

ST. PAUL'S
EPISCOPAL CHURCH
BEAUFORT, NORTH CAROLINA

THE FOURTEENTH SUNDAY

AFTER PENTECOST

HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II

SEPTEMBER 3RD, 2023 – 9:00 A.M.



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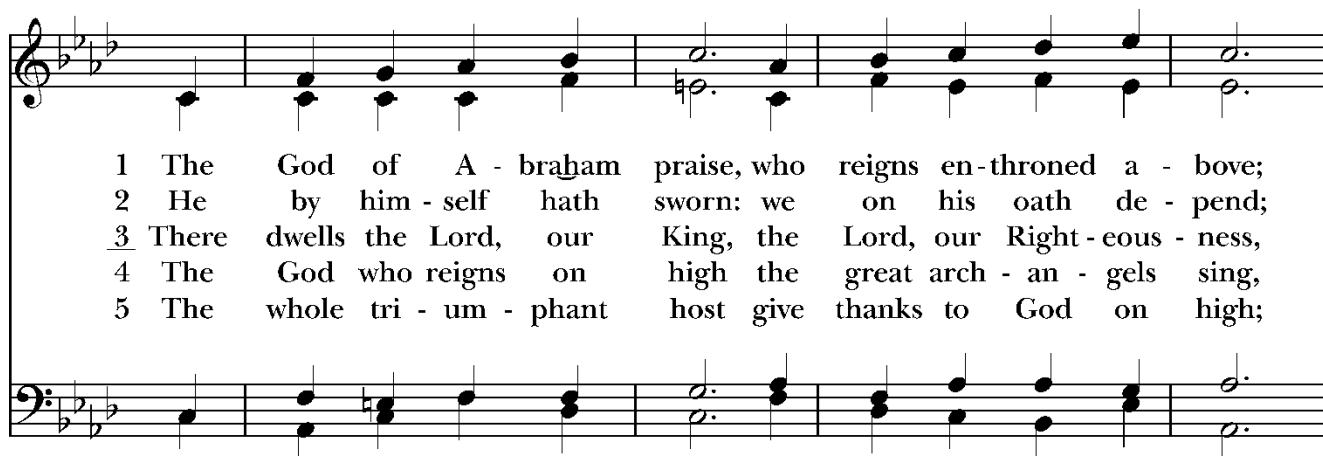
Please silence all electronic devices before the service begins. Page numbers refer to *The Book of Common Prayer*.
Your spoken responses are welcomed throughout the service and can be recognized by the words in **bold print**.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

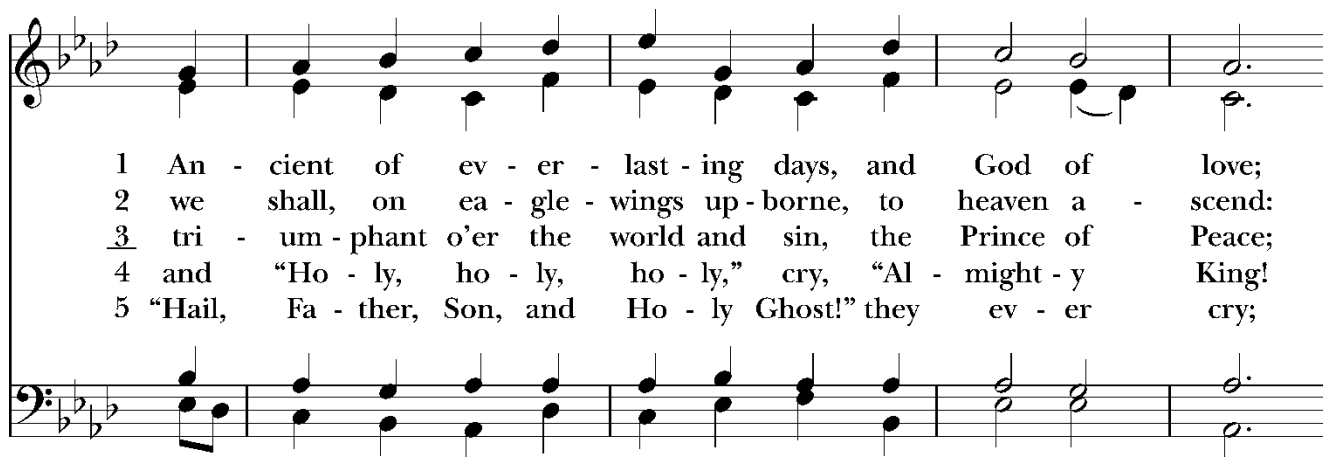
HYMN 401

The God of Abraham Praise

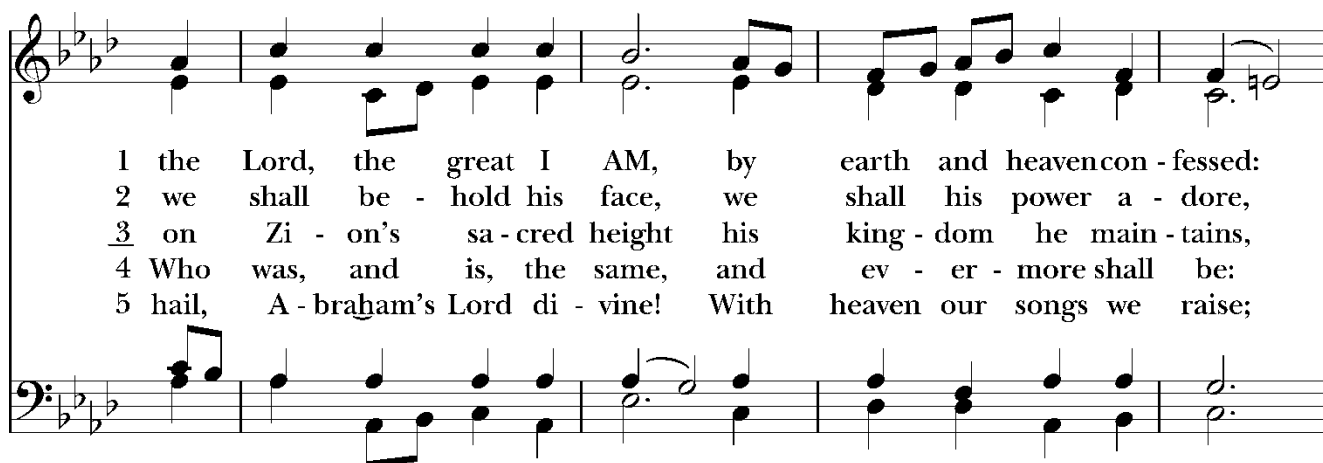
Leoni



1 The God of A - braham praise, who reigns en - throned a - bove;
2 He by him - self hath sworn: we on his oath de - pend;
3 There dwells the Lord, our King, the Lord, our Right - eous - ness,
4 The God who reigns on high the great arch - an - gels sing,
5 The whole tri - um - phant host give thanks to God on high;



1 An - cient of ev - er - last - ing days, and God of love;
2 we shall, on ea - gle - wings up - borne, to heaven a - scend:
3 tri - um - phant o'er the world and sin, the Prince of Peace;
4 and "Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly," cry, "Al - might - y King!
5 "Hail, Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost!" they ev - er cry;



1 the Lord, the great I AM, by earth and heaven con - fessed:
2 we shall be - hold his face, we shall his power a - dore,
3 on Zi - on's sa - cred height his king - dom he main - tains,
4 Who was, and is, the same, and ev - er - more shall be:
5 hail, A - braham's Lord di - vine! With heaven our songs we raise;

we bow and bless the sa - cred Name for ev - er blest.
 and sing the won - ders of his grace for ev - er - more.
 and, glo - rious with his saints in light, for ev - er reigns.
 e - ter - nal Fa - ther, great I AM, we wor - ship thee."
 all might and ma - jes - ty are thine, and end - less praise.

Words: Thomas Olivers (1725-1799), alt. Music: *Leoni*, Hebrew melody; harm. *Hymns Ancient and Modern*, 1875, alt.

OPENING SALUTATION

BCP 355

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

COLLECT FOR PURITY

Celebrant 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

BCP 356

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,
 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. **Amen.**

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: Graft in our hearts the love of your Name; increase in us true religion; nourish us with all goodness; and bring forth in us the fruit of good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. **Amen.**

FIRST LESSON: JEREMIAH 15:15-21

O LORD, you know;
 remember me and visit me,
 and bring down retribution for me on my persecutors.

In your forbearance do not take me away;
 know that on your account I suffer insult.

Your words were found, and I ate them,
 and your words became to me a joy
 and the delight of my heart;

for I am called by your name,
 O LORD, God of hosts.

I did not sit in the company of merrymakers,
 nor did I rejoice;
 under the weight of your hand I sat alone,
 for you had filled me with indignation.

Why is my pain unceasing,
 my wound incurable,
 refusing to be healed?

Truly, you are to me like a deceitful brook,
 like waters that fail.

Therefore, thus says the LORD:

If you turn back, I will take you back,
 and you shall stand before me.

If you utter what is precious, and not what is worthless,
 you shall serve as my mouth.

It is they who will turn to you,
 not you who will turn to them.

And I will make you to this people
 a fortified wall of bronze;

they will fight against you,
 but they shall not prevail over you,

for I am with you
to save you and deliver you,
says the LORD.

I will deliver you out of the hand of the wicked,
and redeem you from the grasp of the ruthless.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 26:1-8 *Judica me, Domine*

1 Give judgment for me, O LORD,
for I have lived with integrity; *
I have trusted in the Lord and have not faltered.

2 **Test me, O LORD, and try me; ***
examine my heart and my mind.

3 For your love is before my eyes; *
I have walked faithfully with you.

4 **I have not sat with the worthless, ***
nor do I consort with the deceitful.

5 I have hated the company of evildoers; *
I will not sit down with the wicked.

6 **I will wash my hands in innocence, O LORD, ***
that I may go in procession round your altar,

7 Singing aloud a song of thanksgiving *
and recounting all your wonderful deeds.

8 **LORD, I love the house in which you dwell ***
and the place where your glory abides.

SECOND LESSON: ROMANS 12:9-21

Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with mutual affection; outdo one another in showing honor. Do not lag in zeal, be ardent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, persevere in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints; extend hospitality to strangers.

Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. Live in harmony with one another; do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly; do not claim to be wiser than you are. Do not repay anyone evil for evil, but take thought for what is noble in the sight of all. If it is possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all. Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave room for the wrath of God; for it is written, "Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord." No, "if your enemies are hungry, feed them; if they are thirsty, give them something to drink; for by doing this you

will heap burning coals on their heads." Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

HYMN 675

Take Up Your Cross, the Savior Said

Bourbon



1 Take up your cross, the Sa - vior said, if
2 Take up your cross, let not its weight fill
3 Take up your cross, heed not the shame, and
4 Take up your cross, then, in his strength, and
5 Take up your cross, and fol - low Christ, nor



1 you would my dis - ci - ple be; take up your cross with
2 your weak spi - rit with a - larm; his strength shall bear your
3 let your fool - ish heart be still; the Lord for you ac -
4 calm - ly ev - ery dan - ger brave: it guides you to a -
5 think till death to lay it down; for on - ly those who



1 will - ing heart, and hum - bly fol - low af - ter me.
2 spi - rit up, and brace your heart, and nerve your arm.
3 cept - ed death up - on a cross, on Cal - vary's hill.
4 bun - dant life and leads to vic - tory o'er the grave.
5 bear the cross may hope to wear the glo - rious crown.

Words: Charles William Everest (1814-1877), alt. Music: *Bourbon*, melody att. Freeman Lewis (1780-1859); harm. John Leon Hooker (b. 1944).

THE GOSPEL: MATTHEW 16:21-28

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

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and undergo great suffering at the hands of the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, "God forbid it, Lord! This must never happen to you." But he turned and said to Peter, "Get behind me, Satan! You are a stumbling block to me; for you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human

things.” Then Jesus told his disciples, “If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it. For what will it profit them if they gain the whole world but forfeit their life? Or what will they give in return for their life? “For the Son of Man is to come with his angels in the glory of his Father, and then he will repay everyone for what has been done. Truly I tell you, there are some standing here who will not taste death before they see the Son of Man coming in his kingdom.”

Gospeller The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON

THE REV. TAMBRIA E. LEE

After a period of silent reflection, all stand and say

THE NICENE CREED

BCP 358

Said in unison

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.**

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (FORM II)

BCP 385

In the course of the silence after each bidding, the People offer their own prayers, either silently or aloud.

I ask your prayers for God's people throughout the world; for Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Rob, our Bishop; Tammy, our Rector; Ashley, our Associate; and in the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer for the clergy and people of St. Pual's, Clinton; and the Trinity Deanery; for this gathering; and for all ministers and people.

Pray for the Church.

Silence

I ask your prayers for peace, for goodwill among nations; and for the well-being of all people.

Pray for justice and peace.

Silence

I ask your prayers for all who suffer, the poor, the sick, the hungry, the oppressed, and those in prison, remembering especially those who have commended themselves to our prayers: especially remembering Joyce, Jack, Alicia, Vivian, Bull, Patti, Thomas, Toni, Charlie, Lorri, Patsy, Emily, Ellen, Ben, Randy, Holton, Jack, Magnolia, Sandy, Tory, Carl, Allan, Wylie, Tammy, Dyches, and Helen. Are there others?

Pray for those in any need or trouble.

Silence

I ask your prayers for all who seek God, or a deeper knowledge of him.

Pray that they may find and be found by him. We remember those who will attend the East Carolina Revival in October.

Silence

I ask your prayers for the departed, especially Robby and Bill.

Pray for those who have died.

Silence

Praise God for those in every generation in whom Christ has been honored.

Pray that we may have grace to glorify Christ in our own day.

Silence

The Celebrant concludes the prayers

O God of peace, you have taught us that in returning and rest we shall be saved, in quietness and in confidence shall be our strength: By the might of your Spirit lift us, we pray, to your presence, where we may be still and know that you are God; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

CONFESSION OF SIN

BCP 360

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.

THE ABSOLUTION

BCP 360

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.**

THE PEACE

BCP 360

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People **And also with you.**
All greet one another in the name of the Lord.

LITURGY OF THE TABLE

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

Offertory Sentences

Each Sunday, we offer to God the gifts of the community. Often, this comes in the form of money, bread, and wine. Before offering our gifts to God, the priest introduces that time by saying an Offertory Sentence. In our current Book of Common Prayer, we are allowed to choose from a list of provided on page 376, or we can choose another piece of fitting Scripture. At Church of the Nativity in Huntsville, Alabama, the Offertory Sentence there is always "Do not store up for yourselves treasure on Earth but store up for yourselves treasure in Heaven. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." The use of Offertory Sentences started with the 1549 BCP, and they are meant to encourage thoughtful, intentional giving of all our gifts.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Day by Day

Martin How

PRESENTATION HYMN 495

Worship, Honor, Power and Blessing (v.4)

In Babilone

Worship, honor, power, and blessing thou art worthy to receive;
Highest praises, without ceasing, right it is for us to give.
Help, ye bright angelic spirits, all your noblest anthems raise;
Help to sing our Savior's merits, help to chant Emmanuel's praise.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING EUCHARISTIC PRAYER B

BCP 367

The people remain standing

Celebrant 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.**

Celebrant It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

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:

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 kneel.

The Celebrant continues

Celebrant We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, 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, according to his command, O Father,

Celebrant and People

**We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;**

The Celebrant continues

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with St. Paul and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

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.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

BCP 364

Celebrant And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,
People **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,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread and a period of silence is kept.

The Celebrant continues by saying

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

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

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.

THE COMMUNION OF GOD'S PEOPLE

All are welcome at God's table. People who are searching for a deeper understanding and relationship with God who do not wish to partake are invited to receive a blessing. Come forward to the front of the chancel at the direction of the ushers, simply cross your arms over your chest. To receive the bread and the wine, extend your hands upward, palms crossed. When receiving the wine, please assist the chalice as it is offered. To indicate a gluten free wafer, cross your hands one on top of the other.

Said in unison

**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.**

BLESSING

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**

6 Let ev - ery kin - dred, ev - ery tribe, on this ter - res - trial

1 All hail the power of Je - sus' Name! Let an - gels pros - trate
 2 Crown him, ye mar - tyrs of our God, who from his al - tar
 3 Hail him, the Heir of Da - vid's line, whom Da - vid Lord did
 * 4 Ye heirs of Is - rael's cho - sen race, ye ran - somed of the
 * 5 Sin - ners, whose love can ne'er for - get the worm - wood and the

ball, to him a - scribe, and

1 fall; bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem, and
 2 call: praise him whose way of pain ye trod, and
 3 call, the God in - car - nate, Man di - vine, and
 4 fall, hail him who saves you by his grace, and
 5 gall, go, spread your tro - phies at his feet, and

crown him Lord of all! to him a -

1 crown him Lord of all! bring forth the roy - al
 2 crown him Lord of all! praise him whose way of
 3 crown him Lord of all! the God in - car - nate,
 4 crown him Lord of all! hail him who saves you
 5 crown him Lord of all! go, spread your tro - phies

scribe, and crown him Lord of all!

1 di - a - dem, and crown him Lord of all!
 2 pain ye trod, and crown him Lord of all!
 3 Man di - vine, and crown him Lord of all!
 4 by his grace, and crown him Lord of all!
 5 at his feet, and crown him Lord of all!

6 Let every kindred, every tribe,
 on this terrestrial ball,
 to him all majesty ascribe,
 and crown him Lord of all!

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THE DISMISSAL

Deacon Let us go forth in the name of Christ.
People Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

*The flowers on the retable are given to the Glory of God and in memory
of their beloved son " Robby " Wheatly
by Joyce & Claud Wheatly.*

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UPCOMING

Wednesday, September 6	12:00 p.m.	Holy Eucharist
Wednesday, September 6	4:45 p.m.	Bible Study
Sunday, September 10	8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist, Rite I
Sunday September 10	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School All Ages
Sunday September 10	10:45 a.m.	Holy Eucharist, Rite II

The noon service on Wednesday, and the 10:45 a.m. service on Sunday will be live streamed and available to watch on-demand following the service: St. Paul's Facebook page and St. Paul's YouTube channel.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Visitors and Newcomers: Welcome! We are glad you have joined us in person and online. Please identify yourself to one of our ushers so that we might greet you personally. To learn more about membership, baptism, or confirmation, or to receive emails about upcoming St. Paul's events, visit our website www.stpaulsbeaufort.org or email the church office at church@stpaulsbeaufort.org to be added to our mailing list.

Childcare is available during the service in the Parish Hall. Children's Worship bags are available in the back of the church. Please use, enjoy, and return the worship bags at the end of the service.

Sunday School, Children's Chapel, and Crosswinds start back up next week, September 10th! Elementary School will meet in the God's Pod Room at 9:30 a.m. and Middle & High School will meet in the Youth Room.

We still have many opportunities for volunteers to get involved with our growing Children's & Youth Ministries Programs. Take a look below for all the opportunities available:

Children's Chapel- we are looking for two volunteers each Sunday that would be willing to spend 30 minutes with our young people leading Children's Chapel. This requires no preparation. A sign-up sheet is located in the Parish Hall and you can contact Rev. Ashley for more information.

Crosswinds/Headwinds Meals- A sign-up sheet to provide meals for Crosswinds or our combined Crosswinds/Headwinds meetings is now located in the Parish Hall.

Crosswinds/Headwinds Volunteers- If you are interested in helping with our Crosswinds & Headwinds meetings, we could always use the help. Especially now that our Crosswinds group has doubled in size. If you are interested in ways you could get involved, please contact Rev. Ashley.

Enquirers Sunday School Class

The Enquirers Class will begin on Sunday, September 10th in the Upstairs Conference Room in the office building. Bring a cup of coffee and share informal visiting time from 9:30-9:45 am. Class discussion will begin at 9:45 am. If you haven't signed up, notify the church office so that a copy of Walk in Love may be ordered for you!

Join us for Coffee Hour today after the service in the Parish Hall.

The Vestry's Fellowship Commission is delighted to announce that **Coffee Hour** will resume on **September 10th, following both the 8:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. services, and we need hosts!** Duties include preparing coffee, a few pitchers of lemonade, and simple refreshments such as pretzels and cookies. We invite our fellow parishioners to sign up on the master schedule to in the parish hall. Many, many thanks and we look forward to seeing you all!

St. Paul's Bazaar Updates

Put on your aprons and start rattling those pots and pans!! Sign-up for donations to the **Country Store, Frozen Foods, and Baked Goods** Online Sale begins September 1, 2023, and ends September 23, 2023!! These items will be sold in the On-line Sale, which starts on October 7, 2023, and ends on October 21, 2023. Pick-up by the buyers will be Saturday, November 4, 2023, the same day as the In-Person Bazaar and the Sit-Down Luncheon. You'll be hearing more about these events soon.

We need your help! Once again this year, the perfectpotluck website will be used for signing-up. Please read on and see where you can contribute. Remember the Bazaar net proceeds are donated to various Carteret County charities that St. Paul's supports all year long! Below is the link for perfectpotluck website for donations: <http://www.perfectpotluck.com/QMOT3206>

Missy Bailey and Imogene Clawson will chair the **Country Store** Committee this year. This is the perfect time to start preparing things for the Country Store! The Country Store is looking for homemade jams, jellies, pickles, preserves, and other yummy items that are stored in jars! We are always looking for handmade craft items including aprons, bags, toboggans, scarves, and other crafty items. Please make some special items for our extra special Country Store! Contact Missy Bailey, msembailey2@gmail.com, 252-723-3344 or Imogene Clawson, backhandpass2@hotmail.com, 252-728-0295.

Sylvia Wheatly and Harriett Lassiter will chair the **Frozen Foods** Committee this year. This committee will focus on tried-and-true favorites that have been sold in the past. The first week of September, Sylvia and Harriett will begin calling parishioners who have provided frozen dishes in the past to confirm their donations for this year. If you are new to St. Paul's and would like to participate, please reach out to Sylvia, swheatly89@gmail.com, 252-422-5756 or Harriett, hlbeech@embarqmail.com, 919-631-1510 to discuss what you would like to donate. Popular Frozen Food Items are:

- ⊙ Soups and stews: such as bean, beef, chicken, vegetable, Brunswick, chilies, and chowders
(Plan to cook at least 5 quarts of each item)
- ⊙ Casseroles: such as quiches, ravioli, enchiladas, breakfast, and pot pies.
(Plan to cook at least 5 of your items)

Len Gilstrap and Diane Meelheim will chair the **Baked Goods** Committee this year. Items needed include:

- ⊙ Cakes, pies, yeast and sourdough breads, cookies, and dessert bars
 - ⊙ Breakfast Breads, such as, coffee cakes, biscuits, muffins, and quick breads
 - ⊙ Party Foods, such as, cheese straws, sausage balls, specialty nut mixes, and homemade candies
- Contact Len Gilstrap, lengilstrap@gmail.com, 252-241-1479 or Diane Meelheim, dmeelheim@aol.com, 919-614-5557.

Outreach for September – Meals on Wheels

Meals on Wheels of Beaufort operates under the Beaufort Fellowship of Churches. This is a service which delivers not only a balanced meal but also a friendly smile and contact for homebound folks. We are currently serving good, balanced meals plus fruit or dessert prepared by Donna's Deli at Piggly Wiggly in Beaufort. The meals are picked up between 10:35 and 10:45 a.m. and then delivered Monday through Saturday by volunteers from Beaufort Ole Towne Rotary, St. Paul's Church, Ann St. UMC and One Harbor Church. **All donations** are used to pay for Meals and are greatly appreciated. We also **welcome** new **volunteers** to deliver Meals. Volunteers usually deliver Meals one day per week for a month duration and/or sub now & then. It takes about 1 to 1 ½ hours to deliver meals on a given day and really makes you feel good to have given of yourself. To inquire about Volunteering, please call Sandra Howarth at 252-241-4292.

Please consider making a special donation to Meals on Wheels during the month of September. If you would like to donate to the Meals on Wheels program, please do so through "Online Giving" on our website (www.stpaulsbeaufort.org). Alternatively, you may donate with a check payable to St. Paul's Church with "Outreach" in the memo line. Checks may also be mailed to the church.

YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED

for members of the St. Paul's Family: Rachel Chaplain, Holton Eastman, Anne Eastman, Ben Green, Jack Gardner, Alicia Ragsdale, Sandy Brock, Patti Otten, Joe Ustach, William Moore Davis, Thomas "Bull" Bullock, Dyches Boddiford, Viola Cleo Bradshaw, Magnolia S., Allan Harding and Helen O'Neal.

for friends: Linda Gerlock (friend, Barbara Bryan), Elinor King (friend, Barbara Bryan), Thomas Goodson (brother, Bill Goodson), Allison Merante (daughter, Dorothy Kirtley), Danny Owens (friend, 5 Loaves), Joey Smith, Randy Hondros (friend, Jim and Cindy Cash), Bob Long (friend, Wade Gardner), Becky Wilkerson (friend, William Moore Davis), Patty Fowler (friend, Harriet Lassiter), Dave Keefe, George Sherman (father, Frank Sherman), Brinn Louise Bitner (close friend of the Whitt family), Toni Phillips (daughter, Wade Gardner), Lorri Rowe (daughter, Bob Gallo), Patsy Salter (friend, Donna and Bob Ivey), Jeff Van Meter (nephew, Nancy Ustach), Jack (friend of Melina Glancy), Allison Davies Talbot (David's sister in law), Lee Worth (friend of Megan and Will Ziglar), Tammy Nash, Brent Brewer (friend, Kenneth and Ashley Henry), Althesina Krutulewski (friend, Joe Ustach), Wylie Sloan (grandson, Hamilton and Ann Sloan), Laura Waldon (niece, Annette Cruse), and Lorraine Chavez (mother, Phil Chavez).

To add your name or the name of a loved one to the prayer list, contact the St. Paul's Office at 728-3324 or email church@stpaulsbeaufort.org. Individuals will remain on the prayer list for thirty days. To keep the person on the list longer, simply contact the Office with that request at the end of the thirty days. The person to be listed must give permission for their name to be included in this public prayer request list.

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