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TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

GOOD SHEPHERD ANGLICAN  
CORNELIUS, NORTH CAROLINA  
OCTOBER 20, 2024

# *welcome!*

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

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## 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.

## CONTACT US

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Intercessory Prayer in the Sanctuary at 1pm: Monday 10/7, 10/14; Thursday 10/24, 10/31

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PRELUDE

**“How Great Is Our God”**

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<p><b>CHORUS 1</b>  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><b>VERSE 1</b>  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><b>VERSE 2</b>  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><b>BRIDGE</b>  Name above all names  Worthy of all praise  My heart will sing  How great is our God</p>

WELCOME

OPENING ACCLAMATION

*Celebrant*           The kingdom of the world has become the kingdom of our Lord and of His Christ,  
**People**               **And He will reign forever and ever.**

*Celebrant*           Hallelujah! For the Lord our God, the Almighty reigns.  
**People**               **Let us rejoice and be glad and give Him the glory!** (*Revelation 11:15, 19:6-7*)

*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

**“Before the Throne of God Above”**

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<p><b>VERSE 1</b>                  The sun comes up it's a new day dawning                  It's time to sing Your song again                  Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me                  Let me be singing when the evening comes</p>	<p><b>CHORUS</b>                  Bless the Lord O my soul                  O my soul Worship His holy name                  Sing like never before O my soul                  I'll worship Your holy name</p>
<p><b>VERSE 2</b>                  You're rich in love and You're slow to anger                  Your name is great and Your heart is kind                  For all Your goodness I will keep on singing                  Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find</p>	<p><b>VERSE 3</b>                  And on that day when my strength is failing                  The end draws near and my time has come                  Still my soul will sing Your praise unending                  Ten thousand years and then forevermore.</p>

**“Build My Life”**

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

*Let us pray together.*

**Almighty God and Father, by whom the meek are guided in judgement, and light rises up in darkness for the godly: Grant us, in all our doubts and uncertainties, the grace to ask what You would have us do, that the Spirit of wisdom may save us from all false choices; that in Your light we may see light, and in Your straight path we may not stumble; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

OLD TESTAMENT READING

*A reading from 1 Samuel 8:1-9.*

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

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

NEW TESTAMENT READING

*A reading from Colossians 3:12-17*

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

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

THE GOSPEL PROCESSION

*Please stand and sing.*

**“Great Are You Lord”**

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<b>VERSE 1</b> You give life You are love You bring light to the darkness You give hope You restore ev'ry heart that is broken And great are You Lord	<b>CHORUS 1</b> It's Your breath in our lungs So we pour out our praise We pour out our praise It's Your breath in our lungs So we pour out our praise to You only
<b>BRIDGE</b> And all the earth will shout Your praise Our hearts will cry these bones will sing Great are You Lord	

THE HOLY GOSPEL

*The Gospel reading today is from John 18:33-40.*

*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

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 our 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, 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 heart, 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 now to You by name. *(we pause in prayer...)*

*Reader* Lord, we pray, grant them Your mercy.

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

*Reader* Yours, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty...

**Together** **...for everything in heaven and on earth is Yours; Yours is the Kingdom, O Lord, and You are exalted as Head above all. All things come from You, O Lord, and of Your own have we given You.**

*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

**Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep; we have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts; we have offended against Your holy laws, we have left undone those things which we ought to have done, and we have done those things which we ought not to have done. But You, O Lord, have mercy upon us, spare us who confess our faults, restore us who are penitent, according to Your promises declared to us in Christ Jesus our Lord; and grant, O most merciful Father, for His sake, that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of Your holy 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* “Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful.” (Colossians 3:15)**

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

### ***“Jesus Paid It All”***

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<b>VERSE 1</b> And I hear the Savior say Thy strength indeed is small Child of weakness watch and pray Find in Me thine all in all	<b>CHORUS 1</b> 'Cause Jesus paid it all All to Him I owe Sin had left a crimson stain He washed it white as snow (It's washed away) (All my sin and all my shame)
<b>VERSE 2</b> Lord now indeed I find Thy pow'r and Thine alone Can change the leper's spots And melt the heart of stone	<b>VERSE 3</b> And when before the throne I stand in Him complete Jesus died my soul to save My lips shall still repeat
<b>CHORUS 2</b> Jesus paid it all all to Him I owe Sin had left a crimson stain He washed it white as snow Sin had left a crimson stain He washed it white as snow He washed it white as snow He washed it white as snow	<b>BRIDGE</b> Oh praise the One Who paid my debt And raised this life up from the dead (Jesus)

*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

**Heavenly Father, 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.**

**“The Blessing”**

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<p><b>VERSE 1</b>          The Lord bless you          And keep you          Make his face shine upon you          And be gracious to you          The Lord turn his          Face toward you          And give you peace</p>	<p><b>CHORUS</b>          Amen          Amen          Amen</p>
<p><b>BRIDGE 1</b>          May his favor be upon you          And a thousand generations          To your family, And your children          And their children          And their children</p>	<p><b>BRIDGE 2</b>          May his presence go before you          And behind you and beside you          All around you and within you          He is with you          He is with you</p>
<p><b>CHORUS</b>          In the morning, In the evening          In your coming and your going          In your weeping and rejoicing          He is for you He is for you</p>	<p><b>CHORUS</b>          Amen          Amen          Amen</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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**AUGUST 2024 FINANCIAL UPDATE**

August 2024	Income		Expenses	
	Month	YTD	Month	YTD
<b>Plan</b>	\$40,227	\$80,453	\$49,828	\$99,656
<b>Actual</b>	\$30,605	\$64,972	\$25,488	\$55,521
<b>Variance</b>	-\$9,622	-\$15,481	\$24,339	\$44,135

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- **in person** at worship service
- through **your bank** using Zelle (send to Treasurer@goodshepherdanglican.org)
- **online** the at [www.goodshepherdanglican.org](http://www.goodshepherdanglican.org)
- on your **smartphone** using the Church Center App; just click this code with your camera



All offerings will go to the general Operating Fund unless designated otherwise. Please contact our Treasurer, Michael Reynolds, at Treasurer@goodshepherdanglican.org with any questions.

## CHURCH LEADERSHIP

<b>CHURCH OVERSIGHT</b> Most Rev. Steve Wood Archbishop and Diocesan Bishop Rt. Rev. Terrell Glenn NC Area Bishop	<b>MINISTERS: ALL OF US AT GOOD SHEPHERD!</b> <b>CLERGY</b> Rt. Rev. Thad Barnum Interim Team Leader Rev. Bill DeBardeleben Priest, Pastoral Care Gina Roes Deacon, Pastoral Care Jen Snow Deacon, Pastoral Care
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