



ST. PAUL'S ON THE HILL
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DAY OF PENTECOST
31 MAY 2020 MORNING PRAYER 9:30 AM

OPENING SENTENCE BCP 77

Priest Alleluia! Christ is risen.

People The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!

THE INVITATORY AND PSALTER BCP 80

Priest Lord, open our lips.

People And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

Priest and 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 forever. Amen. Alleluia

Priest Alleluia. The Spirit of the Lord renews the face of the earth:

People Come, let us adore him. Alleluia.

✠ *The following prayer is said in unison.*

Christ Our Passover (*Pascha nostrum*)

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Alleluia.

**Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us; *
therefore let us keep the feast,**

**Not with old leaven, the leaven of malice and evil, *
but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.**

Alleluia.

**Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; *
death no longer has dominion over him.**

**The death that he died, he died to sin, once for all; *
but the life he lives, he lives to God.**

**So also consider yourselves dead to sin, *
and alive to God in Jesus Christ our Lord. Alleluia.**

**Christ has been raised from the dead, *
the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep.**

**For since by a man came death, *
by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead.**

**For as in Adam all die, *
so in Christ shall all be made alive. Alleluia.**

THE LESSON

Acts 2:1-21

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs in our own

languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power.” All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, “What does this mean?” But others sneered and said, “They are filled with new wine.” But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, “Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o’clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: ‘In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your men shall dream dreams. Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.’ ”

Priest The word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

✠ *The following prayer is said in unison.*

PSALM 104: 25-35, 37

O LORD, how manifold are your works! * **in wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.**

26 Yonder is the great and wide sea with its living things too many to number, * **creatures both small and great.**

27 There move the ships, and there is that Leviathan, * **which you have made for the sport of it.**

28 All of them look to you * **to give them their food in due season.**

29 You give it to them; they gather it; * **you open your hand, and they are filled with good things.**

30 You hide your face, and they are terrified; * **you take away their breath, and they die and return to their dust.**

31 You send forth your Spirit, and they are created; * **and so you renew the face of the earth.**

32 May the glory of the LORD endure for ever; * **may the LORD rejoice in all his works.**

33 He looks at the earth and it trembles; * **he touches the mountains and they smoke.**

34 I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; * **I will praise my God while I have my being.**

35 May these words of mine please him; * **I will rejoice in the LORD.**

37 Bless the LORD, O my soul. * **Hallelujah!**

✠ *The following canticle is said responsively by half verse.*

Canticle 13: A Song of Praise

Benedictus es, Domine

Glory to you, LORD GOD of our fathers; * **you are worthy of praise; glory to you.**

Glory to you for the radiance of your holy Name; * **we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.**

Glory to you in the splendor of your temple; * **on the throne of your majesty, glory to you.**

Glory to you, seated between the Cherubim; * **we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.**

Glory to you, beholding the depths; * **in the high vault of heaven, glory to you.**

Glory to you, Father, Son and Holy Spirit; * **we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.**

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

GOSPEL READING

John 7:37-39

On the last day of the festival, the great day, while Jesus was standing there, he cried out, "Let anyone who is thirsty come to me, and let the one who believes in me drink. As the scripture has said, 'Out of the believer's heart shall flow rivers of living water.'" Now he said this about the Spirit, which believers in him were to receive; for as yet there was no Spirit, because Jesus was not yet glorified.

Priest The word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

SERMON

The Rev. Cooper Conway

THE RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL VOWS

Priest: Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil and renew your commitment to Jesus Christ?

People: I do

Priest: Do you believe in God the Father?

People: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Priest: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People: 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.

Priest: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People: 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.

Priest: Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and the prayers?

People: I will, with God's help.

Priest: Will you persevere in resisting evil, and whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People: I will, with God's help.

Priest: Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

People: I will, with God's help.

Priest: Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People: I will, with God's help.

Priest: Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

People: I will, with God's help.

THE PRAYERS

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Priest The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Priest Let us pray.

The Lord's Prayer

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.

SUFFRAGES: SET A

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Priest Show us your mercy; O Lord;

People And grant us your salvation.

Priest Clothe your ministers with righteousness;

People Let your people sing with joy.

Priest Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;

People For only in you can we live in safety.

Priest Lord, keep this nation under your care;

People And guide us in the way of justice and truth.

Priest Let your way be known upon earth;

People Your saving health among all nations.

Priest Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;

People Nor the hope of the poor be taken away

Priest Create in us clean hearts, O God;

People And sustain us with your Holy Spirit

Priest Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit give them courage and hope in their troubles and bring them the joy of your salvation.

Lord in your mercy

People: Hear our prayer.

Priest We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

Lord, in your mercy

People Hear our prayer.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

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O God, who on this day taught the hearts of your faithful people by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit: Grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgment in all things, and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

THE PEACE

COLLECT FOR GUIDANCE

Heavenly Father, in you we live and move and have our being: We humbly pray you to guide and govern us by your Holy Spirit, that in all the cares and occupations of our life we may not forget you, but may remember that we are ever walking in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

BLESSING

THE DISMISSAL

UPCOMING SERVICE SCHEDULE

Evening Gatherings are presented by our clergy each night
by 7:00 PM on our Facebook Pages and Trinity's website

June 7	10:00 AM	Trinity Sunday
June 14	9:30 AM	Proper 6
June 21	10:00 AM	Proper 7
June 28	9:30 AM	Proper 8