



Christ Church Cathedral
Hartford, Connecticut
The Centennial Year 1919-2019
THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
July 7, 2019

Many of us have come from different faith traditions; some from no tradition. All of us may have been drawn to this sacred space seeking answers to life's deeper questions. Wherever life is taking you, know that we are honored by your presence and invite you to experience God's life-giving grace with us at Christ Church Cathedral. As a community of faith we celebrate God's graciousness by proclaiming in word and deed that God's love is abundant and unconditional. At the Lord's Table, all baptized persons are welcome to receive Communion. You are in a sacred space. Please turn off your cell phones and refrain from texting and all conversations once the prelude begins. Assisted hearing devices are available in the back of the church. An usher will be happy to assist you. Please join us for Fellowship Hour in the Auditorium following the service. We thank God for your participation in God's Mission.

Hymns are in The Hymnal 1982 and Lift Every Voice and Sing (LEVAS).

There are no hymns and the first reading will not be read at the 8 a.m. service.

The Gloria is recited at the 8:00 a.m. service. It can be found on page 356 of the Book of Common Prayer.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

PRELUDE – Largo from Concerto in D minor

Antonio Vivaldi arr. J. S. Bach

PROCESSIONAL – **1982 HYMNAL # 657** Love divine, all loves excelling

Hyfrydol

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

People **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

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.**

GLORIA - 1982 HYMNAL S 280

R. Powell

THE COLLECT

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, you have taught us to keep all your commandments by loving you and our neighbor: Grant us the grace of your Holy Spirit, that we may be devoted to you with our whole heart, and united to one another with pure affection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Please be seated for the reading of Holy Scripture.

A READING FROM – 2 KINGS 5:1-14

Naaman, commander of the army of the king of Aram, was a great man and in high favor with his master, because by him the LORD had given victory to Aram. The man, though a mighty warrior, suffered from leprosy. Now the Arameans on one of their raids had taken a young girl captive from the land of Israel, and she served Naaman's wife. She said to her mistress, "If only my lord were with the prophet who is in Samaria! He would cure him of his leprosy." So Naaman went in and told his lord just what the girl from the land of Israel had said. And the king of Aram said, "Go then, and I will send along a letter to the king of Israel." He went, taking with him ten talents of silver, six thousand shekels of gold, and ten sets of garments. He brought the letter to the king of Israel, which read, "When this letter reaches you, know that I have sent to you my servant Naaman, that you may cure him of his leprosy." When the king of Israel read the letter, he tore his clothes and said, "Am I God, to give death or life, that this man sends word to me to cure a man of his leprosy? Just look and see how he is trying to pick a quarrel with me." But when Elisha the man of God heard that the king of Israel had torn his clothes, he sent a message to the king, "Why have you torn your clothes? Let him come to me, that he may learn that there is a prophet in Israel." So Naaman came with his horses and chariots, and halted at the entrance of Elisha's house. Elisha sent a messenger to him, saying, "Go, wash in the Jordan seven times, and your flesh shall be restored and you shall be clean." But Naaman became angry and went away, saying, "I thought that for me he would surely come out, and stand and call on the name of the LORD his God, and would wave his hand over the spot, and cure the leprosy! Are not Abana and Pharpar, the rivers of Damascus, better

than all the waters of Israel? Could I not wash in them, and be clean?" He turned and went away in a rage. But his servants approached and said to him, "Father, if the prophet had commanded you to do something difficult, would you not have done it? How much more, when all he said to you was, 'Wash, and be clean'?" So he went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, according to the word of the man of God; his flesh was restored like the flesh of a young boy, and he was clean.

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

PSALM 30 Exaltabo te, Domine *Spoken*

- 1 I will exalt you, O LORD,
 because you have lifted me up *
 and have not let my enemies triumph over me.
- 2 O LORD my God, I cried out to you, *
 and you restored me to health.
- 3 You brought me up, O LORD, from the dead; *
 you restored my life as I was going down to the grave.
- 4 Sing to the LORD, you servants of his; *
 give thanks for the remembrance of his holiness.
- 5 For his wrath endures but the twinkling of an eye, *
 his favor for a lifetime.
- 6 Weeping may spend the night, *
 but joy comes in the morning.
- 7 While I felt secure, I said,
 "I shall never be disturbed. *
 You, LORD, with your favor, made me as strong as the mountains."
- 8 Then you hid your face, *
 and I was filled with fear.
- 9 I cried to you, O LORD; *
 I pleaded with the Lord, saying,
- 10 "What profit is there in my blood, if I go down to the Pit? *
 will the dust praise you or declare your faithfulness?"
- 11 Hear, O LORD, and have mercy upon me; *
 O LORD, be my helper."
- 12 You have turned my wailing into dancing; *
 you have put off my sack-cloth and clothed me with joy.
- 13 Therefore my heart sings to you without ceasing; *
 O LORD my God, I will give you thanks for ever.

A READING FROM – GALATIANS 6:1-16

My friends, if anyone is detected in a transgression, you who have received the Spirit should restore such a one in a spirit of gentleness. Take care that you yourselves are not tempted. Bear one another's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ. For if those who are nothing think they are something, they deceive themselves. All must test their own work; then that work, rather than their neighbor's work, will become a cause for pride. For all must carry their own loads. Those who are taught the word must share in all good things with their teacher. Do not be deceived; God is not mocked, for you reap whatever you sow. If you sow to your own flesh, you will reap corruption from the flesh; but if you sow to the Spirit, you will reap eternal life from the Spirit. So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest-time, if we do not give up. So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all, and especially for those of the family of faith. See what large letters I make when I am writing in my own hand! It is those who want to make a good showing in the flesh that try to compel you to be circumcised-- only that they may not be persecuted for the cross of Christ. Even the circumcised do not themselves obey the law, but they want you to be circumcised so that they may boast about your flesh. May I never boast of anything except the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. For neither circumcision nor uncircumcision is anything; but a new creation is everything! As for those who will follow this rule-- peace be upon them, and mercy, and upon the Israel of God.

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

THE HOLY GOSPEL – LUKE 10:1-11, 16-20

Priest The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

The Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. He said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this house!' And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the laborer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; cure the sick who are there, and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, 'Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near.' "Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me." The seventy returned with joy, saying, "Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!" He said to them, "I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."

Priest The Gospel of the Lord
People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

THE SERMON

The Celebrant stands. Please stand as you are able.

THE NICENE CREED

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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Let us raise our prayers to God the author and giver of all good things.

For the Church throughout the world that being united in the one bread and one cup of the Eucharist it may be a sign of love and hope to all people. We pray especially for Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury, Michael, our Presiding Bishop, Ian and Laura our Bishops; Lina, our Dean, Jorge, our Canon for Congregational Life, Tim, Lee Ann, Jay and Lois our Associate Clergy and for our Congregation's Committee and Ministry Team. We also pray for our sister diocese of Aberdeen and Orkney, and particularly for their Bishop, Anne.

Lord in your mercy,
Hear our prayers.

For the President of the United States, members of Congress, leaders of world nations, and elected officials at all levels, that they may work for peace, destroy the demons of poverty and inequity and ensure the safety, health and welfare of the people they serve.

Lord in your mercy,
Hear our prayers.

That through our variety of gifts we may be faithful apostles as we continue to serve and be a presence in the lives of those in our congregations, the Episcopal Church in Connecticut, our communities and the world.

Lord in your mercy,
Hear our prayers.

For all who suffer affliction, the lonely, those denied dignity and those who have no hope, that mercy and compassion may transform their sorrow into joy.

Lord in your mercy,
Hear our prayers.

For those who have asked for our prayers: **Andrew, David, Shaun, Thomas, Alberto, Jack, Chris, Madeline, Kelley, Dana, Allison, Silvia, Elaine, Dina, Jackie, Aubrey, Bill, Grace, Ben, Frank, Eric, Sonia, Rosalee, Simone, Nelson, Joan.**

Lord in your mercy,
Hear our prayers.

We thank you for our many blessings, for your presence in our daily lives and for all those we love and who have nurtured us on our journey.

Lord in your mercy,
Hear our prayers.

For those who rest with Christ, that they may continue to support us with their love in the Communion of Saints.

Lord in your mercy,
Hear our prayers.

Celebrant

Triune God, hear the prayers of your people; and what we have asked faithfully, grant that we may obtain effectually, to the glory of *your* Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

The Priest says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Minister and 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 Celebrant stands and says

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.**

PRAYER FOR BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

A prayer for those celebrating birthdays this month

Watch over those who stand before us, O Lord, as they begin another year. Bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A prayer for those celebrating wedding anniversaries this month

Gracious and ever living God, continue to look mercifully upon those who come before you at the anniversary of their marriage. Give them wisdom and devotion, that they may always be to the other a strength in need, a counselor in perplexity, a comfort in sorrow, and a companion in joy. With your continual blessing, may they honor and keep the promises and vows they have made; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People **And also with you.**

The People greet one another in the name of the Lord.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND WELCOME

OFFERTORY ANTHEM – The Lord Is My Light

Franz Schubert

THE DOXOLOGY - Hymnal 380, V. 3

Old Hundredth

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Eucharistic Prayer A

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 God thanks and praise.**

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and every-where to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. For by water and the Holy Spirit you have made us a new people in Jesus Christ our Lord, to show forth your glory in all the world.

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:

SANCTUS – 1982 Hymnal # S 125

Richard Proulx

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, 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 we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

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 for ever. **AMEN.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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, For ever and ever. Amen.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

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

AGNUS DEI – 1982 HYMNAL S 164

F. Schubert

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.

All baptized Christians, regardless of age or denomination, are welcome to receive Holy Communion. In going up to the railing to receive Holy Communion, please follow the direction given by the ushers. Receive the bread in the palm of your hand and the wine by drinking from the Cup or by intinction (touching the Bread to the Wine). If you are unable to come to the railing, please let an usher know and the Sacraments will be brought to you. During Communion the Laying on of Hands and Anointing is offered in the Chapel and the Baptistry.

COMMUNION HYMN – 1982 HYMNAL # 321 My God, thy table now is spread

Rockingham

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

Almighty and ever living God, 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

RECESSIONAL HYMN – 1982 HYMNAL # 334 Praise the Lord, rise up rejoicing

Alles ist an Gottes Segen

THE DISMISSAL

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

POSTLUDE – Celebratio

Karl Jenkins

If you are visiting us for the first time, WELCOME!

We would like to keep you informed of the amazing blessings we experience in this house of prayer. Please sign the guest book located in the main foyer, and fill out a Visitor's Card found in the pew and either place in the offering plate or return by mail. And, please introduce yourself to Dean Howell and Canon Pallares.

OUR SERVICES

Sunday

8:00 a.m..... Holy Eucharist in English
10:00 a.m..... Holy Eucharist in English with Music
10:00 a.m..... Sunday School
12:30 p.m..... Santa Misa en Español con Música

Saturday

2:00 p.m..... Church by the Pond, Bushnell Park between Jewell Street and the Pond.
Read more about Church by the Pond at our website <http://www.cccathedral.org>

Wednesday

12:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist
11 a.m. – 12 p.m. Music Moves Hartford
5:15 p.m. Wellness Wednesday
Zumba
Contemporary Worship
Dinner
7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Cathedral Choir

Thursday

6:00 p.m..... Bible Study in Spanish – July 11th

UPCOMING EVENTS - SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, July 14th

10:30 am

Joint Service at St. Monica's, Hartford

A sign-up sheet to let us know you will attend will be in the back of the Cathedral

Please consider bringing a dish to share after the Eucharist.

There will only be an 8:00 am Eucharist held at Our Cathedral

Sunday, July 21st

10:30 am

Jazz Mass

Joint service with Hartford and West Hartford Parishes

Sunday, July 28th

9:30 am Joint Service

A Taste of Christ Church Cathedral

In the style of our 8:00 am Eucharist

Sunday, August 4th

9:30 am Joint Service

A Taste of Christ Church Cathedral

In the style of our 10:00 am Eucharist

Sunday, August 11th

9:30 am Joint Service

A Taste of Christ Church Cathedral

In the style of our 12:30 pm Eucharist

Sunday, August 18th

9:30 am Joint Service

A Taste of Christ Church Cathedral

In the style of our Church By The Pond Eucharist

Please join us after for a Church Picnic

Sunday, August 25th

Yard Goats Game!

Join your fellow members of the Cathedral to cheer on the Yard Goats

In Register by August 11th with Carlene Taylor

PASTORAL EMERGENCIES

If you, or a family member is ill or in need of a pastoral visit or if you need pastoral support in an emergency situation, please call Canon Pallares at 860-527-7231 or cell phone number 860-324-3357. **Please note:** No text message feature available on this number.

SACRAMENTAL RITES

Please call Dean Howell for weddings and funeral arrangements at 860-527-7231 or email her at lina.howell@cccathedral.org

Please call Canon Pallares for information on Baptism, Confirmation, and Quinciañeras at 860-527-7231 or email him at jorge.pallares@cccathedral.org

PARKING

Free parking is available in the Talcott Lot diagonally across from the Cathedral on Main Street. You must place a Cathedral Parking card on your dashboard. Cards are available in the Narthex and in the Auditorium. **Validated parking at the MAT Garage is under a new procedure. Pick up a copy of instructions at the front of the Cathedral. You will need a special ticket, in addition to the garage entrance ticket, to have free parking. On Sundays, the special ticket is available in the auditorium after the service.** NOTE: There are many events held at the XL Center on Sundays, please be mindful of the No Parking signs on Trumbull and Church Streets.

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Our Cathedral now has the capability for online donating. You may pay your pledge online by going to the Cathedral website, <https://www.cccathedral.org>, scrolling down to the bottom of the home page may enter your pledge payment. Any questions please call the Cathedral Office, 860-527-7231.

SUNDAY ALTAR FLOWERS

The Altar flowers for our Sunday services may be given in memory of or in thanksgiving for a loved one or in thanksgiving for a special event – wedding anniversary, birthday. Please email the person's name and specify memorial or thanksgiving, and the Sunday you wish to have the person remembered, to Kathy at office@cccathedral.org For inclusion in the Sunday bulletin, names must be received by the Wednesday noon prior to the desired Sunday. Donations for the flowers may be mailed to the Cathedral, 45 Church Street, Hartford, CT 06103. Be sure to make a note on the memo of your check, Altar Flowers.

MOTHER ROSE'S BOUTIQUE

SPECIAL REQUEST: We are in need of men's clothing! Blankets, toiletries, books, magazines, warm hats, and gloves would also be greatly appreciated by our guests at Church Street Eats. If you would like to volunteer at Church Street Eats, speak to Rose, Theresa, or Nancy for more information.



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The Rev. Jay Cooke, Priest Associate

The Rev. Lois Keen, Priest Associate

Since 1762, this Christian community has gathered for worship. To learn more about the ministries we share in this place, you are invited to speak to the clergy or parishioners after the service.

Serving at 8:00 a.m.

Celebrant and Preacher.....	The Rev. Canon Jorge Pallares, Canon for Congregational Life
Chalice Bearer and Lector	Jilda Aliotta
Verger	John Scott

Serving at 10:00 a.m.

Celebrant	The Rev. Canon Jorge Pallares, Canon for Congregational Life
Preacher.....	The Rev. Bonnie Matthews, Cathedral Deacon
Cantor.....	Kevin de Benedictis
Verger.....	Marcia Barnett
Chalice Bearer.....	John Scott
1 st Lector.....	Connie Bain
2 nd Lector.....	John Scott
Healing Minsters	Rose Fichera Eagen
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Ushers.....	Carlene Taylor, Dionne Morris, Yvonne Inniss-Brewer
Guild.....	Connie Bain, Monica Best, Sheila Green, Consuelo Amat, Gilbeean Scott
Cathedral Choir.....	Kevin de Benedictis, Christopher Gallerani, Kelley Kelly, Viola Mullin, & Diane Noyes
Chime Ringer.....	John Quiroga

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