

THE NINETEENTH 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

Please tell us more about yourself and how we can pray for you by filling out a Connect Card. You can find Connect Cards in the lobby at the Connect Table, on one of the offering tables in the sanctuary or online on our website 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.



Install the Daily Office app from the App Store.



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

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Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9am - 2 pm, other times by appointment

WELCOME

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

OPENING ACCLAMATION

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

THE PROCESSION

"Behold Him"

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VERSE 1	CHORUS 1	
He who was before there was light	Jesus Son of God Messiah	
Walked across the pages of time	The Lamb the roaring Lion	
He who made every living thing	Oh be still and behold Him	
Behold Him		
He who heard humanity's cry		
Left His throne to wake as a child		
He became like the least of us		
Behold Him		
VERSE 2	CHORUS 2	
He who dined with sinners and saints	Jesus Son of God Messiah	
Healed the blind the lost and the lame	The Lamb the roaring Lion	
Even now He is in our midst	Oh be still and behold Him	
Behold Him	Jesus Alpha and Omega	
He who chose a criminal's end	Our God the risen Savior	
Paid with blood to settle our debt	Oh be still and behold Him	
Buried death as He rose to life		
Behold Him		
BRIDGE		
Holy holy		
Is the Lord God Almighty		
Worthy worthy		
To receive all praise		

"Nothing But The Blood"

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CHORUS	VERSE 1	
O precious is the flow	What can wash away my sin	
That makes me white as snow	Nothing but the blood of Jesus	
No other fount I know	What can make me whole again	
Nothing but the blood of Jesus	Nothing but the blood of Jesus	
VERSE 2	VERSE 3	
For my pardon this I see	Nothing can for sin atone	
Nothing but the blood of Jesus	Nothing but the blood of Jesus	
For my cleansing this my plea	Naught of good that I have done	
othing but the blood of Jesus Nothing but the blood of Jesus		
VERSE 4		
This is all my hope and peace		
Nothing but the blood of Jesus		
This is all my righteousness		
Nothing but the blood of Jesus		

COLLECT FOR PURITY

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.

PSALM

 ${\bf Liturgist:} \ A\ reading\ from\ Psalm\ 121.$

- I lift up my eyes to the hills— *
 from where will my help come?
- My help comes from the LORD, * who made heaven and earth.
- He will not let your foot be moved; * he who keeps you will not slumber.
- 4 He who keeps Israel * will neither slumber nor sleep.
- The LORD is your keeper; * the LORD is your shade at your right hand.

- 6 The sun shall not strike you by day, *
 - nor the moon by night.
- ⁷ The LORD will keep you from all evil; *
 - he will keep your life.
- The LORD will keep your going out and your coming in * from this time on and for evermore.

THE LESSON

Liturgist: A reading from 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5.

Liturgist: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE GOSPEL PROCESSION

Please stand and sing.

"Show Us Christ"

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VERSE 1	CHORUS
Prepare our hearts O God	Show us Christ show us Christ
Help us to receive	O God reveal Your glory
Break the hard and stony ground	Through the preaching of Your Word
Help our unbelief	Until every heart confesses Christ is Lord
Plant Your Word down deep in us	
'Cause it to bear fruit	
Open up our ears to hear	
Lead us in Your truth	
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BRIDGE

Where else can we go Lord

Where else can we go

You have the words of eternal life

THE GOSPEL READING

The Gospel reading today is from Luke 18:1-8.

Deacon: The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Deacon: The Holy Gospel of the Lord. **People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Please be 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

Set us free, loving Father, from the bondage of our sins, and in your goodness and mercy give us the liberty of that abundant life which you have made known to us in our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

Celebrant: All who truly and earnestly repent of your sins and seek to live in love and charity with your neighbors, and intend to lead the new life, following the commandments of God, and walking in his holy ways: draw near with faith and make your humble confession 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, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to 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 COMFORTABLE WORDS

Celebrant: Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him. If anyone sins, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world. *1 John 2:1-2*

Please stand.

THE PEACE

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

People: And with your spirit.

Please be seated.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please stand.

THE SURSUM CORDA

Celebrant: The Lord be with you. **People: And with your spirit.** Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **People:** It is right to give him thanks and praise.

It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who took on our mortal flesh to reveal his glory; that he might bring us out of darkness and into his own glorious light. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and

with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

THE SANCTUS

Holy, Holy, Lord God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory.Hosanna in the highest.Blessed is he who comes in the Name of the Lord.Hosanna in the highest.

THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

Celebrant: All praise and glory is yours, O God our heavenly Father, for in your tender mercy, you gave your only Son Jesus Christ to suffer death upon the Cross for our redemption. He made there, by his one oblation of himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation, and satisfaction, for the sins of the whole world; and he instituted, and in his Holy Gospel commanded us to continue, a perpetual memory of his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

So now, O merciful Father, in your great goodness, we ask you to bless and sanctify, with your Word and Holy Spirit, these gifts of bread and wine, that we, receiving them according to your Son our Savior Jesus Christ's holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most blessed Body and Blood.

For 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."

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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, forever and ever. Amen.

THE FRACTION

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People: Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

THE PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

We do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your abundant and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table; but you are the same Lord whose character is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

THE MINISTRATION OF COMMUNION

Celebrant: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of the Lamb.

Please be seated.

We invite you to take advantage of several opportunities:

All baptized Christians of any age are welcomed and encouraged to receive communion. Gluten-free wafers are available; grape juice is available from our acolyte. Please dispose of your empty cup in the bowl on the offering table as you return to your seat.

COMMUNION HYMN

"Stand In Your Love"

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VERSE 1	CHORUS	
When darkness tries to roll over my bones	My fear doesn't stand a chance	
When sorrow comes to steal the joy I own	When I stand in Your love	
When brokenness and pain is all I know		
I won't be shaken I won't be shaken		

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Shame no longer has a place to hide I am not a captive to the lies I'm not afraid to leave my past behind I won't be shaken I won't be shaken

BRIDGE

There's power that can break off every chain There's power that can empty out a grave There's resurrection power that can save There's power in Your name power in Your name

ENDING

Standing in Your love

"It Was Finished Upon That Cross"

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VERSE 1	VERSE 2		
How I love the voice of Jesus	Now the curse it has been broken		
On the Cross of Calvary	Jesus paid the price for me		
He declares his work is finished	Full the pardon He has offered		
He has spoken this hope to me	Great the welcome that I receive		
Though the sun had ceased its shining	Boldly I approach my Father		
Though the war appeared as lost	Clothed in Jesus' righteousness		
Christ had triumphed over evil	There is no more guilt to carry		
It was finished upon that Cross	It was finished upon that Cross		
VERSE 3	VERSE 4		
Death was once my great opponent	Death was once my great opponent		
Fear once had a hold on me	Fear once had a hold on me		
But the Son who died to save us	But the Son who died to save us		
Rose that we would be free indeed	Rose that we would be free indeed		
	Yes He rose that we would be free indeed		
	Free from ev'ry plan of darkness		
	Free to live and free to love		
	Death is dead and Christ is risen		
	It was finished upon that Cross		

ENDING

Onward to eternal glory
To my Saviour and my God
I rejoice in Jesus' victory
It was finished upon that Cross
It was finished upon that Cross
It was finished upon that Cross

Please stand and sing.

THE DOXOLOGY

"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: The peace of God, which passes 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 Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

THE HYMN IN RECESSION

"Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee"

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VERSE 1

Joyful joyful we adore Thee God of glory

Lord of love

Hearts unfold like flowers before Thee

Opening to the sun above

Melt the clouds of sin and sadness

Drive the dark of doubt away

Giver of immortal gladness

Fill us with the light of day

VERSE 2

All Thy works with joy surround Thee Earth and heaven reflect Thy rays Stars and angels sing around Thee Center of unbroken praise

Field and forest vale and mountain

Flowery meadow flashing sea Chanting bird and flowing fountain

Call us to rejoice in Thee

VERSE 3

Thou art giving and forgiving

Ever blessing ever blest

Wellspring of the joy of living

Ocean depth of happy rest

Thou our Father Christ our Brother

All who live in love are Thine

Teach us how to love each other

Lift us to the joy divine

SENDING FORTH

Deacon: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia.

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

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)

GLOBAL PARTNERSHIPS: 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)

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. Leader: Randy Barnes (rdbarnes4@gmail.com)

REFUGEES, IMMIGRANTS, AND THE DISPLACED (RID): Helps rid the barriers facing refugees, immigrants, and the displaced. 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 GLOBAL PARTNERSHIPS TEAM

TEAM The Global Partnerships team exists to provide ways for our local **SPOTLIGHT** congregation to step into the global work that God is doing in the world. We aim to seek and share life in Christ with those in other nations. Our purpose is two-fold; to grow an awareness of and passion for the lost in other nations (especially those people groups still unreached by the Gospel), and to foster partnerships with Christians in other nations or with foreign missionaries for prayer, financial, and short-term-trip (when requested) support.

> Please note our team has changed its name from "Foreign Missions" team to "Global Partnerships" team to better reflect the heart and vision of our team! To learn more, plug in, or join the team, please talk to Lori Nielsen

(patandlori@gmail.com).

MINISTRY TEAMS

Our desire is to see everyone 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 support. Leader: Seth Wheeler (seth@residentialstructurespc.com)

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

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

FLOWER GUILD: Provides fresh flowers to adorn the altar each week. Coordinates the memorial giving of flowers in honor of special occasions and loved ones. Leader: Mary Moore Rabb (marymoore.rabb@gmail.com)

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: Facilitates worship by reading scripture, leading 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 service. Leader: Jen Ford (jennifer@goodshepherdanglican.org)

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 support for online participants. Leader: Ben Johnson (benthankful@gmail.com)

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FINANCIAL UPDATE AUGUST 2022: 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	\$37,000	\$74,000	\$42,882	\$87,264
ACTUAL	\$41,737	\$83,854	\$42,967	\$83,325
VARIANCE	\$4,737	\$9,854	-\$85	\$3,939