



St. Peter's Anglican Church
Loveland, CO

HOLY EUCHARIST
20th Sunday after Pentecost

WELCOME
IN THE NAME OF OUR LORD
JESUS CHRIST



October 23, 2022

Prelude: Impromptu No. 1

(Schubert)

Processional: Before Thy Throne, O God, We Kneel
- Hymn # 574

Before thy throne, O God, we kneel:
Give us a conscience quick to feel,
A ready mind to understand
The meaning of thy chastening hand;
Whate'er the pain and shame may be,
Bring us, O Father, nearer thee.

Search out our hearts and make us true;
Help us to give to all their due.
From love of pleasure, lust of gold,
From sins which make the heart grow cold,
Wean us and train us with thy rod;
Teach us to know our faults, O God.

For sins of heedless word and deed,
For pride ambitious to succeed,
For crafty trade and subtle snare
To catch the simple unaware,
For lives bereft of purpose high,
Forgive, forgive, O Lord, we cry.

Let the fierce fires which burn and try,
Our inmost spirits purify:
Consume the ill; purge out the shame;
O God, be with us in the flame;
A new-born people may we rise,
More pure, more true, more nobly wise.

Celebrant: Blessed be God: the Father, the Son, and
the Holy Spirit.

People: **And blessed be his kingdom, now and
for ever. Amen.**

**All: 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.**

Deacon/Priest: Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ says:
You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart
and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is
the first and great commandment. And the second is
like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On
these two commandments depend all the Law and the
Prophets. - Matthew 22:37-40

The Kyrie

Celebrant: Lord, have mercy upon us.

People: **Christ, have mercy upon us.**

Celebrant: Lord, have mercy upon us.

Gloria in Excelsis

*Glory be to God on high, Glory be to God on high,
And on earth peace, good will towards men.
We praise thee, we bless thee,
We worship thee, we glorify thee.
We give thanks to thee for thy great glory,
O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty,
O Lord, the only begotten Son, Jesus Christ;
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
That takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us.
Thou that takest away the sins of the world,
Receive our prayers.
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father,
Have mercy upon us.
For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord;
Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,
Art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.*

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And with your spirit.**

Celebrant: Let us pray:

Collect for the Day

Celebrant: Almighty and everlasting God, you govern
all things both in heaven and on earth: Mercifully hear
the supplications of your people, and in our time grant
us your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives
and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for
ever and ever. **Amen.**

(The people may sit.)

The First Lesson: Jeremiah 14:7-10, 19-22

7 "Though our iniquities testify against us, act, O Lord,
for your name's sake; for our backslidings are many;
we have sinned against you. 8 O you hope of Israel, its
savior in time of trouble, why should you be like a
stranger in the land, like a traveler who turns aside to
tarry for a night? 9 Why should you be like a man
confused, like a mighty warrior who cannot save? Yet
you, O Lord, are in the midst of us, and we are called
by your name; do not leave us." 10 Thus says the Lord
concerning this people: "They have loved to wander
thus; they have not restrained their feet; therefore the

Lord does not accept them; now he will remember their iniquity and punish their sins.”

19 Have you utterly rejected Judah? Does your soul loathe Zion? Why have you struck us down so that there is no healing for us? We looked for peace, but no good came; for a time of healing, but behold, terror. 20 We acknowledge our wickedness, O Lord, and the iniquity of our fathers, for we have sinned against you. 21 Do not spurn us, for your name's sake; do not dishonor your glorious throne; remember and do not break your covenant with us. 22 Are there any among the false gods of the nations that can bring rain? Or can the heavens give showers? Are you not he, O Lord our God? We set our hope on you, for you do all these things.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

The Psalm 84

Quam dilecta!

- 1 How lovely are your **dwell-ings**, *
O / Lord God **of** hosts!
- 2 My soul has a desire and longing to enter into the courts of the **Lord**; *
my heart and my flesh rejoice / in the **liv-ing** God.
- 3 Indeed, the sparrow has found her a house, and the swallow a nest where she may lay her **young**, *
even your altars, O Lord of hosts, my / King and **my** God.
- 4 Blessed are they who dwell in your **house**; *
they will be / al-ways **prais-ing** you.
- 5 Blessed is the one whose strength is in **you**, *
in whose / heart are **your** ways,
- 6 Who going through the valley of misery uses it for a **well**;*
indeed, the early rains fill the / pools with **wa-ter**.
- 7 They will go from strength to **strength**, *
and the God of gods shall be seen by / them in **Zi-on**.
- 8 O Lord God of hosts, hear my **prayer**; *
hearken, O / God of **Ja-cob**.
- 9 Behold, O God, our de-**fend-er**, *
and look upon the face of / your A-**noint-ed**.
- 10 For one day in your **courts** *
is better / than a **thous-and**;
- 11 I would rather be a door-keeper in the house of my **God***
than dwell in the tents / of un-**god-ly-ness**.
- 12 For the Lord God is a light and de-**fense**; *
the Lord will give grace and honor, and no good thing shall he withhold from those who / live a **god-ly** life.
- 13 O Lord God of **hosts**, *
blessed is the one who / puts his **trust** in you.

*All: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
And / to the **Ho-ly** Ghost
As it was in the beginning, is **now**,
and shall be for-/ever **A-men**.*

The Second Lesson: 2 Timothy 4:6-18

6 For I am already being poured out as a drink offering, and the time of my departure has come. 7 I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. 8 Henceforth there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will award to me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have loved his appearing. 9 Do your best to come to me soon. 10 For Demas, in love with this present world, has deserted me and gone to Thessalonica. Crescens has gone to Galatia, Titus to Dalmatia. 11 Luke alone is with me. Get Mark and bring him with you, for he is very useful to me for ministry. 12 Tychicus I have sent to Ephesus. 13 When you come, bring the cloak that I left with Carpus at Troas, also the books, and above all the parchments. 14 Alexander the coppersmith did me great harm; the Lord will repay him according to his deeds. 15 Beware of him yourself, for he strongly opposed our message. 16 At my first defense no one came to stand by me, but all deserted me. May it not be charged against them! 17 But the Lord stood by me and strengthened me, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. 18 The Lord will rescue me from every evil deed and bring me safely into his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

(Please stand as you are able.)

Of the Father's Love Begotten (V. 1-2)

Of the Father's love begotten,
Ere the world began to be
He is Alpha and Omega,
He the source, the ending He,
Of the things that are, that have been,
And that future years shall see,
Evermore and evermore!

Oh, that birth forever blessed!
When the virgin, full of grace,
By the Holy Ghost conceiving,
Bore the Savior of our race;

And the Babe, the world's Redeemer,
First revealed his sacred face
Evermore and evermore!

Deacon or Priest: The Holy Gospel of our Lord, Jesus
Christ according to Saint Luke.

All: **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

The Holy Gospel: Luke 18:9-14

9 He also told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous, and treated others with contempt: 10 "Two men went up into the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. 11 The Pharisee, standing by himself, prayed thus: 'God, I thank you that I am not like other men, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. 12 I fast twice a week; I give tithes of all that I get.' 13 But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even lift up his eyes to heaven, but beat his breast, saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' 14 I tell you, this man went down to his house justified, rather than the other. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted."

Deacon or Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

All: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Of the Father's Love Begotten (V. 3-4)

O ye heights of heav'n adore Him,
Angel hosts His praises sing'
Pow'rs, dominions, bow before Him
And extol our God and King;
Let no tongue on earth be silent,
Ev'ry voice in concert ring
Evermore and evermore!

Christ, to thee, with God the Father,
And, O Holy Ghost, to Thee,
Hymn and chant and high thanksgiving
And unwearied praises be,
Honor, glory, and dominion,
And eternal victory,
Evermore and evermore!

The Sermon

Deacon or Priest: Let us confess our faith in the words
of the Nicene Creed.

All: **We believe in one God, the Father, the
Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of
all that is, visible and invisible.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only-
begotten 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, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit
and 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, who with the Father and the
Son is worshiped and glorified, who 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.**

(Please kneel, stand, or sit as you are able.)

Prayers of the People

Deacon or Priest: Let us pray for the Church and for
the world, saying, "hear our prayer."

Intercessor: For the peace of the whole world, and for
the well-being and unity of the people of God.

(Please offer your prayers, either out loud or silently.)

Intercessor: Lord, in your mercy:

People: **Hear our prayer.**

Intercessor: For our Archbishop, Dr. Foley Beach; for
our Bishop, Dr. Bill Atwood; for our Rector, Father
Matt Rucker, and for our assisting clergy: Father Bill
Easterling, and Deacon Larry Doyle. We also pray for
St. Luke's Anglican Church in Maysville, KY. *Priest-
in-charge:* The Rev. Christopher Beckham.

(Please offer your prayers, either out loud or silently.)

Intercessor: Lord, in your mercy:

People: **Hear our prayer.**

Intercessor: For all those who proclaim the Gospel at home and abroad; and for all who teach and disciple others including those we serve in our Outreach Programs, naming especially the Bishop's Well Project, Samaritan's Purse, and Operation Christmas Child.

(Please offer your prayers, either out loud or silently.)

Intercessor: Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

Intercessor: For our brothers and sisters in Christ who are persecuted for their faith.

(Please offer your prayers, either out loud or silently.)

Intercessor: Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

Intercessor: For our nation, for those in authority, and for all in public service, especially our President, Joseph, and our Governor, Jared. Give them a discerning heart and a wise mind to lead and serve as God desires. We also pray for those in our armed forces serving our country both home and abroad.

(Please offer your prayers, either out loud or silently.)

Intercessor: Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

Intercessor: For all those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity.

(Please offer your prayers, either out loud or silently.)

Intercessor: Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

Intercessor: For all the blessings of this life and for the many reasons we have to give thanksgiving, especially for those celebrating *Birthdays*: Megan Roberts (10/24), Michael Cooper (10/25), Ella Erickson (10/27), Emily Maeda (10/28), Mak Mak Poquiz (Zeteo) (10/28), Caleb Armstrong (10/28), Catherine Easterling (10/29).

(Please offer your prayers, either out loud or silently.)

Intercessor: Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

Intercessor: For all those who have departed this life in the certain hope of the resurrection, in thanksgiving let us pray.

(Please offer your prayers, either out loud or silently.)

Intercessor: Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

(Additional petitions may be made during this moment of silence.)

Deacon or Priest: Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for the sake of Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Deacon or Priest: Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

All: 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.

Celebrant: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him:

Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. *Matthew 11:28*

God so loved the world, that he gave his only-begotten Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. *John 3:16*

The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. *I Timothy 1:15*

If anyone sins, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world. *I John 2:1-2*

(Please stand as you are able.)

The Peace

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All: And with your spirit.

(Announcements)

The Offering

"Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God".

Ephesians 5:2

(Please stand as you are able.)

Offertory: How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place

– Hymn # 517

How lovely is your dwelling-place,
O Lord of hosts, to me;
My thirsting soul desires
And longs within thy courts to be.
My very heart and flesh cry out,
O living God, for thee.

Beside thine altars, gracious Lord,
The swallows find a nest;
How happy they who dwell with thee
And praise thee without rest,
And happy they whose hearts are set
Upon the pilgrim's quest.

They who go through the desert vale
Will find it filled with springs,
And they shall climb from height to height
Till Zion's temple rings
With praise to thee, in glory throned,
Lord God, great King of kings.

One day within thy courts excels
A thousand spent away;
How happy they who keep thy laws
Nor from thy precepts stray,
For thou shalt surely bless all those
Who live the words they pray.

The Doxology

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise Him all creatures here below
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

Celebrant: Yours, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty: for everything in heaven and on earth is yours; yours is the Kingdom, O Lord, and you are exalted as Head above all. All things come from you, O Lord,

People: **And of your own have we given you.**

1 Chronicles 29:11, 14

The Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And with your spirit.**

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord Our God.

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

Celebrant: It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

(Proper Preface) Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who on the first day of the week overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life.

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:

The Sanctus

*Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of hosts,
Heaven and earth are full of thy glory:
Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.*

*Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.*

(The people may kneel, stand, or sit.)

Celebrant: Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and when we had sinned against you and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent your only Son Jesus Christ into the world for our salvation.

By the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary he became flesh and dwelt among us. In obedience to your will, he stretched out his arms upon the Cross and offered himself once for all, that by his suffering and death we might be saved. By his resurrection he broke the bonds of death, trampling Hell and Satan under his feet. As our great high priest, he ascended to your right hand in glory, that we might come with confidence before the throne of grace.

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

Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for 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 in remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**All: Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.**

Celebrant: We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, and we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Word and Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Sanctify us also, that we may worthily receive this holy Sacrament, and be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us and we in him. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us with all your saints into the joy of your heavenly kingdom, where we shall see our Lord face to face.

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.*

Celebrant: 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, forever and ever. *Amen.***

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People: Therefore, let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

(Please kneel or stand as you are able.)

Prayer of Humble Access

All: We do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your abundant and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table; but you are the same Lord whose character is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious

blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. *Amen.*

Agnus Dei

*O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us.*

*O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Have mercy upon us.*

*O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
Grant us thy peace.*

Celebrant: 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.

(You may kneel, stand, or sit during Communion.)

Communion Hymns

God Is Forgiveness (Taizé)

*God is forgiveness
Dare to forgive and God will be with you.
God is forgiveness.
Love and do not fear.*

How Long?

(Bifrost Arts)

How long? Will You turn Your face away?
How long? Do You hear us when we pray?
On and on, still we walk this pilgrim way
How long?

How long 'til Your children find their rest?
How long 'til You draw them to Your breast?
We go on holding to Your promises
How long?

Refrain:

*'Til You wipe away the tears from ev'ry eye
'Til we see our home descending from the sky
Do we wait in vain?
Jesus, give us hope again!*

How long 'til Your word will still the storm?
How long 'til You bare Your mighty arm?
How we groan 'til You snatch us from the thorns
How long? *(Refrain)*

How long? Sweet the dawn that ends the race.
How long? Weak our hearts but strong our legs.
Looking on - great that cloud of witnesses!
How long? *(Refrain)*

*Amen, Jesus come! Amen, Jesus come!
Amen, Jesus come! Amen, Jesus come!*

Psalm 126

(Bifrost Arts)

Our mouths they were filled, filled with laughter.
Our tongues, they were loosed, loosed with joy.
Restore us, O Lord!
Restore us, O Lord!

Chorus:

*Although we are weeping,
Lord, help us keep sowing
The seeds of your kingdom
For the day you will reap them.
Your sheaves we will carry,
Lord, please do not tarry!
All those who sow weeping
Will go out with songs of joy.*

The nations will say: God has done great things!
The nations will sing songs of joy.
Restore us, O Lord!
Restore us, O Lord!

(Chorus)

Thy Mercy, My God

(McCracken)

Thy mercy, my God, is the theme of my song,
The joy of my heart. and the boast of my tongue;
Thy free grace alone, from the first to the last,
Hath won my affections, and bound my soul fast.

Without Thy sweet mercy I could not live here;
Sin would reduce me to utter despair;
But, through Thy free goodness, my spirits revive,
And He that first made me still keeps me alive.

Thy mercy is more than a match for my heart,
Which wonders to feel its own hardness depart;
Dissolved by Thy goodness, I fall to the ground,
And weep to the praise of the mercy I've found.

Great Father of mercies, Thy goodness I own,
And the covenant love of Thy crucified Son;
All praise to the Spirit, Whose whisper divine
Seals mercy, and pardon, and righteousness mine.

Post Communion Prayer

Celebrant: Let us pray.

All: Heavenly Father, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal Kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you

as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

The Blessing

Celebrant: 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.**

Recessional: O God Beyond All Praising

O God beyond all praising, We worship you today
And sing the love amazing that songs cannot repay;
For we can only wonder at ev'ry gift you send,
At blessings without number and mercies without end:
We lift our hearts before you and wait upon your word,
We honor and adore you, our great and mighty Lord.

The flow'r of earthly splendor in time must surely die,
Its fragile bloom surrender to you, the Lord Most High;
But hidden from all nature the eternal seed is sown--
Though small in mortal stature, to heaven's garden grown:
For Christ, your gift from heaven, from death has set us free,
And we through him are given the final victory.

Then hear, O gracious Savior, accept the love we bring,
That we who know your favor may serve you as our King;
And whether our tomorrows be filled with good or ill,
We'll triumph through our sorrows and rise to bless you still:
To marvel at your beauty and glory in your ways,
And make a joyful duty our sacrifice of praise.

The Dismissal

Deacon or Priest: Alleluia, alleluia. Let us go forth in the Name of Christ.

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

All Saints' Day Service – Tues, Nov. 1st @ 12:00 PM

Baptisms and Fellowship Sunday – November 6th

If you are interested in being baptized on November 6th, please contact Fr. Matt or church office.

Please join us after the 9:30 AM Eucharist for brunch, refreshments, and fellowship.

Newcomer Catechism Class – Sundays at 11 AM

(Nov. 27th – Dec. 18th)

Fr. Matt will be teaching an Anglican Catechism class for newcomers and all who would like to be Confirmed or Received. *Please sign up online to RSVP.*