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TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

GOOD SHEPHERD ANGLICAN
CORNELIUS, NORTH CAROLINA
NOVEMBER 10, 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.

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PRELUDE

“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 alone Higher than my sight high above my life I will trust in You alone, 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 I will follow You</p>
<p>VERSE 2 Light into the world light into my life I will live for You alone 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>

WELCOME

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant Oh come, let us sing to the Lord;

People Let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

Celebrant Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving;

People Let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise! *(Psalm 95:1-2)*

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, 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.

DISMISSAL OF THE CHILDREN

SONGS OF PRAISE

“Step By Step”

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<p>VERSE 1 Sometimes the night was beautiful Sometimes the sky was so far away Sometimes it seemed to stoop so close You could touch it but your heart would break Sometimes the morning came too soon Sometimes the day could be so hot There was so much work left to do But so much You'd already done</p>	<p>CHORUS O God You are my God And I will ever praise You O God You are my God And I will ever praise You And I will seek You in the morning And I will learn to walk in Your ways And step by step You'll lead me And I will follow You all of my days</p>
<p>VERSE 2 Sometimes I think of Abraham How one star he saw Had been lit for me He was a stranger in this land And I am that no less than he And on this road to righteousness Sometimes the climb can be so steep I may falter in my steps But never beyond Your reach</p>	<p>BRIDGE When I don't have strength You will carry me If I lose my way You will never leave</p>

“Living Hope”

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<p>VERSE 1 How great the chasm that lay between us How high the mountain I could not climb In desperation, I turned to heaven And spoke Your name into the night Then through the darkness, Your loving kindness Tore through the shadows of my soul The work is finished, the end is written Jesus Christ, my living hope</p>	<p>VERSE 2 Who could imagine so great a mercy? What heart could fathom such boundless grace? The God of ages stepped down from glory To wear my sin and bear my shame The cross has spoken, I am forgiven The King of kings calls me His own Beautiful Savior, I'm Yours forever Jesus Christ, my living hope</p>
<p>CHORUS Hallelujah, praise the One who set me free Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on me You have broken every chain There's salvation in Your name Jesus Christ, my living hope</p>	<p>VERSE 3 Then came the morning that sealed the promise Your buried body began to breathe Out of the silence, the Roaring Lion Declared the grave has no claim on me... Jesus, Yours is the victory, whoa!</p>
<p>ENDING Jesus Christ, my living hope Oh God, You are my living hope</p>	

Let us pray together.

Thanks be to Thee, my Lord Jesus Christ, for all the pains and insults Thou hast borne for me, and all the benefits Thou hast given me. O most merciful Redeemer, Friend, and Brother: Grant that I may see Thee more clearly, love Thee more dearly, and follow Thee more nearly, day by day. Amen. (*Richard of Chichester, 1198-1253, BCP 2019, p. 672*)

Please be seated.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

A reading from Psalm 16:1-11

Reader Preserve me, O God, for in you I take refuge. I say to the Lord, "You are my Lord; I have no good apart from you."

People **As for the saints in the land, they are the excellent ones, in whom is all my delight.**

Reader The sorrows of those who run after another god shall multiply; their drink offerings of blood I will not pour out or take their names on my lips.

People **The Lord is my chosen portion and my cup; you hold my lot. The lines have fallen for me in pleasant places; indeed, I have a beautiful inheritance.**

Reader I bless the Lord who gives me counsel; in the night also my heart instructs me. I have set the Lord always before me; because he is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.

People **Therefore my heart is glad, and my whole being rejoices; my flesh also dwells secure. For you will not abandon my soul to Sheol, or let your holy one see corruption.**

Reader You make known to me the path of life; in your presence there is fullness of joy;

People **At your right hand are pleasures forevermore.**

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

NEW TESTAMENT READING

A reading from Hebrews 11:8-16

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

THE GOSPEL PROCESSION

Please stand and sing.

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CHORUS

Hallelujah, praise the One who set me free
Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on me
You have broken every chain
There's salvation in Your name
Jesus Christ, my living hope

THE HOLY GOSPEL

The Gospel reading today is from Luke 10:38-42.

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

***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

³⁸Now as they went on their way, Jesus entered a village. And a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. ³⁹And she had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to his teaching. ⁴⁰But Martha was distracted with much serving. And she went up to him and said, “Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to serve alone? Tell her then to help me.” ⁴¹But the Lord answered her, “Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things, ⁴²but one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen the good portion, which will not be taken away from her.”

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

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* “You make known to me the path of life; in your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.” (Psalm 16:11)**

THE PEACE

***Celebrant* The Peace of the Lord be always with you.**

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please stand.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (2019 BCP Renewed Ancient Text)

***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. 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	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

Holy and gracious Father: In Your infinite love You made us for Yourself; and when we had sinned against you and become subject to evil and death, you, in Your mercy, sent Your only Son Jesus Christ into the world for our salvation. By the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary He became flesh and dwelt among us. In obedience to Your will, He stretched out His arms upon the Cross and offered Himself once for all, that by His suffering and death we might be saved.

Together By His resurrection He broke the bonds of death, trampling Hell and Satan under His feet. As our great high priest, He ascended to your right hand in glory, that we might come with confidence before the throne of grace.

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:

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

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, and we offer You these gifts.

Sanctify them by Your Word and Holy Spirit to be for Your people the Body and Blood of Your Son Jesus Christ. Sanctify us also, that we may worthily receive this holy Sacrament, and be made one body with Him, that He may dwell in us and we in him. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under Your Christ, and bring us with all Your saints into the joy of Your heavenly kingdom, where we shall see our Lord face to face.

***Together* All this we ask through Your Son Jesus Christ: By Him, and with Him, and in Him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is Yours, Almighty Father, now and forever. Amen.**

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

“Be Thou My Vision”

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VERSE 1 Be Thou my vision O Lord of my heart Naught be all else to me save that Thou art Thou my best thought by day or by night Waking or sleeping thy presence my light	VERSE 2 Be Thou my wisdom be Thou my true Word I ever with Thee and Thou with me Lord Thou my great Father I Thy true son Thou in me dwelling and I with Thee one
VERSE 3 Riches I heed not nor man's empty praise Thou mine inheritance now and always Thou and Thou only be first in my heart High King of heaven my treasure Thou art	VERSE 4 High King of Heaven Thy victory won May I reach heaven's joy O bright heaven's sun Heart of my own heart whatever befall Still be my vision O ruler of all

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.**

“King Of Kings”

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<p>INTRO Hallelujah, Hallelujah For the Lord God Almighty reigns Hallelujah, Hallelujah For the Lord God Almighty reigns Hallelujah... Holy! Holy! Are You Lord God Almighty Worthy is the Lamb; Worthy is the Lamb You are holy! Holy! Are You Lord God Almighty Worthy is the Lamb; Worthy is the Lamb A-men</p>	<p>VERSE 1 In the darkness we were waiting Without hope, without light 'Til from Heaven You came running There was mercy in Your eyes To fulfill the law and prophets To a virgin came the word From a throne of endless glory To a cradle in the dirt</p>
<p>CHORUS Praise the Father, praise the Son Praise the Spirit, three in one God of glory, Majesty Praise forever to the King of Kings</p>	<p>VERSE 2 To reveal the kingdom coming And to reconcile the lost To redeem the whole creation You did not despise the cross For even in your suffering You saw to the other side Knowing this was our salvation Jesus for our sake you died</p>
<p>VERSE 3 And the morning that You rose All of Heaven held its breath 'Til that stone was moved for good For the Lamb had conquered death And the dead rose from their tombs And the angels stood in awe For the souls of all who'd come To the Father are restored</p>	<p>VERSE 4 And the church of Christ was born Then the Spirit lit the flame Now this gospel truth of old Shall not kneel, shall not faint By His blood and in His name In His freedom I am free For the love of Jesus Christ Who has resurrected me</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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SEPTEMBER 2024 FINANCIAL UPDATE

September 2024	Income		Expenses	
	Month	YTD	Month	YTD
Plan	\$47,491	\$127,944	\$49,828	\$149,483
Actual	\$31,780	\$96,751	\$30,978	\$86,499
Variance	-\$15,711	-\$31,193	\$18,849	\$62,985

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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
- 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

CHURCH OVERSIGHT Most Rev. Steve Wood Archbishop and Diocesan Bishop Rt. Rev. Terrell Glenn NC Area Bishop	MINISTERS: ALL OF US AT GOOD SHEPHERD! CLERGY 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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