

GRACE

GRACE MEMORIAL EPISCOPAL CHURCH
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A parish for all people in the heart of the city.

❖ ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST ❖



❖ AUGUST 4, 2024 ❖ 10:00 AM ❖



WELCOME TO GRACE! We are glad you are with us!

Grace Memorial is part of the Jesus Movement in the Episcopal Way. We are a community of story, symbol, service, and song. We are a church of people with and without disabilities. Those who need to vocalize or move during the service are welcome to do so.

Please let us know that you are here by filling out a newcomer card and giving it to an usher or clergy person – or by saying ‘hi’ in the YouTube chat.

COVID PROTOCOLS

There are high-quality (MERV-13) filters in Grace’s HVAC system. Grace strongly encourages vaccination. We support the choice to wear a mask.

CHILDREN & YOUTH

Children are welcome and expected throughout the service. For those families who would prefer it, nursery care is available beginning at 9am in the Nursery downstairs. For older children, Church School gathers in the Mason Burnham room after the service’s opening collect (i.e., prayer).

SERVING US TODAY

Presider • The Rev. Lara Halsey
Preacher • The Rev. Dr. Corbet Clark
Church School • Rev. Lara Halsey
Lectors • Andrew Eschleman, Gillian Weisgram
Intercessor • Yetunde Laniran
Crucifer • Fred Gibson
Torchbearers • Kate Gawf, Sam Schifferdecker
Healing Ministry • The Rev. Dr. Corbet Clark & Myra Clark
Sacristans • Carol Maroten, Gary Voice, Zane Barlow
Ushers • The Usher Guild
Organist • Matthew Smith
Soloists: Soren Cowell-Shah, Kirin Cowell-Shah
Digital Verger • Evelyn Prater

2024

ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sunday, August 4

8:00 am *Holy Eucharist Rite I*
*10:00 am *Choral Eucharist Rite II*

TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sunday, August 11

8:00 am *Holy Eucharist Rite I*
*10:00 am *Choral Eucharist Rite II*

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sunday, August 18

8:00 am *Holy Eucharist Rite I*
*10:00 am *Choral Eucharist Rite II*

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sunday, August 25

8:00 am *Holy Eucharist Rite I*
*10:00 am *Choral Eucharist Rite II*

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sunday, September 1

8:00 am *Holy Eucharist Rite I*
*10:00 am *Choral Eucharist Rite II*

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sunday, September 8

8:00 am *Holy Eucharist Rite I*
*10:00 am *Choral Eucharist Rite II*

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sunday, September 15

8:00 am *Holy Eucharist Rite I*
*10:00 am *Choral Eucharist Rite II*

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sunday, September 22

8:00 am *Holy Eucharist Rite I*
*10:00 am *Choral Eucharist Rite II*

** Hybrid Services - both in the Nave and on YouTube*

♦ Incense will be used at these services.

❖ ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST ❖

❖ 10:00 AM ❖ HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II ❖

BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER

Today's readings can be found at www.Lectarypage.net

THE ENTRANCE RITE

PRELUDE ❖ *Récit de Hautbois (Meditaciones religiosas, Op. 122, No. 3)*

Louis-James Alfred Lefébure-Wély (1817-1869)

WELCOME ❖

HYMN AT THE PROCESSION 390 ❖ *Praise to the Lord*

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OPENING ACCLAMATION ♦

Presider Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.
People **Glory to God for ever and ever.**

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY ♦

All **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.**

SONG OF PRAISE ♦ *Glory to God*

Betty Carr Pulkingham; Freedom Mass

Refrain
With vigor

S Alto (A)
 T Bass (B)

Glo - ry to God, glo - ry to God,
 glo - ry, glo - ry to God, glo - ry to
 glo - ry to God in the high - est, high - est.
 God, to God in the high - est, high - est.

Betty Carr Pulkingham. Adapted from South African Folk tunes. Copyright © 1989 CELEBRATION. All rights reserved.

THE COLLECT FOR THE DAY ♦

BCP pg. 232

Presider The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Presider Let us pray.

Let your continual mercy, O Lord, cleanse and defend your Church; and, because it cannot continue in safety without your help, protect and govern it always by your goodness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

People **Amen.**

Children are invited to join Church School in the Mason Burnham room.

❖ PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD ❖

FIRST READING ❖ *Exodus 16:2-4, 9-15*

Lector Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.
People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 78:23-29 ❖

BCP pg. 696

23 So he commanded the clouds above *
and opened the doors of heaven.

24 He rained down manna upon them to eat *
and gave them grain from heaven.

25 So mortals ate the bread of angels; *
he provided for them food enough.

26 He caused the east wind to blow in the heavens *
and led out the south wind by his might.

27 He rained down flesh upon them like dust *
and wingèd birds like the sand of the sea.

28 He let it fall in the midst of their camp *
and round about their dwellings.

29 So they ate and were well filled, *
for he gave them what they craved.

SECOND READING ❖ *Ephesians 4:1-16*

Lector Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.
People **Thanks be to God.**

SEQUENCE HYMN 699 ♦ *Jesus, Lover of my soul*

v. 1, 2 before the Gospel, v. 3 after

1 Je - sus, Lov - er of my soul, let me to thy bos - om
 2 O - ther ref - uge have I none, hangs my help - less soul on
 3 Plen-teous grace with thee is found, grace to cleanse from ev - ery

fly, while the near - er wa - ters roll, while the tem - pest
 thee; leave, ah! leave me not a - lone, still sup - port and
 sin; let the heal - ing streams a - bound, make and keep me

still is high: hide me, O my Sa - vior, hide,
 com - fort me! All my trust on thee is stayed;
 pure with - in. Thou of life the foun - tain art,

till the storm of life be past; safe in - to the
 all my help from thee I bring; cov - er my de -
 free - ly let me take of thee: spring thou up with -

ha - ven guide, O re - ceive my soul at last.
 fense - less head with the sha - dow of thy wing.
 in my heart, rise to all e - ter - ni - ty.

Words: Charles Wesley (1707-1783), alt. Music: *Aberystwyth*, Joseph Parry (1841-1903).

THE HOLY GOSPEL ♦ *John 6:24-35*

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

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

SERMON ♦

The Reverend Dr. Corbet Clark

A time of silence for reflection follows the sermon.

THE NICENE CREED ♦

from Enriching Our Worship I, pg. 53

People **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,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary
and became truly human.**

**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,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who 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 ♦

Prayer response: Help us have faith, hope, and love.

Remembering especially:

Jeanann Francis, Lexie, Rosco, Hannah Miller, Janie, George, Ruth Higgenbotham, Greg Gabriel, Dusty, Margaret Duryee, Rusty, Michael Curry, Lindsay Hoek, Niki, Ruth Haines, Larry S., Brandon Hoek, Rochelle Hoek, Staci Heuvel, Jim and Claudia Frahm, LeRoy Patton, Carl McNabb, Shirley Johnson, Darryl and Katharine Holland, George, Joanna Bailey, Lee Ann Snyder, Liz Gautier, Ricardo, Stephanie Hoffman, Trip Clark, Tony Gawf, Alta Acosta, Oliver, Francis & Lu Abrao, John Yeast, Jeanne, Rick Bausone, James Meade, Alan Demascus, Grey Jeffreys, Santiago, Tiffanie, Buddy Duke, David Galaty, Jen Adams, Mariann Koop-McMahon, Jules, Molly, Darryl Holland, and those whose needs are known to God alone.

For Matt Haines, our seminarian; for our companion parish Trinity Cathedral in Monrovia, Liberia; for those in harm's way in the Ukraine, Israel, Palestine, Haiti, Sudan; for people in the Midwest USA affected by tornadoes, and for all those who are at risk from wildfires and floods throughout the world.

For the deceased: Jack Cassidy, Roy Coulter, Jack Haines, Laura Hull, Kate Boger, Millie Jackson, Matilda Laflin, Lanre, Sherrie Voice, Aletha Quaka Yates, and Don Hull.

CONFSSION OF SIN ♦

Enriching our Worship I, pg. 56

Presider Let us confess our sins to God.

Presider & People **God of all mercy,
we confess that we have sinned against you,
opposing your will in our lives.**

**We have denied your goodness in each other,
in ourselves, and in the world you have created.**

**We repent of the evil that enslaves us,
the evil we have done,
and the evil done on our behalf.**

**Forgive, restore, and strengthen us
through our Savior Jesus Christ,
that we may abide in your love
and serve only your will. Amen.**

Presider Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

Amen.

Children return from Church school.

THE PEACE ♦

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

The People greet one another in the name of Christ.

♦ CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST ♦

THE OFFERING ♦

Representatives of the congregation bring the people's offerings to the Altar.

*At the Offertory, we return thanks for God's many blessings in our lives, and we invite you to give generously.
You may give an offering in the plate or by visiting our online link at www.grace-memorial.org.*

OFFERTORY ANTHEM ♦ *Panis angelicus*

César Franck

Thus Angels' Bread is made
 the Bread of man today:
 the Living Bread from heaven
 with figures dost away:
 O wondrous gift indeed!
 the poor and lowly may
 upon their Lord and Master feed.

PRESENTATION HYMN ♦ *Praise God from whom all blessings flow**Tallis canon, Hymn 25*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow,
 Praise God, all creatures here below.
 Praise God, above, ye heavenly host.
 Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost!

GREAT THANKSGIVING ♦

Eucharistic Prayer C, BCP pg. 369
Presider

God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.

*People***Glory to you for ever and ever.***Presider*

At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

*People***By your will they were created and have their being.***Presider*

From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

*People***Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.***Presider*

Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

*People***By his blood, he reconciled us.****By his wounds, we are healed.**

Presider And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

SANCTUS AND BENEDICTUS LEVAS II 256 ♦ *Holy, holy, holy*

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Presider And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends, 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, gave thanks, 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." Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,

People

We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.

Presider

Lord God of our Fathers: God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

People

Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.

Presider

Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation.

People

AMEN.

Presider

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

THE LORD'S PRAYER ♫

BCP pg. 364; S-149

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in
heaven. Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.

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THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD ♫

FRACTION ANTHEM ♫

Presider Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

Presider The Gifts of God for the People of God.

MINISTRATION OF THE SACRAMENT ♦

Share the gifts

If you know the brokenness of life, then you have participated in the broken body of Christ, and you are invited to share in the breaking of bread. If you desire to know the love of God that overcomes apathy, alienation, and despair, then you are invited to share in the cup of the new covenant. The bread is received in the open palm. It is usual Anglican practice to drink the wine from the common cup. Intinction (i.e., the practice of dipping the bread into the chalice) is not permitted. If you prefer to receive a blessing, please cross your arms over your chest.

The bread is gluten-free at the 10am service.

Prayer and Laying On of Hands for Healing

If you wish a particular prayer for yourself or for someone else, you are invited to go to the prayer station located to the right of the altar. Give your first name and share your prayer need, and the prayer team will quietly offer prayers. Anything you share is confidential.

COMMUNION MUSIC ♦

COMMUNION HYMN 306 ♦ *Come risen Lord and deign to be our guest*



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POST-COMMUNION PRAYER ♦

EOWI, pg. 69

Presider Let us pray.

All **God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one**

with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS ♦

THANKSGIVING HYMN, WLP 824 ♦ *God grant them many years*

God grant them many years! God grant them many years!

God grant them many years!

BLESSING ♦

CLOSING HYMN 304 ♦ *I come with joy to meet my Lord*

Unison or harmony

1 I come with joy to meet my Lord, for -
 2 I come with Chris - tians far and near to -
 3 As Christ breaks bread and bids us share, each -
 4 And thus with joy we meet our Lord. His -
 5 To - geth - er met, to - geth - er bound, we'll -

1 giv - en, loved, and free, in awe and won - der -
 2 find, as all are fed, the new com - mu - ni -
 3 proud di - vi - sion ends. That love that made us -
 4 pres - ence, al - ways near, is in such friend - ship -
 5 go our dif - ferent ways, and as his peo - ple -

1 to re - call his life laid down for me.
 2 ty of love in Christ's com - mun - ion bread.
 3 makes us one, and stran - gers now are friends.
 4 bet - ter known: we see, and praise him here.
 5 in the world, we'll live and speak his praise.

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DISMISSAL ♦

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord, Alleluia, Alleluia!
People **Thanks be to God, Alleluia, Alleluia!**

POSTLUDE ♦

Grand Choeur (Meditaciones religiosas, Op. 122, No. 8) - Lefébure-Wély

Please join us after the 10:00 am service for a wonderful coffee hour!



❖ THE FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR ❖

The flowers at the altar are given to the Glory of God in thanksgiving for all the blessings of our lives.

Grace News

Companion Parish Fundraiser Update

Our fundraiser for the Tidi Bryant Borehole Well Project is off to a fantastic start. Thanks to your incredible generosity we have already raised \$6,952.95, or 46% our goal!

Charles A. McGee II, Co-Senior Warden at Grace, has written a wonderful article about Dean A-Too Williams' visit to Oregon and the Tidi Bryant Borehole Well Project at Trinity Cathedral in Monrovia, Liberia. Check it out on our webpage & in the Grace Notes newsletter.

Adult Formation Class: Understanding Liberation Theology

Wednesdays

August 7 – August 14

We will meet in the Chapel at 5:30pm – 6:30pm for a potluck and have an opportunity to learn through scripture and collaboration ways to live out the Gospel better in community.

ADULT FORMATION CLASS SCHEDULE

August 7 th	Implementation: There is no DONE. Sustainable Communication Practices. Part 1
August 14 th	Implementation: There is no DONE. Sustainable Communication Practices. Part 2

Please let Rev. Lara know if you are hoping to attend, so that you can receive some helpful resources, and coordinate with the potluck.

Hales Fellowship Group

The next meeting of Hale's Fellowship Group **will be held the first Wednesday of the month, August 7 at 9:30 a.m.**, at Elmer's Mall 205. For more information, please contact Charles A. McGee II, Co-Senior Warden. All are welcome!

Flowers for the Altar at Grace

Each Sunday the beautiful flowers in our church at GRACE are provided by our parishioners for all to enjoy!

Flowers are offered in memory of departed loved ones, to celebrate blessings, or simply to rejoice in the Glory of God!. Please contact **Jo Bronson, Flower Guild leader** at peggybronson@gmail.com for more information.

The following dates are available for Altar flowers:

August 18	October 6
	October 13
September 22	October 20

GRACE CALENDAR

<https://grace-memorial.org/campus-calendar/>

Wednesday, August 7 at 9:30am
Hale's Fellowship Group meets at Elmer's.

Wednesday, August 7 @5:30pm
Potluck, Formation Class & Compline

Thursday, August 8 @ 9:30

Holy Eucharist – Rector's Office

CLERGY & STAFF AT GRACE

The Rt. Rev. Doctor Diana Akiyama • Bishop
The Rev. Martin Elfert • Rector
The Rev. Lara Halsey • Curate
The Rev. Dr. Elizabeth Klein • Deacon
The Rev. Dr. Corbet Clark • Associate Priest
The Rev. Canon Dr. Richard Toll • Associate Priest
Nick J. Fox • Parish Manager
Susan J. Jensen • Organist/Choir Director
Lukas Sherman • Campus Steward
Evelyn Prater • Digital Verger
Jo Wiersma • Nursery Care Coordinator
Demetria Keck • Office Volunteer

CLERGY OFFICE HOURS

Reverend Martin Elfert	Wednesdays 9:30am – 11:30am Thursdays 2:00pm – 4:00pm
Reverend Lara Halsey	Mondays 1:00pm – 5:00pm
Reverend Dr. Liz Klein	Wednesdays 11:00am – 1:00pm

VESTRY

Co-Senior Wardens: Charles A. McGee II (2026), Vestry Chair
Kevin Walsh (2026), Rector's Advisor
Yetunde Laniran (2026), Junior Warden
Warren Burkholder Jr., Treasurer
Alicia Lehrle, Clerk; Keri Beck (2025)
Roosevelt Carter (2026); Cameron Denney (2025)
Nancy Entrikin (2025); Nora McLaughlin (2027);
Stephen Weeks (2027); Lisa Westarp (2027);
Jennifer Yeast (2026)

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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