

# St. Barnabas' Episcopal Church

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST | SEPTEMBER 28, 2025 8:00 am & 10:00 am



Rich Man in Hell and the Poor Lazarus in Abraham's Lap Schäufelein, Hans (1480-1539)

God's discerning, inclusive, Christ-centered church, engaged in outreach ministry, growing discipleship, and life changing worship.

### Welcome to Worship at St. Barnabas'!

All are welcome to receive communion. If you are not baptized the Spirit may be calling you to communion and baptism. Baptism is our YES to the love God enfolds us in and our pledge to live that love. We'll accompany you on a journey towards baptism (which is actually the first part of the communion service). In the meantime you are always welcome at God's table. We are glad you are here.

Distribution of bread and wine:

- The musicians are served first so they can lead us in our Communion Hymns.
- Then, starting from the balcony and then the back of the room, Ushers will invite you forward to receive the bread and wine.
- You may either stand or kneel at the rail to receive the bread. You may also cross your arms for a blessing instead of receiving the bread.
- If you prefer to drink from a common chalice then stay at the rail to do so.
- If you prefer to drink from an individual small bowl, then those are served on the main floor. Empty bowls may be placed in the baskets along the side of the room..
- If you are unable to come forward, let the ushers know so the bread can be brought to you.

Four courtyard and two narthex bathrooms are available for your use. If you have any questions or concerns, the Ushers are available to assist you.

#### Welcome to Online St. Barnabas!

Welcome to those joining our virtual worship with Facebook Live. We are glad to have you with us in this new way. You may access our livestream starting at 9:45 am at <a href="mailto:facebook.com/StBarnabasAG/">facebook.com/StBarnabasAG/</a>

A recording of the live-stream will be posted on the St. Barnabas YouTube Channel (<u>bit.ly/StBYouTube</u>) the afternoon following the service.

**Bidding (intercessory prayer) Book** – If you would like to add a prayer to be read during the church service, you may add it to the "Bidding Book" located at the back of the church to the left of the doors. If you cannot join us in person and would like to add a prayer to be read during the church service you can email the name of the person to our parish office at saintbarnabas.ag@gmail.com (before Wednesday morning), or add it to the comments section on Facebook Live during the livestream.

Flower and Candle Dedications – Candles are lighted by Pam & David Pano in celebration of the anniversary of Corey & Adrienne Kielan; Carol Wilcock in memory of her brother, James S. Russell; and Art Delgadillo in memory of his father, Benjamin M. Delgadillo.

Flowers have been placed on the altar by Art & Jane Delgadillo in celebration of the anniversary of Jeff & Melissa Fesler, and in celebration of September birthdays.

In addition to our Sunday morning Eucharist at 8:00 am and 10:00 am, we offer the following...

# Notable Events

THURSDAY Oct 2 Begin new Spiritual Formation class 5:30 pm
SUNDAY Oct 5 Eucharist & blessings of the animals 8 am & 10 am
WEDNESDAY Oct 8 Mailing of 2026 Pledge Cards

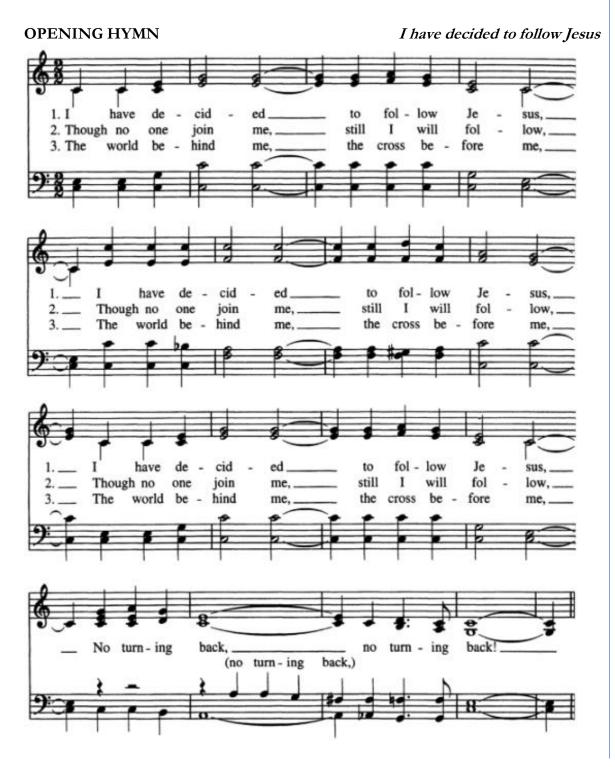
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Like the murmur of the dove's song Hymnal 513

The Choral Scholars

# THE WORD OF GOD

Stand as you are able.



Each year we observe a cycle of seasons. The year starts with Advent which leads into the seasons of Christmas, Epiphany, Lent, Easter, and Pentecost. We are currently in the long season after Pentecost called "ordinary time." The color for this season is green.

This year we have layered in a special season about Creation and our need to care for Creation. Note the various prayers and sayings in our worship that focus on Creation.

### The people standing, the Celebrant says

Celebrant Blessed be the One who creates all things. **People** The Holy One's love is new every morning.

Celebrant This is the day the Creator has made.

People Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

This Profession of Creation is provided by the Anglican Communion's "Seasons of Creation" steering committee, and we will use it during our own Season of Creation

which we are observing until the Feast of St. Francis on October 5th.

### PROFESSION OF CREATION

The Celebrant and People say together

We believe in God, who creates all things, who embraces all things, who celebrates all things, who is present in every part of the fabric of creation.

We believe in God as the source of all life, who baptizes this planet with living water.

We believe in Jesus Christ, the suffering one, the poor one, the malnourished one, the climate refugee, who loves and cares for this world and who suffers with it.

And we believe in Jesus Christ, the seed of life, who came to reconcile and renew this world and everything in it.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the breath of God, who moves with God and who moves among and with us today.

We believe in everlasting life in God.

And we believe in the hope that one day

God will put an end to death and all destructive forces.

### **SONG OF PRAISE**



In this season our Song of Praise is the **Venite** which is Latin for "come." The Venite is composed from Psalms 95 and 96 which are traditionally attributed to King David as the author.

The first two verses are a call to praise God with psalms. The next verses give the reason. God is our sovereign, our provider, our

### THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

*People* The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

O God, you declare your almighty power chiefly in showing mercy and pity: Grant us the fullness of your grace, that we, running to obtain your promises, may become partakers of your heavenly treasure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.** 

# THE LESSONS

The people sit.

### FIRST READING: Amos 6:1a, 4-7

A reading from the Book of the prophet Amos.

Alas for those who are at ease in Zion,
and for those who feel secure on Mount Samaria.

Alas for those who lie on beds of ivory,
and lounge on their couches,
and eat lambs from the flock,
and calves from the stall;
who sing idle songs to the sound of the harp,
and like David improvise on instruments of music;
who drink wine from bowls,
and anoint themselves with the finest oils,
but are not grieved over the ruin of Joseph!
Therefore they shall now be the first to go into exile,
and the revelry of the loungers shall pass away.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

The prophet **Amos**calls the ancient
Hebrews, and by
extension us, back into
right relationship with
God. These words of
Amos are an
indictment of
conspicuous
consumption.

### **PSALM 146**



<sup>1</sup> Hallelujah!
Praise the Lord, O my soul! \*
I will praise the Lord as long as I live;
I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.

<sup>2</sup> Put not your trust in rulers, nor in any child of earth, \* for there is no help in them.

<sup>3</sup> When they breathe their last, they return to earth, \* and in that day their thoughts perish. *Refrain* 

<sup>4</sup> Happy are they who have the God of Jacob for their help! \* whose hope is in the Lord their God;

<sup>5</sup> Who made heaven and earth, the seas, and all that is in them; \* who keeps his promise for ever;

<sup>6</sup> Who gives justice to those who are oppressed, \* and food to those who hunger. *Refrain* 

<sup>7</sup> The Lord sets the prisoners free; the Lord opens the eyes of the blind; \* the Lord lifts up those who are bowed down;

8 The Lord loves the righteous; the Lord cares for the stranger; \* he sustains the orphan and widow, but frustrates the way of the wicked. Refrain

<sup>9</sup> The Lord shall reign for ever, \* your God, O Zion, throughout all generations. Hallelujah! *Refrain* 

8 am: Said by All

10 am: REFRAIN: 1<sup>st</sup> time: Cantor, All repeat; Thereafter: All

Cantor sings verses

This **Psalm** is a hymn of praise to God, creator and redeemer. God relieves oppression and hungers, as God did in the wilderness.

In this passage from the first letter of Paul to **Timothy**, there is a contrast between true and false teaching. This includes the false security of riches.

### SECOND READING: 1 Timothy 6:6-19

A reading from Paul's first letter to Timothy.

the world, so that we can take nothing out of it; but if we have food and clothing, we will be content with these. But those who want to be rich fall into temptation and are trapped by many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil, and in their eagerness to be rich some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pains.

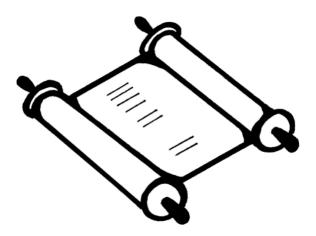
But as for you, man of God, shun all this; pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, gentleness. Fight the good fight of the faith; take hold of the eternal life, to which you were called and for which you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses. In the presence of God, who gives life to all things, and of Christ Jesus, who in his testimony before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, I charge you to keep the commandment without spot or blame until the manifestation of our Lord Jesus Christ, which he will bring about at the right time—he who is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords. It is he alone who has immortality and dwells in unapproachable light, whom no one has ever seen or can see; to him be honor and eternal dominion. Amen.

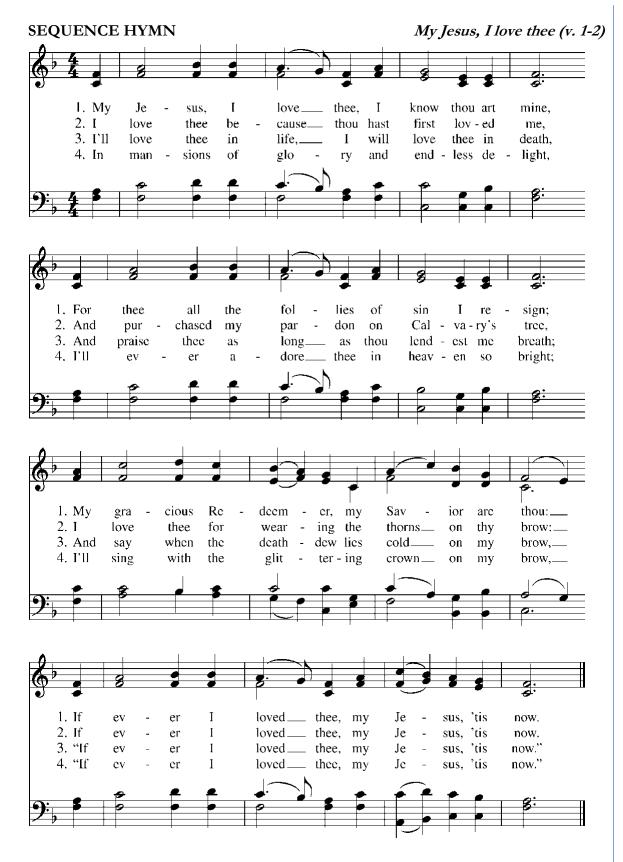
There is great gain in godliness combined with contentment; for we brought nothing into

As for those who in the present age are rich, command them not to be haughty, or to set their hopes on the uncertainty of riches, but rather on God who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. They are to do good, to be rich in good works, generous, and ready to share, thus storing up for themselves the treasure of a good foundation for the future, so that they may take hold of the life that really is life.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.





Both before and after the proclamation of the Gospel reading, we sing a **Sequence Hymn.** A "sequence" is a chant or hymn sung or recited during the liturgical celebration of the Eucharist. The placement of the music provides special emphasis to good news of the Gospels as they describe the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus.

### **GOSPEL:** Luke 16:19-31

All stand.

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

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

Jesus said, "There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man's table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores. The poor man died and was carried away by the angels to be with Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. In Hades, where he was being tormented, he looked up and saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side. He called out, `Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in agony in these flames.' But Abraham said, 'Child, remember that during your lifetime you received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony. Besides all this, between you and us a great chasm has been fixed, so that those who might want to pass from here to you cannot do so, and no one can cross from there to us.' He said, 'Then, father, I beg you to send him to my father's house-- for I have five brothers-- that he may warn them, so that they will not also come into this place of torment.' Abraham replied, 'They have Moses and the prophets; they should listen to them.' He said, 'No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' He said to him, `If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead."

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Followed by a moment of silent mediation.

**SEQUENCE HYMN** 

My Jesus, I love thee Page 9, v. 3-4

THE SERMON

The Rev. Rob Keim

### THE NICENE CREED

All stand.

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only 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:

by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from 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.

With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.

He 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.

The Episcopal Church does not have a separate statement of faith or list of things we believe. Instead we hold the ancient **Creeds**, such as the Apostles' and Nicene, to be our statements of faith. They contain the core of our belief as Christians, but do not limit our faith.

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

All remain standing.

Parts of the prayers in bold, including the names, are said aloud by all.

In this Season of Creation we have a theme of creation in the prayers. God of all Creation,

You are present in the whole universe—even in the smallest of your creatures.

You embrace all that exists with tenderness and love.

Pour out upon us the power of your love,

That we are so moved to embrace the world you give us with tenderness.

God of all creation, Guide us in your love and grace.

God, our teacher,

Teach us to discover the worth of your creation both great and small,

To be filled with awe, wonder, and contemplation,

And to recognize that we are profoundly united with every creature.

Help the leaders of your Church to be examples of that oneness

In their lives and ministry.

God of all Creation, Guide us in your love and grace.

God of all wisdom and understanding,

As water floods or runs dry so that seeds cannot grow and bear fruit,

As the land can no longer flourish,

As the temperature of our world rises,

As ice melts and sea levels rise,

We pray you to touch the hearts of those of us who have forsaken your creation

For our own gain and false prosperity and for the complicity of all,

That we may hear and respond to the groaning of the Earth's adversity.

God of all creation, Guide us in your love and grace.

God of all power and light,

We pray you to enlighten those of us with power and wealth

That we do not turn away in indifference but rather

Come to use and share that power and wealth for the

Common good, for the care of the poor,

And for the care of all creation.

God of all creation, Guide us in your love and grace.

God of all peoples, languages, and cultures,

We thank you for giving us diversity in both nature and in humanity.

We, at St. Barnabas remember the native peoples on whose ancestral homeland We now worship.

We pray for forgiveness for any complicity in ill treatment of native peoples

And seek to be united in ways that promote the well-being of all.

God of all creation, Guide us in your love and grace.

God of healing and mercy,

We give thanks for your love and all that you give to us.

We pray you now to care especially for people who suffer either

From consequences of war, strife, famine, and ill health or for

Any other reasons. We continue to pray for those in our own community:

David & Daetra K., the Hendrick family, Laura Talon, David, Delia, Juan & Victoria, Charles Smith & the Smith family, Charmaine Petersen, Bill Fasse, Bill Grenek, Katherine, Brittney, Rosa Clary, and Jefferson Mendoza.

And we pray for those who have died. Especially: Brett James and Marilyn Hagerty. God of all creation, Guide us in your love and grace.

(The Intercessor then reads the petitions from the bidding book and from the comment section of FB Live.) God of all creation, Guide us in your love and grace.

The Deacon adds a concluding Collect.

### **CONFESSION OF SIN**

The Deacon or Celebrant says
Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.
Silence may be kept.

### Minister and People

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.

### The Priest stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen**.

### THE PEACE

All stand.

Celebrant The peace of Christ be always with you.

**People** And also with you.

Then the Ministers and the People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

If online, then type "Peace" or another appropriate phrase into the comment section of Facebook Live.

If are joining us on Facebook Live and you have a birthday, anniversary or other celebration please type that into the comments.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The people sit.

Birthdays: Charlotte Martinez
Anniversaries: Corey & Adrienne Kielan

### Birthday Prayer

Gracious God, who made us in your own image, we thank you for life, love, and joy. Send your blessing upon these your children, who have completed another year. Surround them with your grace, fill them with your love, and strengthen them to be your servants in the world. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### **Anniversary Prayer**

We thank you, Gracious God, for the love you have implanted in the hearts of your servants and for your continued blessings upon them. Give them kind and loving hearts, always ready to ask forgiveness as well as to forgive. Support them through times of trial, strengthen their love for one another, and may that love empower them to be instruments of God's love in the world. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

# **Prayer for Travelers**

O God, our heavenly Father, whose glory fills the whole creation, and whose presence we find wherever we go: Preserve those who travel; surround them with your loving care; protect them from every danger; and bring them in safety to their journey's end; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

# THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Celebrant says

Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God.



Words & Music: English carol, arranged by Ralph Vaughan Williams

This is the truth sent from above, The truth of God, the God of love, Therefore don't turn me from your door, But hearken all both rich and poor.

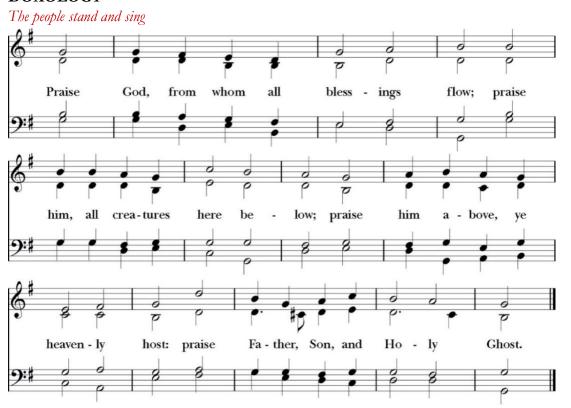
The first thing which I do relate
Is that God did man create;
The next thing which to you I'll tell
Woman was made with man to dwell.

Thus we were heirs to endless woes, Till God the Lord did interpose; And so a promise soon did run That he would redeem us by his Son

And at that season of the year Our blest Redeemer did appear; He here did live, and here did preach, And many thousands he did teach.

Thus he in love to us behaved, To show us how we must be saved; And if you want to know the way, Be pleased to hear what he did say.

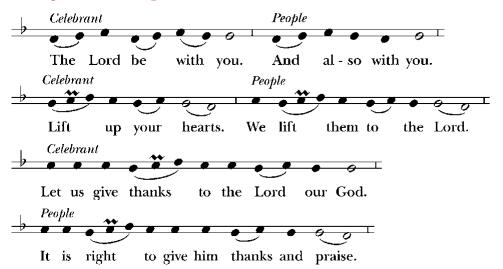
### **DOXOLOGY**



In this season after
Pentecost we are using **Eucharistic Prayer 2**from the supplemental
Episcopal resource,
Enriching Our
Worship. Note, the
emphasis, in this
version of the
Eucharistic Prayer, on
God as creator and on
creation itself.

# THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The People remain standing.



### The Celebrant continues

We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant.

From before time you made ready the creation.

Your Spirit moved over the deep and brought all things into being:

sun, moon, and stars;

earth, winds, and waters;

and every living thing.

You made us in your image,

and taught us to walk in your ways.

But we rebelled against you, and wandered far away; and yet, as a mother cares for her children, you would not forget us.

Time and again you called us

to live in the fullness of your love.

And so this day we join with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we sing (say):

SANCTUS Holy, holy

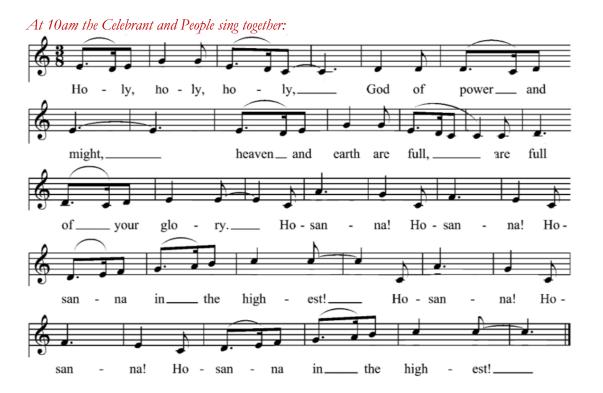
Spoken at 8am.

Holy, holy, Lord God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosana in the highest!

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.



### The Celebrant continues

Glory and honor and praise to you, holy and living God. To deliver us from the power of sin and death and to reveal the riches of your grace, you looked with favor upon Mary, your willing servant, that she might conceive and bear a son, Jesus the holy child of God.

Living among us, Jesus loved us.

He broke bread with outcasts and sinners, healed the sick, and proclaimed good news to the poor. He yearned to draw all the world to himself yet we were heedless of his call to walk in love.

Then, the time came for him to complete upon the cross the sacrifice of his life, and to be glorified by you.

On the night before he died for us, Jesus was at table with his friends. He took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it, and gave it to them, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." This anthem is known as the **Sanctus**. It is said or sung in almost every version of the Eucharistic Prayer. The word "sanctus" is Latin for "holy." God is holy and worthy of respect, awe, reverence, and devotion.

As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine. Again, he gave thanks to you, gave it to them, and said: "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Now gathered at your table, O God of all creation, and remembering Christ, crucified and risen, who was and is and is to come, we offer to you our gifts of bread and wine, and ourselves, a living sacrifice.

At this point in the Eucharistic Prayer the Celebrant makes the sign of the cross over the bread and wine and welcomes the infusion of the Spirit. The elements are now considered blessed or consecrated.

Pour out your Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ. Breathe your Spirit over the whole earth and make us your new creation, the Body of Christ given for the world you have made.

In the fullness of time bring us, with Barnabas and all your saints, from every tribe and language and people and nation, to feast at the banquet prepared from the foundation of the world. Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever. **Amen**.

### The Deacon says

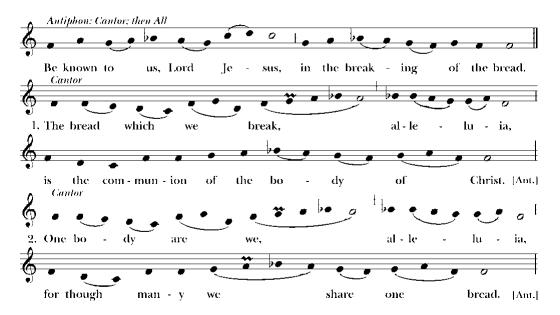
As now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

### People and Celebrant

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 BREAKING OF THE BREAD

The Celebrant and People sing together



# The Celebrant says

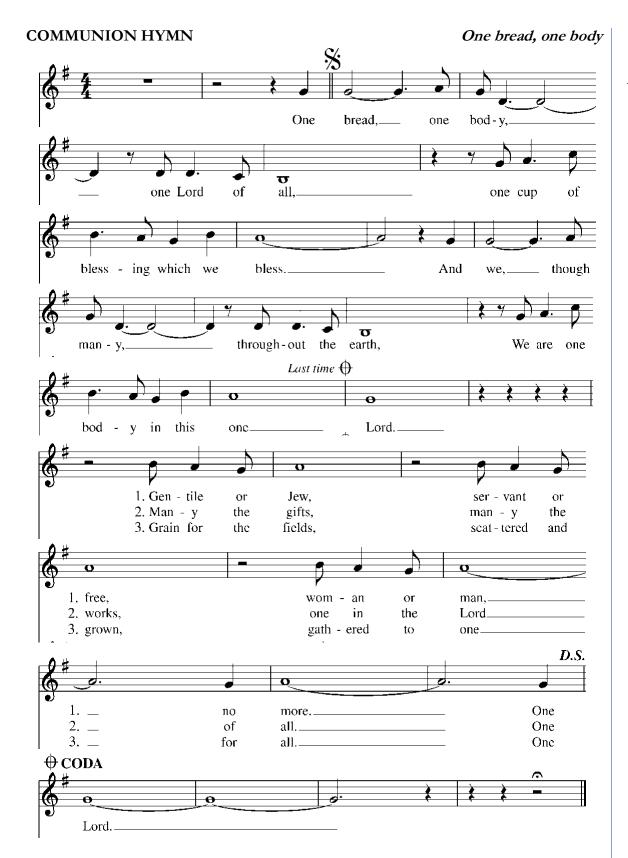
The Gifts of God for the People of God. All are welcomed at God's table.



You are welcomed to join the choir in singing the Communion Hymns.
Or, you may elect to listen.

Once again today, all of the hymns are from the supplemental Episcopal hymnal, "Lift Every Voice and Sing."





You are welcomed to join the choir in singing the Communion Hymns. Or, you may elect to listen.

The **blessing** by the Priest is a reminder of the many blessings we already have from God. We are aware of some of the blessings and unaware of others. Our response to these blessings is gratitude and joy.

After Communion, the Celebrant says Let us pray.

# Celebrant and People say together

Loving God, we give you thanks for restoring us in your image and nourishing us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood. Now send us forth a people, forgiven, healed, renewed; that we may proclaim your love to the world and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

# The people stand and the Priest blesses the people, saying

Deep Peace of the quiet earth to you.

Deep Peace of the still air to you.

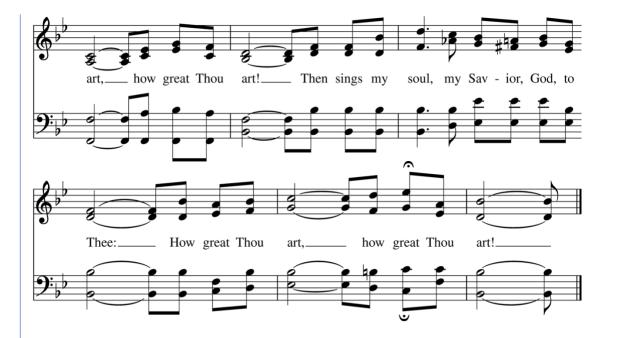
Deep Peace of the forgiving heart to you.

And, the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. **Amen.** 





<sup>\*</sup> The translator's original words are "works" and "mighty."



Deacon Let us go forth into all Creation, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit

Alleluia! Alleluia!

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

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# LIFE AT ST. BARNABAS

<u>FEAST OF ST. FRANCIS AND BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS</u> – On <u>Sunday, October 5<sup>th</sup></u> we will have our annual celebration of the Feast of St. Francis. You are welcomed to bring your well-behaved pet to church that morning for a blessing.

NEW BIBLE STUDY TOPIC – This past <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>September 23<sup>rd</sup></u> our Bible Study group began a topical series on Creation Care. Each Tuesday, Morning Prayer starts at 9:30am and the Bible Study immediately follows at 10:00 am. Join on Zoom or in the Parish Library. The study book is "The Creation Care Bible Challenge" edited by Marek P. Zabriskie. Copies are available in the office.

Zoom Link: <u>bit.ly/stbarnabasmorningprayer</u> or call 1-669-900-6833 and follow the prompts with: Meeting ID: 878 6513 4138# Password: 365072##

A RESOURCE FOR YOUR SPIRITUAL GROWTH – Fr. Ken Kaisch of our parish has developed a weekly newsletter aimed at deepening your spiritual journey, and he invites you to subscribe. Each week he focuses on what is necessary for a truly spiritual life. He includes foundational spiritual exercises, instruction on Christian forms of meditation and contemplative prayer, along with theological commentary and reflection. There is no cost for this newsletter. If this sounds like something you might find useful, please subscribe. And feel free to add your spiritually-minded friends and family as well. \_Subscribe here: <a href="https://insidetheinvisible.beehiiv.com/subscribe">https://insidetheinvisible.beehiiv.com/subscribe</a>

New Spiritual Formation class series - We have a new four week book series starting on Thursday, October 2nd. The Rev. Dr. Ken Kaisch will take us through his book "Inside the Invisible - The Universal Path to Spiritual Transcendence." Comparing mystics who have actually experienced the Divine across Hinduism, Buddhism, Taoism, Judaism, Christianity, and Islam, Kaisch finds an astonishing agreement about how the spiritual journey unfolds. From this, he describes the actual behavioral changes necessary to achieve union with the Divine. In effect, he describes what you need to do to achieve Enlightenment, thus providing a map for your spiritual journey. Buy the book at your favorite bookseller or just come to the class or buy it here at the church from Ken. We will start at 5:30 pm with a potluck (bring food to share), and then begin the one hour class at 6:00 pm. Join us, and bring a friend.

SUPPORT AT-RISK FAMILIES – Do you want to support immigrants and their families affected by recent ICE raids? For the next few months we are raising money to buy groceries and take them down to Iglesia Luterana San Juan Bautista in Santa Maria. This is the same Latino church we support in December with our Giving Tree donations. This church has had more than ten families in which the primary bread winner has been taken away by ICE. These families are afraid and need basic groceries. So we are have stepped into to buy those groceries. Please donate by using the special envelope in the narthex or by making a check out to St. Barnabas and writing Immigrant/Migrant ministries in the memo line of your check.

# OPPORTUNITIES TO GATHER VIRTUALLY

<u>Sunday morning WORSHIP at 10:00 am</u> – We live-stream our Sunday 10:00 am worship services on the St. Barnabas' Facebook page: <u>facebook.com/StBarnabasAG/</u>

All you need is a computer or device with an internet connection and speakers to watch the live stream; you do not need to have a Facebook account. A recording of the live stream will be posted on the St. Barnabas YouTube Channel: (bit.ly/StBYouTube) following the service.

If you would like to participate more fully in the service, the order of service booklet is available for download on the St. Barnabas website by clicking the big blue "Weekly Bulletin" button on our website. Sunday morning worship bulletin is available starting at 1:00 pm on Thursday.

<u>Tuesday Morning Prayer at 9:30 am</u> – Now Hybrid on Zoom and the church library in person. If you have a Book of Common Prayer at home that will be useful to have on hand. Click this link to attend via your computer or device: <a href="https://doi.org/bit.ly/stbarnabasmorningprayer">bit.ly/stbarnabasmorningprayer</a>

To dial in call 1-669-900-6833. When prompted put in the Meeting ID of **878 6513 4138**# and when prompted for a password put in **365072**#, and then hit # a second time.

<u>BIBLE STUDY Tuesdays at 10:00 am</u> – Now Hybrid on Zoom and the church library in person. Bible Study will start at 10:00 am immediately following Morning Prayer. The Zoom login is the same as Morning Prayer (above). We are working through scripture passages on the theme of social justice. Feel free to contact Gerti Garner at <u>ggrgarner@gmail.com</u> for more information.

<u>Friday 4:00 pm CENTERING PRAYER</u> – Every Friday afternoon at 4 pm we hold a Centering Prayer group. After gathering, we practice 20 minutes of silent Centering Prayer. Following the practice, we read and discuss a passage from Brother Lawrence's "Living in the Presence of God." The reading will be sent out in advance of the meeting.

We meet on Fridays from 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm over Zoom (<a href="https://us02web.zoon.us/j/86777561670?pwd=OEV0ajx1WXhuSGJINTIwbu1LUWR6Zz09">https://us02web.zoon.us/j/86777561670?pwd=OEV0ajx1WXhuSGJINTIwbu1LUWR6Zz09</a>). We meet in person on the second Friday of the month at St. Barnabas. We meet next **in person** on **Friday, October 10, 2025**.

# MAKING DONATIONS TO ST. BARNABAS

<u>ELECTRONIC TRANSFER</u>: You can make an electronic transfer to St. Barnabas using Quick Pay with Zelle set up. Many banks and financial institutions offer this method of funds transfer. Donations can be set up as one-time or recurring. To transfer money, enter the email address <u>saintbarnabas.treasurer@gmail.com</u>. The name of our bank account will show up as "RECTOR, WARDENS AND VESTRY MEMBERS OF". There are no fees with this type of transaction. Should you have any questions, please call Cassidy Rowland at 805-536-1598.

PayPal is another option for electronic transfer. You can find St. Barnabas using the email address of the Financial Secretary: <a href="mailto:stbarnabas.financial@gmail.com">stbarnabas.financial@gmail.com</a> PayPal does charge St. Barnabas a processing fee.

AUTO PAY FROM YOUR FINANCIAL INSTITUTION: Many banks and financial institutions offer a service often called Auto Pay or Bill Pay. It's fairly easy to set up online or at the bank. The donation can be set up as one-time or recurring. The bank will issue the check on the date you give them and mail the check to St. Barnabas.

MAIL YOUR CHECK: You can also mail your check to St. Barnabas. Please put "Attn Financial Secretary" on the envelope. The address is: 301 Trinity Ave., Arroyo Grande, CA 93420

If you have any questions on how to make your donation, please feel free to contact Cassidy Rowland, Financial Secretary, at 805-536-1598. You can also send an email to <a href="mailto:stbarnabas.financial@gmail.com">stbarnabas.financial@gmail.com</a>. Thank you for your continued support of St. Barnabas.



Donations of time and talent are just as important as financial donations.

### THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO HELPS SERVE EACH SUNDAY!

Vestry Members – The governing board of our parish is made up of the following: Class of 2026 – Robert Merritt, Sheila Miller, Tracy Schiro (Sr. Warden) Class of 2027 – Leslie Campbell, Tom DeNatale, Corey Kielan Class of 2028 – Deb Habr, Candace Kincade, Paula Mason

### Altar Guild Team:

Jane Delgadillo, Pam Pano, Jerri Pence, Charmaine Petersen, Gerti Garner

**Sunday School Teachers:** 

Adrienne & Corey Kielan

Youth Ministry Director:

Natalia Berryman

Last Week's Coffee Hour Ministry Host:

8 am: Dave Williams 10 am: Pano/Kielan families

### **CALENDAR**

# September 28 – October 5

<b>TODAY</b>	In-Person Holy Communion	8:00 am
	In-Person Holy Communion	10:00 am
	Children's Sunday School	10:00 am
Tuesday	Morning Prayer (Hybrid Zoom & Church Library)	9:30 am
,	Biblical Roundtable (Hybrid Zoom & Church Library)	
	12-Step Meeting	12:00 noon
Wednesday	Senior Fitness & Stretching with Sigrid	12:15 pm
,	Writing From Life class	
	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	6:00 pm
	Youth Group	_
	Choral Scholars Rehearsal	±
Thursday	Morning Yoga with Sigrid	1
,	New Spiritual Formation Class & Potluck	5:00 pm
Friday	Senior Fitness & Stretching with Sigrid	12:15 pm
Ž	Centering Prayer (via Zoom)	
Sunday	In-Person Holy Communion	_
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	Children's Sunday School.	
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### **SERVING TODAY**

Presider / Preacher Rev. Rob Keim

8 AM MUSIC Sharon Williams MINISTER OF MUSIC Janis Johnson

CHORAL SCHOLARS Catryna Benander, Zach Allen, Wyatt Traski, Helena

### 8 am

EUCHARISTIC MINISTER Robert Merritt

LECTOR Melissa Biel CHALICE Carlos Ortiz

USHERS Karen Reinecke, Lorrie Erno

VESTRY ON CALL Candace Kincade

COFFEE MINISTRY HOSTS Dave & Sharon Williams

### 10 am

EUCHARISTIC MINISTER Bob Taylor

LECTOR/CHALICE Gerti Garner

CHALICES Nancy Taylor, Kevin Pence

USHERS Jim & Linda Kilponen, Juel Kulinski

VESTRY ON CALL Leslie Campbell

COFFEE MINISTRY HOSTS Julie Shires, Diane Wilcock

LIVESTREAM Jeff Diehl



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