



Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

Holy Eucharist, Rite II

August 14, 2022, 9:00 AM

St. John's Episcopal Church

297 Lowell Avenue, Newtonville, Massachusetts



St. John's Weekly Calendar

Sunday, August 14 9:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II, *sung* (in person/live stream)
Tenth Sunday of Pentecost

Thursday, August 18 6:00 pm Compline

Sunday, August 21 9:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II, *sung* (in person/live stream)
Eleventh Sunday of Pentecost

Prayer Requests

The Diocesan Cycle of Prayer

We Pray for

Parishes of the Neponset River Deanery
Christ Church, Hyde Park (Boston)
Iglesia de San Juan, Hyde Park (Boston)
Church of the Holy Spirit, Mattapan (Boston)
Church of the Advent, Medfield
Congregations: Sextons and Custodians

The Ecumenical Cycle of Prayer

We Pray for

Burkina Faso, Chad, Mali, Mauritania, Niger

The Anglican Cycle of Prayer

We Pray for

The Extra-Provincial Churches

Birthdays

Gary Messinger

Anniversaries

Judy and Mark Edington

Pray for Healing: Remembering especially, Richard, Harding, Karen, Martha, Jan, Barbara, Suzanne, Ruppert, Lauren, Alison, Sheila, Sara, Nicholas, Mary, Gail, Anne, Marina, Kevin, Flynn, Charlie, Michael, Alec, Wesley, Jean, Phoebe and Rose Marie.

Order of Service

Prelude

Salsecnew

Betty Roe (b. 1930)

Processional Hymn 607, "O God of every nation"

Llangloffan

The Opening Acclamation

BCP p 355

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

People: **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

All: 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 in excelsis S 278

William Mathias

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you**

Celebrant: Let us pray:

Almighty God, you have given your only Son to be for us a sacrifice for sin, and also an example of godly life: Give us grace to receive thankfully the fruits of his redeeming work, and to follow daily in the blessed steps of his most holy life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

The First Reading Isaiah 5:1-7

Psalm 80:1-2, 8-18 *Qui regis Israel*

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| 1 | Hear, O Shepherd of Israel, leading Joseph like a flock; *
shine forth, you that are enthroned upon the cherubim. | 12 | Why have you broken down its wall, *
so that all who pass by pluck off its grapes? |
| 2 | In the presence of Ephraim, Benjamin, and Manasseh, *
stir up your strength and come to help us. | 13 | The wild boar of the forest has ravaged it, *
and the beasts of the field have grazed upon it. |
| 8 | You have brought a vine out of Egypt; *
you cast out the nations and planted it. | 14 | Turn now, O God of hosts, look down from heaven; behold and tend this vine; *
preserve what your right hand has planted. |
| 9 | You prepared the ground for it; *
it took root and filled the land. | 15 | They burn it with fire like rubbish; *
at the rebuke of your countenance let them perish. |
| 10 | The mountains were covered by its shadow *
and the towering cedar trees by its boughs. | 16 | Let your hand be upon the man of your right hand, *
the son of man you have made so strong for yourself. |
| 11 | You stretched out its tendrils to the Sea *
and its branches to the River. | 17 | And so will we never turn away from you; *
give us life, that we may call upon your Name. |

18 Restore us, O Lord God of hosts; *
show the light of your countenance, and we shall
be saved.

The Epistle Hebrews 11:29-12:2

Hymn 545 , “Lo, what a cloud of witnesses”

St. Fulbert

The Holy Gospel Luke 12:49-56

The Homily

The Rev. Todd Miller

The Nicene Creed

BCP p 358

We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.

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.

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.

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 VI, BCP p. 392

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God. *Silence*

For all people in their daily life and work;

For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

For this community, the nation, and the world;

For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

For the just and proper use of your creation;

For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

For Michael our Presiding Bishop, and Alan and Gayle our Bishops; and for all bishops and other ministers;

For all who serve God in his Church.

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation. *Silence*

Hear us, Lord;
For your mercy is great.

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life. *Silence*

We will exalt you, O God our King;
And praise your Name for ever and ever.

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom. *Silence*
Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;
Who put their trust in you.

Confession

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

**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.**

Absolution

The Peace

Offertory Hymn 209, "We walk by faith, and not by sight"

St. Botolph

The people stand.

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A, BCP p 361

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. 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 forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus and Benedictus S 128

Mathias

The Lord's Prayer

BCP p 365

All: 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.

Fraction Anthem S 165

Mathias

Presentation of the Gifts

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

- All people are welcome to receive communion at the Lord's table in this place. -

St. John's is currently serving communion in both kinds. Please be reassured that communion is fully received through receiving the host alone. Due to public health guidelines we are not practicing intinction (dipping the host in the chalice). If you would like to receive communion in both kinds, you are invited to drink directly from the chalice.

Communion Hymn 343, "Shepherd of souls, refresh and bless"

St. Agnes

The Postcommunion Prayer (*standing*)

BCP p 366

Celebrant: Let us pray.

All: Almighty and everliving 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.*

Blessing

Hymn 677, "God moves in a mysterious way"

London New

The Dismissal

Leader: Let us go forth in the name of the risen Christ.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

Risoluto

Robert Jones (b. 1945)



PARTICIPANTS IN THIS MORNING'S SERVICE

Participants in this morning's service:

Presider: Rev. Todd Miller
Eucharistic Minister: Kate Reeder
Lector: Tom Wood
Usher: Tom Wood
Music Director: Jeffrey Mills
Altar Guild: Cleo Messinger
IT Master: Robert Main
Wardens: Rhys Bowen and Tim Strayer
VP of the Day: Eric Messinger
Collections: Tom Wood

Participants in next Sunday's service:

Presider: Rev. Todd Miller
Eucharistic Minister: Betsy Blagdon
Lector: Libby Seaman
Usher: Rhys Bowen
Music Director: Jeffrey Mills
Altar Guild: Libby Seaman
IT Master: Alastair Battson
Wardens: Rhys Bowen and Tim Strayer
VP of the Day: Sarah Moravick
Collections: Rhys Bowen

Today's Woman in Music

The composer of today's prelude, **Betty Roe** (b. 1930), is a prolific English composer, singer, vocal coach, and conductor, who was made a Member of the British Empire at the New Year's Honours, 2011. Her works include over 300 songs, keyboard music, musicals, operas, and choral music. She served as Director of the London Academy of Music and Dramatic Art and founded a music publishing house with her husband. Her *Christus Victor* (1964) was described by Alan Ridout as "the next Stainer's 'Crucifixion.'" Her sense of whimsy is often shown in her choice of text or title. The prelude's title, "Wenceslas" spelled backward, is an apt example.



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