

Welcome! As our Lord Jesus Christ said, Peace be with you. Wherever you come from and wherever you are on your journey of faith, we are glad you are with us. Let us enter into God's presence together.

The Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

July 13, 2025

10:00 a.m.

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Note: The text of this liturgy comes from Enriching Our Worship, an authorized supplement to the Book of Common Prayer. Some of the text varies from the standard Rite II liturgy many may be familiar with. The service is not redacted so that worshippers may follow the liturgy in its entirety.

 Prelude
 "Reverie"
 William Grant Still

 Opening Hymn
 "Love divine, all loves excelling"
 Hymn #657

 THE WORD OF GOD
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CelebrantBlessed be the one, holy, and living God.PeopleGlory to God for ever and ever.

The Celebrant may say

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.**

Trisagion Sung three times through Ho - ly God, ho-ly and might-y, ho - ly and im - mor - tal, have mer - cy up - on us.

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The Collect

CelebrantThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.CelebrantLet us pray.

O Lord, mercifully receive the prayers of your people who call upon you, and grant that they may know and understand what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to accomplish them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

First Lesson
(Amos 7:7-17)ReaderA reading from the Book of Amos:

This is what the Lord God showed me: the Lord was standing beside a wall built with a plumb line, with a plumb line in his hand. And the LORD said to me, "Amos, what do you see?" And I said, "A plumb line." Then the Lord said,

"See, I am setting a plumb line in the midst of my people Israel; I will never again pass them by;the high places of Isaac shall be made desolate, and the sanctuaries of Israel shall be laid waste, and I will rise against the house of Jeroboam with the sword."

Then Amaziah, the priest of Bethel, sent to King Jeroboam of Israel, saying, "Amos has conspired against you in the very center of the house of Israel; the land is not able to bear all his words. For thus Amos has said,

'Jeroboam shall die by the sword, and Israel must go into exile away from his land.'''

And Amaziah said to Amos, "O seer, go, flee away to the land of Judah, earn your bread there, and prophesy there; but never again prophesy at Bethel, for it is the king's sanctuary, and it is a temple of the kingdom."

Then Amos answered Amaziah, "I am no prophet, nor a prophet's son; but I am a herdsman, and a dresser of sycamore trees, and the LORD took me from following the flock, and the LORD said to me, `Go, prophesy to my people Israel.'

"Now therefore hear the word of the LORD.

You say, 'Do not prophesy against Israel,

and do not preach against the house of Isaac.'

Therefore thus says the LORD:

Your wife shall become a prostitute in the city, and your sons and your daughters shall fall by the sword, and your land shall be parceled out by line;

you yourself shall die in an unclean land,

and Israel shall surely go into exile away from its land."

ReaderThe Word of the Lord.PeopleThanks be to God.

Psalm 82

The antiphon is first sung by a cantor, then repeated by all.



The verses are sung by a cantor. All sing the antiphon where indicated.

 God, take your stand in the council of heaven; give judgment in the midst of the gods. "How long will you judge unjustly and show favor to the wicked? <i>Antiphon</i>
Save the weak and the orphan; defend the humble and needy. Rescue the weak and the poor: deliver them from the power of the wicked. <i>Antiphon</i>
They do not know, neither do they understand; they go about in darknessAll the foundations of the earth are shaken.Now I say to you, 'You are gods.And all of you children of the Most High. <i>Antiphon</i>
Nevertheless, you shall die like mortals; like any ruler you shall fall." <i>Antiphon</i> Text from <i>Book of Common Prayer</i> , alt.
Refrain: Howard Hughes, S.M.; Tone harmonized by Kenneth Williams.

The Second Lesson

(Colossians 1:1-14)

Reader A reading from the Letter of Paul to the Colossians.

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother,

To the saints and faithful brothers and sisters in Christ in Colossae:

Grace to you and peace from God our Father.

In our prayers for you we always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, for we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. You have heard of this hope before in the word of the truth, the gospel that has come to you. Just as it is bearing fruit and growing in the whole world, so it has been bearing fruit among yourselves from the day you heard it and truly comprehended the grace of God. This you learned from Epaphras, our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf, and he has made known to us your love in the Spirit.

For this reason, since the day we heard it, we have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of God's will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so that you may lead lives worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, as you bear fruit in every good work and as you grow in the knowledge of God. May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

Reader People	The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.		
Sequence Hyr	<u>nn</u> "I come with joy to meet my Lord"	Hymn #304	
<u>The Gospel</u> (Luke 10:25-37)			
Deacon People	The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Luke. Glory to you, Lord Christ.		

Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he said, "what must I do to inherit eternal life?" He said to him, "What is written in the law? What do you read there?" He answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself." And he said to him, "You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live."

But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while traveling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, `Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend.' Which of these three, do you think, was a

neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?" He said, "The one who showed him mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

ReaderThe Gospel of the Lord.PeoplePraise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon

The Rev. Dr. Nancy Eggert

Nicene Creed

*Asterisks indicate a variance from the Book of Common Prayer.

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, *was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary *and became truly 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,**

*who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
*who 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 - Form II

I ask your prayers for God's people throughout the world; for Sean our Presiding Bishop, Matthew our diocesan Bishop, for this gathering; and for all ministers and people. Pray for the Church.

Christ, have mercy.

I ask your prayers for peace; for goodwill among nations; and for the well-being of all people; for Donald the President of the United States, Tony the Governor of Wisconsin, Cory the Mayor of Racine; and all those who serve the public good. Pray for justice and peace.

Christ, have mercy.

I ask your prayers for the poor, the sick, [especially_____; for] the hungry, the oppressed, and those in prison. We pray for the staff, volunteers and guests of the Hospitality Center, Racine Vocational Ministries, and the Brown Bag Ministry. Pray for those in any need or trouble.

Christ, have mercy.

I ask your prayers for all who seek God, or a deeper knowledge of God. Pray that they may find and be found by him. **Christ, have mercy.**

I ask your prayers for the departed [especially_____], Pray for those who have died. Christ, have mercy.

I ask your thanksgiving for all the blessings of our lives [especially______]. Pray for God's blessing on all people.

Christ, have mercy.

Praise God for those in every generation in whom Christ has been honored. Pray that we may have grace to glorify Christ in our own day. **Christ, have mercy.**

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

Confession of Sin

The Deacon or Celebrant says Let us confess our sins to God.

Silence may be kept for reflection.

Minister 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.

The Priest stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

The Peace

Celebrant:	The peace of Christ be always with you.
People:	And also with you.

Announcements

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Celebrant may begin the Offertory with the following sentence of Scripture Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving, and make good your vows to the Most High. *Psalm 50:14*

<u>Offertory</u>	"Love divine, all Loves excelling"	David Cherwien
Celebrant:	All things come of Thee, O Lord	

People: And of Thine own have we given Thee. Amen.

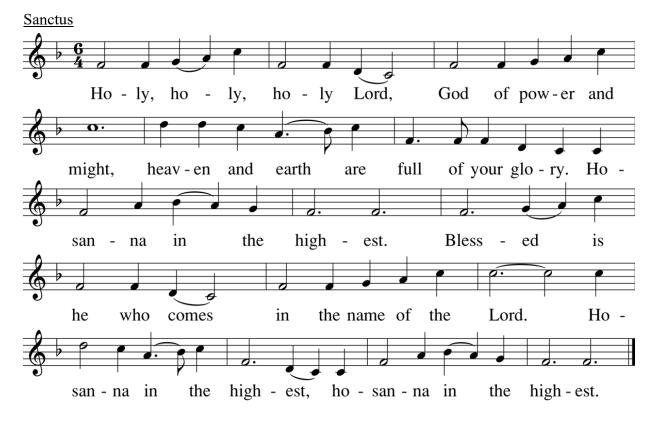
The Great Thanksgiving

EOW Eucharistic Prayer 1



Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds: It is truly right, and good and joyful, to give you thanks, all-holy God, source of life and fountain of mercy. You have filled us and all creation with your blessing and fed us with your constant love; you have redeemed us in Jesus Christ and knit us into one body. Through your Spirit you replenish us and call us to fullness of life.

Therefore, joining with Angels and Archangels and with the faithful of every generation, we lift our voices with all creation as we sing:



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The people may kneel or stand

Then the Celebrant continues Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love.

You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards

and show forth your bountiful grace.

But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love. Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people.

Through Abraham and Sarah you called us into covenant with you. You delivered us from slavery, sustained us in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation. Then, in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

On the night before he died for us, Our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine,

and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said: "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ's Body in the world. Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your daughters and sons, that with the ever-blessed Virgin Mary, blessed Luke, blessed James DeKoven, and all your saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever.

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.



The Lord's Prayer

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Celebrant and People:

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.

Fraction

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.

A period of silence is kept. God of promise, you have prepared a banquet for us. Happy are those who are called to the Supper of the Lamb.

<u>Communion</u> Facing the people, the Celebrant says the following Invitation

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.

In the Episcopal Church, all are welcome at the table of the Lord. If you have been baptized in any Christian tradition, you may receive communion. If you have not been baptized, you are welcome to receive a blessing. Simply cross your arms over your chest to indicate that you would like to receive a blessing or to indicate that you do not want to receive the bread or wine. For a gluten free host, please come to the celebrant and place your thumb in your palm.

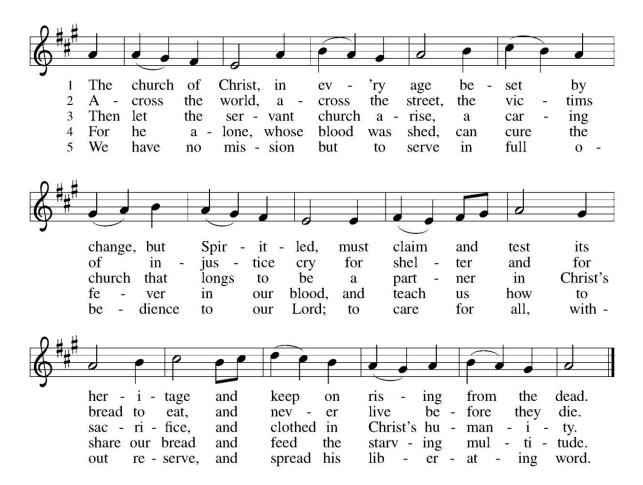
Communion Hymn	"When Christ was lifted from the earth"	Hymn #603
Post-communion Prayer		
The people kneel, if able.		
After Communion, the Cele	ebrant says	
Let us pray.		
Celebrant and People Loving God,		
we give you thanks		
for restoring us in your and nourishing us with	5	
in the Sacrament of Ch	rist's Body and Blood.	
Now send us forth a people, forgiven, heal	ed, renewed;	
that we may proclaim y and continue in the rise	your love to the world en life of Christ our Savior. Amen.	
Sending out of Eucharist	tic Visitors	

(Name), we send you out to share Communion this week with (Name).	
May you carry the prayers of all of us as you take this sacrament of	
Christ's presence.	
May those who receive it from you be strengthened and encouraged in that	
community we have together in our Lord Jesus Christ.	
Amen.	

The Blessing

Closing Hymn

"The Church of Christ, in Every Age"



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Dismissal

DeaconLet us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.PeopleThanks be to God.

Postlude	"Fuga in D Major"	George F. Handel
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If you are visiting St. Luke's, we welcome you in the name of the Risen Lord. If you have any questions or want to know more about St. Luke's Church, please speak with an usher.

TODAY'S MINISTERS

ACOLYE: Zar Telfeyan

ALTAR GUILD: Tricia Frost

FIRST READER: Becky Turk

SECOND READER: Marshall Cushman

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE: Mick Burke

PARISH PERSON OF THE DAY: Cindy Ganzel

USHERS: Gregory Rawlinko, David Groth

CANTOR: Madie Lambert

COFFEE HOUR: St. Monica's Guild

NEXT WEEK COFFEE HOUR: Men of the Church

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

For our Parish

For those who are Sick or in Need or Homebound

Bethany, Laandan, Tony, Chris, Ron, Gerald, Lisa, Jean, Olivia, Bill, Katie, Sally, Heather, Leah, George **Homebound**: Barbara, Jeanne

For the Episcopal Ministries in Racine:

Congregations of St. Luke's and St. Michael's Brown Bag Ministry Diocese of Wisconsin Hospitality Center Racine Vocational Ministry The DeKoven Center

For the Church: In the World

The Church of North India (United) St. Marc's Church & school in Jeanette, Haiti Cadnet Ednerson and Charline Irossaint

Thanksgiving for Birthdays

Sofie, Mabel

Special Offering

Cash or checks in the offering that are not designated for regular needs will be given to the following: **Haiti Project.** Thank you for your generous support of this ministry.

Today's **Altar flowers** are given by Becky Turk to the glory of God and in Thanksgiving for our Brown Bag lunch team & her co-ushers, past and present.

Volunteers are needed for the next Brown Bags lunch on Saturday August 9. Time commitment is 10:30 - 12 noon. Please call/text Tricia Frost, 262 498 6703, to sign up.

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