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SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

GOOD SHEPHERD ANGLICAN
CORNELIUS, NORTH CAROLINA
SEPTEMBER 15, 2024

welcome!

Good morning and welcome to Good Shepherd Anglican. We are delighted you have joined us today!

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If you are new here, please tell us more about yourself by filling out a Connect Card. Just click on this code with your smartphone camera to fill it out online.



CHILDREN

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

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

PASTORAL CARE & PRAYER

The church is open during the week on Tuesday and Thursday from 10am to 2pm. All are welcome to come in if you desire a quiet place for prayer and meditation or to meet with one of our clergy for counsel. If these times are not convenient for your schedule, you may also make an appointment to meet with one of our clergy by calling the church office or contacting them directly via the Good Shepherd website.

Prayer cards are available in the Sanctuary or the Prayer Room and on our website. You may place your prayer card in the offering basket or in the secure box located in the Prayer Room. All prayer requests will be attended to confidentially by our intercessory prayer team. It is our privilege to support you with prayer and we encourage you to connect with us in this way especially.

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Office Hours Tuesday and Thursday 10 am – 2 pm

Wednesday at 1:30 pm there will be intercessory prayer in the Sanctuary. Anyone is welcome to join.

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PRELUDE

“How Great in Our God”

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<p>VERSE 1 The splendor of the King Clothed in majesty Let all the earth rejoice All the earth rejoice He wraps Himself in light And darkness tries to hide And trembles at His voice And trembles at His voice</p>	<p>VERSE 2 And age to age He stands And time is in His hands Beginning and the End Beginning and the End The Godhead three in one Father Spirit Son The Lion and the Lamb The Lion and the Lamb</p>
<p>CHORUS 1 How great is our God Sing with me How great is our God And all will see how great How great is our God</p>	<p>BRIDGE Name above all names Worthy of all praise My heart will sing How great is our God</p>

WELCOME

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant The Lord is here!
People **His Spirit is with us.**
Celebrant Let us proclaim the mighty works of the Lord,
People **that all the world may know His saving grace!**
Celebrant Blessed be God: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.
People **And blessed be His kingdom, now and forever. Amen.**

Let us pray together.

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

DISMISSAL OF THE CHILDREN

SONGS OF PRAISE

“I Will Follow”

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<p>VERSE 1 All Your ways are good All Your ways are sure I will trust in You Higher than my sight High above my life I will trust in You alone</p>	<p>CHORUS Where You go I'll go Where You stay I'll stay When You move I'll move I will follow You Whom You love I'll love How You serve I'll serve If this life I lose I will follow You</p>
<p>VERSE 2 Light into the world Light into my life You're the One I seek Knowing I will find All I need in You alone In You alone</p>	<p>BRIDGE In You there's life everlasting In You there's freedom for my soul In You there's joy unending joy And I will follow</p>

“O Praise the Name (Anastasis)”

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<p>VERSE 1 I cast my mind to Calvary Where Jesus bled and died for me I see His wounds His hands His feet My Saviour on that cursed tree</p>	<p>VERSE 2 His body bound and drenched in tears They laid Him down in Joseph's tomb The entrance sealed by heavy stone Messiah still and all alone</p>
<p>CHORUS O praise the Name of the Lord our God O praise His Name forevermore</p> <p style="text-align: right;">For endless days we will sing Your praise Oh Lord oh Lord our God</p>	
<p>VERSE 3 Then on the third at break of dawn The Son of heaven rose again O trampled death where is your sting The angels roar for Christ the King</p>	<p>VERSE 4 He shall return in robes of white The blazing sun shall pierce the night And I will rise among the saints My gaze transfixed on Jesus' face</p>

Let us pray together.

Almighty God our Savior, You desire that none should perish, and You have taught us through Jesus Your Son that there is great joy in heaven over every sinner who repents: Grant that our hearts may ache for the lost in this broken world. May the Holy Spirit work through our words, deeds, and prayers, that the lost may be found, the dead be made alive, that all Your redeemed may rejoice around Your throne; through Jesus Christ our Redeemer and Lord. Amen.

Please be seated.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

A reading from Psalm 130.

Reader Out of the depths I have cried to You, O Lord. Lord, hear my voice!
Let Your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications.

***People* If You, Lord, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand?
But there is forgiveness with You, that You may be feared.**

Reader I wait for the Lord, my soul does wait, and in His word do I hope.
My soul *waits* for the Lord

***People* More than the watchmen for the morning;
Indeed, more than the watchmen for the morning.**

Reader O Israel, hope in the Lord; for with the Lord there is lovingkindness,
And with Him is abundant redemption.

***People* And He will redeem Israel from all his iniquities.**

Reader The Word of the Lord.

***People* Thanks be to God.**

NEW TESTAMENT READING

A reading from Philippians 2:1-11.

Reader *The Word of the Lord.*

***People* Thanks be to God.**

THE GOSPEL PROCESSION

Please stand and sing.

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CHORUS

O praise the Name of the Lord our God
O praise His Name forevermore
For endless days we will sing
Your praise Oh Lord oh Lord our God

THE HOLY GOSPEL

The Gospel reading today is from John 17:13-26.

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

***People* Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

***Together* And Lord we pray that Your Word would always be on our minds, upon our
lips, and deep within our hearts.**

THE GOSPEL READING

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

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

Please be seated.

SERMON

The Rev'd Bill Scott

Rector, Resurrection Anglican Church, Rock Hill, SC

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Reader As we come together as a family in Christ, we pray for all people in every land and nation who are suffering from war, injustice, famine, and disease. We pray for the weak, vulnerable, and scared. *(we pause in prayer...)*

Reader Lord, we pray, comfort them.

People **Hear the cry of their hearts.**

Reader We remember in prayer the leaders of nations, and in particular, leaders of country, state, and local community. We pray for all in public service, remembering those who risk their lives for our safety. *(we pause in prayer...)*

Reader Lord, we pray, protect them and keep them safe.

People **Grant them wisdom that we may live in peace.**

Reader We pray blessing and protection on Your Church here and abroad; for all Christians, pastors, and missionaries who faithfully bear witness to Your Name. Continue to bless us at Good Shepherd. Empower our bishops, vestry, staff, search team, and the ministries You've entrusted to each one of us. And today, we pray special blessing on our new pastor and his family, whoever that might be. Keep them healthy and well. *(we pause in prayer...)*

Reader Lord, we pray, be present in Your Church.

People **Protect us, guide us, and empower us for Your service.**

Reader Heavenly Father, You know the burdens of our hearts, and we give them to You. We pray for our sick and those we love who are suffering in heart, body, and soul. We lift them to You by name... *(we pause in prayer...)*

Reader Lord, we pray, grant us mercy

People **Open our hearts to receive Your healing and love.**

Celebrant Remaining in prayer, let us now come before the Lord and confess our sins, lifting our hearts to Him in humility and repentance.

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

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.

ABSOLUTION

Our Almighty and merciful Father grant us true repentance; absolution and forgiveness of all our sins through the death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ; and the grace and consolation of the Holy Spirit that leads to amendment of life, through Christ our Lord. Amen

Please stand.

THE APOSTLES CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended to the dead. On the third day He rose again.

He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE COMFORTABLE WORDS

***Together* “But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.” (Romans 5:8)**

THE PEACE

Celebrant The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

***People* And also with you.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please stand.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (From the Anglican Church of Kenya, Africa)

Celebrant Is the Father with us?

People He is.

Celebrant Is the Lord Jesus Christ among us?

People He is.

Celebrant Is the Spirit here?

People He is.

Celebrant This is our God.

People Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Celebrant We are His people.

People We are the redeemed.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them 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. Therefore we praise You, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of Your Name.

THE SANCTUS

“Holy Holy Holy Lord”

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

THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

Almighty God and Father, Creator of all things, in these last days You have sent us Your Son, Your perfect image, bringing Your kingdom, revealing Your will, dying, rising, reigning, and remaking Your people for Yourself.

Together Through Him You have poured out Your Holy Spirit, filling us with light and life.

We thank You for giving up Your only Son to die on the cross for us who owe You everything. Pour Your refreshing Spirit on us and upon these gifts as we remember Him in the way He commanded, through these gifts of Your creation. On the same night that He was betrayed He took bread and gave You 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."

***Together* Amen. His body was broken for us.**

In the same way, after supper He took the cup and gave thanks; He gave it to them, saying, "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. Do this as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me." Therefore, we proclaim the mystery of faith:

***Together* Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

Therefore, heavenly Father, hear us as we celebrate this covenant with joy, and await the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. He died in our place, making a full atonement for the sins of the whole world, the perfect sacrifice, once and for all. You accepted His offering by raising Him from death and granting Him great honor at Your right hand on high.

***Together* Amen. Jesus is Lord.**

This is the feast of victory.

***Together* The Lamb who was slain has begun His reign.**

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 has been sacrificed for us.

People **Therefore, let us keep the feast. Alleluia!**

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.

THE MINISTRATION OF COMMUNION

Please be seated.

All baptized Christians of any age are welcome and encouraged to receive communion. In addition to individual cups, the Common Cup is now available for receiving communion by drinking or by intinction (dipping). There are also gluten-free wafers available, and the acolyte will offer grape juice. If you are not a baptized Christian, we welcome you to come forward for a blessing. Please indicate this by crossing your arms over your chest.

The Prayer Team is available to you in the back of the church.

COMMUNION HYMN

“In Christ Alone”

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VERSE 1 In Christ alone my hope is found He is my light my strength my song This Cornerstone this solid Ground Firm through the fiercest drought and storm What heights of love what depths of peace When fears are stilled when strivings cease My Comforter my All in All Here in the love of Christ I stand	VERSE 2 In Christ alone who took on flesh Fulness of God in helpless babe This gift of love and righteousness Scorned by the ones He came to save Till on that cross as Jesus died The wrath of God was satisfied For every sin on Him was laid Here in the death of Christ I live
VERSE 3 There in the ground His body lay Light of the world by darkness slain Then bursting forth in glorious Day Up from the grave He rose again And as He stands in victory Sin's curse has lost its grip on me For I am His and He is mine Bought with the precious blood of Christ	VERSE 4 No guilt in life no fear in death This is the power of Christ in me From life's first cry to final breath Jesus commands my destiny No power of hell no scheme of man Can ever pluck me from His hand Till He returns or calls me home Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

Please stand and sing.

“Doxology”

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VERSE 1 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.

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 All our problems,
People We send to the cross of Christ.
Celebrant All our difficulties,
People We send to the cross of Christ.
Celebrant All the devil's works,
People We send to the cross of Christ.
Celebrant All our hopes,
People We set on the risen Christ.

“Glorious Day”

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<p>VERSE 1 I was buried beneath my shame Who could carry that kind of weight I t was my tomb 'til I met You</p>	<p>VERSE 2 I was breathing but not alive All my failures I tried to hide It was my tomb 'til I met You</p>
<p>CHORUS 1 ('Cause when) You called my name (and) I ran out of that grave Out of the darkness into Your glorious day You called my name (and) I ran out of that grave Out of the darkness into Your glorious day</p>	<p>VERSE 3 Now Your mercy has saved my soul Now Your freedom is all that I know The old made new Jesus when I met You</p>
<p>BRIDGE I needed rescue my sin was heavy But chains break at the weight of Your glory I needed shelter I was an orphan Now You call me a citizen of Heaven</p> <p style="text-align: right;">When I was broken You were my healing Now Your love is the air that I'm breathing I have a future my eyes are open</p>	

SENDING FORTH

Deacon Alleluia! Let us go forth to serve, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit!

People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!**

MINISTRY TEAMS

Our desire is to see everyone at Good Shepherd participate in one of our Sunday morning ministry teams. Please send an e-mail to the team 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: Jen Snow (jensnow@goodshepherdanglican.org)

ALTAR: Cares for the altar, vestments, vessels, and altar linens. Leader: MJ Smith (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: Jen Snow (jensnow@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: Earlene Steger (jpsincali@gmail.com).

GREETERS: Welcomes everyone as they arrive for worship service. Leader: Ray Fulton (ray.fulton@gmail.com)

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

INTERCESSORY TEAM: Offers prayer ministry during and after worship service to anyone who requests prayer. Leader: Stacy & Immanuel Comer (comersc112108@gmail.com)

READER: Facilitates worship by reading scripture, leading prayers, and serving wine. Contact: Joel McNelly (jmcnelly71@gmail.com)

MUSIC: Leads the congregation in praise and worship through song. *Leader: Seeking new leader*

NURSERY: Cares for children age 2 and under during worship service. Contact: Jen Ford (jennifer@goodshepherdanglican.org)

USHERS: Welcomes and assists those who come to worship and provides a smooth operation during the service. Leader: Ray Fulton (ray.fulton@gmail.com)

VIDEO: Facilitates worship by providing video support for online participants. Contact: Patrick Nielsen (patrick.a.nielsen@gmail.com)

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JULY 2024 FINANCIAL UPDATE

July 2024	Income		Expenses	
	Month	YTD	JULY	YTD
Plan	\$40,226	\$40,226	\$49,828	\$49,828
Actual	\$34,366	\$34,366	\$30,032	\$30,032
Variance	-\$5,860	-\$5,860	\$19,796	\$19,796

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- through **your bank** using Zelle (send to Treasurer@goodshepherdanglican.org)
- **online** the at www.goodshepherdanglican.org
- on your **smartphone** using the Church Center App;
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CHURCH LEADERSHIP

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