St. Andrew's Episcopal Church Sunday, June 19, 2016 Hanover, MA The 5th Sunday After Pentecost

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

ORDER OF SERVICE

Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Lay Readers:

1st Reading: Gary Falcone 2nd Reading/Prayers: Jae Picard

Processional Hymn #450

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name! (v. 1-3)

Opening Sentences

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever.
Amen!

Collect of the Day

O Lord, 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. Amen.

Isaiah 65:1-9

A Reading from the Book of the Prophet Isaiah

I was ready to be sought out by those who did not ask, to be found by those who did not seek me. I said, "Here I am, here I am," to a nation that did not call on my name. I held out my hands all day long to a rebellious people, who walk in a way that is not good, following their own devices; a people who provoke me to my face continually, sacrificing in gardens and offering incense on bricks; who sit inside tombs, and spend the night in secret places; who eat swine's flesh, with broth of abominable things in their vessels; who say, "Keep to yourself, do not come near me, for I am too holy for you." These are a smoke in my nostrils, a fire that burns all day long. See, it is written before me: I will not keep silent, but I will repay; I will indeed repay into their laps their iniquities and their ancestors' iniquities together, says the Lord; because they offered incense on the mountains and reviled me on the hills, I will measure into their laps full payment for their actions. Thus says the Lord: As the wine is found in the cluster, and they say, "Do not destroy it, for there is a blessing in it," so I will do for my servants' sake, and not destroy them all. I will bring forth descendants from Jacob, and from Judah inheritors of my mountains; my chosen shall inherit it, and my servants shall settle there.

The word of the Lord. *Thanks be to God*.

Psalm 22:19-28

- 19 Save me from the sword, * my life from the power of the dog.
- 20 Save me from the lion's mouth, * my wretched body from the horns of wild bulls.
- 21 I will declare your Name to my brethren; * in the midst of the congregation I will praise you.

- 22 Praise the LORD, you that fear him; * stand in awe of him, O offspring of Israel; all you of Jacob's line, give glory.
- 23 For he does not despise nor abhor the poor in their poverty; neither does he hide his face from them; * but when they cry to him he hears them.
- 24 My praise is of him in the great assembly; * I will perform my vows in the presence of those who worship him.
- 25 The poor shall eat and be satisfied, and those who seek the LORD shall praise him: * "May your heart live for ever!"
- 26 All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the LORD, * and all the families of the nations shall bow before him.
- 27 For kingship belongs to the LORD; * he rules over the nations.
- 28 To him alone all who sleep in the earth bow down in worship; * all who go down to the dust fall before him.

Glory to the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

Galatians 3:23-29

A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the People of Galatia

Now before faith came, we were imprisoned and guarded under the law until faith would be revealed. Therefore, the law was our disciplinarian until Christ came, so that we might be justified by faith. But now that faith has come, we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian, for in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith. As many of you as were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise.

The word of the Lord. *Thanks be to God*.

Sequence Hymn #493

O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

Luke 8:26-39

A Reading from the Gospel According to Luke

Jesus and his disciples arrived at the country of the Gerasenes, which is opposite Galilee. As Jesus stepped out on land, a man of the city who had demons met him. For a long time, he had worn no clothes, and he did not live in a house but in the tombs. When he saw Jesus, he fell down before him and shouted at the top of his voice, "What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, do not torment me"—for Jesus had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many times it had seized him; he was kept under guard and bound with chains and shackles, but he would break the bonds and be driven by the demon into the wilds.) Jesus then asked him, "What is your name?" He said, "Legion"; for many demons had entered him. They begged him not to order them to go

back into the abyss. Now there on the hillside a large herd of swine was feeding; and the demons begged Jesus to let them enter these. So he gave them permission. Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned. When the swineherds saw what had happened, they ran off and told it in the city and in the country. Then people came out to see what had happened, and when they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind. And they were afraid. Those who had seen it told them how the one who had been possessed by demons had been healed. Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them; for they were seized with great fear. So he got into the boat and returned. The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with him; but Jesus sent him away, saying, "Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you." So he went away, proclaiming throughout the city how much Jesus had done for him.

Sermon

The Rev. Beth Wheatley Dyson

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: 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.

Prayers of the People, Form VI In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

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.

Remembering Debbie H., Michael F., Joan G., Jeanne E., Maddie M., Leah, Winston, Carole, Inez, Arlene, Joyce, Chip, Hanna, Ron, Leonard, Jean H., Jerry L., Ginny M., Karen C., Carroll G., Debbie B., Erin, Scott, Ken W., Ian, Gale P., Cindy B., Jennifer R., Phyllis C., Mary M., Donald H., The Benting Family, The Bayley Family, Rev. Shuma's brother and his two helpers;

We pray for all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble; For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

Remembering St. Paul's Church, Nantucket; St. Paul's Church, Natick; Christ Church, Needham; Church Periodical Club; Episcopal Marriage Encounter; Cursillo; PRAY for The Church of North India (United); The Most Revd Pradeep Samantaroy Moderator of CNI & Bishop of Amritsa.

We pray that all people and Bishops in the Anglican Communion will come together at God's table.

We pray for the peace and unity of the Church of God; For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

Celebrating Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Alan and Gayle, our Bishops; Beth, our Priest; Liz, our Deacon and our Vestry; we pray for all lay leaders, bishops, priests, deacons, and other ministers; and in our own faith community with pray for our Duct Tape Committee; For all who serve God and his Church.

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation. (You are welcome to add your own petitions at this time.)

Hear us Lord,

For your mercy is great.

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life, especially for Joshua Kent, Danielle Candido, Alicia McQuiggan, Edie Ridley, Joy Tucker, and Susannah Leslie who are celebrating birthdays this week. (You are welcome to offer your own thanksgivings at this time.)

We exalt you, O God, our King;

We praise your Name for ever and ever.

We pray for all who have died that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom; especially for Matt Benting and Marion Bayley. (You are welcome to add your own petitions for the deceased at this time.)

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them; Who put their trust in you.

We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Peace Announcements

Offertory

Anthem

God of Adam, God of Joseph (Words by F. Kann; Tune of STUTTGART)

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer D

BCP p. 372

The Holy Communion

All are welcome at the Lord's Table

Post Communion Prayer

BCP p. 836

Recessional Hymn #450

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name! (v. 4-6)

Blessing Dismissal

© Food Pantry Item: Soups & Stews ©

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHURCH SCHOOL COORDINATOR NEEDED: We are looking to have someone organize the teachers for Church School. We ask teachers for volunteer for a 6-week commitment. Please speak with Ama Beth if you are willing to be the Church School Coordinator.

TENDING THE GROUNDS: Nancy Huntley is in need of assistance in getting the Church grounds picked up and tended, and also help with watering during the summer. Please consider lending a hand to keep St. Andrew's looking welcoming and beautiful! Contact Nancy at (781) 293-9240 or via email at ladyg7@comcast.net to learn more about how you can

ROSIE'S DAY AT THE BEACH: JULY 14TH!

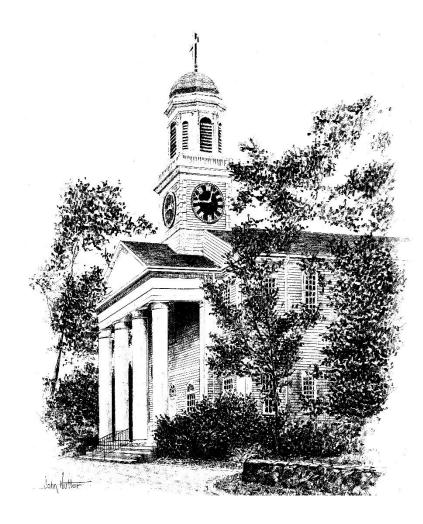
Signup sheets are now in the narthex to volunteer for Rosie's Day at the Beach! Remember, we need help the day before all the way to clean up after! There are many ways to help: Set up, Boutique, Kitchen, Cookout, Cleanup. There is also a signup sheet for food donations of salads, deviled eggs, desserts, etc.

If you have any questions, please contact Jody Wood at (781) 826-4006 or via email at jowo8@verizon.net

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