

THE EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

welcome!

We are a community of believers seeking and sharing life in Christ through ancient-future faith. We consider it a great privilege to worship the Lord with you today. In fact, your presence today is a gift from God. Please let us know if we can do anything to help you feel at home.

CHILDCARE

Childcare is available for children age 2 and under in the nursery, located in the classroom on the right upon entering the lobby.

Children age 3 through 5th grade will be dismissed to Children's Chapel at the beginning of worship service and will return prior to Communion.

WE'D LOVE TO MEET YOU

If you are new to our church or would like to share a prayer request with the church staff, please fill out a connect card located on the table as you walk in. Place it in the offering basket or give it to an usher. The <u>Connect Card</u> is available anytime on our website (https://goodshepherdanglican.org/connect/).

RESOURCES

Download the <u>2019 Book of Common Prayer</u> and the <u>Daily Office</u> from the ACNA website https://bcp2019.anglicanchurch.net/index.php/downloads/.

Install the YouVersion Bible app from the App Store. We use the NRSV version during our Worship Service.



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For more information about Good Shepherd and to hear any of our past sermons, please visit our website:

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WELCOME

THE DISMISSAL OF CHILDREN (3 YEAR-OLDS THROUGH 5TH GRADE)

Please stand.

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant: Blessed be God, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

THE PROCESSION

"Let Us Adore"

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VERSE 1 The heavens declare the glory of God And all of the world will join the praise His wonders proclaim	VERSE 2 The oceans and skies lift up their voice And all He has made will rise to bless The King of all kings
CHORUS Let us adore Him Let us adore Him Jesus Christ is the Lord Come and behold Him Bow down before Him Jesus Christ is the Lord	VERSE 3 Eternity's King is coming again Though all of the earth will fade away His truth will remain
BRIDGE Hallelujah Hallelujah You are worthy of all praise	

"What A Beautiful Name"

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VERSE 1	CHORUS 1		
You were the Word at the beginning	What a beautiful Name it is		
One with God the Lord Most High	What a beautiful Name it is		
Your hidden glory in creation	The Name of Jesus Christ my King		
Now revealed in You our Christ	What a beautiful Name it is		
	Nothing compares to this		
	What a beautiful Name it is		
	The Name of Jesus		
VERSE 2	CHORUS 2		
You didn't want heaven without us	What a wonderful Name it is		
So Jesus You brought heaven down	What a wonderful Name it is		
My sin was great Your love was greater	The Name of Jesus Christ my King		
What could separate us now	What a wonderful Name it is		
	Nothing compares to this		
	What a wonderful Name it is		
	The Name of Jesus		
	What a wonderful Name it is		
	The Name of Jesus		
BRIDGE 1	BRIDGE 2		
Death could not hold You	You have no rival		
The veil tore before You	You have no equal		
You silence the boast of sin and grave	Now and forever God You reign		
The heavens are roaring	Yours is the kingdom		
The praise of Your glory	Yours is the glory		
For You are raised to life again	Yours is the Name above all names		
CHORUS 3	ENDING		
What a powerful Name it is	What a powerful Name it is		
What a powerful Name it is	The Name of Jesus		
The Name of Jesus Christ my King	What a powerful Name it is		
What a powerful Name it is	The Name of Jesus		
Nothing can stand against			
What a powerful Name it is			
The Name of Jesus			

COLLECT FOR PURITY

Almighty God, you bring to light things hidden in darkness, and know the shadows of our hearts: Cleanse and renew us by your Spirit, that we may walk in the light and glorify your name, through Jesus Christ, the Light of the world. Amen.

Please be seated.

"Speak O Lord"

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VERSE 1

Speak O Lord as we come to You
To receive the food of Your holy word
Take Your truth plant it deep in us
Shape and fashion us in Your likeness
That the light of Christ might be seen today
In our acts of love and our deeds of faith
Speak O Lord and fulfill in us
All Your purposes for Your glory

VERSE 2

Teach us Lord full obedience
Holy reverence true humility
Test our thoughts and our attitudes
In the radiance of Your purity
Cause our faith to rise
Cause our eyes to see
Your majestic love and authority
Words of power that can never fail
Let their truth prevail over unbelief

VERSE 3

Speak O Lord and renew our minds
Help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time
That will echo down through eternity
And by grace we'll stand on Your promises
And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us
Speak O Lord till Your church is built
And the earth is filled with Your glory

PSALM

Liturgist: A reading from Psalm 19:7-14.

- The law of the LORD is perfect, reviving the soul; * the decrees of the LORD are sure, making wise the simple;
- The precepts of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart; *
 the commandment of the LORD is clear, enlightening the eyes;
- The fear of the LORD is pure, enduring forever; * the ordinances of the LORD are true and righteous altogether.

- More to be desired are they than gold, even much fine gold; * sweeter also than honey, and drippings of the honeycomb.
- Moreover by them is your servant warned; *

in keeping them there is great reward.

¹² But who can detect their errors? *

Clear me from hidden faults.

¹³ Keep back your servant also from the insolent;

do not let them have dominion over me. *

Then I shall be blameless, and innocent of great transgression.

Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable to you, * O LORD, my rock and my redeemer.

THE LESSON

Liturgist: A reading from James 4:7-12.

Liturgist: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE GOSPEL PROCESSION

Please stand and sing.

"All Because Of Christ"

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CHORUS

Hallelujah Our hearts cannot contain

All the glory of the Name above all Names

Hallelujah Our praises lifted high

And it's all because of Christ

And it's all because of Christ

THE GOSPEL READING

The Gospel reading today is from Mark 9:38-48.

Celebrant: The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Please he seated

HOMILY

Please stand.

THE NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, visible and invisible.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only-begotten 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 from the Holy Spirit and 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, 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.

Please be seated.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader: With all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord, saying "Through Jesus Christ our Lord."

Almighty God, we praise you for your creation, and for all you richly provide. Enable us to live in such a way that your majesty and mercy are seen by all.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All governments rule under your authority. May they work for the good of those they rule, seeking your justice and peace in every law and action.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Enable those who are engaged in industry and commerce, the media and education, sports and the arts, to fulfill their responsibilities with integrity and an attitude of service.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Comfort and strengthen those who are gripped by poverty, weakened by illness, or oppressed by cruelty. May they know your love and experience your care.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Inspire your church here on earth to proclaim the gospel of your love in the death and resurrection of your Son. May all people hear the call to trust you.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Help your people to display your compassion to all those in need. May the poor and the lost of this world find in you true wealth and sure identity.

Refresh and equip us, O God, to be your faithful and obedient people, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Please add your prayers of thanksgiving and intercession, either silently or aloud.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

O merciful Lord, grant to your faithful people pardon and peace, that we may be cleansed from all our sins and serve you with a quiet mind; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

Celebrant: Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

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

Please stand.

THE PEACE

Celebrant: May the peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Please be seated.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Celebrant: On the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my Body which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for 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 in remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

THE MINISTRATION OF COMMUNION

Celebrant: The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

We invite you to take advantage of several opportunities:

All baptized Christians of any age are welcome and encouraged to receive communion. Gluten-free wafers are available; grape juice is available from our acolyte. Please place your empty cup in the receptacle near the offering basket as you return to your seat. We ask that households maintain social distance with one another when coming forward to receive the sacrament.

COMMUNION HYMN

"Turn Your Eyes"

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VERSE 1

Turn your eyes upon Jesus
Look full in His wonderful face
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim
In the light of His glory and grace
From the jaws of death set free

VERSE 2

Turn your eyes to the hillside Where justice and mercy embrace There the Son of God gave His life for us And our measureless debt was erased Full of pow'r and purity

Turn your eyes to the morning And see Christ the lion awake What a glorious dawn fear of death is gone For we carry His life in our veins

VERSE 4

Turn your eyes to the heavens Our King will return for His own Every knee will bow every tongue will shout All glory to Jesus alone

CHORUS

Jesus to You we lift our eyes Jesus our glory and our prize We adore You behold You our Savior ever true Oh Jesus we turn our eyes to You

"Build My Life"

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VERSE 1	VERSE 2		
Worthy of ev'ry song we could ever sing	Jesus the name above ev'ry other name		
Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring	Jesus the only one who could ever save		
Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever	Worthy of ev'ry breath we could ever		
breathe	breathe		
We live for You	We live for You		
	We live for You		
CHORUS	BRIDGE		
Holy there is no one like You	I will build my life upon Your love		
There is none beside You	It is a firm foundation		
Open up my eyes in wonder and show me	I will put my trust in You alone		
who You are	And I will not be shaken		
And fill me with Your heart			
And lead me in Your love to those around			
me			

THE DOXOLOGY

Please stand and sing.

"Doxology"

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INTRO:

Praise God from whom all blessings flow

Praise Him all creatures here below

Praise Him above ye heav'nly hosts

Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Almighty and ever-living God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

THE BLESSING

Celebrant: Go forth into the world in peace, be of good courage, and fight the good fight of faith, that you may finish your course with joy; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

THE HYMN IN RECESSION

"Christ Will Be My Hideaway"

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CHORUS
In You my God I trust
You are strong and here with us
In You my hope remains
Christ will be my hideaway

VERSE 2

Angels gather to protect me
When they hear my Savior call
Sovereign hands are ever ready
To uphold me should I fall
Safe beneath His wings of refuge
All my fears are kept at bay
I am shielded by His faithfulness
Christ will be my hideaway

VERSE 3

Though a thousand fall around me
Though death looks me in the eye
Evil shall not have the vict'ry
While the Lord is at my side
God in power raised my Savior
I no longer fear the grave
Through this fragile life and evermore
Christ will be my hideaway

SENDING FORTH

Celebrant: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

MISSION TEAMS

ANGEL WINGS: Prepares meals to those who are going through trying times such as an illness, a move, new baby, etc. Leader: Carrie Setterberg (carrie.setterberg@gmail.com)

COMMUNITY PREGNANCY CENTER OF LAKE NORMAN: Seeks to serve Jesus Christ through ministering to those touched by possible crisis pregnancy. Team leader: Andi Wheeler (andiseth@bellsouth.net)

DAVIDSON COLLEGE: Walks alongside Davidson College students through a variety of means, including outreach, Bible Studies, social gatherings, and pairing students with an "Adoptive" Good Shepherd Family. Leader: Kenzie Brastow (kebrastow15@alumni.davidson.edu)

FOREIGN MISSIONS: Forms long-standing partnerships with foreign missionaries and churches in other countries to pray for, support, and join in via short-term trips, God's global Kingdom Work and heart for the lost.. Leader: Lori Nielsen (patandlori@gmail.com)

INHERITANCE OF HOPE: Serves families who are facing the loss of a parent through illness. Leader: Gina Roes (artofbreathing@me.com)

LAND OF A THOUSAND HILLS: Help farmers in Rwanda, Thailand, and Haiti make a living wage by buying coffee. Order at https://landofathousandhills.com/collections/coffee.

REFUGEE SUPPORT SERVICES: Helps newly arrived refugees make Charlotte their new home. Leader: Karyn Wallace (karynwallace@gmail.com)

WYCLIFFE BIBLE TRANSLATORS: Helps people around the world translate the Bible into their own languages, and provides language development, literacy and other spiritual and physical needs. Leader: Angie Simmons (chsags1@gmail.com)

MISSION TEAM SPOTLIGHT

DAVIDSON COLLEGE

The Davidson College mission team exists to share life in Christ with Davidson College students by pairing a Good Shepherd family with an "adopted" Davidson student. They will pray for, encourage, and express the hospitality of Christ to these students as they integrate into the Good Shepherd family during their time at Davidson. Leader: Kenzie Brastow

MINISTRY TEAMS

Our desire is to see every person at Good Shepherd participate in one of our Sunday morning ministry teams. Please contact the respective leader to learn how you can serve in this important capacity.

ACOLYTES: Bears the processional cross, assisting at the Communion table, and serving juice to the congregation. Leader: Xander Wallace (xanderwallace0701@gmail.com)

ALTAR: Cares for the altar, vestments, vessels, and altar linens. Leader: MJ Moran (mj@goodshepherdanglican.org)

AUDIO: Facilitates worship by providing audio. Leader: Seth Wheeler (seth@residentialstructurespc.com)

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL: Provides the foundational knowledge of scripture for preschool and elementary age attendees. Leader: Jen Ford (jac409@hotmail.com)

COUNTING: Handles the collection and offerings of the Church in accordance with sound accounting practices. Leader: MJ Moran (mj@goodshepherdanglican.org)

GREETERS: Welcomes everyone as they arrive for worship service. Leader: Karyn Wallace (karynwallace@gmail.com)

HOSPITALITY: Offers refreshments prior to worship service. Leader: Andi Wheeler (andiseth@bellsouth.net).

INTERCESSORY: Offers prayer ministry during and after worship service to anyone who requests prayer. Leader: Sue Stiles (susanstiles44@gmail.com)

LITURGIST: Facilitate worship by reading scripture, offering prayers, and serving wine. Leader: MJ Moran (mj@goodshepherdanglican.org)

MUSIC: Leads the congregation in praise and worship through song. Leader: Seth Honea (sethhonea79@gmail.com)

NURSERY: Cares for children age 2 and under during worship gatherings in the nursery. Leader: Jen Ford (jac409@hotmail.com)

USHERS: Welcomes and assists those who come to worship and provides a smooth operation within the service. Leader: Dan Ciccone (dciccone172@gmail.com)

VIDEO: Facilitates worship by providing video. Leader: Ben Johnson (benthankful@gmail.com)

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FINANCIAL UPDATE AUGUST 2021: To inform your giving and your prayers, the vestry invites you to make note of the following financial update. "Praise God from Whom all blessings flow."

OPERATING INCOME		EXPENSES		
BUDGET	AUGUST	YTD	AUGUST	YTD
PLAN	\$30,000	\$60,000	\$35,722	\$71,714
ACTUAL	\$28,864	\$56,506	\$33,020	\$66,288
VARIANCE	(\$1,136)	(\$3,494)	\$2,702	\$5,453

BUILDING FUND BALANCE (AUGUST): \$45,529