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ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
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DAY OF PENTECOST: WHITSUNDAY

JUNE 4, 2017

9:00 AM HOLY EUCHARIST + LAYING ON OF HANDS

11:15 AM HOLY EUCHARIST + LAYING ON OF HANDS

Presider and Preacher

The Reverend Dr. Patricia Lyons

Director of Youth and Family Ministries

Ms. Caroline McReynolds-Adams

Director of Music

Mr. Jeff Kempkie

Cell Phones – Please turn off your cell phone or other electronic devices at any time you are in the Nave.

Hearing – The T-Coil system can be accessed by using a hearing aid with a T-setting, or by using one of our headsets. Please ask an usher for assistance.

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Childcare: the Nursery is open! Children up to age 3 are welcome. Take the stairs to the lower level; turn right to go down the hall to the Nursery, which will be the last room on your right.

The Parish Calendar is Online at www.stmarks.net/calendar/month.

Restrooms and water fountains are available in the foyer and on the lower level.

Lost & Found is managed by our new maintenance contractor PMM. Please contact the PMM On-Site Team (202-695-9433) to see if your item has been found or to turn in an item you've found.



MAY 28, 2017

Attendance:	185
Pledge & Plate collection:	\$11,334.50



SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

9:00 am	Holy Eucharist (<i>Family Eucharist is celebrated the second Sunday of most months</i>)
9:00 am	Children's Chapel (<i>not offered when Family Eucharist is celebrated at 9:00 am</i>)
10:00 am	Sermon Seminar
11:15 am	Holy Eucharist
5:00 pm	Contemplative Eucharist

We formally begin the worship service with the Prelude, a musical offering designed to bring us together for worship that allows for quiet reflection before the service begins. Please respect this time by refraining from conversations in the Nave as much as possible. While greeting each other is important, we ask that you do so outside the Nave or near the doors so that others can have quiet time.



THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Prelude Fantasia in G minor, BWV 542

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

Opening Hymn 225 Hail thee, festival day!

Salva festa dies

Opening Sentences

Presider Blessed be God, Christ, and the Holy Sprit.

People **And blessed be God's Kingdom, now and forever. Amen.**

The Collect

Presider God be with you.

All **And also with you.**

Presider Let us pray.

All **Threefold One, relationship in unity, love given and received through all the ages long: give us that unity which is not enclosed but alive and accepting with the open heart of love; through Jesus Christ, the glory of God. Amen.**

The Hebrew Bible Numbers 11:24-30

Moses went out and told the people the words of the Lord; and he gathered seventy elders of the people, and placed them all around the tent. Then the Lord came down in the cloud and spoke to him, and took some of the spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders; and when the spirit rested upon them, they prophesied. But they did not do so again.

Two men remained in the camp, one named Eldad, and the other named Medad, and the spirit rested on them; they were among those registered, but they had not gone out to the tent, and so they prophesied in the camp. And a young man ran and told Moses, "Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp."

And Joshua son of Nun, the assistant of Moses, one of his chosen men, said, "My lord Moses, stop them!" But Moses said to him, "Are you jealous for my sake? Would that all the Lord's people were prophets, and that the Lord would put his spirit on them!" And Moses and the elders of Israel returned to the camp.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to us.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The Gospel John 20:19-23

Gospeller The Gospel of Jesus Christ according to John.
People



When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained."

Gospeller This is the Gospel of Jesus Christ.
People



(11:15 only) **The Sermon**

*The Reverend Dr. Patricia Lyons

(9:00 only) **Homily by High School Seniors**

Seniors and their families gather around the altar

(9:00 only) **Blessing for High School Seniors**

Celebrant We are gathered together to celebrate
the accomplishments of these members of our community.

**People We give blessings to you for all that you have achieved
and many more achievements yet to come.**

Celebrant One part of your life's journey is complete.
You will prepare to begin another phase
that will take you to unimaginable places.
As you prepare for your next journey,
we hope that you remember the ones you leave behind,
who have loved and supported you throughout the years.

People **We give you blessings of good will and courage as you journey forth into the world. We thank you for the laughter and fellowship that you have shared with us and pray that as you begin your next journey, you remember the times that we all have shared with you.**

Celebrant When you look into the horizon and try to picture where you want to go, know that you are not alone although sometimes it will feel that way. When you have dreams and anxieties about who you should be and what you should do, know that you have this community of faith behind you all the way.

People **We give you blessings of community and love. No matter who you become, no matter where you go, and no matter what you believe, you are always welcome here and invited to receive beside us. Go forth in peace and love. Amen.**

Seniors and their families return to their seats.

Prayers of the People

Intercessor Let us bring both our concerns and hopes before God in prayer, asking the grace of the Holy Spirit to live within us:
For the grace to hear God's healing, calming word with us and for the wisdom to discern the difference between God's word and our own.

People **O God, hear our Prayer.**

Intercessor For the Church, that it may be faithful to the spirit of Jesus, and that unified in true peace, we may know what it means to have an inclusive sense of God in our midst.

People **O God, hear our Prayer.**

Intercessor For those in need, that each person's hunger may be satisfied and each person's pain relieved.

People **O God, hear our Prayer.**

Intercessor We celebrate the gift of life and relationship, we give thanks for all who share their lives with us.

People **O God, hear our Prayer.**

All may share prayers of petition, intercession, and thanksgiving silently, or if aloud, ending by saying "This is my prayer" to which the community will respond "Amen."

A time for individual prayers is observed.

Intercessor Let us pray.
People **Gracious God, we give abundant thanks for the blessing of this good life, for the ways you fill our hearts with love and our lives with grace. May we always sense your compassionate presence in our midst and may it inspire in us a desire for justice and peace. Amen.**

The Peace

Presider The peace of God be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

All, one with another, exchange a sign of peace.

Welcome

Announcements

Please limit announcements to one minute or less.

Clergy Greeting

THE LITURGY OF THE TABLE

Offertory Anthem Ev'ry Time I Feel the Spirit Traditional Spiritual, arr. Moses Hogan

Chancel Choir, Adam Caughey, soloist

*Ev'ry time I feel the Spirit, moving in my heart, I will pray.
On the mountain, my Lord spoke, out His mouth came fire and smoke.
Down in the valley, on my knees, asked my Lord have mercy please.
Jordan river, chilly and cold, chills the body but not the soul.
Al around me looked so fine, asked my Lord if all was mine.
Ain't but one train on this track, runs to heaven and right back.
St. Peter waitin' at the gate, said come on sinner, don't be late.*

Please stand as able.

Presentation Hymn 516 Come down, O Love divine
vv. 1-2 only at 9:00

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Eucharistic Prayer

Presider God is here

People **God's spirit is with us**

Presider Lift up your Hearts

People **We lift them up to God**

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

People **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

Presider With all our hearts we praise you, faithful God. In the beginning, you called light to shine in darkness, you made living things to grow and flourish and you created human beings in your image. You chose us in love, guided us by your presence and blessed us with your holy law.

Yet we chose our own ways. We broke your commandments, persecuted your prophets, forgot your wisdom and, time after time, refused to answer your call. So you spoke an eternal word in a human voice in Jesus Of Nazareth, son of Mary, Son of God. He called and people followed, leaving every other loyalty, joining in the movement towards your eternal reign.

Jesus set us free to praise your holy name. But hatred and violence shouted Jesus down. Betrayed and abandoned and nailed to a cross, he laid down his life for the world he loved, and broke the chains of evil and death. Then you turned our sorrow into joy. On the third day you raised him up to lead your people into life. So we praise you, holy God, with angels and archangels and all your faithful people:

Sanctus WLP 851

Jack Burnham

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,
heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na
in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the Name of the
Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Presider On the night before he died, Jesus gathered with his friends to share a meal and wash their feet, teaching one more lesson of love. He took bread and blessed you and broke it. He gave it to them and said: "Take this and eat it. This is my body which is given for you. Do this in memory of me." He took a cup of wine and blessed you and gave it to them. He said: "Take this and drink it. This is my blood, sealing God's promise to forgive your sins. Whenever you do this, do this in memory of me."

As we share these holy gifts, we remember the Lord Jesus. For the love you taught us, the sacrifice you made for us and the hope you give us, we acclaim you. O Christ:

All Dying you destroyed our death. Rising, you restored our life. Christ Jesus, come in glory.

Presider And now, faithful God, send us your Spirit to feed us with the body and blood of our Savior, Jesus Christ. Make us one body in Christ. Send us as your messengers in the world and fill us with energy, courage and love. Now to you, most Holy God, through Christ your son and in the Spirit's power, we bring our worship and our song of praise.

All Blessing and honor and glory and power are yours forever and ever. Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Presider As Jesus taught us, we now pray:

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy Name.
Thy kingdom come, they 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.**

Breaking of the Bread

Presider Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

Presider The Gifts of God for the People of God.

The Invitation to Communion

Presider We recognize this as God's table set before us and for all and this bread and wine as God's food for us and for all.
Therefore whoever we are, from wherever we have come, and whatever we believe,

People All are welcome and invited to receive. Amen!

The Communion

Please gather one group at a time around the altar. Gluten-free wafers and grape juice are available; please make your needs known to the minister.

Laying on of Hands is available in the Chapel, to the right of the choir.

Music During Communion

(9:00) Come, Thou Holy Spirit Bright arr. Randall Giles
Teen Choir, Nadine Hathaway, Director

Come, thou Holy Spirit bright: Come with thy Celestial light. Pour on us thy love divine. Come protector of the poor: Come, thou source of blessings sure; Come within our hearts to shine. Thou, of comforters the best, Thou, the soul's most welcomed guest, of our peace thou art the sign. In our labour be our aid; in our summer, be our shade, Ev'ry bitter tear refine. Brighter than the noonday sun, fill our lives which Christ hast won; Fill our hearts and make them thine. Where thou art not, we have nought: all our word and deed and thought twisted from thy true design. Bend the stubborn heart and will. Melt the frozen, warm the chill; rule us by thy judgement's line. Cleanse us with thy healing power; what is barren, bring to flower; to thy love, our sins consign. To thy people who adore and confess thee ever more. Thy blessed seven-fold gifts assign. Grant us thy salvation, Lord, boundless mercy our reward, joys which earth and heaven entwine. Amen. Alleluia!

(11:15) LEVAS 120 There's a sweet, sweet Spirit, vv. 1-2 Doris Akers

Litany to the Holy Spirit Words by Robert Herrick, Music by Peter Hurford
Chancel Choir

*In the hour of my distress, when temptations me oppress,
And when I my sins confess, Sweet Spirit, comfort me!
When I lie within my bed, sick in heart, and sick in head,
And with doubts discomforted, Sweet Spirit, comfort me!*

*When the house doth sigh and weep, and the world is drowned with sleep,
Yet mine eyes the watch do keep, Sweet Spirit, comfort me!*

Post-Communion Prayer

Presider Let us pray together

People **Creator God, giver of all good things, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the body and blood of Jesus. We thank you for your love and care, and for uniting us with the blessed company of all faithful people. Keep us steadfast on the way. We offer now ourselves, all that we have and are, to serve you faithfully in the world, through our Redeemer. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit be all honor and glory, now and for ever Amen.**

Closing Hymn 507 Praise the Spirit in creation, vv. 1-5

Julion

Blessing

Presider Holy God, Send us anywhere you would have us go, only go there with us. Place upon us any burden you desire, only stand by us to sustain us. Break any tie that binds us, except the tie that binds us to you. And the blessing of God Almighty, Creating, Redeeming and Sustaining, be with you those you love,-- serve and challenge --this day and forever. Amen.

Dismissal

Presider Go in peace to love and serve God.

People Thanks be to God.

Postlude Fugue in G minor, BWV 542

J.S. Bach



Liturgy Request

At St. Mark's, we frequently change the liturgy (the language we use during our worship service). Our goal is to use language that reflects our common effort to put into words our relationship with God. In order to keep the liturgy truly alive and life giving, we need your input. Please feel free to contact the clergy at any time to discuss the liturgy and how the words we say affect you.

Liturgy Source

Opening Sentences, Confession Peace and dismissal: *Book of Common Prayer* adapted, Collects: *Prayers for an Inclusive Church*, Affirmation and Prayers of the People, Absolution, Post-communion prayer: *St. John Episcopal Minneapolis*, Blessing from John Shelby Spong adapted by Susan Russell

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Welcome Reverend Lyons!

**The Rev. Dr. Patricia Lyons is a priest at Church of the Epiphany, DC. She is an author and speaker on faith formation. Her most recent book is entitled "Teaching Faith with Harry Potter." She has taught and lives on campus at Virginia Theological Seminary with her wife, Professor of Practical Theology and Dean of Life-Long Learning, Dr. Lisa Kimball. Fifteen years ago, Patricia was Received into the Episcopal Church after taking an adult Confirmation class here at St. Mark's.*

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Congratulations to our High School graduates and their families! Join us in praying for them as they begin this exciting new chapter in their lives:

Teddy Ammon
Berklee College of Music

Jackie Abramowitz
Seattle University

Maggie Dalzell
Northwestern University

Anna Murphy
University of Delaware

Arrington Peterson
Virginia Commonwealth University

Adam Schans
Widener University

Special Thanks to the Teen Choir for a Successful Season:

Director
Nadine Hathaway

Members
Reka Childers
Annadora Garner
Kyle Lloyd



This Sunday, there is no Sermon Seminar. Instead, please join us immediately following the 9am service for a special
End of the Year Celebration in Baxter Hall
to thank our Christian Education teachers and celebrate our graduates!

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For this week's Announcements, please see the separate purple sheet available at the Nave entrance doors.

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Liturgical Leaders and Worship Participants

Verger	Margaret Wood , 9:00 Josie Jordan 11:15
Acolytes	Dana Garner, crucifer ; Tadashi Dodge, torchbearer 9:00 Michael Knipe 11:15
Altar Guild	Gretchen Wilson & Margaret Wood 9:00 Anne & Robert Headley 11:15
Bread and Wine	Phyllis Jane Young 9:00 Michael Knipe 11:15
Lay Servers	Mark Bohannen, Leslie Allen, Kenn Allen, Maureen Shea 9:00 Michael Knipe, Fairfield Butt, Elizabeth Becker, Pat Latin 11:15
Readers	Youth Readers 9:00 Scripture, Kathy Tatko; prayers, Liz Layton 11:15
Laying on of Hands	Jan Lipscomb 9:00 Barbara Nelson 11:15

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PARISH PRAYER LIST

Alishia Daugherty Bauman (Kristen Deutsch's cousin, Stephanie and David Deutsch's daughter-in-law)
Sylvie Kalas Braddock (Barbara Nelson's granddaughter) • Janice Brown
Joya Cox • Alisa Earnest (Lynda Bugge's grandchild)
Taylor Emerson (Randy Marks' niece) • Trish Frazier (mother of Caitlin Frazier)
Mr. and Mrs. David Glaze (of Boulder, CO) • Joyce Gutson
Dave Haglund • Robert Hall Jr. (Rob Hall's father) • Brock Hansen • Rick Hayes • Debbie Keysor
Alice Kistler (Kathryn Powers' sister) • Dennis Lewis • Elizabeth Long
Lina Marks (Randy Marks' mother) • Lila Marks • Nat Marks
Lilly March • Barbara Nelson • Jane and Jim Michael
Leslie F. Nickerson (Frank Nickerson's father and Amelia Nickerson's grandfather)
Randell Prothro • Bill Rau • Rosalie Ryan • Marilyn Stiles • Arnold Taylor



THOSE OF OUR PARISH SERVING IN THE MILITARY

Vincent Alcazar (Parishioner) • Kayla Baily (Parishioner) • Blake Bassett (Parishioner)
Clint Billings (son of Kevin Billings and Mary Louise Wagner)
P. J. Boehm (brother of Rachel Boehm) • Preston Brooks (Parishioner)
Stephen Dannenmaier (brother and brother-in-law of Bill and Molly Dannenmaier)
Jason Earnest (grandson of Lynda Smith-Bugge)
Kurt Hansen (nephew of Brock and Penny Hansen)
Weston Zarek (son of Tom Zarek)



THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

Spc. Etienne J. Murphy, 22, of Loganville, GA, died May 26, in Al-Hasakah, Syria



CYCLE OF PRAYER

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Michael Knipe, *Counsel*

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Jim Steed

Announcements, not to exceed 150 words, are to be submitted to bulletin@stmarks.net by 5:00 pm on the Tuesday preceding the Sunday you wish the announcement to run.



Welcome Guests!

We'd like to get to know you better!

We invite you to fill out this page, tear it off, and drop it into the offering plate or hand it to one of the greeters as you leave. Please take the rest of this service bulletin with you, so that you can refer to the service schedule, office directory, and information about upcoming events and classes at St. Mark's.

We hope you feel at home with us. If you have questions, please speak with the clergy or one of the greeters after the service. You can also call the office at any time and we will be happy to help you in any way we can.

Thank you for visiting St. Mark's today.

Go in peace and return often!

After completing, please remove this page and place in the offering plate or give to a greeter.

I attended: _____ 9 am Holy Eucharist
_____ 10 am Sermon Seminar
_____ 11:15 am Holy Eucharist
_____ 5 pm Contemplative Eucharist
_____ Special (wedding, funeral, etc.)

Name _____

Email _____

Zip Code _____

Phone _____

I am interested in learning more about:

_____ Baptism (child, adult)
_____ Getting married at St. Mark's
_____ Music (choir, lessons)
_____ Children/youth classes & programs
_____ Adult classes
_____ Senior programs/activities
_____ Outreach/community service
_____ Environmental issues
_____ Yoga classes
_____ Dance classes
_____ St. Mark's Players (theatrical productions)

Join us! For Newcomer Sunday *today* in Baxter Hall on the main level from 10:45 to 11:15.

You can stay up to date on St. Mark's news by signing up online for the weekly Gospel e-newsletter at www.stmarks.net/contact-us/. If you'd like to join the St. Mark's Yahoo group, please contact George Meng at gem@menglaw.com and ask to be added.