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**9:00 AM**



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9 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

- Opening hymn *All who hunger gather gladly* 761 (WLP)
- Opening Acclamation 355 (prayer book)
- Collect for purity 355 (prayer book)
- Hymn of Praise 822 (WLP)

Through north and south and east and west May God's im-mor-tal name be  
 blessed: Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Till  
 ev' - ry - where be - neath the sun, God's reign be - gins; God's will is  
 done: Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le -  
 lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Collect of the Day 232 (prayer book)

I reading— Exodus 16:2-4, 9-15

Reader: A reading from Exodus

The whole congregation of the Israelites complained against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness. The Israelites said to them, “If only we had died by the hand of the LORD in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the fleshpots and ate our fill of bread; for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger.”

Then the LORD said to Moses, “I am going to rain bread from heaven for you, and each day the people shall go out and gather enough for that day. In that way I will test them, whether they will follow my instruction or not.”

Then Moses said to Aaron, “Say to the whole congregation of the Israelites, ‘Draw near to the LORD, for he has heard your complaining.’” And as Aaron spoke to the whole congregation of the Israelites, they looked toward the wilderness, and the glory of the LORD appeared in the cloud. The LORD spoke to Moses and said, “I have heard the complaining of the Israelites; say to them, ‘At twilight you shall eat meat, and in the morning you shall have your fill of bread; then you shall know that I am the LORD your God.’”

In the evening quails came up and covered the camp; and in the morning there was a layer of dew around the camp. When the layer of dew lifted, there on the surface of the wilderness was a fine flaky substance, as fine as frost on the ground. When the Israelites saw it, they said to one another, “What is it?” For they did not know what it was. Moses said to them, “It is the bread that the LORD has given you to eat.”

Reader: The Word of the Lord

**People: Thanks be to God**

Psalm 78:23-29

So he commanded the clouds above \*  
and opened the doors of heaven.  
He rained down manna upon them to eat \*  
and gave them grain from heaven.  
So mortals ate the bread of angels; \*  
he provided for them food enough.  
He caused the east wind to blow in the heavens \*  
and led out the south wind by his might.  
He rained down flesh upon them like dust \*  
and winged birds like the sand of the sea.  
He let it fall in the midst of their camp \*  
and round about their dwellings.  
So they ate and were well filled, \*  
for he gave them what they craved.

II reading— Ephesians 4:1-16

Reader: A reading from Ephesians

I therefore, the prisoner in the Lord, beg you to lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been

called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, making every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all. But each of us was given grace according to the measure of Christ's gift. Therefore it is said,

"When he ascended on high he made captivity itself a captive;  
he gave gifts to his people."

(When it says, "He ascended," what does it mean but that he had also descended into the lower parts of the earth? He who descended is the same one who ascended far above all the heavens, so that he might fill all things.) The gifts he gave were that some would be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until all of us come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to maturity, to the measure of the full stature of Christ. We must no longer be children, tossed to and fro and blown about by every wind of doctrine, by people's trickery, by their craftiness in deceitful scheming. But speaking the truth in love, we must grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, from whom the whole body, joined and knit together by every ligament with which it is equipped, as each part is working properly, promotes the body's growth in building itself up in love.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

**People: Thanks be to God**

Gospel— John 6:24-35

Gospeller: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to John.

**People: Glory to you, O Christ**

The next day, when the people who remained after the feeding of the five thousand saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they themselves got into the boats and went to Capernaum looking for Jesus.

When they found him on the other side of the sea, they said to him, "Rabbi, when did you come here?" Jesus answered them, "Very truly, I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves. Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For it is on him that God the Father has set his seal." Then they said to him, "What must we do to perform the works of God?" Jesus answered them, "This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent." So they said to him, "What sign are you going to give us then, so that we may see it and believe you? What work are you performing? Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, 'He gave them bread from heaven to eat.'" Then Jesus said to them, "Very truly, I tell you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world." They said to him, "Sir, give us this bread always."

Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty."

Gospeller: The Gospel of the Lord.

**People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Homily

The Rev. Catherine Carpenter

The Nicene Creed		358 (prayer book)
Prayers of the People		
Confession		360 (prayer book)
The Peace		360 (prayer book)
Hymn ( <i>Please Stand</i> )	<i>I come with joy to meet my Lord</i>	304 (hymnal)
The Great Thanksgiving		361 (prayer book)
The Lord's Prayer		364 (prayer book)
The Breaking of the Bread		364 (prayer book)
Post Communion Prayer		365 (prayer book)
Blessing		
Closing hymn	<i>Ye servants of God</i>	535 (hymnal)
Dismissal		340 (prayer book)

## **PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

*Celebrant*

Gathered in the Spirit of God, let us pray for all the needs of the world.

*Leader*

For Michael our Presiding Bishop, Dede, our bishop, Cathy our rector; for this holy gathering, and for the people of God in every place.

*silence*

Lord, in your mercy.

*Hear our prayer.*

For mercy, justice, and peace among all peoples.

*silence*

Lord, in your mercy.

*Hear our prayer.*

For abundant fruits of the earth and for this good and bountiful world.

*silence*

Lord, in your mercy.

*Hear our prayer.*

For our community and those who live in it, and for our families, companions, and all those we love especially  
Ron & Jane Jacobs

*silence*

Lord, in your mercy.

*Hear our prayer.*

For all those in desperate need: the sick and the suffering, prisoners, captives, and their families, the hungry, homeless, and oppressed especially Gordon Tall, John Rogers, Agnes Morgan, Dottie Carrie, Andy Darrohn, Jenna Reese, Donny Witkowski, Tom Mangan, Merle Geisler, Judy Murray, Bruce Lewis, Kathy Dennis, Jason, Bill, Steven, Sharon, Linda, Linda W., Becky, Alice, Debbie, James, Rosalee, Dawn, Lila, Missy, Joyce Y, Erin, Penny, Ann, Sue, Mary Ann, Barb, Anna, Jerry, Isabella, Neva, Joyce, Mary, Bev, Joe, Frank, Liz and those we now name with our lips or in our hearts.

*silence*

Lord, in your mercy.

*Hear our prayer.*

For those who rest in Christ and for all the departed especially Bob Grenyo.

For those concerns you bring before God this day

*silence*

Lord, in your mercy.

*Hear our prayer.*

Lifting our voices with all creation, with the blessed Virgin Mary, and all the saints, let us offer ourselves and one another to the living God through Christ.  
*To you, O Lord.*

*Celebrant.*

God of eternal life, you built a house of faithful people: Have mercy on all who gather in your name and grant our prayers for all the world, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*



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