



Faith Episcopal Church at Wheeler Chapel

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10:00 am, 3rd Sunday after Pentecost, 26 June 2022

*Masks are optional. Please follow current CDC recommendations and your comfort level. Also note **this color print** signifies music. **Bold, black italics** means "unison".*

Morning Prayer

Gathering and Announcements (Jane Howard)

Opening Hymn: Jesus Calls Us: Hymn 549

O God, make speed to save us. **O Lord, make haste to help us.**
My heart tells of your word, 'Seek my face.' **Your face, Lord, will I seek.**

The Collect

Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone: Grant us so to be joined together in unity of spirit by their teaching, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Galatians 5:1,13-25 (Dawn)

For freedom Christ has set us free. Stand firm, therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery. For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters; only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for self-indulgence, but through love become slaves to one another. For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." If, however, you bite and devour one another, take care that you are not consumed by one another.

Live by the Spirit, I say, and do not gratify the desires of the flesh. For what the flesh desires is opposed to the Spirit, and what the Spirit desires is opposed to the flesh; for these are opposed to each other, to prevent you from doing what you want. But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not subject to the law. Now the works of the flesh are obvious: fornication, impurity, licentiousness, idolatry, sorcery, enmities, strife, jealousy, anger, quarrels, dissensions, factions, envy, drunkenness, carousing, and things like these. I am warning you, as I warned you before: those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God.

By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things. And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. If we live by the Spirit, let us also be guided by the Spirit.

Psalms 27.10

We praise you, O God, **we acclaim you as the Lord;**
all creation worships you, **the Father everlasting.**
To you all angels, **all the powers of heaven,**
the cherubim and seraphim, **sing in endless praise:**
Holy, holy, holy Lord, **God of power and might,**
heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be

forever. Amen. Alleluia.

Hymn: Walk in the Spirit -song sheet

Luke 9:51-62 (Rita)

When the days drew near for Jesus to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem. And he sent messengers ahead of him. On their way they entered a village of the Samaritans to make ready for him; but they did not receive him, because his face was set toward Jerusalem. When his disciples James and John saw it, they said, "Lord, do you want us to command fire to come down from heaven and consume them?" But he turned and rebuked them. Then they went on to another village.

As they were going along the road, someone said to him, "I will follow you wherever you go." And Jesus said to him, "Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests; but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head." To another he said, "Follow me." But he said, "Lord, first let me go and bury my father." But Jesus said to him, "Let the dead bury their own dead; but as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God." Another said, "I will follow you, Lord; but let me first say farewell to those at my home." Jesus said to him, "No one who puts a hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God."

The Apostles' Creed (in unison)

*I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth;
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come
again to judge the living and the dead.*

*I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the
forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the live everlasting. Amen.*

Hymn: You have come down to the lakeshore WLP P 758,

The Lord's Prayer

In the words our savior Christ has taught us we now 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,
for ever and ever.*

Amen.

A Prayer During the Pandemic by the Most Rev. Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury. *Especially dedicated to Vicar Pat Henking and to the health of all our congregation, our communities, our nation, and the world.*

God of compassion, be close to those who are ill, afraid, or in isolation. In their loneliness, be their consolation; in their anxiety, be their hope; in their darkness, be their light; through him who suffered alone on the cross, but reigns with you in glory, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

A Collect for Peace. *Especially dedicated to Ukraine, our nation, and the world.*

O God, the author of peace and lover of concord, to know you is eternal life and to serve you is perfect freedom: Defend us, your humble servants, in all assaults of our enemies; that we, surely trusting in your defense, may not fear the power of any adversaries, through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

A Collect for Guidance

Heavenly Father, in you we live and move and have our being. We humbly pray to so to guide and govern us by your Holy Spirit, that in all the cares and occupations of our life we may not forget you, but may remember that we are ever walking in your sight, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Hymn: Guide Us Lord of All (song sheet)

Thank Offering

We now invite everyone who wishes to participate in the Thank Offering, including intercessions and thanksgivings. A donation is not required.

The General Thanksgiving

Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks for all your goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all whom you have made. We bless you for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for your immeasurable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies, that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up our selves to your service, and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.

Recessional Hymn: He who would valiant be p. 564.

Dismissal: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Ukuthula. Thanks be to God. Ukuthula.