

THE 4TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST June 20, 2021 10 am

ST. DUNSTAN'S

Welcome BACK to St Dunstan's! We are glad you are here! Please silence your phones and wear your mask while on campus.

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

Prelude Piece in Canonic Form, Op. 56, No. 2

Robert Schumann

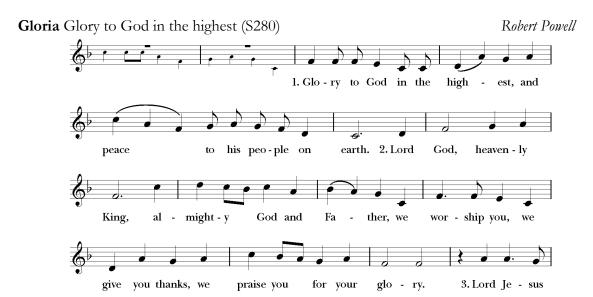
Processional Hymn 210 I Sing the Mighty Power of God

Ellacombe

Priest Alleluia! Christ is risen.

People The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!

People 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 Collect of the Day The people stand or kneel.

Priest The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Priest Let us pray.

O Lord, make us have perpetual love and reverence for your holy Name, for you never fail to help and govern those whom you have set upon the sure foundation of your lovingkindness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Job 38:1-11

God appears to Job out of the whirlwind and demands to know whether he is wise enough to question the Creator of the heavens and earth. The challenge seems almost brutal. Job, out of all his distress, had complained about the unfairness of life. He is now forced to recognize how little he understands the ways of the world and of God.

The Lord answered Job out of the whirlwind:
"Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge?
Gird up your loins like a man,
I will question you, and you shall declare to me.

"Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding.

Who determined its measurements—surely you know!

Or who stretched the line upon it?

On what were its bases sunk,

or who laid its cornerstone

when the morning stars sang together

and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy?

"Or who shut in the sea with doors when it burst out from the womb?—
when I made the clouds its garment,
and thick darkness its swaddling band,
and prescribed bounds for it,
and set bars and doors,
and said, 'Thus far shall you come, and no farther,
and here shall your proud waves be stopped'?"

Reader The Word of the Lord. **People Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 107:1-3, 23-32 Confitemini Domino

Thanksgiving is offered to the Lord, who saves from storms and other dangers those who call upon God.

- 1 Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, * and his mercy endures for ever.
- 2 Let all those whom the Lord has redeemed proclaim * that he redeemed them from the hand of the foe.
- 3 He gathered them out of the lands; * from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south.
- 23 Some went down to the sea in ships * and plied their trade in deep waters;
- 24 They beheld the works of the Lord * and his wonders in the deep.
- 25 Then he spoke, and a stormy wind arose, * which tossed high the waves of the sea.
- 26 They mounted up to the heavens and fell back to the depths; * their hearts melted because of their peril.
- 27 They reeled and staggered like drunkards * and were at their wits' end.
- 28 Then they cried to the Lord in their trouble, * and he delivered them from their distress.
- 29 He stilled the storm to a whisper * and quieted the waves of the sea.
- 30 Then were they glad because of the calm, * and he brought them to the harbor they were bound for.
- 31 Let them give thanks to the Lord for his mercy * and the wonders he does for his children.
- 32 Let them exalt him in the congregation of the people * and praise him in the council of the elders.

2 Corinthians 6:1-13

Paul continues to commend himself, together with the ministry of his coworkers, to the troubled Corinthian church. Paul and his colleagues have proven the value of their ministry through multiple and profound sufferings, and also in the tenor and quality of their labors. They do all of this in service to Christ and for the benefit of those for whom they strive, and at great personal cost. They have opened their hearts in every way to the Corinthians, and now Paul asks that their love and care find reciprocation.

As we work together with Christ, we urge you also not to accept the grace of God in vain. For he says,

"At an acceptable time I have listened to you, and on a day of salvation I have helped you."

See, now is the acceptable time; see, now is the day of salvation! We are putting no obstacle in anyone's way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, but as servants of God we have commended ourselves in every way: through great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, beatings, imprisonments, riots, labors, sleepless nights, hunger; by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, holiness of spirit, genuine love, truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left; in honor and dishonor, in ill repute and good repute. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; as unknown, and yet are well known; as dying, and see—we are alive; as punished, and yet not killed; as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing everything.

We have spoken frankly to you Corinthians; our heart is wide open to you. There is no restriction in our affections, but only in yours. In return—I speak as to children—open wide your hearts also.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn 405 All Things Bright and Beautiful

Royal Oak

Mark 4:35-41

Jesus stills of the storm. The narrative was used in the life of the early church to stress the importance of faith in difficult times. Still more significantly, it served to emphasize the majesty of the Lord Jesus whose power could control destructive natural forces and, symbolically, the cosmic forces of evil. Audiences of that time would recognize the parallel between Jesus' sovereignty over the storm and the power of God shown when he, according to myth, conquered the watery chaos and formed the world.

Priest The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

When evening had come, Jesus said to his disciples, "Let us go across to the other side." And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him. A great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped. But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. He said to them, "Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?" And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?"

Priest The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon

The Rev. John Saville

After the sermon a brief silence is kept.

The Nicene Creed All Stand.

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.

Who with the Father and the Son is worshipped 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.

The Prayers of the People

from Intercessions for the Christian People

The people stand or kneel

Leader Inspired by the Spirit, we now offer our Sunday prayers to God in the name of Jesus Christ, saying: Lord, have mercy.

For the fulfillment of the mission of the church, let us pray to the Lord:

People Lord, have mercy.

Leader For the liberation of the children of God from the bondage of fear, let us pray to the Lord:

People Lord, have mercy.

Leader For the consolation of all those who struggle with doubts or disbelief, let us pray to the Lord:

People Lord, have mercy.

Leader For renewed witness to the gospel among Christian people in positions of public trust, let us pray to the Lord:

People Lord, have mercy.

Leader For our assembly as we hand on the faith of our ancestors from one generation to another, let us pray to the Lord:

People Lord, have mercy.

Leader For the sick and the suffering, the lonely and the dying, [especially N.]. let us pray to the Lord:

People Lord, have mercy.

Leader We remember those who have died, [including N.]. let us prayer to the Lord:

People Lord, have mercy.

Leader In the communion of the Holy Spirit, with Mary, the mother of the Son of God, with St. Dunstan, St. Andre and with all the saints in light, let us commend our lives and the lives of one another to the Lord. **Amen.**

Priest Almighty God, by your Holy Spirit you have made us one with your saints in heaven and on earth: Grant that in our earthly pilgrimage we may always be supported by this fellowship of love and prayer, and know ourselves to be surrounded by their witness to your power and mercy. We ask this for the sake of Jesus Christ, in whom all our intercessions are acceptable through the Spirit, and who lives and reigns for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Confession of Sin Standing or kneeling. Silence may be kept.

Priest Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

We pause for a moment of reflection as we prepare to acknowledge the ways we have turned away from God.

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.

The Absolution

Priest 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 All stand.

Priest The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

The people exchange the peace with one another.

Announcements All are seated.

The Offertory

Priest Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God.

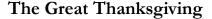
Offertory The Lovely Summer Season

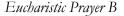
arr. Johannes Brahms

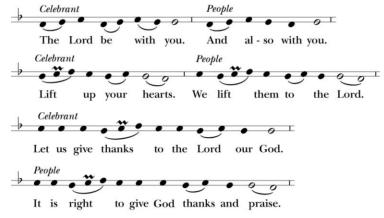
THE HOLY COMMUNION

Priest All things come of thee, O Lord.

People And of thine own have we given thee.

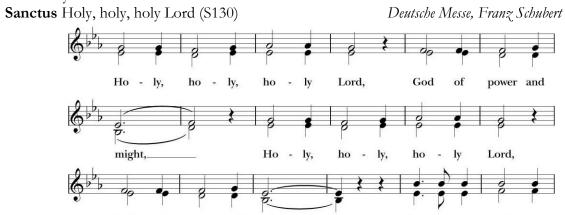






Priest It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. For you are the source of light and life; you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

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:



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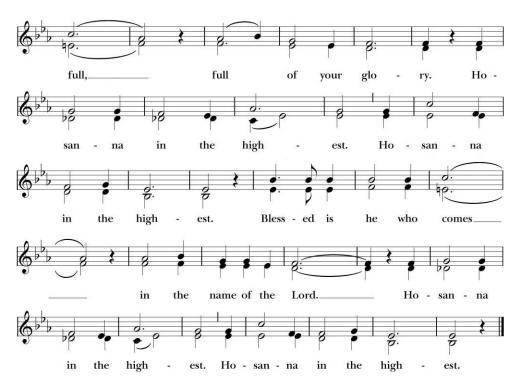
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The people stand or kneel

Priest

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 all for the forgiveness of sins.

Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Priest Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

People We remember his death,

We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory

Priest

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 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 for ever. **AMEN.**

Priest 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 Priest breaks the consecrated bread.

Priest Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

Priest 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.

ALL ARE WELCOME TO RECEIVE THE HOLY COMMUNION.

When directed by the usher, come forward to the communion station. Please keep your mask on with your hands extended to receive the Host.

The bread is received in the open palm.

Once you have moved away from the Minister, you may remove one side of your mask, consume the Host, and replace your mask.

Those who prefer to receive a blessing may indicate this by crossing their arms over their chest.

If you have a wheat sensitivity, you may ask the priest for a gluten-free wafer.

Communion Dear Lord and Father of Us All

Repton, arr. Robert Powell

Hymn 325 Let us Break Bread

Afro-American spiritual; arr. David Hurd

The Post-Communion Prayer

Priest Let us pray.

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 spiritually with 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.

The Blessing

Priest May the peace of our Lord Christ go with you, wherever He may send you.

May He guide you through the wilderness, protect you through the storm.

May He bring you home rejoicing at the wonders He has shown you.

May He bring you home rejoicing once again into our doors.

And the blessing of the One God—Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer; be upon you and those you love, today and always. **Amen.**

Processional Hymn 556 Rejoice, Ye Pure In Heart!

Marion

Priest Alleluia! Alleluia!

Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Postlude Prelude in G Major

J.S. Bach

The people are invited to listen and observe silence during the postlude.

All are welcome to enjoy fellowship with one another outside the church during coffee hour.



The altar flowers are given to the Glory of God and in memory of Pamela Cordoni Ross by Sue & Tom Masters

St. Dunstan's Episcopal Church celebrates God's diverse creation and strives to build an inclusive community that welcomes everyone, no matter age, gender, sexual identity, culture, ethnicity, economic status, or ability.

Zoom Compline Tuesdays, 8 pm

15 minutes to give thanks to God for the day that is past and placing our hope and faith in God for the night.

We are currently using he Order for Compline from the New Zealand Prayer book, which can be downloaded at stdcv.org/bulletins.

Join Zoom Compline

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85070384899 Meeting ID: 850 7038 4899



Zoom Coffee Hour Sundays, 11 am

Feel free to drop in or drop out when you can.

Join Zoom Coffee Hour

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88459890111

Meeting ID: 884 5989 0111

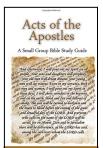
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St. Dunstan's weekly eNews

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Discussion Group Sundays, 9 am

This week we will read Acts 17-22 and answer (or not, as the Spirit leads) the corresponding questions on pages 73-77 of the study guide. There's a LOT going on in Acts. If you're



unfamiliar with the book as a whole, maybe just aim to come away with a general overview. Don't worry about doing ALL the reading or answering ALL the questions. Instead, focus on what YOU find interesting. Let your curiosity lead! You have permission to skip questions that don't serve you, and maybe find answers to ones that you have that aren't in the study guide! All are welcome!

We are now meeting in-person in the Guild Room with masks. However, if you prefer to join us via Zoom, we will gladly bring you in with this link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89077277480

Help us know you by

Filling out a Pew Card

If you are visiting us, are new to Saint Dunstan's, or if your contact information has changed, please fill out a Pew Card and drop it in the collection plate. Thanks!

A Storied Pilgrimage with Race

"A Storied Pilgrimage with Race" explores the issues of race in our diocese through video interviews, education materials, action items, and reflection. Please join Rev. Laurel and others from our community as we engage in this year-long pilgrimage. The completion of this curriculum fulfills the requirement for anti-racism training in the Diocese of El Camino Real.

This series of 12 monthly sessions will begin in July with options for participating in person on the first Wednesday of each month from 6:30-8 pm, or virtually on the first Tuesday of each month from 10-11:30 am.

For more information or to register, please contact the parish office.

Pastoral Care & Prayer Requests

For pastoral concerns, contact Rev. Laurel <u>via email</u> or on her cell <u>310-562-5746</u>. And you can always leave a message on the Pastoral Care line at church 831-624-6646 ext 5.

Our Daughters of the King chapter welcomes your prayer requests in this time when many are in crisis. Please email the DOK's Elizabeth Buche, who manages the Daughters' prayer list. The Daughters pray for members of our parish and for many other individuals daily.

Deadline for eNews, Bulletin

Items for our eNews and Sunday Bulletin should be submitted to office@stdcv.org by midnight Sunday.

Dedicate Altar Flowers

This is a lovely and meaningful way to give Glory to God in celebration of a birthday, or in thanksgiving, or in memory of a loved one. The cost of the flowers is \$20, but some give more. Checks should be made out to St. Dunstan's with "Altar Flowers" in the memo.

You can check available Sundays on our Master Calendar at stdcv.org/calendar. (hint: if you see ". . . " before "The Altar Flowers", that Sunday is available.)

St. Dunstan's Haiti Team Welcomes

The Rev. Noé Bernier

We are fortunate to have The Reverend Archdeacon, Noé Bernier, Rector of St. Andre's, Archdeacon of the Central Plateau and Headmaster of St. Andre's School with us on June 21 to tell us about what we have accomplished together for St. Andre's School: Celebrate 125 graduating seniors this year, a history of some of the highest scores in the country on national exams and a program to bring bright, promising students from the countryside to St. Andre's to further their education.



Father Noé will meet with us Monday morning at 10 AM

in the church and will answer our questions about St. Andre's and about Haiti. Please come and show our commitment to this important work that has meant so much to so many Haitian students and their families.

Join us in person in the church building (no registration necessary with the new protocols), or by live stream on our YouTube channel.

Weekly Bulletins available electronically

Whether you want to save the environment by using less paper, like the idea of reading on your device, want to see what's coming up or what is past, our weekly worship bulletins are available as a PDF online at stdcv.org/bulletins



JUNE BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Joan Carter
- 6 Forrest Borlik
- 7 Emma Brown
- 9 Mystery Chastain
- 10 Dave Lambert
- 11 Mary Britton
- 11 Madison Snellgrose
- 11 Andrew White

- 14 Libby Lambert
- 15 Debbie Howitt
- 15 Rebecca Miller
- 17 Rich Hawkins
- 18 Ember Gregorio
- 20 Rory Lambert
- 21 Rodger Langland
- 21 Sebastien Lewis

- 25 Gary Kimmel
- 25 Raymond Vasquez
- 27 Francesca Barattucci
- 27 Anne Proctor
- 27 Dave Roth
- 28 Marge Kohler
- 30 George Pappas

THIS WEEK AT ST DUNSTAN'S

PARISH OFFICE OPEN TUESDAY—THURSDAY, 9 AM—12 NOON

Sunday,	<u>June 20</u>	Thursday, June 24
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8:00 am Holy Eucharist9:00 am Discussion Group

10:00 am Holy Eucharist (live-streamed)

11:00 am In-Person Coffee Hour

Zoom Coffee Hour

Friday, June 25

Monday, June 21

10:00 am Conversation with Pere Noé Saturday, June 26

Tuesday, June 22

8:00 am Staff meeting

7:30 pm AA

8:00 pm Zoom Compline

Wednesday, June 23

10:00 am Holy Eucharist

Sunday, June 27

8:00 am Holy Eucharist9:00 am Discussion Group

10:00 am Holy Eucharist (live-streamed)

11:00 am In-Person Coffee Hour

Zoom Coffee Hour

View the entire parish calendar stdcv.org/calendar



WE HOPE YOU FIND YOURS HERE

Here is a place that is ancient and new, a faith that we hold going back to Jesus, back to his spiritual ancestors, back to those who walked the earth and found holy ground. And what we do is often based on really ancient patterns—worship and music; loving service to the poor, the hurting, the lonely; working for justice and peace; lively, fearless education and formation of minds and souls. And that faith is also completely contemporary, engaged in the culture and the needs of the moment.

WHAT WE ARE FOR

The dignity and worth of every person. An open minded, passionate commitment to truth. The importance of everyone's own spiritual journey. God's friends wherever we find them. Seeking Christ in every person who comes through the door. The sacredness of life's rites of passage. The value of community. The hard work necessary to make sure that all are welcomed. Telling the truth about life's challenges. A "user-friendly" church experience. Children, youth and families. We believe that God is love, and we pray that God will use us to spread that love.

WHAT WE ARE AGAINST

Claiming to have all the answers. Elitism and exclusivism, especially in church. Bigotry for any reason. Authoritarianism. Indifference to injustice and suffering. Certitude in the face of ambiguity and superficial answers to hard questions. Boring sermons, bad music and general cluelessness. (So, God help us, because we don't always avoid these!)

WHAT WE VALUE

Community, open hearts, open minds, open arms. Faith. Fortitude. Staying current, but equally staying rooted in tradition. Reason and honesty. Civic responsibility. Debate that allows for mutual respect. Music and beauty for their own sake. Joy in God's creation. Anyone who makes an effort to get to know and follow Jesus.

WELCOME!

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