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THE TWELFTH 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

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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

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RESOURCES

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

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We use the NRSV version during our Worship Service.



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WELCOME

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Bishop: The Lord will pour out his Spirit upon all flesh,

People: And your sons and daughters shall prophesy.

Bishop: Your old men shall dream dreams,

People: And your young men shall see visions.

Bishop: You shall know that the Lord is in the midst of his people,

People: That he is the Lord and there is none else.

Bishop: And it shall come to pass

People: That everyone who calls on the Name of the Lord shall be saved.

Bishop: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Bishop: Let us pray.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Keep your Church, O Lord, by your perpetual mercy; and because without you the frailty of our nature causes us to fall, keep us from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable for our salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

THE PROCESSION

“How Great Thou Art”

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<p>VERSE 1 O Lord my God When I in awesome wonder Consider all the worlds Thy hands have made I see the stars I hear the rolling thunder Thy pow'r thru'out The universe displayed</p>	<p>CHORUS Then sings my soul My Savior God to Thee How great Thou art How great Thou art</p>
<p>VERSE 2 When thru the woods And forest glades I wander And hear the birds Sing sweetly in the trees When I look down From lofty mountain grandeur And hear the brook And feel the gentle breeze</p>	<p>VERSE 3 And when I think That God His Son not sparing Sent Him to die I scarce can take it in That on the cross My burden gladly bearing He bled and died To take away my sin</p>
<p>VERSE 4 When Christ shall come With shout of acclamation And take me home What joy shall fill my heart Then I shall bow In humble adoration And there proclaim My God how great Thou art</p>	

“Praise to the Lord (Joyful, Joyful)”

<p>VERSE 1 Praise to the Lord The Almighty the King of creation O my soul praise Him For He is your health and salvation All ye who hear now to His temple draw near Join me in glad adoration</p>	<p>VERSE 2 Praise to the Lord Who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth Shelters you under His wings Yay, so gently sustaineth Have you not seen How thy desires have been Granted in what He ordaineth</p>
<p>VERSE 3 Praise to the Lord Who does prosper your work and defend you Surely His Goodness and Mercy shall daily attend you Ponder anew what the Almighty can do If with His Love He befriends you</p>	<p>CHORUS 1 Joyful joyful we adore Thee God of glory Lord of love Hearts unfold like flow'rs before Thee Op'ning 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!</p>
<p>CHORUS 2 Mortals, join the mighty chorus, Which the morning stars began; Father-love is reigning o'er us, Brother-love binds man to man. Ever singing, march we onward, Victors in the midst of strife; Joyful music leads us sunward In the triumph song of life.</p>	<p>VERSE 4 Praise to the Lord oh let all that is in me adore Him All that has life and breath Come now with praises before Him Let the amen sound from His people again! Gladly forever adore Him</p>

Please be seated.

PSALM

Liturgist: *A reading from Psalm 67.*

- 1 May God be gracious to us and bless us *
and make his face to shine upon us,
- 2 That your way may be known upon earth, *
your saving power among all nations.
- 3 Let the peoples praise you, O God; *
let all the peoples praise you.

- 4 Let the nations be glad and sing for joy, *
for you judge the peoples with equity and guide the nations upon earth.
- 5 Let the peoples praise you, O God; *
let all the peoples praise you.
- 6 The earth has yielded its increase; *
God, our God, has blessed us.
- 7 May God continue to bless us; *
let all the ends of the earth revere him.

THE LESSON

Liturgist: A reading from Romans 11:13-24.

Liturgist: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE GOSPEL PROCESSION

Please stand and sing.

“The Lord Almighty Reigns”

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CHORUS

Hallelujah hallelujah

For the Lord Almighty reigns

Hallelujah hallelujah

For the Lord our God the Almighty reigns

THE GOSPEL READING

The Gospel reading today is from Matthew 15:21-28.

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

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Celebrant: 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.

THE PRESENTATION, EXHORTATION AND EXAMINATION

The Bishop customarily sits in a chair in front of the Altar Table. The Candidates and Presenters stand facing the Bishop as their Presenters say

Presenter Reverend Father in God, we present these persons to receive the laying on of hands.

Bishop Have they been adequately prepared?

Presenter They have.

Bishop:

Dearly beloved, it is essential that those who wish to be Confirmed in this Church publicly confess Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior; become his disciples; know and affirm the Nicene Creed, the Lord's Prayer, and the Ten Commandments; and have received instruction in the Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments and the Catechism of the Church. God's grace is imparted in Baptism, through which we are made God's children by adoption and given the Holy Spirit. By the power of the Spirit, manifested in gifts and fruit, we are enabled to be God's people for the sake of the world. Now, these Candidates desire publicly to confess their faith in Jesus Christ as Savior and their commitment to follow him as Lord. They also desire the strengthening of grace through the laying on of hands, that the

Holy Spirit may fill them more and more for their life and ministry in the Church and in the world.

The Bishop then addresses the Candidates

Bishop: Do you, here in the presence of God and the Church, renew the solemn promises and vows made at your Baptism and commit to keep them?

Candidates: I do.

Bishop: Do you renounce the devil and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?

Candidates: I renounce them.

Bishop: Do you renounce the empty promises and deadly deceits of this world that corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?

Candidates: I renounce them.

Bishop: Do you renounce the sinful desires of the flesh that draw you from the love of God?

Candidates: I renounce them.

Bishop: Do you turn to Jesus Christ and confess him as your Lord and Savior?

Candidates: I do.

Bishop: Do you joyfully receive the Christian Faith, as revealed in the Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments?

Candidates: I do.

Bishop: Will you obediently keep God's holy will and commandments, and walk in them all the days of your life?

Candidates: I will, the Lord being my helper.

The Bishop addresses the Congregation

Bishop: Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support these persons in their life in Christ?

Congregation: We will.

PRAYER AND THE LAYING ON OF HANDS

Bishop: Let us pray.

Almighty and everliving God, we beseech you to strengthen these your servants for witness and ministry through the power of your Holy Spirit. Daily increase in them your manifold virtues of grace: the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and true godliness, and the spirit of holy fear, now and for ever.

Amen.

Each Confirmand kneels in front of the Bishop. The Bishop, then laying his hands upon the person's head, prays
Defend, O Lord, this your servant **N.** with your heavenly grace, that he/she may continue yours for ever, and daily increase in your Holy Spirit more and more until he/she comes into the fullness of your everlasting kingdom.

People **Amen.**

The Bishop may make the sign of the Cross with the Oil of Chrism on the forehead of any receiving the laying on of hands, and may say

N., I sign you with the Cross of our Lord Jesus Christ in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Bishop:

Almighty and everliving God, let your fatherly hand ever be upon these your servants; let your Holy Spirit ever be with them; and so lead them in the knowledge and obedience of your Holy Word, that they may faithfully serve you in this life, and joyfully dwell with you in the life to come; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **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

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 Holy Lord”

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VERSE 1 Holy holy holy Lord God of pow'r and might Heaven and earth are filled With Your glory	CHORUS Hosanna hosanna in the highest Hosanna hosanna in the highest
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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 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

“The Table”

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VERSE 1 I will feast at the table of the Lord I will feast at the table of the Lord I won't hunger anymore at His table	CHORUS Come all you weary come and find His yoke is easy His burden is light He is able He will restore At the table of the Lord
VERSE 2 There is peace at the table of the Lord There is peace at the table of the Lord I won't worry anymore at His table	VERSE 3 There is healing at the table of the Lord There is healing at the table of the Lord Oh and I won't suffer anymore at His table
VERSE 4 I'm invited to the table of the Lord I'm invited to the table of the Lord He says come just as you are to His table	BRIDGE I know He has a place for me Oh what joy will fill my heart With the saints around the mercy seat of God

“Is He Worthy”

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<p>VERSE 1 Do you feel the world is broken; We do Do you feel the shadows deepen; We do But do you know that all the dark Won't stop the light from getting through We do Do you wish that you could see it all made new We do</p>	<p>VERSE 2 Is all creation groaning; It is Is a new creation coming; It is Is the glory of the Lord To be the light within our midst It is Is it good that we remind ourselves of this It is</p>
<p>CHORUS 1 Is anyone worthy; Is anyone whole Is anyone able to break the seal and open the scroll The Lion of Judah who conquered the grave He is David's Root And the Lamb who died to ransom the slave Is He worthy; Is He worthy Of all blessing and honor and glory Is He worthy of this; He is</p>	<p>VERSE 3 Does the Father truly love us He does Does the Spirit move among us He does And does Jesus our Messiah Hold forever those He loves He does Does our God intend to dwell again with us He does</p>
<p>CHORUS 2 Is anyone worthy; Is anyone whole Is anyone able to break the seal and open the scroll The Lion of Judah who conquered the grave He is David's Root And the Lamb who died to ransom the slave From ev'ry people and tribe every nation and tongue He has made us a kingdom and priests To God to reign with the Son Is He worthy; Is He worthy Of all blessing and honor and glory Is He worthy; Is He worthy Is He worthy of this; He is</p>	<p>ENDING Is He worthy Is He worthy He is He is</p>

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: 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

“Hymn Of Heaven”

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<p>VERSE 1 How I long to breathe the air of Heaven Where pain is gone and mercy fills the streets To look upon the one who bled to save me And walk with Him for all eternity</p>	<p>CHORUS 1 There will be a day When all will bow before Him There will be a day When death will be no more Standing face to face With He who died and rose again Holy holy is the Lord</p>
<p>VERSE 2 And ev'ry prayer we prayed in desperation The songs of faith We sang through doubt and fear In the end we'll see that it was worth it When He returns to wipe away our tears</p>	<p>VERSE 3 And on that day we join the resurrection And stand beside the heroes of the faith With one voice a thousand generations Sing worthy is the Lamb who was slain Forever He shall reign</p>
<p>CHORUS 2 So let it be today We shout the hymn of Heaven With angels and the Saints We raise a mighty roar Glory to our God Who gave us life beyond the grave Holy holy is the Lord Holy holy is the Lord Holy holy is the Lord</p>	

SENDING FORTH

Celebrant: 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.

FLOURISH KENYA: Flourish Kenya is ending the teen pregnancy epidemic in rural Kenya in this generation by improving sexual and reproductive health literacy, providing secondary school sponsorships, and protecting teens in crisis because every youth deserves to flourish. Leader: Tia McNelly (tiamcnelly@gmail.com)

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)

MISSION TEAM SPOTLIGHT

DAVIDSON COLLEGE
The Davidson College mission team exists to share life in Christ with Davidson College students by offering prayer, relationship, and hospitality in Christ to these students as they integrate into the Good Shepherd family during their time at Davidson. Our heart is to invite and involve Davidson Students into the love and family of Christ during their college experience.

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FINANCIAL UPDATE JUNE 2023: 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 BUDGET	INCOME		EXPENSES	
	JUNE	YTD	JUNE	YTD
PLAN	\$47,000	\$529,000	\$45,757	\$534,955
ACTUAL	\$40,218	\$541,260	\$39,566	\$536,748
VARIANCE	-\$6,782	\$12,260	6,191	-\$1,793