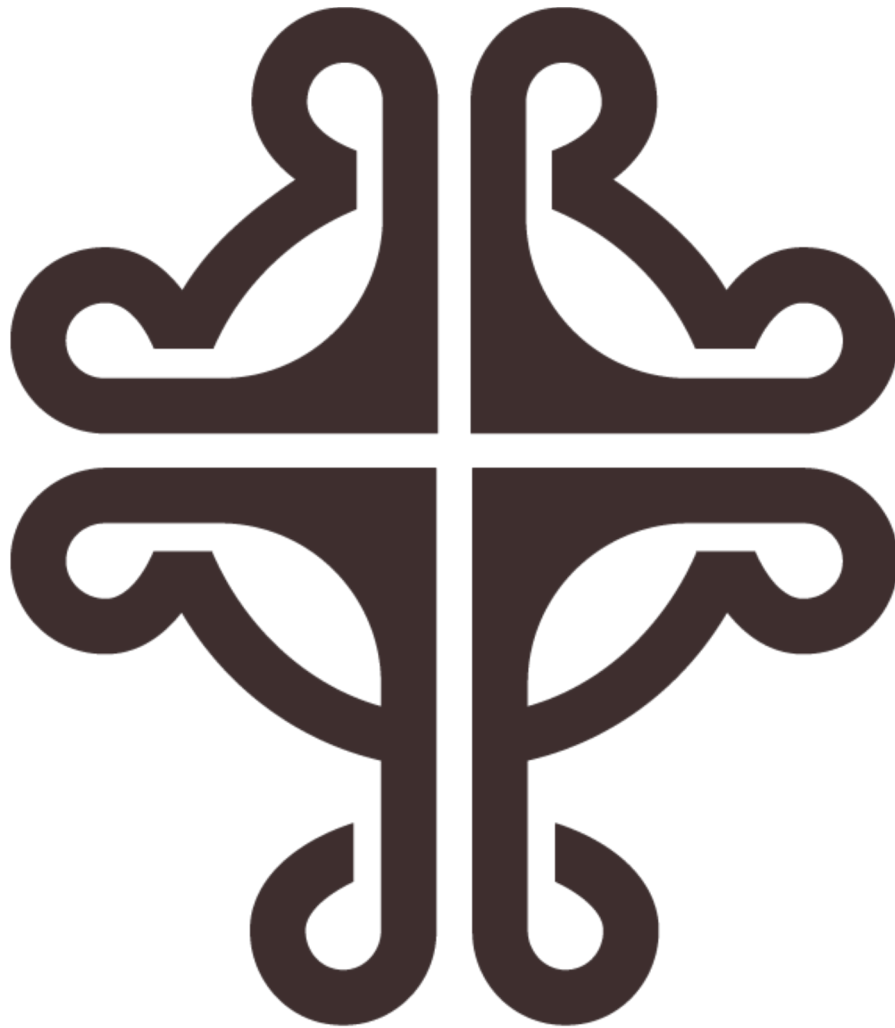


THE TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

August 20, 2023

Eight & Ten o'clock in the morning



We share our home, building a vibrant, loving community.

Emmanuel Church + Newport + Rhode Island

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A guide to the books found in the book racks and used for our services:

Red: *Book of Common Prayer* (BCP for group responses and *Prayers of the People*)

Blue: *The Hymnal 1982* (Hymns listed as S280, etc., are found in the front section of the book)

Green: *Wonder Love and Praise* (hymns listed as WLP)

Our 10:00 a.m. services are broadcast via livestream on Facebook and Youtube.

The “feed” goes live at 9:45 a.m. so that those gathering remotely may find link to the service and witness the in-person community gathering, and any gathering music before the service.

Holy Eucharist, Rite II

PROPER 15

8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

PRELUDE

Ein feste burg ist unser gott

Michael Praetorius

HYMN 688

A mighty fortress is our God

THE WORD OF GOD

The service begins in the red Book of Common Prayer on page 355

COLLECT, *prayed aloud by all*

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. Amen.

GLORY TO GOD 8:00 a.m. BCP page 356, 10:00 a.m. Hymn S278

COLLECT OF THE DAY, *prayed aloud by all*

Almighty God, you have given your only Son to be for us a sacrifice for sin, and also an example of godly life: Give us grace to receive thankfully the fruits of his redeeming work, and to follow daily in the blessed steps of his most holy life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

THE FIRST READING

Joseph could no longer control himself before all those who stood by him, and he cried out, “Send everyone away from me.” So no one stayed with him when Joseph made himself known to his brothers. And he wept so loudly that the Egyptians heard it, and the household of Pharaoh heard it. Joseph said to his brothers, “I am Joseph. Is my father still alive?” But his brothers could not answer him, so dismayed were they at his presence.

Then Joseph said to his brothers, “Come closer to me.” And they came closer. He said, “I am your brother, Joseph, whom you sold into Egypt. And now do not be distressed, or angry with yourselves, because you sold me here; for God sent me before you to preserve life. For the famine has been in the land these two years; and there are five more years in which there will be neither plowing nor harvest. God sent me before you to preserve for you a remnant on earth, and to keep alive for you many survivors. So it was not you who sent me here, but God; he has made me a father to Pharaoh, and lord of all his house and ruler over all the land of Egypt. Hurry and go up to my father and say to him, ‘Thus says your son Joseph, God has made me lord of all Egypt; come down to me, do not delay. You shall settle in the land of Goshen, and you shall be near me, you and your children and your children’s children, as well as your flocks, your herds, and all that you have. I will provide for you there—since there are five more years of famine to come—so that you and your household, and all that you have, will not come to poverty.’ And now your eyes and the eyes of my brother Benjamin see that it is my own mouth that speaks to you. You must tell my father how greatly I am honored in Egypt, and all that you have seen. Hurry and bring my father down here.” Then he fell upon his brother Benjamin’s neck and wept, while Benjamin wept upon his neck. And he kissed all his brothers and wept upon them; and after that his brothers talked with him. -Genesis 45:1-15

Lector The Word of the Lord

People Thanks be to God

PSALM 133

please chant with the choir where indicated, moving from the chanting tone (first note in a measure) to the final note of the measure at the bold, underlined syllable in the text.



All singing melody

Oh, how good and pleasant it **is**, *
 when brethren live together in **unity!**
 It is like fine oil upon the **head** *
 that runs down upon the **beard**,

High voices singing harmony

Upon the beard of **Aaron**, *
 and runs down upon the collar of his **robe**.

Low voices singing melody

It is like the dew of **Hermon** *
 that falls upon the hills of **Zion**.

All singing melody

ΩFor there the Lord has ordained the **blessing**: *
 life for ever**more**.

All singing harmony

THE SECOND READING

I ask, then, has God rejected his people? By no means! I myself am an Israelite, a descendant of Abraham, a member of the tribe of Benjamin. God has not rejected his people whom he foreknew. For the gifts and the calling of God are irrevocable. Just as you were once disobedient to God but have now received mercy because of their disobedience, so they have now been disobedient in order that, by the mercy shown to you, they too may now receive mercy. For God has imprisoned all in disobedience so that he may be merciful to all.

-Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32

Lector *The Word of the Lord*

People **Thanks be to God**

FOR THE SEQUENCE, Hymn of the Month

1) The earth is the Lord's, and everything in it,
From seabed to sky, and from ocean to earth,
The beauty from here to the farthest horizon—
A gift to us all from the moment of birth.

2) Can you feel the aching heart of creation?—
A planet in peril, a world in despair,
A habitat drained of strength and resilience
Can never sustain all the life in her care.

3) On this holy ground, defenseless before you,
Your Spirit, O God, is the air that we breathe,
O teach us to live your holy vocation
To care for the ground that is under our feet.

Refrain There is no way back to the Garden of Eden,
But the vision you promise is a city and home,
Redeem us, O Lord, and the land we belong to,
Creation still groans for a new world to come.

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THE HOLY GOSPEL

Priest *The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.*

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

[Jesus called the crowd to him and said to them, "Listen and understand: it is not what goes into the mouth that defiles a person, but it is what comes out of the mouth that defiles." Then the disciples approached and said to him, "Do you know that the Pharisees took offense when they heard what you said?" He answered, "Every plant that my heavenly Father has not planted will be uprooted. Let them alone; they are blind guides of the blind. And if one blind person guides another, both will fall into a pit." But Peter said to him, "Explain this parable to us." Then he said, "Are you also still without understanding? Do you not see that whatever goes into the mouth enters the stomach, and goes out into the sewer? But what comes out of the mouth proceeds from the heart, and this is what defiles. For

out of the heart come evil intentions, murder, adultery, fornication, theft, false witness, slander. These are what defile a person, but to eat with unwashed hands does not defile.”]

Jesus left that place and went away to the district of Tyre and Sidon. Just then a Canaanite woman from that region came out and started shouting, “Have mercy on me, Lord, Son of David; my daughter is tormented by a demon.” But he did not answer her at all. And his disciples came and urged him, saying, “Send her away, for she keeps shouting after us.” He answered, “I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.” But she came and knelt before him, saying, “Lord, help me.” He answered, “It is not fair to take the children’s food and throw it to the dogs.” She said, “Yes, Lord, yet even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from their masters’ table.” Then Jesus answered her, “Woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish.” And her daughter was healed instantly.

-Matthew 15: (10-20), 21-28

Priest The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON

The Rev Mark Osborne

THE NICENE CREED, *Book of Common Prayer, page 358*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, Form I, *Book of Common Prayer, page 383*

CONFESSION OF SIN, *Book of Common Prayer, page 360*

THE PEACE

THE ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE OFFERTORY

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AT THE OFFERTORY *I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me*

Negro Spiritual

AT THE PRESENTATION OF GIFTS, Hymn 380, stanza 3

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise Him all creatures here below,
praise Him above ye heavenly hosts, praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING, Eucharistic Prayer C, *Book of Common Prayer*, page 369

Holy, holy, holy Lord 8:00 a.m. BCP 371, 10:00 a.m. Hymn S128

The Lord's Prayer, *Book of Common Prayer*, page 364

Fraction Anthem (10:00 a.m.) Hymn S165 *Jesus, Lamb of God*

At Communion, Hymn 533 *How wondrous and great thy works, God of praise*

THE POST COMMUNION PRAYER, *Book of Common Prayer*, page 365-366

HYMN 524 *I love thy kingdom, Lord*

POSTLUDE *Carillon de Longpont (from 24 Pieces in Freestyle)*

Louis Vierne

☞ Coffee Hour follows the service in the Library. All are welcome.

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Preparing for and Assisting in Today's Services

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