

ST AIDAN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

July 18, 2021 — 8:00 a.m.

Welcome to St Aidan's

Thank you for sharing your worship with us. We pray you will experience God's presence in our worship and hope you join us again. If this is your first time with us, relax and simply follow along with those around you. They will be happy to help you find your way in the worship service with our various books. Please fill out a guest information card located in the pew or pew basket, or sign the guest register on your way out. A few tips:

- **We all use Name Tags** to help us not only get to know our visitors more easily, and vice versa, but to refresh our memories about who we are. Extra name tags may be found in your pew basket.
- **All who desire a deeper walk with Christ** are welcome to join us at the altar for Holy Communion of bread and/or wine. You may drink from the chalice, or dip the bread in the chalice before eating it. If you need gluten-free bread, please inform the priest at the altar rail. **If you do not wish to receive communion** but wish a blessing, cross your arms over your chest. Or you may remain in your pew for prayer. If you are not baptized but want to be, please let somebody know. A priest will get in touch with you to talk about next steps.
- **Prayers of the People:** To add names to our prayers tell a priest, an usher or a greeter, or contact the office. Names stay on for 4-6 weeks unless longer is requested. Feel free to also add your petitions and thanksgivings silently or aloud at designated times.
- **A Word to Families and Children:** "When you are here, the church is filled with a joyful noise. When you are here, the Body of Christ is more fully present. When you are here, we are reminded that this worship thing we do isn't all about bible study or personal, quiet contemplation but coming together to worship as a community where all are welcome, where we share in the Word and Sacrament together." *(citation available)*
- **Childcare:** Children are most welcome in the service, but childcare is available for those who desire it. It is located behind the double glass doors at the front foyer. Need help? Just ask an usher, they'd be happy to help guide you.
- **Quiet meditation before worship...** Being quiet during the prelude helps prepare us & prepare others for worship.
- **To get the most out of this bulletin,** we recommend using it as a bookmark in your Book of Common Prayer during worship. Fold it back on itself, then fold again on the line between the 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. orders of worship. You can also sign up for our email newsletter and download the full service eBulletin to your iPad or device of choice.

Weekly Announcements

Coffee Hour: Following the service

Adult Forum: Returning in fall

Child Care: Returning in fall

10:00 a.m. Wednesday Eucharist

July 21 6:00 p.m. - Summer Picnic

July 29 5:00 p.m. - The Gathering Place

(at Our Saviors Lutheran)

August 15, 5:00 p.m. - Selah Service

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8 o'clock—Holy Eucharist, Rite I

Procession ~ *Please stand at the striking of the bell*

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Announcements; Birthdays, Anniversaries, Travel prayers

The Offertory and Offertory Sentence

The Presentation

Priest: All things come of thee, O Lord.

People: **And of thine own have we given thee.**

The Great Thanksgiving, Prayer I	BCP 333
Sanctus & Benedictus	BCP 334
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The Breaking of the Bread	BCP 337
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The Communion	
Prayer after Communion	BCP 339
The Blessing	
The Dismissal	

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty God, the fountain of all wisdom, you know our necessities before we ask and our ignorance in asking; Have compassion on our weakness, and mercifully give us those things which for our unworthiness we dare not, and for our blindness we cannot ask; through the worthiness of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE FIRST LESSON: Jeremiah 23:1-6

Watch out, you shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture, declares the Lord. This is what the Lord, the God of Israel, proclaims about the shepherds who “tend to” my people: You are the ones who have scattered my flock and driven them away. You haven’t attended to their needs, so I will take revenge on you for the terrible things you have done to them, declares the Lord. I myself will gather the few remaining sheep from all the countries where I have driven them. I will bring them back to their pasture, and they will be fruitful and multiply. I will place over them shepherds who care for them. Then they will no longer be afraid or dread harm, nor will any be missing, declares the Lord. The time is coming, declares the Lord, when I will raise up a righteous descendant from David’s line, and he will rule as a wise king. He will do what is just and right in the land. During his lifetime, Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And his name will be The Lord Is Our Righteousness.

THE RESPONSE: Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd; *

I shall not be in want.

He makes me lie down in green pastures *
and leads me beside still waters.

He revives my soul *
and guides me along right pathways for his
Name's sake.

Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of
death,

I shall fear no evil; *
for you are with me;
your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

You spread a table before me in the presence of those
who trouble me; *

you have anointed my head with oil,
and my cup is running over.

Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all
the days of my life, *
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

THE SECOND LESSON: Ephesians 2:11-22

So remember that once you were Gentiles by physical descent, who were called “uncircumcised” by Jews who are physically circumcised. At that time you were without Christ. You were aliens rather than citizens of

Israel, and strangers to the covenants of God's promise. In this world you had no hope and no God. But now, thanks to Christ Jesus, you who once were so far away have been brought near by the blood of Christ. Christ is our peace. He made both Jews and Gentiles into one group. With his body, he broke down the barrier of hatred that divided us. He canceled the detailed rules of the Law so that he could create one new person out of the two groups, making peace. He reconciled them both as one body to God by the cross, which ended the hostility to God. When he came, he announced the good news of peace to you who were far away from God and to those who were near. We both have access to the Father through Christ by the one Spirit. So now you are no longer strangers and aliens. Rather, you are fellow citizens with God's people, and you belong to God's household. As God's household, you are built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets with Christ Jesus himself as the cornerstone. The whole building is joined together in him, and it grows up into a temple that is dedicated to the Lord. Christ is building you into a place where God lives through the Spirit.

THE GOSPEL: Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

The apostles returned to Jesus and told him everything they had done and taught. Many people were coming and going, so there was no time to eat. He said to the apostles, "Come by yourselves to a secluded place and rest for a while." They departed in a boat by themselves for a deserted place. Many people saw them leaving and recognized them, so they ran ahead from all the cities and arrived before them. When Jesus arrived and saw a large crowd, he had compassion on them because they were like sheep without a shepherd. Then he began to teach them many things. When Jesus and his disciples had crossed the lake, they landed at Gennesaret, anchored the boat, and came ashore. People immediately recognized Jesus and ran around that whole region bringing sick people on their mats to wherever they heard he was. Wherever he went—villages, cities, or farming communities—they would place the sick in the marketplaces and beg him to allow them to touch even the hem of his clothing. Everyone who touched him was healed.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Almighty and everliving God, who in thy holy Word hast taught us to make prayers, and supplications, and to give thanks for all men: Receive these our prayers which we offer unto thy divine Majesty, beseeching thee to inspire continually the Universal Church with the spirit of truth, unity, and concord; and grant that all those who do confess thy holy Name may agree in the truth of thy holy Word, and live in unity and godly love. Give grace, O heavenly Father, to all bishops and other ministers, especially Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; and Greg, our bishop; that they may, both by their life and doctrine, set forth thy true and lively Word, and rightly and duly administer thy holy Sacraments. And to all thy people give thy heavenly grace, and especially to this congregation here present; that, with meek heart and due reverence, they may hear and receive thy holy Word, truly serving thee in holiness and righteousness all the days of their life.

We beseech thee also so to rule the hearts of those who bear the authority of government in this and every land [especially], that they may be led to wise decisions and right actions for the welfare and peace of the world. Open, O Lord, the eyes of all people to behold thy gracious hand in all thy works, that, rejoicing in thy whole creation, they may honor thee with their substance, and be faithful stewards of thy bounty. And we most humbly beseech thee, of thy goodness, O Lord, to comfort and succor **Amy Davies, Betty Stevens, Joy Strain, Brianna Speers, Debby Philmlee, Rudy Sanchez, Linda Sanchez, Nicole Bingay, Theresa Strain, Seth Myers, Arlyne Whitescarver, Patty Paddock, Pat Van Almkerk, Dana Chapman, Bill Martin, Will Swain, Danny Donovan, Janine Clark, Nancy Burns, Caleb Marc Pieper Redman**

And all those who in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity. And we also bless thy holy Name for all thy servants departed this life in thy faith and fear, beseeching thee to grant them continual growth in thy love and service; and to grant us grace so to follow the good examples of the blessed Virgin Mary, the blessed St Aidan, and of all thy saints, that with them we may be partakers of thy heavenly kingdom. Grant these our prayers, O Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate. *Amen.*

All who desire a deeper walk with Christ are welcome at the altar for Holy Communion.

- *You may drink from the chalice, or instinct (dip) the bread in the chalice before eating it.*
- *If you wish to receive the bread only and not the wine at this time you will have still received full Communion.*
- *If you need gluten-free bread, please inform the priest at the altar rail.*
- *If you do not wish to receive Communion but desire a blessing, cross your arms over your chest at the altar rail.*
- *If you do not wish to receive Communion at this time you may also choose to remain in your pew for prayer.*
- *If you are not baptized but want to explore the process of becoming baptized, please let somebody know. A priest will be happy to work with you and talk with you about next steps.*

BLESSING AND SENDING FOR KEHL & LIZ VAN WINKLE
The church is a family. United by the common recognition of Jesus Christ as our Savior, we are all brothers and sisters. And, for a time, St Aidan's is our home. Like every human family, our church family is formed and reformed over time: as members are born, as they die, as members are adopted into our family, and as they leave our congregation for a new home, in a different place.

For a time, Kehl & Liz have lived with us. We have shared with each other good times and bad, we have shared each other's joys and sorrows, we have lightened each other's heavy loads. Together we have laughed and cried, together we have worshiped and praised God, together we have lived.

We feel sorrow in your leaving, yet we rejoice with you in anticipation of this new phase of your life. We will miss your love and support, yet we know you will add much to the lives of those who will be your new church family, as you have added much to our lives.

Let us pray:

O God, you are the strength and the protector of your people. We humbly place in your hands Kehl & Liz who are embarking on a new journey. Keep and preserve them, O Lord, in all health and safety, both in body and soul; and sustain them with your peace and joy through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

ALTAR SERVERS

8:00 AM **July 18**

Lector JoAnn Moffett
Acolyte/Chalice Don Talbott
Usher Kathy Hosley

8:00 AM **July 25**

Lector Ann Morgan
Acolyte/Chalice Jim Miller
Usher JoAnn Moffett

For Travelers

O God, our heavenly Father, whose glory fills the whole creation, and whose presence we find wherever we go: Preserve those who travel [in particular _____]; surround them with you loving care; protect them from every danger; and bring them in safety to their journey's end; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**



Flowers make a beautiful addition to our services. If you are interested in providing flowers for one of our services, contact Mary McConnaughey, mcntrary@yahoo.com,

Coffee Hour today:

Coffee and fellowship after the service.
(thank you Don Talbott & JoAnn Moffett)

Kehl & Liz, Thank you for your ministry!

BIRTHDAYS

Karole Gorman, *July 20*
Patrick Buffington, *July 21*
Rick Simmons, *July 22*
Bob Stevens, *July 23*

ANNIVERSARY

Michael Geertszen & Linda Langkow,
July 18



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