



St. John's
EPISCOPAL CHURCH
COLD SPRING HARBOR

Morning Prayer Rite II: Twenty First Sunday after Pentecost

October 13, 2024, 10 am

Prelude
Hymn 684

Sonata V: Andante - Andante con moto
O for a closer walk with God

Felix Mendelssohn
Caithness

1 O for a clos - er walk with God, a calm and heaven - ly frame,
2 Where is the bless - ed - ness I knew when first I saw the Lord?
3 Re - turn, O ho - ly Dove, re - turn, sweet mes - sen - ger of rest;
4 The dear - est i - dol I have known, what - e'er that i - dol be,
5 So shall my walk be close with God, calm and se - rene my frame;

1 a light to shine up - on the road that leads me to the Lamb!
2 Where is the soul - re - fresh - ing view of Je - sus and his word?
3 I hate the sins that made thee mourn, and drove thee from my breast.
4 help me to tear it from thy throne, and wor - ship on - ly thee.
5 so pur - er light shall mark the road that leads me to the Lamb.

Opening Sentences

Priest O, give thanks to the Lord, and call upon his Name; make known his deeds among the peoples. (*Psalm 105:1*)

The Invitatory

Priest Lord, open our lips.

People *And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.*

People *Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.*

Priest The earth is the Lord's for he made it: Come let us adore him.

Jubilate *Psalm 100*

Henry Aldrich

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| 1 | Be joyful in the ' Lord, • all you ' lands; * | 3 | Enter his gates with thanksgiving;
go into his ' courts with ' praise; * |
| | serve the Lord with gladness
and come before his ' presence ' with a ' song. | | give thanks to him and ' call ' up • on his ' Name. |
| 2 | Know this: The Lord him'self is ' God, * | 4 | For the Lord is good; his mercy is ' ever'lasting; * |
| | he himself has made us, and we are his;
we are his ' people • and the ' sheep of • his ' pasture. | | and his faithfulness en'dures from ' age to ' age. |

Glory to the Father, and ' to the ' Son,
and ' to the ' Holy ' Spirit:
As it was in the be'ginning, • is ' now,
and ' will be • for ' ever. • A'men.

Psalm 90:12-17 *Domine, refugium*

12 So teach us to number our days *
that we may apply our hearts to wisdom.
13 Return, O Lord; how long will you tarry? *
be gracious to your servants.
14 Satisfy us by your loving-kindness in the morning; *
so shall we rejoice and be glad all the days of our life.
15 Make us glad by the measure of the days that you afflicted us *
and the years in which we suffered adversity.
16 Show your servants your works *
and your splendor to their children.
17 May the graciousness of the Lord our God be upon us; *
prosper the work of our hands; prosper our handiwork.
*Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.*

A Reading from the Letter to the Hebrews

Hebrews 4:12-16

The word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing until it divides soul from spirit, joints from marrow; it is able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart. And before him no creature is hidden, but all are naked and laid bare to the eyes of the one to whom we must render an account. Since, then, we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast to our confession. For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

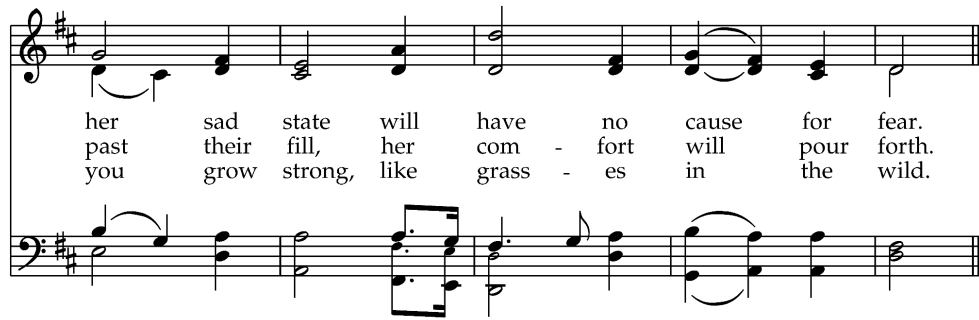
Reader The Word of the Lord
People *Thanks be to God.*

Canticle E

A Song of Jerusalem Our Mother

Edmonton

The musical score is written for a choir in G major and 3/4 time. It consists of two systems of music. The first system has a vocal line and a bass line. The vocal line begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 3/4 time signature. The lyrics are: "1 All you who love Je - ru - sa - lem, be / 2 For God has said, my peace will flow, and / 3 Her gen - tle arms will cra - dle you, as". The second system also has a vocal line and a bass line. The vocal line begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 3/4 time signature. The lyrics are: "glad and share her cheer. All you who mourn for / trea - sures of the earth. Like banks of wa - ters / mo - ther com - forts child. Your heart will sing as".



A Reading from the Gospel according to Mark

Mark 10:17-31

As Jesus was setting out on a journey, a man ran up and knelt before him, and asked him, “Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?” Jesus said to him, “Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: ‘You shall not murder; You shall not commit adultery; You shall not steal; You shall not bear false witness; You shall not defraud; Honor your father and mother.’” He said to him, “Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth.” Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, “You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me.” When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possessions. Then Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, “How hard it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!” And the disciples were perplexed at these words. But Jesus said to them again, “Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God.” They were greatly astounded and said to one another, “Then who can be saved?” Jesus looked at them and said, “For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible.” Peter began to say to him, “Look, we have left everything and followed you.” Jesus said, “Truly I tell you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields, for my sake and for the sake of the good news, who will not receive a hundredfold now in this age—houses, brothers and sisters, mothers and children, and fields with persecutions—and in the age to come eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first.”

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

The Sermon

Gideon L.K. Pollach

The Apostles Creed *(Priest and People)*

*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 life everlasting. Amen*

Priest The Lord be with you.
 People And also with you.
 Priest Let us pray.

The Lord’s Prayer *(Priest and People together)*

*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 Suffrages

Choir & Congregation

And grant us your sal - va - tion.

Officiant

Show us your mer - cy, O Lord;

Choir & Congregation

Let your peo - ple sing with joy.

Officiant

Clothe your mi - ni - sters with righ - teous - ness;

Choir & Congregation

For on - ly in you can we live in safe - ty.

Officiant

peace, O Lord, in all the world;

Choir & Congregation

And guide us in the way of jus - tice and truth.

Officiant

keep this na - tion un - der your care;

Choir & Congregation

Your sa - ving health a - mong all na - tions.

Officiant

Let your way be known up - on earth;

Choir & Congregation

Nor the hope of the poor be ta-ken a -

Officiant

Let not the nee - dy, O Lord, be for - got - ten;

Choir & Congregation

Cre - ate in us clean hearts, O God;

Officiant

tain us with your Ho - ly Spi - rit.

The Collect of the Day

Priest Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, that we may continually be given to good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Prayers For the Sick and Additional Collects

The Presider offers several seasonal and occasional prayers after which follows the Prayer for Mission below.

Prayer for Mission

Priest Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of your faithful people is governed and sanctified: Receive our supplications and prayers which we offer before you for all members of your holy Church, that in their vocation and ministry they may truly and devoutly serve you; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

A General Thanksgiving

Priest and People together

We give you thanks, most gracious God, for the beauty of earth and sky and sea; for the richness of mountains, plains, and rivers; for the songs of birds and the loveliness of flowers. We praise you for these good gifts, and pray that we may safeguard them for our posterity. Grant that we may continue to grow in our grateful enjoyment of your abundant creation, to the honor and glory of your Name, now and for ever. Amen.

Closing Sentences

Priest Glory to God whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine: Glory to him from generation to generation in the Church, and in Christ Jesus for ever and ever. *(Ephesians 3:20-21)*

People *Amen.*

Offertory

Happy and blest are they

F. Mendelssohn

The Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Old 100th

The Grace

1 O God, our help in a - ges past, our hope for years to come,
 2 un - der the sha - dow of thy throne thy saints have dwelt se - cure;
 3 Be - fore the hills in or - der stood, or earth re - ceived her frame,
 4 A thou - sand a - ges in thy sight are like an eve - ning gone;
 5 Time, like an ev - er - roll - ing stream, bears all our years a - way;

1 our shel - ter from the storm - y blast, and our e - ter - nal home:
 2 suf - fi - cient is thine arm a - lone, and our de - fense is sure.
 3 from ev - er - last - ing thou art God, to end - less years the same.
 4 short as the watch that ends the night be - fore the ris - ing sun.
 5 they fly, for - got - ten, as a dream dies at the o - pen - ing day.

6 O God, our help in ages past,
 our hope for years to come,

be thou our guide while life shall last,
 and our eternal home.

Words: Isaac Watts (1674-1748), alt.; para. of Psalm 90. Music: *St. Anne*, melody att. William Croft (1678-1727), alt.; harm. William Henry Monk (1823-1889).

Service Participants

Maggie Spehr, *Acolyte*
George Lindsay, Chery Manniello, *Lay Readers*
James Hoover, Todd Bertsch, *Ushers*
Billy Wresch, *A-V Ministry*

The Very Rev. Gideon L. K. Pollach, *Rector*
The Rev. Dr. Douglas C. Mohrmann, *Curate*
Bryce Westervelt, *Director of Music*
Dr. Carol Weitner, *Organist*

Children's Ministry

Sarah Laimo, *Children's Chapel*

Caroline Dubois, *Nursery Care*

Pastoral Care

We ask your prayers for all those serving our nation overseas, for peace in the Holy Land, for the nation of Haiti and in particular, our partner school and church, St. Matthias in Deslandes; and for those who are ill: Chloe Clancy, Jason Dargelo, Elisa Deane, Luke Demarest, Mary Jo Hossfeld, Mike LoMonico, Jr., Peter Morris, Robin O'Brien, Peter Pawelko, Luna Perrone, Jack Santaniello, Sarah Daggett Veldman, Donna Lee Weiland, Stephen White, Hans Wiedemann, and for all who have died, especially Sheila Givan who was buried from St. John's this week.

Caring Connection for October

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The Vestry of St. John's Church

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Lindsay Kamdar, *Junior Warden*
Matthew O'Connell
The Very Rev. Gideon L. K. Pollach, *Rector*
Jaclyn Ryan
Jack Weidinger
Billy Wresch, *Senior Warden*

This Week at St. John's

10/13	Sunday	8 am	Holy Eucharist Rite II
		9 am	Breakfast Club
		10 am	Children's Chapel
		10 am	Morning Prayer
		11:15 am	Junior Choir
10/14	Monday	<i>All Day</i>	Closed for Columbus Day
10/15	Tuesday	10 am	Staff Meeting
		7 pm	Vestry Meeting
10/17	Thursday	5 pm	Handbell Choir
		7:30 pm	Chancel Choir
10/20	Sunday	8 am	Holy Eucharist Rite II
		9 am	Breakfast Club
		10 am	Children's Chapel
		10 am	Morning Prayer
		11:15 am	Junior Choir
		12:00 pm	Confirmation Class (@ St. John's, Huntington)

Links to all online and activities on Zoom can be found in the St. John's calendar, on the website www.stjcsh.org, or in the latest At St. John's e-newsletter.

