



C H R I S T C H U R C H
- P I T T S F O R D -

THE TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

WELCOME! We are delighted to have you worship with us today. If you are a visitor, we hope you leave as a friend; please complete a “welcome card” found in the pew racks. Please join us at the altar rail for Communion. You may request gluten free wafers from the clergy. We hope you will return!

-  To use our hearing loop, activate the telecoil on your hearing aid/cochlear implant. Adjust the volume as needed.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14, 2022
NINE O’CLOCK IN THE MORNING

THIS WEEK AT CHRIST CHURCH

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14

9.00 am

Worship service with Holy Communion (Rite II)
Lemonade on the Lawn

10.00 am

MONDAY, AUGUST 15

11.30 am

Stretch and Strengthen class

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17

10.00 am

Worship service

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14

9.00 am

Worship service with Holy Communion (Rite II)
Lemonade on the Lawn

10.00 am

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS AT TODAY'S SERVICE

LECTORS

Janice Volpe, Shirley Shaw

USHERS

Jack McArthur, John Dudley

We welcome The Rev. Julie Cicora to Christ Church this morning.

Ron will be on vacation August 9 through August 23.

Cindy will be on vacation August 10 through August 17.

Emily, Liz, David, and Mary will cover the phones and e-mails.

THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR ARE GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD

AND IN LOVING MEMORY OF GEORGE BERLET III

BY HIS WIFE, JESSICA

AND IN LOVING MEMORY OF PETER JOHN DEBRAAL

BY HIS FAMILY

HYMN 574 Before thy throne, O God, we kneel

ST. PETERSBURG

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

People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. 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.**

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.**

All sit

THE FIRST LESSON

JEREMIAH 23:23-29

Read by Janice Volpe

AM I A GOD NEAR BY, says the LORD, and not a God far off? Who can hide in secret places so that I cannot see them? says the LORD. Do I not fill heaven and earth? says the LORD. I have heard what the prophets have said who prophesy lies in my name, saying, "I have dreamed, I have dreamed!" How long? Will the hearts of the prophets ever turn back—those who prophesy lies, and who prophesy the deceit of their own heart? They plan to make my people forget my name by their dreams that they tell one another, just as their ancestors forgot my name for Baal. Let the prophet who has a dream tell the dream, but let the one who has my word speak my word faithfully. What has straw in common with wheat? says the LORD. Is not my word like fire, says the LORD, and like a hammer that breaks a rock in pieces?

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 82

DEUS STETIT

Read responsively

GOD TAKES HIS STAND in the council of heaven; *
he gives judgment in the midst of the gods:

“How long will you judge unjustly, *
and show favor to the wicked?

Save the weak and the orphan; *
defend the humble and needy;

Rescue the weak and the poor; *
deliver them from the power of the wicked.

They do not know, neither do they understand; they go about in darkness; *
all the foundations of the earth are shaken.

Now I say to you, ‘You are gods, *
and all of you children of the Most High;

Nevertheless, you shall die like mortals, *
and fall like any prince.’”

Arise, O God, and rule the earth, *
for you shall take all nations for your own.

All stand

HYMN 555 Lead on, O King eternal

LANCASHIRE

THE GOSPEL

LUKE 12:49-56

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

JESUS SAID, “I came to bring fire to the earth, and how I wish it were already kindled! I have a baptism with which to be baptized, and what stress I am under until it is completed! Do you think that I have come to bring peace to the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division! From now on five in one household will be divided, three against two and two against three; they will be divided:

father against son
and son against father,
mother against daughter
and daughter against mother,
mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law
and daughter-in-law against mother-in-law.”

He also said to the crowds, “When you see a cloud rising in the west, you immediately say, ‘It is going to rain’; and so it happens. And when you see the south wind blowing, you say, ‘There will be scorching heat’; and it happens. You hypocrites! You know how to interpret the appearance of earth and sky, but why do you not know how to interpret the present time?”

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

All sit

SERMON

The Rev. Julie Cicora

THE NICENE CREED

All stand as able

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.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Read by Shirley Shaw

United in Christ and guided by the Spirit, we pray for the church, the world, and all in need. With all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord, saying, “Lord, have mercy.”

For the peace of the world, for the welfare of the holy Church of God, and for the unity of all peoples, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For our Bishop, and for all the clergy and people, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For our President, for the leaders of the nations, and for all in authority, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For seasonable weather, and for an abundance of the fruits of the earth, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the good earth which God has given us, and for the wisdom and will to conserve it, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the sick and the suffering, the homeless, those whose live with violence around them, and those who despair, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the poor and the oppressed, for the unemployed and the destitute, for prisoners and captives, and for all who remember and care for them, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For all who have died in the hope of the resurrection, and for all the departed, especially George Berlet III and Peter John DeBraal, in whose memory the altar flowers are given, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

Defend us, deliver us, and in thy compassion protect us, O Lord, by your grace.

Lord, have mercy.

Celebrant

Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth: Mercifully accept the prayers of your people, and strengthen us to do your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE GENERAL 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.**

Celebrant

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.**

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

All sit

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY: HYMN 380 V. 3

All stand as able

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.

THOMAS KEN 1637-1711

PSEAUMES OCTANTE TROIS DE DAVID 1551, alt.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

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.**

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:

S. 125 SANCTUS AND BENEDICTUS

Richard PROULX 1937-2010

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY LORD, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, 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, according to his command, O Father,

We remember his death,

We proclaim his resurrection,

We await his coming in glory;

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

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.**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

**O UR 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

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.

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

*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.*

HYMN 309 O Food to pilgrims given

O WELT, ICH MUSS DICH LASSEN

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

All stand as able

Celebrant Let us pray.

ETERNAL GOD, heavenly Father,
you have graciously accepted us
as living members
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,
and you have fed us with spiritual food
in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.
Send us now into the world in peace,
and grant us strength and courage
to love and serve you
with gladness and singleness of heart;
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

May we be generous and considerate, not thinking only about ourselves, but helping others enjoy the blessings of summertime. Lord God, Creator of all things, guide our steps and strengthen our hearts, during these months of summer and vacation days. Grant us refreshment of mind and body; and the blessing of God almighty, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, come down upon you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

*Celebrant Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia. Alleluia.
People Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia.*

HYMN 539 O Zion, haste

TIDINGS

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

The bulletins for August 14 and 21 were printed in advance because of staff vacations.

The Thursday Mailchimp will have the most current information.

The Saturday afternoon Mailchimp will contain the most current prayer list.

SAVE THE DATE: CELEBRATION SUNDAY

SEPTEMBER 25

Please join us for a picnic, including the Magic Guy and a dunk tank as we look forward to the new program year. Included in the 2022 fall program listings are three series of Christ Church Reads the Bible, Family Bingo Night, a Clue night, a special musical program, and of course, Sunday School, Youth Group, Women's Book Club, the Non-Fiction Book Club, Stretch and Strengthen, Caregivers' Luncheon, Altar Guild Luncheon and Ushers' Dinner.

PICK-UP CHOIR

SUNDAY, AUGUST 21

We will meet in church at 8.20 am and learn a simple anthem for the 9.00 am service. Robing is not required. Everyone is welcome, and all are encouraged to bring a friend!

SUNDAY SCHOOL IS COMING SOON!

Join us on September 11 for the Blessing of the Backpacks at the 10:00 service. We will hold workshops for Pre-K through 5th grade on September 11 and 18 at 10:00. Middle and high school youth can help or attend church. On September 25, we will kick off the Sunday School year in grand style on Celebration Sunday. We can't wait to see all of our friends this fall! Registration forms are available on our website.

STRETCH AND STRENGTHEN SUMMER SCHEDULE

MONDAYS, 11.30 am

Please join us for our healthful "Stretch and Strengthen" class in the Fellowship Room. Beginners and all levels are welcome. Certified instructor, Lauren Lorentz, will lead the class. The cost is \$10.00 per person per class; masks are optional. For more information please call the church office, 585-586-1226.

There will be no classes August 22, 29 or September 5.

Classes resume September 12.

BACK-TO-SCHOOL SUPPLY AND UNIFORM DRIVE

The annual school supply drive is on again with two options: we buy or you buy.

Supplies will help students at Cameron and RCSD School #9. Items collected by August 21 will be distributed at school orientation days. Later delivery will be distributed through the parent liaisons.

WE BUY OPTION

1. Send your check to the church office with Outreach School Supplies in the memo.
2. Use the give online option on the church website and choose Outreach School Supplies as the fund.

We will pool these funds to shop for the needed supplies.

YOU BUY OPTION

Pick up some of the items on the list below and deliver to the church collection baskets inside the Locust Street door or on Sundays in the Narthex. Many stores have these supplies on sale now.

SUPPLIES:

Backpacks	Tissues
Highlighters	Composition books
Pencils—Ticonderoga brand preferred	Scotch tape
Pencil sharpeners	Spiral notebooks
Colored markers and pencils	Hand sanitizer
Scissors	Three-ring binders
Crayons, 24 pack—Crayola preferred	Index cards
Erasers—wide pink	Loose-leaf paper (wide lined) and dividers
Pens	Dry-erase markers
Glue sticks—Elmer's	Headphones for tablet use
Rulers	

UNIFORMS: All sizes

Polo shirts: light blue, navy blue or white

Pants: navy or khaki

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Sam Myers, hospitalized;

Alice Otruba, mother of John Otruba, died;

Dick and Mimsy Harder, friends of Bill and Ruth Mets, entering palliative care;

Lisa Crocket, daughter of Carol Saffran, serious health issues;

William Jackman, brother of Carol Saffran, serious health issues;

Lee McKee, health concerns;

Pat Lee, mother of Suzanne Lee, health issues;

Barbara Belluardo, cousin of Wes Harris, recovering from a fall;

Mayumi Jutsum, wife of David Jutsum, health concerns;

Angelina Gentry, friend of Lisa Brown, health concerns;

Sue Thomas, friend of the Alessandria Family, serious health concerns;

Ella Dyson, friend of Elizabeth Tice, T-cell lymphoblastic lymphoma;

Amy, daughter-in-law of Tom and Carol Wright, serious health issues;

Alec Sutherland, serious health concerns;

The Rev. Dr. Sonia Waters, stage 4 colon cancer;

ONGOING:

Scott Ornt; Tom Blum; Karl Hendrickson; Frances; Bella O'Neil; Austin Kellogg; Barry Balonek; Janet Campbell; Trevor Smith; Olivia; Susan Finlay; Judi Bachelder; Tom Wright; Beth; Steve; George Tice; Wayne Denlinger; David Miller; Sarah McCurdy; Sarah Koopus; Anu Abhyankar; Dick Seils; Jean Snyder and family; Bill Yeneralo; Andrew Green; Joel Krenis; Gladys Wiedrich; Natalie McComb; Susan Watt; Tom Frank; Eleanor Guldbeck; Tony; Jeannie Young; Carol Bates; Chrystal Dudley; Abigail DeLorm; Sam Myers; Mike Scharf.

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