# THE HOLY EUCHARIST THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST:

**PROPER 7A** 

June 25, 2023 • 9:00 AM



SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT & WELCOME

Saint Mark's Cathedral acknowledges that we gather on the traditional land of the first people of Seattle, the Duwamish People, who are still here, and we honor with gratitude the land itself and the life of all the Coast Salish tribes.

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Welcome to Saint Mark's Cathedral. Wherever you are on your spiritual journey, you are welcome here! We invite you to complete a newcomer form, visit <u>saintmarks.org/</u><u>newcomers</u> or connect with one of the clergy.

# QUESTIONS?

Please ask. Ushers (wearing the purple welcome lanyards) can answer your questions or concerns, or provide a hearing assist device. All-gender restrooms are available in the northwest stairwell and on the 5th floor of Cathedral House, accessible by elevator or southwest stairwell.

A brief organ voluntary offered a few minutes before the hour bids all to keep silence for prayer and preparation.

**PRELUDE** Movement 2 from Organ Sonata No. 2

Paul Hindemith (1895–1963)

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# THE ENTRANCE RITE

All stand, as able.

**HYMN 537** Christ for the world we sing (stanzas 1, 3, & 4) • The Hymnal 1982

TUNE: Moscow

#### **OPENING ACCLAMATION**

Enriching Our Worship 1, p. 50

*Presider* Blessed be the one, holy, and living God. *Assembly* Glory to God for ever and ever.

## **COLLECT FOR PURITY**

*Presider* 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.

All Amen.



# COLLECT OF THE DAY Proper 7

The Book of Common Prayer, p. 230

PresiderGod be with you.AssemblyAnd also with you.PresiderLet us pray.

OLORD, 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 loving-kindness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All Amen.

# THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

# **READING** Jeremiah 20:7-13

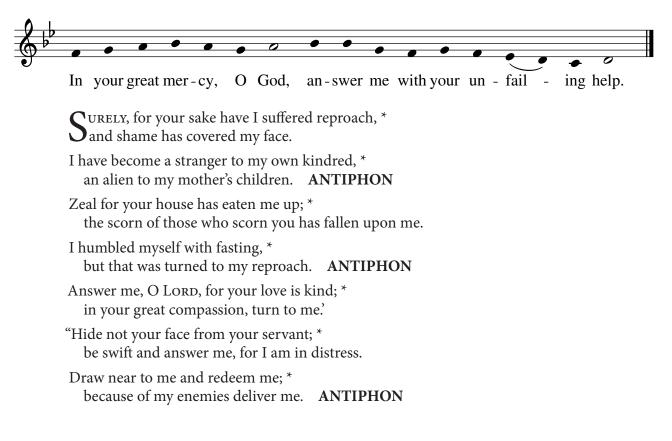
OLORD, you have enticed me, and I was enticed; you have overpowered me, and you have prevailed. I have become a laughingstock all day long; everyone mocks me. For whenever I speak, I must cry out, I must shout, "Violence and destruction!" For the word of the LORD has become for me a reproach and derision all day long. If I say, "I will not mention him, or speak any more in his name," then within me there is something like a burning fire shut up in my bones; I am weary with holding it in, and I cannot. For I hear many whispering: "Terror is all around! Denounce him! Let us denounce him!" All my close friends are watching for me to stumble. "Perhaps he can be enticed, and we can prevail against him, and take our revenge on him." But the LORD is with me like a dread warrior; therefore my persecutors will stumble, and they will not prevail. They will be greatly shamed, for they will not succeed. Their eternal dishonor will never be forgotten. O LORD of hosts, you test the righteous, you see the heart and the mind; let me see your retribution upon them, for to you I have committed my cause. Sing to the Lord; praise the LORD! For he has delivered the life of the needy from the hands of evildoers.

*Reader* Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people. *Assembly* Thanks be to God.

# **PSALM** *Psalm* 69:8-11, 18-20 • *Salvum me fac*

Plainsong, Tone III.4

*The Cantor introduces the Antiphon, all repeating it. The Cantor chants the verses, all repeating the Antiphon as indicated.* 



#### **READING** Romans 6:1b-11

Should we continue in sin in order that grace may abound? By no means! How can we who died to sin go on living in it? Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? Therefore we have been buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life.

For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. We know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be destroyed, and we might no longer be enslaved to sin. For whoever has died is freed from sin. But if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. The death he died, he died to sin, once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God. So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

*Reader* Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

Assembly Thanks be to God.

# **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

The cantor introduces the Alleluias, all repeat them. The cantor chants the verse and all repeat the Alleluias.



*Verse:* Everyone therefore who acknowledges me before others, I also will acknowledge before my Father in heaven.

# **THE HOLY GOSPEL** *Matthew* 10:24-39

*Deacon* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

# Assembly Glory to you, Lord Christ.

JESUS said to the twelve disciples, "A disciple is not above the teacher, nor a slave above the master; it is enough for the disciple to be like the teacher, and the slave like the master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebul, how much more will they malign those of his household!

"So have no fear of them; for nothing is covered up that will not be uncovered, and nothing secret that will not become known. What I say to you in the dark, tell in the light; and what you hear whispered, proclaim from the housetops. Do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell. Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground apart from your Father. And even the hairs of your head are all counted. So do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows.

"Everyone therefore who acknowledges me before others, I also will acknowledge before my Father in heaven; but whoever denies me before others, I also will deny before my Father in heaven.

"Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth; I have not come to bring peace, but a sword.

For I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law; and one's foes will be members of one's own household.

Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it."

*Deacon* The Gospel of the Lord. *Assembly* **Praise to you, Lord Christ.** 

## HOMILY

The Very Reverend Steven L. Thomason

Following the homily, the assembly is invited into a period of silence, reflecting on the scriptures and sermon. Please stand, as able, when the Presider stands as the liturgy continues.

#### 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, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in

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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, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped 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.

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

After each petition:IntercessorGracious God,Assemblyhear our heartfelt prayers.

The Presider concludes the prayers with a collect. All respond: Amen.

#### **CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION**

Deacon Let us confess our sins to God.

You are invited to stand or kneel for the confession.

Deacon God of all mercy,

All we confess that we have sinned against you, opposing your will in our lives. We have denied your goodness in each other, in ourselves, and in the world you have created. We repent of the evil that enslaves us, the evil we have done, and the evil done on our behalf. Forgive, restore, and strengthen us through our Savior Jesus Christ, that we may abide in your love and serve only your will. Amen.

The Presider pronounces God's forgiveness of our sins. All respond: Amen.

#### THE PEACE

*Presider* The peace of Christ be always with you. *Assembly* And also with you.

All greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Enriching Our Worship 1, p. 56

# THE LITURGY OF THE TABLE

# OFFERTORY

An offering of money is received. Everyone participating in Saint Mark's Cathedral's worship at this time in any way is invited to make an offering as an expression of gratitude for God's generosity. Together, our gifts make possible this community of welcome, reconciliation and service. All worshipping in person are invited to place their offering in baskets as they are passed through through the rows.

*Links to donate to Saint Mark's online are located on the livestream page. Visit <u>saintmarks.org/give</u>, or use the Venmo mobile app (@SaintMarksCathedralSeattle, or scan the code at right), or visit this link on your mobile device: <u>https://venmo.com/saintmarkscathedralseattle</u>. If Venmo asks you for a four-digit code, enter 2076.* 

You may also mail your gift to the cathedral: 1245 10th Ave. E, Seattle, WA 98102.



Enriching Our Worship 1, p. 60

# **VOLUNTARY** Organ improvisation

All stand, as able.

# **THE GREAT THANKSGIVING** Eucharistic Prayer 2

PresiderGod be with you.AssemblyAnd also with you.

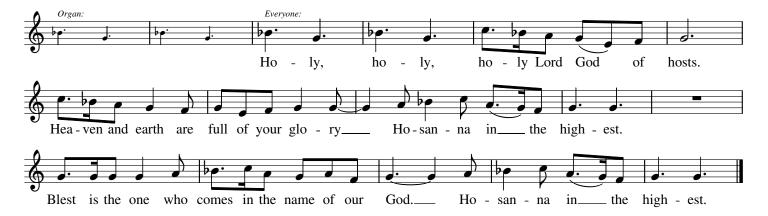
Presider Lift up your hearts.

- Assembly We lift them to the Lord.
- *Presider* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- Assembly It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Presider We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant.
From before time you made ready the creation.
Your Spirit moved over the deep and brought all things into being: sun, moon, and stars; earth, winds, and waters; and every living thing.
You made us in your image, and taught us to walk in your ways.
But we rebelled against you, and wandered far away; and yet, as a mother cares for her children, you would not forget us.
Time and again you called us to live in the fullness of your love.

And so this day we join with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we sing:

#### **SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS** Simple Missa Brevis



Presider Glory and honor and praise to you, holy and living God. To deliver us from the power of sin and death and to reveal the riches of your grace, you looked with favor upon Mary, your willing servant, that she might conceive and bear a son, Jesus the holy child of God. Living among us, Jesus loved us. He broke bread with outcasts and sinners, healed the sick, and proclaimed good news to the poor. He yearned to draw all the world to himself yet we were heedless of his call to walk in love. Then, the time came for him to complete upon the cross the sacrifice of his life, and to be glorified by you. On the night before he died for us, Jesus was at table with his friends. He took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it, and gave it to them, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine. Again, he gave thanks to you, gave it to them, and said: "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all

for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it,

do this for the remembrance of me."

Now gathered at your table, O God of all creation, and remembering Christ, crucified and risen, who was and is and is to come, we offer to you our gifts of bread and wine, and ourselves, a living sacrifice. Pour out your Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ. Breathe your Spirit over the whole earth and make us your new creation, the Body of Christ given for the world you have made. In the fullness of time bring us, with Mary, Mark, and all your saints, from every tribe and language and people and nation, to feast at the banquet prepared from the foundation of the world.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever.

# All AMEN.

# THE LORD'S PRAYER

All Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen. In silence, the Presider breaks the consecrated bread.

# THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Mode 6 melody; adapt. Mason Martens (b. 1933)

*The cantor introduces the Antiphon, all repeat it. The cantor chants the verses, all repeat the Antiphon as indicated.* 



Verse: The bread which we break, alleluia, is the communion of the body of Christ. ANTIPHON

Verse: One body are we, alleluia, for though many we share one bread. ANTIPHON

# INVITATION TO COMMUNION

*Presider* The Gifts of God for the People of God.

All may be seated for the time of Communion. All seeking God are welcome at Christ's Table.

Please follow the directions of the Liturgical Ministers. Bread and wine are distributed at standing stations at the head of three aisles. The bread will placed into your outstretched palm. If you prefer a gluten-free wafer, simply ask for one at the time of Communion. If you wish to receive a blessing instead, please cross your arms in front of your chest.

Intinction (dipping the bread in the wine) is not available at this time. If you do not wish to drink from the common cup, please cross your arms in front of your chest as you pass by the chalice. The full grace of the sacrament is received with only the bread.

**VOLUNTARY** Organ improvisation

**HYMN 679** Surely it is God who saves me • The Hymnal 1982

TUNE: Thomas Merton

*After singing the hymn, the assembly is invited to remain seated for a period of silence, contemplating the gifts of God given and received.* 

# All stand, as able.

# SENDING OF EUCHARISTIC VISITORS

*Presider* One body are we.

Assembly For, though many, we share one bread and one cup.

Deacon Go in peace, bearing holy gifts for holy people.

## **POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER**

Enriching Our Worship 1, p. 69

Presider	God of abundance,
All	you have fed us
	with the bread of life and cup of salvation;
	you have united us
	with Christ and one another;
	and you have made us one
	with all your people in heaven and on earth.
	Now send us forth
	in the power of your Spirit,
	that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world
	and continue for ever
	in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.
BLESSING	The Presider asks God's blessing on the assembly. All respond: Amen.
HYMN 530	Spread, O spread, thou mighty word (sts. 1, 4-5)      The Hymnal 1982     TUNE: Gott sei Dank
DISMISSAL	
Deacon	Let us go forth in the name of Christ.
	Thanks be to God

Assembly Thanks be to God.

**VOLUNTARY** Movement 1 from Organ Sonata No. 2

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# MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY

The Rev. Linzi Stahlecker - Presider The Very Rev. Steven L. Thomason - Preacher
The Rev. Cn. Jennifer King Daugherty - Assisting Priest
Judy Andrews - Assisting Lay Minister
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