



St. Peter's Anglican Church  
Loveland, CO

HOLY EUCHARIST  
*6<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost*

WELCOME  
IN THE NAME OF OUR LORD  
JESUS CHRIST



July 17, 2022

*Prelude: Merciful God*

*Processional: Rock of Ages – Hymn # 685*

Rock of ages, cleft for me,  
Let me hide myself in thee;  
Let the water and the blood  
From thy wounded side that flowed,  
Be of sin the double cure,  
Cleanse me from its guilt and power.

Should my tears for ever flow,  
Should my zeal no languor know,  
All for sin could not atone:  
Thou must save, and thou alone;  
In my hand no price I bring,  
Simply to thy cross I cling.

While I draw this fleeting breath,  
When mine eyelids close in death,  
When I rise to worlds unknown  
And behold thee on thy throne,  
Rock of ages, cleft for me,  
Let me hide myself in thee.

*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 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. Glory to God!  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
You take away the sin of the world:  
Have mercy upon us.  
You are seated at the right hand of the Father,  
Receive our prayer. 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,  
In the glory of God the Father.  
Amen. Amen.*

*Celebrant:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **And with your spirit.**

*Celebrant:* Let us pray:

*Collect for the Day*

*Celebrant:* O God, you declare your almighty power  
chiefly in showing mercy and pity: Grant us the  
fullness of your grace, that we, running to obtain your  
promises, may become partakers of your heavenly  
treasure; 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: Genesis 18:1-14**

1 And the Lord appeared to him by the oaks of Mamre,  
as he sat at the door of his tent in the heat of the day. 2  
He lifted up his eyes and looked, and behold, three men  
were standing in front of him. When he saw them, he  
ran from the tent door to meet them and bowed himself  
to the earth 3 and said, "O Lord, if I have found favor  
in your sight, do not pass by your servant. 4 Let a little  
water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest  
yourselves under the tree, 5 while I bring a morsel of  
bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that  
you may pass on—since you have come to your  
servant." So they said, "Do as you have said." 6 And  
Abraham went quickly into the tent to Sarah and said,

“Quick! Three seahs of fine flour! Knead it, and make cakes.” 7 And Abraham ran to the herd and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to a young man, who prepared it quickly. 8 Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared, and set it before them. And he stood by them under the tree while they ate. 9 They said to him, “Where is Sarah your wife?” And he said, “She is in the tent.” 10 The Lord said, “I will surely return to you about this time next year, and Sarah your wife shall have a son.” And Sarah was listening at the tent door behind him. 11 Now Abraham and Sarah were old, advanced in years. The way of women had ceased to be with Sarah. 12 So Sarah laughed to herself, saying, “After I am worn out, and my lord is old, shall I have pleasure?” 13 The Lord said to Abraham, “Why did Sarah laugh and say, ‘Shall I indeed bear a child, now that I am old?’ 14 Is anything too hard for the Lord? At the appointed time I will return to you, about this time next year, and Sarah shall have a son.”

*Reader:* The Word of the Lord.

*All:* **Thanks be to God.**

### **The Psalm 15**

*Domine, quis habitabit?*

- 1 Lord, who shall dwell in your **tab-ernacle**? \*
- Or who shall rest upon / your **ho-ly** hill?
- 2 Whoever leads an uncorrupt **life**, \*
- and does that which is right, and speaks the / truth from **his** heart.
- 3 He has not spoken deceitfully with his tongue, nor done evil to his **neigh-bor**, \*
- and has not slan-/dered his **neigh-bor**.
- 4 In his own eyes the wicked is re-**jec**-ted, \*
- and he makes much of those / who fear **the** Lord.
- 5 He swears to his neighbor and disappoints him **not**, \*
- though it were to / his own **hin**-drance.
- 6 He has not given his money for **u**-sury, \*
- nor taken a bribe a-/gainst the **in**-nocent.
- 7 Whoever does these **things** \*
- shall never / be o-**ver**-thrown.

*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: Colossians 1:21-29**

21 And you, who once were alienated and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, 22 he has now reconciled in his body of flesh by his death, in order to present you holy and blameless and above reproach before him, 23 if

indeed you continue in the faith, stable and steadfast, not shifting from the hope of the gospel that you heard, which has been proclaimed in all creation under heaven, and of which I, Paul, became a minister. 24 Now I rejoice in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am filling up what is lacking in Christ's afflictions for the sake of his body, that is, the church, 25 of which I became a minister according to the stewardship from God that was given to me for you, to make the word of God fully known, 26 the mystery hidden for ages and generations but now revealed to his saints. 27 To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory. 28 Him we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ. 29 For this I toil, struggling with all his energy that he powerfully works within me.

*Reader:* The Word of the Lord.

*All:* **Thanks be to God.**

*(Please stand as you are able.)*

### **How Firm a Foundation - Hymn # 637 (V. 1-3)**

How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord,  
Is laid for your faith in his excellent word!  
What more can he say than to you he hath said,  
To you that for refuge to Jesus have fled?  
Fear not, I am with thee; O be not dismayed!  
For I am thy God, and will still give thee aid;  
I'll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand,  
Upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand.  
When through the deep waters I call thee to go,  
The rivers of woe shall not thee overflow;  
For I will be with thee, thy troubles to bless,  
And sanctify to thee thy deepest distress.

*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 10:38-42**

38 Now as they went on their way, Jesus entered a village. And a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. 39 And she had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to his teaching. 40 But Martha was distracted with much serving. And she went up to him and said, “Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to serve alone? Tell her then to

help me.” 41 But the Lord answered her, “Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things, 42 but one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen the good portion, which will not be taken away from her.”

*Deacon or Priest:* The Gospel of the Lord.

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

***How Firm a Foundation - Hymn # 637 (V. 4-5)***

When through fiery trials thy pathway shall lie,  
My grace, all-sufficient, shall be thy supply;  
The flame shall not hurt thee; I only design  
Thy dross to consume, and thy gold to refine.

The soul that to Jesus hath fled for repose,  
I will not, I will not desert to its foes;  
That soul, though all hell shall endeavor to shake,  
I'll never, no, never, no, never forsake.

***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. Peter’s Anglican Church in Forestville, NY, *Clergy:* The Rev. Vincent Coppola.

*(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 Operation Christmas Child, the Voice of the Martyrs, and the American Red Cross.

*(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:* Betty Hinze (07/17), Jessie McKamie (07/17), and Linnea Horlings (07/17).

*(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: Blessed Are the Merciful (Porter’s Gate)**

Blessed are the merciful  
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Blessed are the merciful  
For they shall receive mercy, mercy

Forgive us as we forgive those who sin against us  
Forgive us as we forgive those who sin against us

*Lord have mercy on us*  
*Show Your mercy through us*

*Lord have mercy on us*  
*Show Your mercy through us*

*Lord have mercy on us*  
*Show Your mercy through us*

*Mercy*

### **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 – Hymn # S124***

*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 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.**

### **Jesus, Lamb of God: Agnus Dei – Hymn # S161**

*Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:  
Have mercy on us.*

*Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:  
Have mercy on us.*

*Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:  
Grant us 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**

#### **Merciful God - Getty**

Merciful God, O abounding in love,  
Faithful to all who draw near You;  
Hearing the cries of the humble in heart,  
Showing the cross they may cling to.  
Broken I come, helpless in sin,  
Found at the feet of Your mercy.  
Father, forgive; may my sin be remembered no more.

Merciful God, O abounding in love,  
Faithful through times we have failed You;  
Selfish in thought and uncaring in deed,  
Foolish in word and ungrateful.  
Spirit of God, conquer our hearts  
With love that flows from forgiveness;  
Cause us to yield and return to the mercy of God.

Merciful God, O abounding in love,  
Faithful to keep us from falling;  
Guiding our ways with Your fatherly heart,  
Growing our faith with each testing.  
God speed the day struggles will end;  
Faultless we'll gaze on Your glory.  
Then we will stand overwhelmed by the mercy of God.

### **Here Is Love**

Here is love, vast as the ocean,  
Loving-kindness as the flood,  
When the Prince of Life, our Ransom,  
Shed for us His precious blood.  
Who His love will not remember?  
Who can cease to sing His praise?  
He can never be forgotten,  
Throughout heav'n's eternal days.

On the mount of crucifixion,  
Fountains opened deep and wide;  
Through the floodgates of God's mercy  
Flowed a vast and gracious tide.  
Grace and love, like mighty rivers,  
Poured incessant from above,  
And heav'n's peace and perfect justice  
Kissed a guilty world in love.

Let me, all Thy love accepting,  
Love Thee, ever all my days;  
Let me seek Thy kingdom only,  
And my life be to Thy praise;  
Thou alone shalt be my glory,  
Nothing in the world I see;  
Thou hast cleansed and sanctified me,  
Thou Thyself hast set me free.

In Thy truth Thou dost direct me  
By Thy Spirit through Thy Word;  
And Thy grace my need is meeting,  
As I trust in Thee, my Lord.  
Of Thy fullness Thou art pouring  
Thy great love and pow'r on me,  
Without measure, full and boundless,  
Drawing out my heart to Thee.

### **He Will Hold Me Fast**

When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast  
When the tempter would prevail, He will hold me fast  
I could never keep my hold Through life's fearful path  
For my love is often cold; He must hold me fast

*Refrain:*

*He will hold me fast, He will hold me fast  
For my Savior loves me so, He will hold me fast*

Those He saves are His delight. Christ will hold me fast  
Precious in His holy sight, He will hold me fast

He'll not let my soul be lost, His promises shall last  
Bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast

*(Refrain)*

For my life He bled and died, Christ will hold me fast  
Justice has been satisfied, He will hold me fast

Raised with Him to endless life, He will hold me fast  
Till our faith is turned to sight when he comes at last

*(Refrain)*

### ***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: Amazing Grace – Hymn # 671***

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound,  
That saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost but now am found,  
Was blind but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  
And grace my fears relieved;  
How precious did that grace appear  
The hour I first believed!

The Lord has promised good to me,  
His word my hope secures;  
He will my shield and portion be  
As long as life endures.

Through many dangers, toils, and snares,  
I have already come;  
'Tis grace that brought me safe thus far,  
And grace will lead me home.

When we've been there ten thousand years,  
Bright shining as the sun,  
We've no less days to sing God's praise  
Than when we'd first begun.

### ***The Dismissal***

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

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