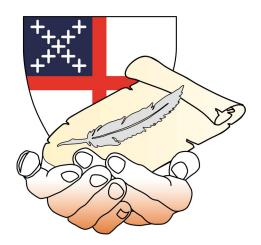
Welcome

to

St. Clement's Episcopal Church

Open Minds + Loving Hearts + Giving Hands



Day of Pentecost

June 8, 2025

8:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist Rite II 10:00 A.M. Holy Baptism and Holy Eucharist Rite II

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A Parish of the Episcopal Diocese of North Carolina

The Right Reverend Samuel S. Rodman III, Bishop of North Carolina
The Rt. Rev. Jennifer Brooke-Davidson, Assistant Bishop
The Reverend Jamie L'Enfant Edwards, Rector
The Reverend Mark Davidson, Deacon
John Farmer, Director of Music

The Order for Holy Eucharist

Welcome and Announcements

Please take this time to silence or turn off your cell phones and all electronic devices.

Prelude Sonata on the First Tone Jose Lidon (1746-1827)

Entrance Hymn #296 We know that Christ is raised and dies no more

Opening Acclamation BCP p. 299

Celebrant: Alleluia, Christ is risen.

People: The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

Celebrant: There is one Body and one Spirit; **People: There is one hope in God's call to us;** Celebrant: One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;

People: One God and Father of all.

The Collect of the Day

Almighty God, on this day you opened the way of eternal life to every race and nation by the promised gift of your Holy Spirit: Shed abroad this gift throughout the world by the preaching of the Gospel, that it may reach to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

First Lesson: Genesis 11:1-9

Now the whole earth had one language and the same words. And as they migrated from the east, they came upon a plain in the land of Shinar and settled there. And they said to one another, "Come, let us make bricks, and burn them thoroughly." And they had brick for stone, and bitumen for mortar. Then they said, "Come, let us build ourselves a city, and a tower with its top in the heavens, and let us make a name for ourselves; otherwise we shall be scattered abroad upon the face of the whole earth." The LORD came down to see the city and the tower, which mortals had built. And the LORD said, "Look, they are one people, and they have all one language; and this is only the beginning of what they will do; nothing that they propose to do will now be impossible for them. Come, let us go down, and confuse their language there, so that they will not understand one another's speech." So the LORD scattered them abroad from there over the face of all the earth, and they left off building the city. Therefore it was called Babel, because there the LORD confused the language of all the earth, and from there the LORD scattered them abroad over the face of all the earth.

Psalm 104:25-35, 37 Benedic, anima mea

Sung by all

25 O Lord, how manifold are your **works!** in wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your **creatures**.

26 Yonder is the great and wide sea with its living things too many to **number**, * creatures both small and **great**.

27 There move the ships,
and there is that Le-viathan, *
which you have made for the sport of it.
28 All of them look to you *
to give them their food in due season.

29 You give it to them; they **gather** it; * you open your hand, and they are filled with good **things**.

30 You hide your face, and they are **terrified**; * you take away their breath, and they die and return to their **dust**.

31 You send forth your Spirit, and they are cre-ated; * and so you renew the face of the earth.
32 May the glory of the Lord endure for ever; * may the Lord rejoice in all his works.

33 He looks at the earth and it **trembles**; *
he touches the mountains and they **smoke**.
34 I will sing to the Lord as long as I **live**; *
I will praise my God while I have my **being**.

35 May these words of mine **please** him; *
I will rejoice in the **Lord**.
37 Bless the Lord, O my **soul**. *
Halle-**lujah**!

Second Lesson: Acts 2:1-21

When the day of Pentecost had come, the disciples were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.



Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs-- in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine."

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

'In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'

Sequence Hymn #511 Hoy Spirit, ever living

Abbot's Leigh

The Gospel: John 14:8-17

Philip said to Jesus, "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied." Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, `Show us the Father'? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

"If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you."

The SermonThe Rev. Jamie Ed	dwards
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Holy Baptism

Presentation and Examination of the Candidate BCP p. 301

Lilly Grace Holton

The Baptismal Covenant BCP p. 304
Prayers for the Candidate BCP p. 305
Thanksgiving Over the Water BCP p. 306
The Baptism BCP p. 307
The Peace BCP p. 308

The Holy Communion

Offertory Hymn #513 Like the murmur of the dove's song Bridegroom

The Great Thanksgiving
Sanctus S-128 Holy

BCP p. 361 Holy, Holy, Holy

The Lord's Prayer BCP p. 364

Fraction Anthem

Cantor: Come, let us eat, for now the feast is spread.

Congregation: Come, let us eat, for now the feast is spread.

Cantor: In the presence of our Lord we gather.

Congregation: In the presence of our Lord we gather.

Cantor: Come, let us drink, for now the wine is poured.

Congregation: Come, let us drink, for now the wine is poured.

Cantor: Jesus risen will bring in the kingdom.

Congregation: Jesus risen will bring in the kingdom.

Communion Music Bagatelle Gerald Finzi (1901-1956)

Post Communion Prayer BCP p. 366

The Blessing

Recessional Hymn #225 Hail thee, festival day!

Salve festa dies

The Dismissal BCP p. 366

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For your prayers during the Eucharist and this week.

In Our Diocese: We give thanks for Sean, our presiding Bishop; Samuel, our Diocesan Bishop; Jennifer, Assistant Bishop; Jamie our Rector; Mark our Deacon. For St. Paul's in Monroe, St. James' and St. Patrick's in Mooresville. For our Companion Diocese of Costa Rica and their Bishop, Orlando Gómez, and the Diocese of Botswana and their Bishop, Metlhayotlhe Beleme.

In Our Parish Cycle of Prayer: We give thanks for Sharon & Andres Valdez.

In Need of Healing: Carol Z.; Patrick N.; Sonta H.; Bob S.; Warren G.; Judy R.; Terri E.; Sharon V.; Michael E.; Pat M.; Tony L; Jane H.; Rhonda L.; Michael S.; Sylbrina K.; Dot H.;; Barbara B.; Gill W.; Bim H.; Bradley M.; Sharon F.; Jean F.; Fran S.; Don G.; Myra A.; Susan G.; Gerard S., Pat K.; Linda H.; Donna P.; Bruce N.; Sandra N.; Kim S.; Heather T.; Glenda W.; Jerry K.; Manuel; Rick K.; Vic; Pat M.; Jimmy E.; Robert E.; Pat G.; Nancy M.; Werner K; for all victims of violence and natural disasters; for our nation's leaders that they will always seek to do God's will.

Military: For all those who serve our country, here and abroad, especially: Will Edwards; Cody Potts; Isaac Hutchins; Sean Mullins; Chris Vestal; David Grocer; Sam Mills; Ryan Tilley; Chris Bailey; Jeremy Almond; Andrew Ellis.

In Thanksgiving: For the baptism of Lilly Grace, and for our visitors.

Birthdays: Lynn Marcellino, Ginny Davies.

Anniversaries: John & Pat Mueller, Dick & Nancy Hebert.

Welcome to our Seekers and Visitors!

Welcome to St. Clement's! We are blessed to have you with us. Please visit our welcome table located next to the organ and fill out a name tag and pick up a Visitor's Welcome Postcard. If you would like more information about any aspect of our parish, please do not hesitate to ask!

Would you like to become a member? Please ask for a gold registration form.

Opportunities for Engagement

Men's Breakfast

Every first Wednesday, 8 am @ Pete's.

Women's Group

Every Thursday @ 10:30 am (PH)

• Al-Anon Meetings

Every Friday @ 12 noon (PH)

Men's Zoom Group

Every Saturday @ 8 am via Zoom

• In-Person Saturday Men's Hour Every Saturday, 10 am—11 am in parish hall.

Potluck (Costco) Dinner Parties
 Meets periodically on a Saturday evening.

The Week Ahead

Sunday, June 8

Rite II Quiet Eucharist @ 8 am
Coffee & Conversation, 8:30-9 am (PH)
Formation, 9-9:45 am (PH)
Rite II w/ Baptism @ 10 am

Jail Service @ Cherry St. Prison, 2 pm

Thursday, June 12

Women's Group, 10:30 am (PH)

Friday, June 13

RENTAL: Al-Anon, 12 noon (PH) WS Dash Baseball game, 6:30 pm

Saturday, June 14

Men's Zoom Group, 8 am via Zoom In-Person Men's Hour, 10-11 am (PH)

Special Announcements

WS Dash Ticket Payment

If you have not paid for your tickets yet, please place your check or cash in the envelope provided on the clipboard in the narthex. Tickets are \$12 each (this does not include parking.) Make checks out to St. Clement's and memo "Dash tickets".

Father's Day Breakfast coming June 15th!

Bring breakfast nibbles to share, and let's celebrate the special men in our lives on Sunday the 15th at 9 a.m. We're overdue for a parish breakfast, so let's make this a fun one!

Lay Ministers! - 3Q Schedule Deadline
If there are any dates you can not serve
during July, Aug. Sept., email Linda no later
than June 18th.

Would you like be a part of our Lay Ministry?

We'd love to get you on the upcoming 3Q schedule! We are in need of the following:

- 8 am Lectors, acolytes, and chalicists
- 10 am Acolytes, chalicists, and ushers Contact Mother Jamie, Deacon Mark, or Linda in the office.

Altar Flowers Needed

Volunteers are needed to provide altar flowers for the entire month of July and most weeks in Aug., Sept., Oct. & Nov. See the sign up sheet on the white board in the Narthex.

Mark Your Calendars

Father's Day Breakfast

Sunday, June 15 @ 9am (PH)

- 3Q Lay Minister Schedule Requests Wednesday, June 18
- Office Closed

Thursday, June 19th / Juneteenth federal holiday.

Serving at the Altar for this Week

The Rev. Jamie Edwards
The Rev. Mark Davidson

8:00 <u>Chalice:</u> B. Daniel <u>Lector:</u> B. Daniel <u>Altar Guild:</u> Scardina

10:00 Chalice: J. Krause Lector: M. McIntosh

Acolyte: B. Edwards Ushers: Russ, Selby Altar Guild: Lovett, Ellis, Nash

Counters: Sid Chadwick & Leslie Pugh

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Flowers behind the Altar are given to the Glory of God by Janice Weeks in loving memory of her dear Aunt Neva Alice Reavis who died June 2001.

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Lay Ministry Schedule for Next Sunday, June 15

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The Rev. Mark Davidson

8:00 Chalice: J. Krause Lector: J. Krause

Altar Guild: Russ, Bucknall

10:00 Chalice: B. Edwards Lector: S. Nash

Acolyte: B. Edwards **Ushers**: Rush Altar Guild: Bucknall, Lyall

Counters: Sid Chadwick & Robbie Powell

Vestry & Wardens

April Chapel, Senior Warden, Bob Smith, Junior Warden, Nicky Tesh, Treasurer Chuck Bohrer, Laurie Ryan, Sharon Lyall, Sid Chadwick, Jim Studley, Mark Snow, Terri Smith, Clerk of the Vestry

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