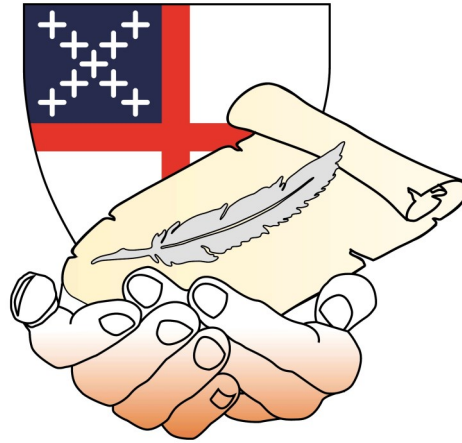


Welcome
to
St. Clement's Episcopal Church
Open Minds + Loving Hearts + Giving Hands



Second Sunday After Pentecost:
June 19, 2022

10:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist Rite II



A Parish of the Episcopal Diocese of North Carolina
The Right Reverend Samuel S. Rodman III, Bishop of North Carolina
The Right Reverend Anne Hodges-Copple, Bishop Suffragan
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

Prelude	Air	Eric Thiman (1900-1975)
Entrance Hymn #493	O for a thousand tongues to sing stanzas 1,2,3 & 6	Azmon
Opening Acclamation	BCP p. 355	

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Gloria S-277 Glory to God in the highest

The Collect of the Day

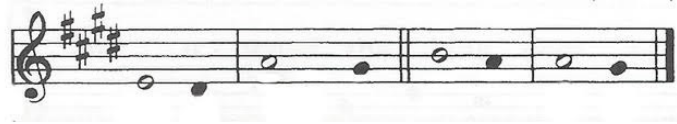
O Lord, make us have perpetual love and reverence for your holy Name, for you never fail to help and govern those whom you have set upon the sure foundation of your loving-kindness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

First Lesson: Isaiah 65:1-9

I was ready to be sought out by those who did not ask, to be found by those who did not seek me. I said, "Here I am, here I am," to a nation that did not call on my name. I held out my hands all day long to a rebellious people, who walk in a way that is not good, following their own devices; a people who provoke me to my face continually, sacrificing in gardens and offering incense on bricks; who sit inside tombs, and spend the night in secret places; who eat swine's flesh, with broth of abominable things in their vessels; who say, "Keep to yourself, do not come near me, for I am too holy for you." These are a smoke in my nostrils, a fire that burns all day long. See, it is written before me: I will not keep silent, but I will repay; I will indeed repay into their laps their iniquities and their ancestors' iniquities together, says the LORD; because they offered incense on the mountains and reviled me on the hills, I will measure into their laps full payment for their actions. Thus says the LORD: As the wine is found in the cluster, and they say, "Do not destroy it, for there is a blessing in it," so I will do for my servants' sake, and not destroy them all. I will bring forth descendants from Jacob, and from Judah inheritors of my mountains; my chosen shall inherit it, and my servants shall settle there.

Psalm 22:18-27 Deus, Deus meus

Sung by all



- 18 Be not far away, O Lord; *
you are my strength; hasten to help me.
- 19 Save me from the sword, *
my life from the power of the dog.
- 20 Save me from the lion's mouth, *
my wretched body from the horns of wild bulls.
- 21 I will declare your Name to my brethren; *
in the midst of the congregation I will praise you.
- 22 Praise the Lord, you that fear him; *
stand in awe of him, O offspring of Israel;
all you of Jacob's line, give glory.
- 23 For he does not despise nor abhor the poor in their poverty;
neither does he hide his face from them; *
but when they cry to him he hears them.
- 24 My praise is of him in the great assembly; *
I will perform my vows in the presence of those who worship him.
- 25 The poor shall eat and be satisfied,
and those who seek the Lord shall praise him: *
"May your heart live for ever!"
- 26 All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the Lord, *
and all the families of the nations shall bow before him.
- 27 For kingship belongs to the Lord; *
he rules over the nations.

Second Lesson: Galatians 3:23-29

Now before faith came, we were imprisoned and guarded under the law until faith would be revealed. Therefore the law was our disciplinarian until Christ came, so that we might be justified by faith. But now that faith has come, we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian, for in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith. As many of you as were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise.

Sequence Hymn #652 Dear Lord and Father of mankind
Stanzas 1,2 & 5

The Gospel: Luke 8:26-39

Jesus and his disciples arrived at the country of the Gerasenes, which is opposite Galilee. As he stepped out on land, a man of the city who had demons met him. For a long time he had worn no clothes, and he did not live in a house but in the tombs. When he saw Jesus, he fell down before him and shouted at the top of his voice, "What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, do not torment me" -- for Jesus had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many times it had seized him; he was kept under guard and bound with chains and shackles, but he would break the bonds and be driven by the demon into the wilds.) Jesus then asked him, "What is your name?" He said, "Legion"; for many demons had entered him. They begged him not to order them to go back into the abyss.

Now there on the hillside a large herd of swine was feeding; and the demons begged Jesus to let them enter these. So he gave them permission. Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned.

When the swineherds saw what had happened, they ran off and told it in the city and in the country. Then people came out to see what had happened, and when they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind. And they were afraid. Those who had seen it told them how the one who had been possessed by demons had been healed. Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them; for they were seized with great fear. So he got into the boat and returned. The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with him; but Jesus sent him away, saying, "Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you." So he went away, proclaiming throughout the city how much Jesus had done for him.

The Sermon.....The Rev. Jamie Edwards

The Nicene Creed BCP p. 358

The Prayers of the People
Response: **Lord, have mercy.**

Confession of Sin BCP p. 360

The Peace BCP p. 360

The Holy Communion

Offertory Anthem Wer nur den lieben Gott Helmut Walcha (1907-1991)

The Great Thanksgiving BCP p. 361
Sanctus S-130 Holy, holy, holy Lord

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 Anthem Adagio, from Sonata Pathetique Beethoven (1770-1827)

Post Communion Prayer BCP p. 366

The Blessing

Recessional Hymn #450 All hail the power of Jesus' name! Coronation
Stanzas 1,2,3 & 6

The Dismissal BCP p. 366

For your prayers during the Eucharist and this week.

In Our Diocese: We give thanks for Michael, our presiding Bishop; Samuel, our Diocesan Bishop; Anne, our Bishop Suffragan; Jamie our Rector; and Mark our Deacon. For Trinity Church in Mount Airy, St. Cyprian's & St. Stephen's in Oxford. For our Companion Diocese of Costa Rica and their Bishop, Orlando Gómez, and the Diocese of Botswana and their Bishop, Methayotlhe Beleme.

In Our Parish Cycle of Prayer: We give thanks for Laurie Ryan.

In Need of Healing: Rob N.; Don H.; Anthea P.; Skylar W.; Nancy F.; Pat M.; Jimmy E.; Brian R.; Stuart S.; Robert E.; Fr. Brian C.; Terri E.; Pat G.; Juli, Robert S.; Nancy M.; Dot. H.; Santos C.; Karen C.; Werner K.; Marjorie; Kyle M.; Marc F.; Zack S.; Lucy S.; Cole S.; for all victims of violence and natural disasters and all those affected medically, emotionally, or financially by Covid; for the people of Ukraine.

Military: For all those who serve our country, here and abroad, especially: Avery Groves; Marina Jakubiak; Christine O'Connell; Cody Potts; Kevin Hadden; Isaac Hutchins; Sean Mullins; Nolen Grace; Chris Vestal; David Grocer; Sam Mills; Ryan Tilley; Chris Bailey; Jeremy Almond; Andrew Ellis.

In Thanksgiving: For all fathers, living and deceased, and for our visitors.

Birthdays: Breiana Six, Ben Neal, Jake Schantz

Anniversaries: Bob & Patty Dalton

Welcome to our Seekers and Visitors!

Welcome to St. Clement's! We are blessed to have you with us. Please fill out a visitor's card so that we may know you and welcome you properly. 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 Group**

Meets every Saturday via Zoom @ 8 am.

Women's Group

Meets every Thursday @ 11 am in the parish hall. For all the women of the parish.

Small Groups

Three separate groups meet periodically on varying days and times.

Costco Dinner Parties

Meets periodically on a Saturday evening. Open for anyone in the parish.

June Outreach Needs

Please, no expired food. Leave donations in the appropriate bin under the narthex counter.

Clemmons Food Pantry

Canned meats, baking items, breakfast cereal

Storehouse for Jesus

Breakfast items: pancake mix & syrup, cereal, grits, oatmeal.

Empty, clean egg cartons

Snacks for Morgan

Suspended for the summer

Special Announcements**Still Wanted and Needed!**

Various Lay Ministries are in need of new people! Please prayerfully consider serving in one of these important areas. We can't have Sunday services without our Lay Ministers!

- Acolytes (contact Deacon Mark)
- Ushers (contact Bob & Patty Dalton)
- Chalice (contact Mother Jamie)

Altar Flowers

Please see where there is a "need" on the altar flower sign up sheet. Located on the white board in the narthex. Thank you!

The Week Ahead**Sunday, June 19**

Rite II @ 10 am

Christian Formation, 11 am (PH)

Thursday, June 23

Women's Group, 11 am (PH)

Friday, June 24

Al-Anon meeting, 12—1 pm (PH)

Saturday, June 25

Men's Group @ 8 am via zoom

Scott funeral, 11 am

Mark Your Calendars**June 26**

EFM graduation @ 10 am service

July 4

Church office closed

July 7-12

Jamie at General Convention, Baltimore MD

July 14

Church office closed

October 9

Bishop Sam's visit

October 21-23

Men's Retreat

Serving at the Altar for this Week

The Rev. Jamie Edwards

The Rev. Mark Davidson

10:00 Chalice: Y. Nagaishi Lector: Sullivan

Acolyte: Y. Nagaishi Ushers: McIntosh

Altar Guild: Bucknall

Counters: Pat Kight, Jeannette Reid

Flowers behind the Altar are given to the greater glory of God by Gail Crowe in thanksgiving for our earthly fathers and in memory of our heavenly fathers, especially Al and Jim.

Lay Ministry Schedule for Next Sunday, June 26

The Rev. Jamie Edwards

The Rev. Mark Davidson

10:00 Chalice: B. Edwards Lector: M. Seeds

Acolyte: B. Edwards Ushers: Selby

Altar Guild: Daniel, Scardina

Counters: Pat Kight, Jeannette Reid

Vestry & Wardens

Phyllis Scardina, Senior Warden

Jane Harrell, Junior Warden

Ben Neal, Sally Bridges, Kevin Meath, Janice Weeks

Pat Kight, Jeannette Reid, Gerry Jove

Maggie Elsner, Treasurer

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