



ST. MARTIN'S CHURCH

To seek God, and be Christ's body in the world.

May 26, 2019

8:00 a.m. (Rite I) and 10:00 a.m. (Rite II)

The Sixth Sunday of Easter

8:00 AM—Rite I

THE WORD OF GOD

EASTER ACCLAMATION

The Collect for Purity

The Gloria

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

The Collect of the Day

O God, who hast prepared for those who love thee such good things as pass man's understanding: Pour into our hearts such love towards thee, that we, loving thee in all things and above all things, may obtain thy promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The Lessons - **TODAY'S READINGS** (see pages 2-3 for the full readings)

Acts 16:9-15 † Psalm 67 † Revelation 21:10, 22-22:5 † John 14:23-29

The Sermon

The Nicene Creed

The Prayers of the People (see page 4)

Confession

Absolution

The Peace

Announcements

THE LITURGY OF THE TABLE (Eucharistic Prayer II)

The Presentation:

All things come from Thee O Lord and of thine own have we given thee. (1 Chronicles 29:14)

The Great Thanksgiving

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10:00 AM—Rite II

THE GATHERING

PRELUDE:

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

Douglas E. Wagner

OPENING HYMN: The 1982 Hymnal #705 *"As those of old their first fruits brought"*

Forest Green

THE WORD OF GOD

EASTER ACCLAMATION

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ is risen. People: The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

COLLECT FOR PURITY (said in unison)

Celebrant: Let us pray. 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.

GLORY TO GOD: The 1982 Hymnal #S-280 (*front section*)

Robert Powell

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant: The Lord be with you. *People: And also with you.*

Celebrant: Let us pray. O God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as surpass our understanding; Pour into our hearts such love towards you, that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; 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.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING: Acts 16:9-15

During the night Paul had a vision: there stood a man of Macedonia pleading with him and saying, "Come over to Macedonia and help us." When he had seen the vision, we immediately tried to cross over to Macedonia, being convinced that God had called us to proclaim the good news to them. We set sail from Troas and took a straight course to Samothrace, the following day to Neapolis, and from there to Philippi, which is a leading city of the district of Macedonia and a Roman colony. We remained in this city for some days. On the sabbath day we went outside the gate by the river, where we supposed there was a place of prayer; and we sat down and spoke to the women who had gathered there. A certain woman named Lydia, a worshiper of God, was listening to us; she was from the city of Thyatira and a dealer in purple cloth. The Lord opened her heart to listen eagerly to what was said by Paul. When she and her household were baptized, she urged us, saying, "If you have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come and stay at my home." And she prevailed upon us.

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

People: Thanks be to God.

THE RESPONSE: Psalm 67

(The congregation will alternate verses with the reader)

1 May God be merciful to us and bless us, show us the light of his countenance and come to us.

2 Let your ways be known upon earth, your saving health among all nations.

3 Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you.

4 Let the nations be glad and sing for joy, for you judge the peoples with equity and guide all the nations upon earth.

5 Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you.

6 The earth has brought forth her increase; may God, our own God, give us his blessing.

7 May God give us his blessing, and may all the ends of the earth stand in awe of him.

SECOND READING: Revelation 21:10, 22-22:5

In the spirit the angel carried me away to a great, high mountain and showed me the holy city Jerusalem coming down out of heaven from God. I saw no temple in the city, for its temple is the Lord God the Almighty and the Lamb. And the city has no need of sun or moon to shine on it, for the glory of God is its light, and its lamp is the Lamb. The nations will walk by its light, and the kings of the earth will bring their glory into it. Its gates will never be shut by day-- and there will be no night there. People will bring into it the glory and the honor of the nations. But nothing unclean will enter it, nor anyone who practices abomination or falsehood, but only those who are written in the Lamb's book of life. Then the angel showed me the river of the water of life, bright as crystal, flowing from the throne of God and of the Lamb through the middle of the street of the city. On either side of the river is the tree of life with its twelve kinds of fruit, producing its fruit each month; and the leaves of the tree are for the healing of the nations. Nothing accursed will be found there any more. But the throne of God and of the Lamb will be in it, and his servants will worship him; they will see his face, and his name will be on their

foreheads. And there will be no more night; they need no light of lamp or sun, for the Lord God will be their light, and they will reign forever and ever.

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

Please stand.

SEQUENCE HYMN: The 1982 Hymnal #512 (vs 1-2) *"Come, gracious Spirit, heavenly Dove" Mendon*

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

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

GOSPEL: John 14:23-29

Jesus said to Judas (not Iscariot), "Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them. Whoever does not love me does not keep my words; and the word that you hear is not mine, but is from the Father who sent me. "I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid. You heard me say to you, 'I am going away, and I am coming to you.' If you loved me, you would rejoice that I am going to the Father, because the Father is greater than I. And now I have told you this before it occurs, so that when it does occur, you may believe."

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

REPRISE HYMN: The 1982 Hymnal #512 (vs 3-4) *"Come, gracious Spirit, heavenly Dove" Mendon*

Please be seated.

SERMON

The Rev. Chris Bishop

THE NICENE CREED *(said in unison)*

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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.

Please stand or kneel.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Form IV, BCP page 388

Reader: Let us pray for the Church and for the world. Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world. (Silence) Lord, in your mercy

People: Hear our prayer.

Reader: Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good. (Silence) Lord, in your mercy

People: Hear our prayer.

Reader: Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the

service of others and to your honor and glory. (Silence) Lord, in your mercy

People: Hear our prayer.

Reader: Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us. (Silence) Lord, in your mercy

People: Hear our prayer.

Reader: 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. We especially pray for Kay, Julie, Dolly, Renee, Rita, Shirley, Mike, Kendall, Barbara, Bob, Lee, Afton, Alice, Mark, Eugene, Grant, Tana, Justin, Lisa, Emily, and Martha. (Silence) Lord, in your mercy

People: Hear our prayer.

Reader: 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. (Silence) Lord, in your mercy

People: Hear our prayer.

Reader: Gracious God, bless the growing covenant relationship between St. Martin's and Christ Church. Deepen the ties that bind us and open our hearts to what you yearn for us. Please guide the work of our Profile Committee as they discern our strengths and needs to craft a powerful call for our shared Rector. Empower us in love as we grow our mission together so we can move forward into a future that is exciting and full of hope, always depending on your grace. Lord, in your mercy

People: Hear our prayer.

Reader: In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for the Standing Committee. In the Diocese of Guatemala, we pray for Iglesia Episcopal Santa Maria La Virgen (Church of the Virgin St. Mary), Escuintla. In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for all members of the Anglican Communion around the world; for the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Most Rev. Justin Welby, and all primates and bishops; for members of the Anglican Consultative Council; for the Secretary General, The Most Rev. Dr. Josiah Idowu-Fearon; for the staff at the Anglican Communion Office in London and the UN offices in Geneva and New York. (Silence) Lord, in your mercy

People: Hear our prayer.

Celebrant: O Lord our God, accept the fervent prayers of your people; in the multitude of your mercies, look with compassion upon us and all who turn to you for help; for you are gracious, O lover of souls, and to you we give glory, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

INVITATION TO CONFESSION

Celebrant: Let us now confess our sins before God and one another, beginning with a moment of silent reflection.

CONFESSION *(said by all)*

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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

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. **People: Amen.**

THE PEACE

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE LITURGY OF THE TABLE

OFFERTORY MUSIC: *"There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit in this Place"*

PRESENTATION HYMN:

The 1982 Hymnal #380 (vs 3) *"Praise God from Whom all blessings flow" Old 100th*

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer A, BCP page 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. But chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won for us everlasting life. 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: The 1982 Hymnal #S-130 (front section) *"Holy, holy, holy" Deutsche Messe, arr. Richard Proulx*
Those who are able, please stand or kneel.

Celebrant: 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:

Celebrant and People: **Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

Celebrant: 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.**

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

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!**

FRACTION ANTHEM:

The 1982 Hymnal 1982 #S-164 *"Jesus, Lamb of God: Agnus Dei" Deutsche Messe, arr. Richard Proulx*

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.

THE COMMUNION

All those who hunger for God are welcome to come forward for the bread and the wine, or a blessing.

COMMUNION MUSIC: *“Voluntary on a Theme by Holst”* Anthony Giamanco

POST COMMUNION PRAYER *(said by all)*

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

Celebrant: Lord Jesus, live out in us, in all that we are and have yet to become, the full mystery of your death and resurrection. Help us to yield all by showing us and teaching us to welcome all. Especially the guests waiting outside our door, longing for your touch, and healing. Stretch and transform us by the power of your love, that we may find our selves and see our selves in you. And may the peace that passes all understanding, the love and joy of Almighty God, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be with you now and remain with you, always. *Amen.*

RECESSIONAL HYMN: The 1982 Hymnal #405 *“All things bright and beautiful”* Royal Oak

DISMISSAL

Celebrant: Alleluia, alleluia! Let us go forth in the power of the Spirit to love and serve the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God! Alleluia, alleluia!

POSTLUDE: *“Madrigal”* Anthony Giamanco

WELCOME—Thank you for worshipping with us today!—**WELCOME**

Please be sure to fill out our welcome card in the pew, put it in the collection plate, and introduce yourself to Chris, our Rector, or any member of the congregation. We'd love to know you! Kindly sign our guest book and join us for coffee hour after the 10am service.

May God's love fill you as you begin a new week!

WE PRAY TODAY

For Michael, our Presiding Bishop; for Daniel our Bishop; for Chris our Rector; for Donald, our President; for Tom, our Governor and for all who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially Kay, Julie, Dolly, Renee, Rita, Shirley, Mike, Kendall, Barbara, Bob, Lee, Afton, Alice, Mark, Eugene, Grant, Tana, Justin, Lisa, Emily, and Martha.

WE GIVE THANKS

Best wishes to all those celebrating birthdays this month, especially *Josh Reilly, Emily Osgood, Nick Carper, Chuck Myers, and Dick Henderson.*

WE ACKNOWLEDGE

Altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of those who have died, especially those who have served our country to safeguard our freedom.



SPECIAL REQUEST: Please plan to attend either of next week's services on Recognition Sunday, June 2. The Rev. Bob Tate, transition consultant for the Diocese of Pennsylvania, will preach and lead a conversation on the evolving relationship with Christ Church, Ithan, and the upcoming search for a single Rector to lead both congregations. Your input to this process is very important. Join us!



We are half way to our goal of sponsoring 10 dancers from Highland Avenue! **The Little Divas** hope to purchase new uniforms this year which cost \$39.00 so let's help as many of them as we can. Donate alone or join together with friends - every amount is important. Another way to help is to come to a carwash fundraiser in the St. Martin's parking lot on Saturday June 15th from 11:00-1:30. The Little Divas and St. Martin's Youth will get your car sparkling clean - a perfect Father's Day gift! For more information, please contact Pam Faber.



The next **yoga class** will be on Tuesday, June 4th, at 6:30 PM in the Gurley Room. Enjoy this opportunity to indulge in some self-care. It's a great mind-body-soul experience! Join us to stretch and destress!



The next Upper Room gathering is on Wednesday, June 12th, at 6:00 PM upstairs at the Gryphon Café, 105 W. Lancaster Ave, Wayne. Discussions will relate to: *"Potential" is a very weird thing. It doesn't actually exist yet but many of us base our lives on it. What do think is your "potential"? How do you reach it?* Stop in on any 2nd or 4th Wednesday for some interesting conversation and fellowship.



Recognition Sunday will be next Sunday, June 2nd. Students, graduates, and teachers will be recognized during the 10:00 AM service for their efforts this year. Everyone is invited to show their support and share in their successes!



Plan on a special joint **Pentecost Celebration** with Christ Church, Ithan, on Sunday, June 9th, starting with an outdoor worship service on the grounds of St. Martin's (rain location: Ithan Hall). A picnic will follow the service and include food, drinks, games, and lots of fun and fellowship! Remember to wear red to symbolize the joy and fire of the Holy Spirit. Sandwiches and beverages will be available. CCI attendees are bringing desserts and we are responsible for side dishes.

Suggested items to bring: a side dish, lawn chairs or blankets, and friends!



Single Service Sundays will begin on Sunday, June 16th. There will be one service celebrated at 9:30 AM through the summer until September 15th when we return to two services.

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SMC CALENDAR

Sunday, May 26

Memorial Day Weekend

8:00am Holy Eucharist Rite I

9:00am Choir Rehearsal

9:30am Nursery

10:00am Holy Eucharist Rite II

Monday, May 27

Memorial Day - Office is closed.

Tuesday, May 28

9:30am Makin' Music

Wednesday, May 29

9:30am Makin' Music

12:15pm Holy Eucharist

7:00pm AA St. Martin's Church

7:00pm Bible Study @ CCI

Friday, May 31

9:30am Makin' Music

Saturday, June 1

9:30am Global Mission Meeting

Sunday, June 2

Recognition Sunday

The Rev. Bob Tate, Guest Preacher

8:00am Holy Eucharist Rite I

9:00am Choir Rehearsal

9:30am Sunday School and Nursery

10:00am Holy Eucharist Rite II



WE HONOR

The men and women who have died in the service of our country from St. Martin's community.

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| <u>WWI:</u> | Thomas B. Hallman | Thomas R. Reath | Lewis G. Smith |
| <u>WWII:</u> | Lewis C. Clark | David D. Conly | George L. J. Foster |
| | David M. Haughton | James D. Jacoby | George R. Howell, III |
| | Edgar D. Morris, Jr. | Peter VanPelt | John Warren |
| | Christine B. Weston | | |
| <u>VIETNAM:</u> | Thomas A. Nalle, Jr. | | |

SERVING TODAY

8:00am—
Usher: McLeod Gwynette
Reader/Chalice/Acolyte

10:00am—
Usher: Walt Albert
Reader/Chalice/Acolyte: Fran Pettit
Music: Emily Watkins and the SMC Choir
Altar Guild A: Chris Delaney, Nini Reinhardt
Bread Baker: Carlie Hutton
Altar Flowers: Cowan's Flowers
Coffee Hour Hosts: Jan & Bob Andersen

THIS WEEK AT BOLINGBROKE

- Monday, 5/27—** 10am: OEA Meeting
 8pm: Counterparts Singers
- Friday, 5/31—** 10am: Women's AA

We wish you all a safe and fun Memorial Day Weekend, where we remember and celebrate the bravery and sacrifice of all those who have faithfully served our country's defenses, particularly those who paid the ultimate price and laid down their lives for their friends.

"Let Hope be our guide, let Peace be our purpose."