

# 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

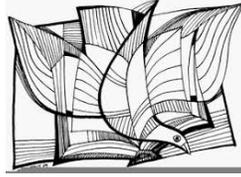


Sunday, August 29, 2021  
10:30 A.M. Eucharist, Rite Two

## **CALVARY EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

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## THE WORD OF GOD

### OPENING SONG - Father of Lights

1. Father of lights  
You delight in Your children  
Father of lights  
You delight in Your children

2. Father of lights You never change  
You have no turning  
Father of lights You never change  
You have no turning

Every good and perfect gift  
Comes from You  
Every good and perfect gift  
Comes from You  
Every good and perfect gift  
Comes from You  
Father of lights

### WELCOME AND ACCLAMATION

BCP 355

Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

***And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.***

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.**

### GLORIA

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***Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to His people on earth.  
Lord God, Heavenly King, Almighty God and Father,  
We worship You, we give You thanks,  
we praise You for Your glory.  
Lord Jesus Christ, only son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
You take away the sin of the world,  
have mercy on us;  
You are seated at the right hand of the Father,  
receive our prayer.  
For You alone are the Holy One,  
You alone are the Lord.  
You alone are the most high,  
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit.  
In the glory of God the Father, Amen.***

**THE COLLECT**

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Let us pray.

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: Graft in our hearts the love of your Name; increase in us true religion; nourish us with all goodness; and bring forth in us the fruit of good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**THE LESSONS** (See Insert - Response is Thanks be to God)

A READING FROM SONG OF SOLOMON

SONG OF SOLOMON 2:8-13

THE PSALM

Psalm 45:1-2, 7-10

A READING FROM JAMES

James 1:17-27

**SEQUENCE HYMN 482** - **Lord of all hopefulness**

1. Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy,  
Whose trust, ever child-like,  
no cares could destroy,  
Be there at our waking, and give us, we pray,  
Your bliss in our hearts, Lord,  
at the break of the day.

3. Lord of all kindness, Lord of all grace,  
Your hands swift to welcome,  
your arms to embrace,  
Be there at our homing, and give us, we pray,  
Your love in our hearts, Lord,  
at the eve of the day.

2. Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith,  
Whose strong hands  
were skilled at the plane and the lathe,  
Be there at our labours, and give us, we pray,  
Your strength in our hearts, Lord,  
at the noon of the day.

3. Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm,  
whose voice is contentment,  
Whose presence is balm,  
Be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray,  
Your peace in our hearts, Lord,  
at the end of the day.

THE GOSPEL

Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Mark

**Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

...

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

**SERMON**

Fr. Ralph

**SERMON RESPONSE**

**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 man.  
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

Form III, BCP 387

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;  
**That we all may be one.**

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;  
**That your name may be glorified by all peoples.**

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons, especially Michael our Presiding Bishop; Andy, Jeff, Kai, and Hector our Bishops; Ralph our Priest, and Nancy our Deacon.  
**That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.**

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;  
**That there may be justice and peace on the earth.**

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;  
**That our works may find favor in your sight.**

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;  
**That they may be delivered from their distress.**

Give to the departed eternal rest;  
**Let light perpetual shine upon them.**

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;  
**May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.**

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others, either silently or aloud.

*Celebrant adds a concluding Collect*

#### **CONFESSION OF SIN**

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

***Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.***

#### **ABSOLUTION**

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

#### **THE PEACE**

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**And also with you.** (*The Peace is exchanged - please maintain social distance.*)



## THE HOLY COMMUNION

### THE OFFERTORY

### THE DOXOLOGY

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above ye heavenly host:  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer A, BCP 361

The Lord be with you.

***And also with you.***

Lift up your hearts.

***We lift them to the Lord.***

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

***It is right to give him thanks and praise.***

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. (the priest adds a Proper Preface)

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

***Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might;***

HYMN # S-125

***Heaven and earth are full of your glory.***

***Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.***

***Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.***

***Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.***

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he 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 shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

***Christ has died.***

***Christ is risen.***

***Christ will come again.***

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever. **Amen.**

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

***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,***

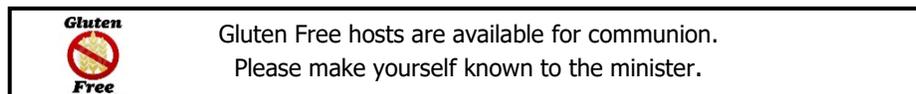
***for ever and ever. Amen.***

#### **THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD**

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

***Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.***

These are 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.



***If you have a special prayer need, step into the side chapel after you receive communion, and a member of the Prayer Team will pray with you.***

**COMMUNION SONG 1 - Change My Heart**

CHORUS:

Change my heart, O God,  
Make it ever true,  
Change my heart, O God,  
May I be like you.

You are the potter,  
I am the clay,  
Mold me and make me,  
This is what I say.

**COMMUNION SONG 2 - Sunrise**

The sun rises in the east  
A new day, it is dawning.  
The sun rises in the east  
A new day, it is dawning.

The birds sing alleluia.  
The birds sing praise the Lord  
The birds sing alleluia.  
The birds sing praise the Lord

This is the day the Lord hath made.  
Rejoice and be glad in it.  
This is the day the Lord hath made.  
Rejoice and be glad in it.

May the light of Christ dawn in you.  
May you be born anew.  
May the light of Christ dawn in you.  
May you be born anew.

**POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

Let us pray.

***Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.***

## **BLESSING**

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.** *(these words may differ from time to time)*

## **CLOSING SONG - Revival**

1. As sure as gold is precious and the honey sweet  
So You love this city and You love these streets  
Every child out playing by their own front door  
Every baby laying on the bedroom floor  
Every dreamer dreaming in their dead-end job  
Every driver driving through the rush hour mob  
I feel it in my spirit feel it in my bones  
You're going to send revival  
Bring them all back home

*Chorus:*

For I can hear that thunder in the distance  
Like a train on the edge of the town  
I can feel the brooding of Your Spirit  
Lay your burdens down  
Lay your burdens down

2. From the preacher preaching when the well is dry  
To the lost soul reaching for a higher high  
From the young man working  
Through his hopes and fears  
To the widow walking through the veil of tears  
Every man and woman every old and young  
Every father's daughter every mother's son  
I feel it in my spirit feel it in my bones  
You're going to send revival  
Bring them all back home

Revive us revive us  
Revive us with Your fire  
Revive us revive us  
Revive us with Your fire

## **THE DISMISSAL**

Alleluia, Alleluia. Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. *(these words may differ from time to time)*

***Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.***

***Join us for coffee hour after the 8am service every Sunday in  
the Parish Hall.***

***Today join us for Rally Day following the service.***



## Prayers of the People for Sunday August 29<sup>th</sup>

**We ask God's healing grace for the current concerns of:** Arianne Barker, Liz and Alex Dewey, Mark Duncan, Bob Eastman, Diane Florencia, Suzette, Jeremy, Kaitlyn and Kaylee Hillis, Dorothy Lyons, Matthew Maschek, Andrew Maschek, and Lisa Traylor.

**We ask God's healing grace for all people currently suffering from the effects of the COVID-19 virus, all caring for the sick, all mourning the lives lost to the virus and all people living in fear, uncertainty and disruption.**

**For the continuing concerns of:** Valentine Aguilar and Family, Ebenezer Akinpelu and Family, Naomi Ayala, John Badora, David Barnhart, Robin Buddecke, Chris Bull, Myra Bull, The Campbell Family, Marc Carter, Jack Carlisle, Belem and Jose Castro, Raymond Cliett, Millie Cordero, Mabel Cole, Jordan and Michael Crowe, Peter Daniels, Denny Dantimo, Stephanie Dantimo, The Dantimo Family, Paige Dean, Belinda Delgado, The Dunn Family, John Durfey, Millie Eland, Steve Fairman, The Farnum Family, Priscilla Forkner, Kerbe Fuchs and Waylon Fuchs, Tomas Garcia, Angel Gonzalez, Celeste Good, Chelsea Haley, Sonia Hernandez and Balmoris Hernandez, Jeremy Hillis, Tim Hillis, Bill Holk, Pat Hooten, Porter Horgan, Susie Hugel, James Iversen, Mike Jackson, Betty Jacobson, Jan Jones, Joan Ketchmark, The Kidda Family, Chris Kilgard, David Lathrop, Jane Lewis, Griff Linsenmayer, Tony Locascio, Lisa Mann and Family, Rylan Thomas Marwardt, Joyce Matuszewski, Katie Maybee, Diane McCabe, Mike McClelland, Charlene McLemore, Elisa Montufar, Betsy Mudra, Kelly Murley, Sandra Muegge, Sarah Hollis Murray, Louise Myers, Soni Oyekan, Sarah Palowski, Melanie Pentecost, Stephanie Shurette Ramirez, Margaret Richardson, Jan Ritchie, Adam and Cindy Rychlik, Elvira Salazar, Rosie Salazar, Nieves Samora, Roseala Samora, Mary Villaloboz Sandoval, Sheryl Smith, Spencer Smith, Virgil Ureña, Ranti Valdez, David Vandivier, Mark Warner, Eric Wehner, Kru Whitecotton, Ann Williams, Kelley Williams, and Owen Zatopek.

**May the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace:**

**We pray for those serving in the military:** Gregory Becker, Jack Butler, Richard Carrell, Paul Easter, Jr., Alex Iversen, Jerry Jones, Caleb Kilpatrick, Don Michael, Aimee and John Roth, Greg Smith, Terra Suttill, Ryan Trenck, Jim Williams, Michael Willis, Dan Yurasek, Isaiah Jose Zarate, and all the members of our armed forces who are serving in peace keeping missions throughout the world.

**The Flowers on the Altar are given in  
Thanksgiving for the Ministry of Anne Scarborough.**

### **2021 Flower Sign Up**

The notebook to sign up for 2021 flower offerings is in the Narthex.

Please stop by and sign up.

The cost is \$50, to be paid in advance.

For more information, call the church office @ 281-342-2147

**Daughters of the King Cross Ministry**

The Daughters of the King pray daily for our high school students. Each fall, we ask parents of incoming freshman, and high school students who are new to Calvary, to select a cross for their student. Today, during the 10:30am service, the students will be presented with their cross and receive a blessing. The crosses will then be hung on the Narthex wall. Upon graduation, their crosses will be returned to them, representing all the prayers and love of their Calvary family that they will carry with them on the next part of their life journey. Questions? Contact Jeannine Hillis at [jmatthillis01@gmail.com](mailto:jmatthillis01@gmail.com) or Rev. Nancy Wilkes at [nwilkes@ces-richmond.org](mailto:nwilkes@ces-richmond.org)

**Church Retreat October 8th - October 10th**

Mark your calendars for our next get-away weekend in the piney woods of Camp Allen.

**Sign up on Rally Day in the Parish Hall**

**For more information contact:** Susan Grotte: [susangrotte@yahoo.com](mailto:susangrotte@yahoo.com) or  
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**Bible Study on the Gospel of Mark**

See the world of Jesus through Mark's eyes.

When: Wednesdays starting Sept. 8<sup>th</sup> 6:30 – 8:00pm

Where: Parish Hall

**Sign up on Rally Day in the Parish Hall!**

**Attack Poverty - Flores Building Project**

Semi-skilled volunteers needed for a home construction project (framing, siding, etc.).

Mr. Flores is a senior resident in Stafford who needs a home.

For more information, contact Roy Haley at 281-871-8172. Sign-up to volunteer at [attackpoverty.org](http://attackpoverty.org).

**Upcoming Events - Save the Dates**

**Sunday, August 29<sup>th</sup>** - Cross Ministry during 10:30am service

**Sunday, August 29<sup>th</sup>** - Rally Day between services and after 10:30am service

**Sunday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>** - Blessing of the Animals

**Friday, October 8<sup>th</sup> – Sunday, October 10<sup>th</sup>** - Church Retreat at Camp Allen



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**WORSHIP SERVICE TIMES**

**9:30 AM Tuesday Eucharist Service/Morning Prayer**

**5:00 PM Saturday-Contemporary Service**

**8:00 AM Sunday-Traditional Service**

**10:30 AM Sunday-Contemporary Service**

**IF YOU HAVE AN EMERGENCY AND NEED TO SPEAK TO SOMEONE, PLEASE CONTACT:**

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