed on the ground, and would sleep and rise night and day, and the seed would sprout and grow, he does not know how. The earth produces of itself, first the stalk, then the head, then the full grain in the head. But when the grain is ripe, at once he goes in with his sickle, because the harvest has come."

He also said, "With what can we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable will we use for it? It is like a mustard seed, which, when sown upon the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth; yet when it is sown it grows up and becomes the greatest of all shrubs, and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the air can make nests in its shade."

With many such parables he spoke the word to them, as they were able to hear it; he did not speak to them except in parables, but he explained everything in private to his disciples.

Homily Father Frederick Baldwin

Liturgy continues on page 6 of the Mass Booklet

Nicene Creed

Prayers of the People

Confession and Absolution

Offertory

I will bless the Lord, who hath given me counsel: I have set God always before me; for he is on my right hand, therefore I shall not fall.

Anthem *Sing, my soul, his wondrous love* *Ned Rorem*

Sing my soul, His wondrous love, who, from yon bright throne above, ever watchful o'er our race, still to man extends His grace. Heav'n and earth by Him were made, all is by His scepter sway'd; what are we that He should show so much love to us below? God, the merciful and good, bought us with the Savior's blood. And, to make our safety sure, guides us by His spirit pure. Sing, my soul, adore His name; Let His glory be thy theme: Praise Him till He calls thee home, trust His love for all to come.

Liturgy continues on page 9 of the Mass Booklet

Doxology *sung* *Old Hundredth*

Orate, Fratres

Sursum Corda and Preface

Sanctus, Benedictus

Hymnal S-114

The American Canon

Pater Noster *sung* *Merbecke*

Hymnal S-158

Agnus Dei

Prayer of Humble Access

Ecce Agnus Dei

Communion of the Faithful

Communion

One thing have I desired of the Lord, which I will require: even that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all of the days of my life.

Hymns at Communion
589, 302, 517

Hymn **623** *O quanta qualia*

Voluntary *Fugue in b minor* *Samuel Wesley*