



*St. Augustine's
Episcopal Church*

GOING FORWARD IN FAITH

June 18, 2017 Year A

Second Sunday after Pentecost

10:00am Eucharist with Music and Sermon

*The Rev. Jeffrey L. Frost,
Celebrant & Preacher*

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

The Gathering and Entrance

Call To Worship *"We Have Come Into His House"*

LEVAS II # 245

1 We have come into His house
and gathered in His name to worship Him.
We have come into His house
and gathered in His name to worship Him.
We have come into His house
and gathered in His name to worship Christ the Lord.
Worship Him, Christ the Lord.

2 So forget about yourself
and concentrate on Him and worship Him.
So forget about yourself
and concentrate on Him and worship Him.
So forget about yourself
and concentrate on Him and worship Christ the Lord.
Worship Him, Christ the Lord.

3 Let us lift up holy hands and magnify His
Name and worship Him
Let us lift up holy hands and magnify His
Name and worship Him
Let us lift up holy hands and magnify His
Name and worship Christ the Lord
Worship Him, Christ, the Lord

Processional Hymn *"God of Grace and God of Glory"*

HYMNAL #594

1
God of grace and God of glory,
on thy people pour thy power;

crown thine ancient Church's story;
bring her bud to glorious flower.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,
for the facing of this hour.

2

Lo! the hosts of evil round us
scorn thy Christ, assail his ways!
From the fears that long have bound us
free our hearts to faith and praise:
grant us wisdom, grant us courage
for the living of these days.

3

Cure thy children's warring madness,
bend our pride to thy control;
shame our wanton, selfish gladness,
rich in things and poor in soul.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,
lest we miss thy kingdom's goal.

4

Save us from weak resignation
to the evils we deplore;
let the gift of thy salvation
be our glory evermore.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,
serving thee whom we adore.

The Opening Sentence

The people standing

Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People

The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

The Prayer of Intent and the Collect for Purity

*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.***

The Gloria (Sung)

LEVAS II, #243

Glory, Glory, hallelujah,
Lord we praise your Holy name,
Glory, Glory hallelujah,
Lord we praise your Holy name.

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,

Glory, Glory, hallelujah,
Lord we praise your Holy name,
Glory, Glory hallelujah,
Lord we praise your Holy name.
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.

Glory, Glory, hallelujah,
Lord we praise your Holy name,
Glory, Glory hallelujah,
Lord we praise your Holy name.
Amen.

The Collect

The Lord be with you.

People *And also with you.*

Celebrant *Let us pray.*

KeeP, O Lord, your household the Church in your steadfast faith and love, that through your grace we may proclaim your truth with boldness, and minister your justice with compassion; for the sake of our Savior Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Ministry of the Word

THE FIRST READING

Exodus 19:2-8a

The Israelites had journeyed from Rephidim, entered the wilderness of Sinai, and camped in the wilderness; Israel camped there in front of the mountain. Then Moses went up to God; the Lord called to him from the mountain, saying, "Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and tell the Israelites: You have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I bore you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself. Now therefore, if you obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession out of all the peoples. Indeed, the whole earth is mine, but you shall be for me a priestly kingdom and a holy nation. These are the words that you shall speak to the Israelites."

So Moses came, summoned the elders of the people, and set before them all these words that the Lord had commanded him. The people all answered as one: "Everything that the Lord has spoken we will do."

The Word of the Lord

Congregation: Thanks be to God

PSALM 100

- 1 Be joyful in the LORD, all you lands; *
serve the LORD with gladness
and come before his presence with a song.
- 2 Know this: The LORD himself is God; *
he himself has made us, and we are his;
we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.
- 3 Enter his gates with thanksgiving;
go into his courts with praise; *
give thanks to him and call upon his Name.
- 4 For the LORD is good;
his mercy is everlasting; *
and his faithfulness endures from age to age.

THE EPISTLE

Romans 5:1-8

Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us. For while we were still weak, at the

right time Christ died for the ungodly. Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person-- though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.

The Word of the Lord

Congregation: Thanks be to God

Sequence Hymn *"I the Lord of Sea and Sky"* WLP, #812

1

I, the Lord of sea and sky,
I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in deepest sin
My hand will save.
I who made the stars of night,
I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them?
Whom shall I send?

Refrain

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me,
I will hold your people in my heart.

2

I, the Lord of snow and rain,
I have borne my people's pain.
I have wept for love of them,
They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone,
Give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them.
Whom shall I send?

Refrain

3

I, the Lord of wind and flame,
I will tend the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them,
My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide
Till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life to them.
Whom shall I send?

Refrain

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Matthew 9:35-10:8

The Holy Gospel of our Lord, Jesus Christ, according to Matthew.

Congregation: Glory to You, Lord Christ

Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest."

Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him.

These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: "Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, proclaim the good news, 'The kingdom of heaven has come near.' Cure the sick,

raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment.

The Gospel of the Lord

Congregation: Praise to You, Lord Christ

**The Sermon
Frost**

The Rev. Jeffrey L.

The Nicene Creed

**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

The Leader and People pray responsively

Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others

and to your honor and glory.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble and those named now:

Ithon Babb, Eleanor Barnes, Gary Baugh, Bill Begg, Olivia Brathwaite, Suzanne Cervantes, Dann Conley, Joyce Eldridge, Elizabeth and Aiden Evelyn, Barbara Fuller, Nellie Richardson-Gardere, Rodessa Gordon, Kenneth Hart, Dorothy Haynes, Katy Peters Howard, Faye Johnson, Raphael Johnson, Marian Jones, Carol Knight, Peter, Tupac, Trevon Leahy, Regina Lewis, Lois Logwood, LaVergne Malone, Lamar Marcelle, Odis Moran, Edward Parsons, Nan Parsons, Kathy Pither, Tiffany Reeves, Amy Jo Richardson-Edgerly, Belinda Sanders, Canon Stefani Schatz, Monica Selter, Jacqui Thornell, Elmer Troublefield, Bishop Desmond Tutu, Alice Walker, Rev. Katherine Ward, Lisa R. White, Anita Wilkerson, Guy Williams.

*The congregation may call out the names of those sick
Hear us, Lord;
For your mercy is great.*

Silence

We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

Silence

*Lord, in your mercy
Hear our prayer.*

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

The Celebrant and people

**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.

Celebration of Life, Thanksgivings, and New Friends

The Peace

All stand.

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People ***And also with you.***

The Holy Communion

Offertory Sentence

Offertory Anthem *"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"*

LEVAS II, #111

1

Come, Thou fount of every blessing,
Tune my heart to sing thy grace;
Streams of mercy never ceasing,
Call for songs of loudest praise.
Teach me some melodious sonnet,
Sung by flaming tongues above.
Praise the mount, O fix me on it.
Mount of God's unchanging love.

2

Here I raise my Ebenezer,
Hither by thy help I'm come;
And I hope, by thy good pleasure,
Surely to arrive at home.
Jesus sought me when a stranger,
Wand'ring from the fold of God.
He, to save my soul from danger,
Interposed His precious blood.

3

O, to grace how great a debtor,
Daily I'm constrained to be;
Let that grace, Lord, like a fetter,
Bind my wand'ring heart to Thee.
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,
Prone to leave the God I love.
Here's my heart, Lord, take and seal it,
Seal it from thy courts above.

Doxology

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

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A

The people remain standing.

The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and every
where to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of

heaven and earth.

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:

Celebrant and People

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest.

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

Hosanna in the highest.

The people stand or sit or kneel.

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:

Celebrant and People

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 for ever. AMEN.

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

The Lord's Prayer

LEVAS II, #264

Our Father, which 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 debts
as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,

But deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever. Amen.

Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
Therefore let us keep the feast.

Fraction Anthem *"Make Us One Lord"*

*Make us one, Lord, make us one
Holy Spirit make us one, let your love flow
So the world will know, we are one in You*

THE COMMUNION

Communion Hymn *"I Surrender All"*

LEVAS II, #133

1

All to Jesus I surrender,
all to Him I freely give;
I will ever love and trust Him,
In His presence daily live.

Refrain

I surrender all, I surrender all,
All to thee, my blessed Savior,
I surrender all.

2

All to Jesus I surrender
Humbly at His feet I bow;
Worldly pleasures all forsaken,
Take me, Jesus, take me now.

Refrain

3

All to Jesus I surrender
Make me, Savior, wholly thine;
Let me feel the Holy Spirit
Truly know that thou art mine.

Refrain

4

All to Jesus I surrender
Lord, I give myself to thee;
Fill me with thy love and power,
Let thy blessings fall on me.

Refrain

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

**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.**

Hymn *"Let the Church Say Amen"*

Let the church say Amen!
Let the church say Amen!
God has spoken.
Let the church say Amen!

Let the church say Amen!
Let the church say Amen!
God has spoken.
Let the church say, Amen!

Let the church say, Amen!
Let the church say, Amen!
God has spoken.
Let the church say Amen!

Announcements

Post Communion Hymn *"This Little Light Of Mind"*
LEVAS II, #221

1

This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine, x3
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

2

Ev'ry where I go, I'm gonna let it shine, x3
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

3

Jesus gave it to me, I'm gonna let it shine, x3
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

The Blessing

Dismissal

Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, Alleluia.
Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia.

UPCOMING SERVICES / CHURCH EVENTS

- ◆ AA Meeting, Monday, June 19 @8:00pm
- ◆ Bible Study, Wednesday, June 21 @6:30pm
- ◆ AA Meeting, Thursday, June 22 @8:00pm
- ◆ One Good Meal Food Distribution, Saturday, June 24 @10:00am
- ◆ Sunday, June 25, Service@10:00am

BIRTHDAYS

Newton Gordon, Jacquelyn Williams

ANNIVERSARIES

Mark Michaud and Larry Parks, Kathy and David Romain

SUNDAY SCHOOL & YOUTH EDUCATION

No Sunday School during the summer. Fall Start-Up: September 17.

WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday, June 21, at 6:30pm. For the summer, we will preview the Sunday Lectionary readings, and conclude our gatherings with Compline (a brief worship service in the Book of Common Prayer for the end of the day). Please plan to join us and invite your friends.

RECEIVING THE BREAD AND WINE AT HOLY COMMUNION

Here at Saint Augustine's there are a variety of ways that you can receive the bread and wine at Holy Communion. To help the servers know your intentions, please consider using the following signals as you come to the altar rail:

- Arms crossed in front of you - receive a prayer in blessing instead of the bread and wine
- Hands one atop the other, palms up - receive the bread, and then the wine from the chalice
- Hands clasped together - by intinction, the server will dip the bread in the wine and place it on your tongue

Please note, it is always appropriate to receive Holy Communion in just one kind (only the bread or the wine) if there is a personal or health reason to not receive both. Everyone is welcome at the Lord's table.

Please signal an usher if you would prefer that the bread and wine be brought to you where you are seated.

ELIZABETH EVELYN GRADUATES FROM HIGH SCHOOL!!!!

We are proud to announce that our Elizabeth will be graduating from high school one year early! **Thursday, June 22 at 6:00pm, Alameda County Office of Education – 313 W. Winton Avenue, Hayward.**

FOOD PANTRY SUPPORT ITEM OF THE WEEK

NEXT WEEK please bring cans of soup and vienna sausages to support our food pantry ministry. Also, personal hygiene items are needed- toothpaste, tooth brushes and deodorant.

SERVING TODAY AT 10:00AM

Celebrant: ` The Rev. Jeffrey L. Frost
Deacon: The Rev. Franklin M. Sterling
Officiant: Sonja Correa
Lectors: Joan Moreno, Neil Powe
Intercessor: Monica Stewart-Woods
Guest Musician: Paul Hansen
Altar Guild: Alice Walker, Lynette Price, Giselle Hudson
Counters: Ferdinand Hinds, Sheila Smith



Clergy

Interim Rector: The Rev. Jeffrey L. Frost
Clergy Associates: Rev. Franklin M. Sterling
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St. Augustine's Office Hours: Tues. – Fri. 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

St. Augustine's Worship Service Hours: Sunday 10:00 am