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Our mission is to worship, love and serve Our Lord Jesus Christ
through the Anglican tradition and our unique choral heritage.

The Reverend Canon Carl F. Turner, *Rector*

THE SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JULY 11, 2021

FESTAL EUCHARIST – 11 a.m.

Mass for Organ, from Suite Médiévale en Forme de Messe Basse (1947) by Jean Langlais

PRELUDE Ave Maria. Ave Maris Stella, from ‘Trois Paraphrases Grégoriennes’

Jean Langlais
(1907-1991)

The People stand at the entry of the Sacred Ministers.

HYMN

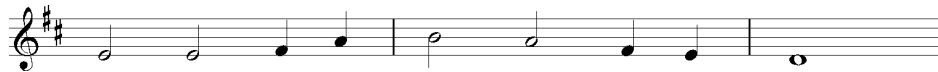
NETTLETON



1 Come, thou fount of ev - ery bless - ing, tune my
2 Here I find my great - est trea - sure; hith - er,
3 Oh, to grace how great a debt - or dai - ly



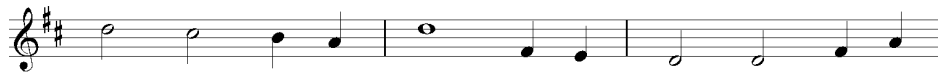
heart to sing thy grace! Streams of mer - cy nev - er
by thy help, I've come; and I hope, by thy good
I'm con - strained to be! Let thy good - ness, like a



ceas - ing, call for songs of loud - est praise.
plea - sure, safe - ly to ar - rive at home.
fet - ter, bind my wan - dering heart to thee:



Teach me some me - lo - dious son - net, sung by
Je - sus sought me when a stran - ger wan - dering
prone to wan - der, Lord, I feel it, prone to



flam - ing tongues a - bove. Praise the mount! Oh, fix me
from the fold of God; he, to res - cue me from
leave the God I love; here's my heart, oh, take and



on it, mount of God's un - chang - ing love.
dan - ger, in - ter - posed his pre - cious blood.
seal it, seal it for thy courts a - bove.

THE OPENING ACCLAMATION AND COLLECT FOR PURITY

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

The Celebrant says

ALMIGHTY God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee,
and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

FOR THE GLORIA

Prélude
(Entrée)

Jean Langlais

GLORY be to God on high,
and on earth peace,
good will towards men.

We praise thee, we bless thee,
we worship thee, we glorify thee.
We give thanks to thee
for thy great glory,
O Lord God, heavenly King,
God the Father almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;
O Lord God, Lamb of God,

Son of the Father,
that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.
Thou that takest away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer.
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father,
have mercy upon us.

For thou only art holy;
thou only art the Lord;
thou only, O Christ.
With the Holy Ghost, art most high
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People And with thy spirit.
Celebrant Let us pray.

OLORD Lord, we beseech thee mercifully to receive the prayers of thy people
who call upon thee, and grant that they may both perceive and know what things
they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to fulfill the same;
through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

The People sit.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

THE LESSON

Amos 7:7-15

Lector The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

PSALM 85:8-13

Plainsong (Tone VII)

The Cantor sings the refrain and all repeat. The refrain is sung by the People as indicated.

Refrain

Show us thy mer - cy, O Lord, and grant us thy sal - va - tion.

BENEDIXISTI, DOMINE

I WILL hearken what the Lord God will say concerning me:
for he shall speak peace unto his people, and to his saints, that they turn not again.
For his salvation is nigh them that fear him: that glory may dwell in our land. *Refrain*

Mercy and truth are met together: righteousness and peace have kissed each other.
Truth shall flourish out of the earth: and righteousness hath looked down from heaven. *Refrain*

Yea, the Lord shall shew loving-kindness: and our land shall give her increase.
Righteousness shall go before him: and he shall direct his going in the way. *Refrain*

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. *Refrain*

THE EPISTLE

Ephesians 1:3-14

Subdeacon The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

The People stand

HYMN

LUTHER'S HYMN

1. Lo, in the wil - der - ness a voice 'Make straight the way' is cry - ing:
2. God give us grace to heark-en now To those who come to warn us,
3. When from the vine-yard cru - el men Cast out the heaven-ly pow - ers

When men are turn - ing from the light, And hope and love seem dy - ing,
Give sight and strength, that we may kill The vic - es that have torn us,
And Chris-ten - dom de - nies its Lord, The world in ru - in cow - ers.

The pro - phet comes to make us clean: 'There stand - eth one you
Lest love pro - fessed should dis - ap - pear In creeds of hate, con -
Now come, O God, in thy great might! Un - changed, un - chang - ing

have not seen, Whose voice you are de - ny - ing.
tempt, and fear, That crush and o - ver - turn us.
is thy right, Un - swayed thy jus - tice tow - ers.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Plainsong (Mode VI)



Cantor Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

People Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Cantor I am the way, the truth, and the life, says the Lord.

No one comes to the Father except through me.

People Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Mark 6:14-29

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Saint Mark.

People Glory be to thee, O Lord.

After the Gospel, the Deacon says

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise be to thee, O Christ.

THE SERMON

The Rev. Alison Turner
Associate for Children and Family Ministry

THE NICENE CREED

Said by all, standing. It is customary to bow at the underlined words.

I BELIEVE in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And of all things visible and invisible: And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God; Begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of very God; Begotten, not made; Being of one substance with the Father; By whom all things were made: Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, And was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, And was made man: And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried: And the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures: And ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of the Father: And he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end. And I believe in the Holy Ghost, The Lord, and Giver of Life, Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; Who spake by the Prophets: And I believe one holy Catholic and Apostolic Church: I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins: And I look for the Resurrection of the dead: And the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (FORM I)

With all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord, saying, "Lord, have mercy."

The People kneel.

After each petition,

Let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

At the end of the Litany,

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

People Lord, have mercy.

After the last petition

... let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life, to Christ our God.
People To thee, O Lord our God.

After a period of silence, the Celebrant concludes with this collect

LORD, hear the prayers of thy people; and what we have asked faithfully,
grant that we may obtain effectually, to the glory of thy Name;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

CONFESSION OF SIN

The Celebrant says

Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

Celebrant and People

ALmighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, maker of all things, judge of all men: We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, which we, from time to time, most grievously have committed, by thought, word, and deed, against thy divine Majesty, provoking most justly thy wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance of them is grievous unto us; the burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; for thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please thee in newness of life, to the honor and glory of thy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

The Celebrant says

ALmighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all those who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

THE PEACE

The People stand. The Celebrant introduce the Peace with these words

WE are all one in Christ Jesus.
We belong to him through faith,
heirs of the promise of the Spirit of peace.

People The peace of the Lord be always with you.
And with thy spirit.

THE GREETINGS

Please be seated.

AT THE OFFERTORY

Tiento
(Offertoire)

Jean Langlais

Descant

4 Take from him what ye will give him, of his

1 Hark - en to the an - them glo - rious of the
 2 Liv - ing, they pro - claimed sal - va - tion, heaven - en -
 3 Christ, for cru - el trai - tors plead - ing, tri - umphed
 4 Take from him what ye will give him, of his

full - ness grace for grace; strive to think him,
 mar - tyrs robed in white; they, like Christ, in
 dowed with grace and power; and they died in
 in his part - ing breath o'er all mir - a -
 full - ness grace for grace; strive to think him,

speak him, live him, till you find him face to face.
 death vic - tor - ious dwell for ev - er in the light.
 im - i - ta - tion of their Sa - vior's fi - nal hour.
 cles pre - ced - ing his in - es - ti - ma - ble death.
 speak him, live him, till you find him face to face.

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THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People And with thy spirit.
Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People We lift them up unto the Lord.
Celebrant Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.
People It is meet and right so to do.

The Celebrant continues

IT is very meet, right and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God.

Creator of the light and source of life, who hast made us in thine image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

HOLY, holy, holy, Lord God Sabaoth.
Heaven and earth are full of thy Glory.
Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he that cometh
in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

Please kneel.

The Celebrant continues the Eucharistic Prayer, which concludes

By whom, and with whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost, all honor and glory be unto thee,
O Father Almighty, world without end.

The People respond AMEN.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

The Celebrant says

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

Celebrant and People

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.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

BEHOLD the Lamb of God: behold him that taketh away the sins of the world.
Blessed are those who are called to his supper.

People Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldst come under my roof,
but speak the word only and my soul shall be healed.

*All baptized Christians are invited to receive Holy Communion.
The Sacrament is distributed in one kind only in the Crossing.
Gluten free hosts are available; please ask the priest.*

AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION *(for those unable to receive Holy Communion)*

I BELIEVE in thee, O my Jesus, present in the most holy Sacrament of the Altar;
I love thee above all things, and I desire to receive thee into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment receive thee sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace thee, and I unite myself to thee as if thou wast already there.
Never permit me to be separated from thee!
O Lord Jesus Christ, let the sweet and consuming force of thy love absorb my whole soul, that I may die for the love of thee, who wast pleased to die for the love of me. Amen.

AT THE COMMUNION

Méditation
(Communion)

Jean Langlais

THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

Celebrant Let us pray.

The People kneel and silence is kept.

Celebrant and People

ALMIGHTY and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

The People stand.

THE BLESSING

THE peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, be amongst you, and remain with you always. Amen.

1 A - maz - ing grace! how sweet the sound, that
 2 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and
 3 The Lord has prom - ised good to me, his
 4 Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares, I
 * 5 When we've been there ten thou - sand years, bright

1 saved a wretch like me! I once was lost but
 2 grace my fears re - lieved; how pre - cious did that
 3 word my hope se - cures; he will my shield and
 4 have al - rea - dy come; 'tis grace that brought me
 5 shin - ing as the sun, we've no less days to

1 now am found, was blind but now I see.
 2 grace ap - pear the hour I first be - lieved!
 3 por - tion be as long as life en - dures.
 4 safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.
 5 sing God's praise than when we'd first be - gun.

The melody may be sung in canon at distances of either two or three beats.

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THE DISMISSAL

Deacon
People

Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.
 Thanks be to God.

VOLUNTARY

Acclamations
 (sur le Texte des Acclamations Carolingiennes)

Jean Langlais

PARISH NOTICES

Coffee Hour. During the summer, the Virtual Coffee Hour will only meet on the third Sunday of each month. The next coffee hour will be held on Sunday, July 18, at 12:45 p.m. Contact Fr. Moretz at MMoretz@SaintThomasChurch.org to learn more and receive login credentials.

Adult Education continues its online theology class series on the Lord's Prayer. Each week, we look at the biblical and liturgical texts of the "Our Father" prayer, and examine the prayer's meaning for us today. This week we will examine the phrase "Give us today our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us." First-timers can sign up for the class here: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/STC_Lords_Prayer. For more information, contact Fr. Cheng at PCheng@SaintThomasChurch.org.

Children and Families' Gatherings. All families are welcome to join **Sunday Zoom!** at 10:15 a.m. today. We will continue to share a number of *Faith Filled Films* all about Parables, made by our children at home. If you know a family that would like to receive our regular newsletter or to obtain login information for either the Sunday Zoom! or Faith Alive, contact **Mother Turner** at ATurner@SaintThomasChurch.org.

The Bookstore and Gift Shop is selling an inscribed Saint Thomas Church, 3-Ply Face Mask with removal PM 2.5 filter for \$8 plus shipping and taxes, where applicable. The mask may be purchased by sending an email to the Bookstore@SaintThomasChurch.org. Please be sure to include your full name, address, telephone number and mask request. We will contact you at the number provided to process your payment.

Friday Bible Study continues at 1:30 p.m. over Zoom, and runs for about an hour. For more information, please contact Fr. Bennett at RBennett@SaintThomasChurch.org.

SERVICES THIS WEEK AND BEYOND

The Church is open Monday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Face masks, hand sanitization, health screening, and 6 ft. distancing required for entry.

Shrine Prayers (Intercessions) and Holy Eucharist (Contact details are mandatory to attend Mass)

Monday – Saturday at 12 p.m.

Open to the public, live audio stream and then on-demand.

Please send your requests for prayers via the website [click here](#) or emailed to: prayer@saintthomaschurch.org

Confessions, Spiritual Advice and Healing Ministry in the Resurrection Chapel

Saturday 11 to 11:45 a.m. in the Church. Confessor: Fr. Bennett

(need to wear a mask; chairs will be placed at an appropriate distance)

✠ **SUNDAY, JULY 18**

THE EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

(NOTE: All choral services are video livestreamed, and, thereafter, available on-demand)

9 a.m. Said Mass

11 a.m. Festal Eucharist

Mass for the Organ

L'Orgue Mystique: In Assumptione B.M.V. – Charles Tournemire

Preacher: The Rector

WEEKDAY SUMMER FEASTS

Services are open to the public, video livestreamed, and, thereafter, available on-demand

5:30 P.M. SOLEMN EUCHARIST

sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir

THURSDAY, JULY 22

Saint Mary Magdalene

Missa de Beata Virgine – Francisco Guerrero

Ave Maria – William Cornysh

In festo S. Mariae Magdalenaee – Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina

FRIDAY, AUGUST 6

The Transfiguration of Our Lord

Missa Quarti toni – Tomás Luis de Victoria

In festo transfigurationis Domini – Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina

O nata lux – Thomas Tallis

TUESDAY, AUGUST 24

Saint Bartholomew

Messa a tre voci – Antonio Lotti

Sanctus Bartholomaeus – Jacob Gallus-Handl

Omnipotens sempiterne Deus – Adrian Willaert

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