



St. Barnabas' Episcopal Church

TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST | OCTOBER 26, 2025

8:00 am & 10:00 am



The Pharisee and the Publican
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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 facebook.com/StBarnabasAG/

A recording of the live-stream will be posted on the St. Barnabas YouTube Channel (bit.ly/StBYouTube) 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 David & Pam Pano in celebration of their anniversary.

Flowers have been placed on the altar by Bill Cockshott in memory of Mary Jo Kerr.

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

Notable Events

SATURDAY	NOV 1	ONLINE DIOCESAN CONVENTION 9:00 AM
SUNDAY	NOV 2	ALL SAINT/ALL SOULS SUNDAY, IN-GATHERING OF PLEDGE CARDS
SUNDAY	NOV 2	GRATITUDE BRUNCH 11:30 AM
SATURDAY	NOV 15	FIRE-SAFE GARDENING CLASS 10:00 AM
WEDNESDAY	NOV 26	THANKSGIVING EVE EUCHARIST 7:00 AM

THE WORD OF GOD

Stand as you are able.

OPENING HYMN

Love divine, all loves excelling

1 Love di - vine, all loves ex - cell - ing, joy of heaven, to
2 Come, al - might - y to de - liv - er, let us all thy
3 Fi - nish then thy new cre - a - tion; pure and spot - less

earth come down, fix in us thy hum - ble dwell - ing, all thy
life re - ceive; sud - den - ly re - turn, and nev - er, nev - er -
let us be; let us see thy great sal - va - tion per - fect -

faith - ful mer - cies crown. Je - sus, thou art all com - pas - sion,
more thy tem - ples leave. Thee we would be al - way bless - ing,
ly re - stored in thee: changed from glo - ry in - to glo - ry,

pure, un - bound - ed love thou art; vis - it us with
serve thee as thy hosts a - bove, pray, and praise thee
till in heaven we take our place, till we cast our

thy sal - va - tion, en - ter ev - ery trem - bling heart.
with - out ceas - ing, glo - ry in thy per - fect love.
crowns be - fore thee, lost in won - der, love, and praise.

Introit lyrics

Day by day,
dear Lord, of thee
three things I pray:

to see thee
more clearly,

love thee
more dearly,

follow thee
more nearly,

day by day.

Introit Words & Music
by Richard of
Chichester (1197-1253)

The prayer "Day by Day" was penned by Richard de Wych, who became Bishop of Chichester and later was canonized as a saint on January 22, 1262. He lived a frugal life devoted to prayer and serving the poor.

The hymn tune is known as Hyfrydol and it has been set to many, many different sets of words. These particular words are by Charles Wesley.

The people remain standing.

Celebrant Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.
People Glory to God for ever and ever.

The Celebrant says

Beloved God, as we approach your Presence, guide and stir us with your Holy Spirit, that we may become one body, one spirit in Jesus Christ our Savior. **Amen.**

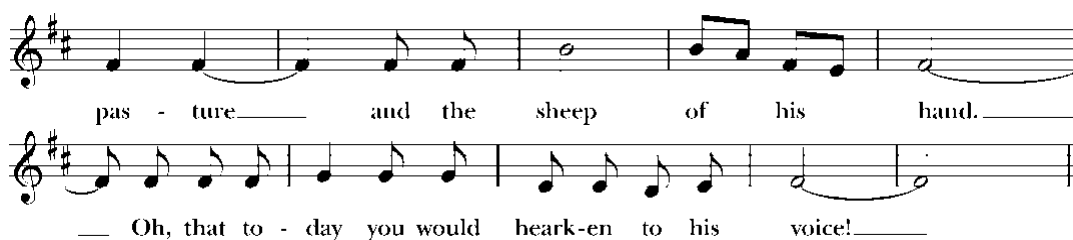
SONG OF PRAISE

Venite

*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 Creator.

1. Come, let us sing to the
Lord; let us shout for joy to the Rock of our sal -
va - tion. 2. Let us come be-fore his pres-ence with thanks - giv - ing
and raise a loud shout to him with psalms. 3. For the
Lord is a great God, and a great King a - bove all
gods. 4. In his hand are the cav-erns of the earth,
and the heights of the hills are his al - so. 5. The
sea is his, for he made it, and his hands have
mold - ed the dry land. 6. Come, let us bow down, and bend the
knee, and kneel be-fore the Lord our Ma - ker. 7. For
he is our God, and we are the peo-ple of his



THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command; 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: Sirach 35:12-17

A reading from the Book of Sirach.

Give to the Most High as he has given to you, and as generously as you can afford. For the Lord is the one who repays, and he will repay you sevenfold. Do not offer him a bribe, for he will not accept it and do not rely on a dishonest sacrifice; for the Lord is the judge, and with him there is no partiality. He will not show partiality to the poor; but he will listen to the prayer of one who is wronged. He will not ignore the supplication of the orphan, or the widow when she pours out her complaint.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

The Collect of the Day is a prayer that “collects” and organizes our thoughts. Like a sonnet or haiku, it follows a traditional structure – a preamble (address, invocation), a petition, and a conclusion (meditation). There is often an allusion to the Gospel reading. There is a Collect of the Day for each week of the year as well as special feast days.

Today’s Old Testament reading of from the Book of Ecclesiasticus also known as the Wisdom of Jesus, Son of Sirach. Sirach is the name of the author, Jesus son of Eleazar son of Sirach. This is a different Jesus than our Jesus who is both God and human. Although the book is highly regarded rabbinic literature and even cited in the Talmud, it did not achieve canonical status in the Jewish tradition. However, early followers of Jesus relied on it, and it became part of the Christian canon known as the Apocrypha.

8 am: Spoken

10 am: Cantor sings
Refrain, all repeat.
Cantor sings verses.

Psalm 84



¹ My soul yearns and pines for the courts of the Lord. *

My heart and my flesh cry out for the living God. *Refrain*

² Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest in which she puts her young -*

Your altars, O Lord of hosts, my king and my God! *Refrain*

³ Blessed are they who dwell in your house! continually they praise you. *

Blessed the men whose strength you are!

They go from strength to strength. *Refrain*

⁴ I had rather one day in your courts than a thousand elsewhere; *

**I had rather lie at the threshold of the house of my God
than dwell in the tents of the wicked. *Refrain***

SECOND READING: 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

A reading from Paul's Second letter to Timothy.

I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

At my first defense no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

SEQUENCE HYMN

O God beyond all praising (v. 1-2)



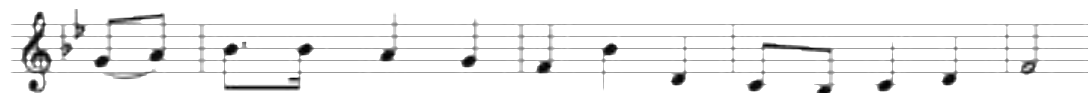
1. O God be-yond all prais-ing, we wor-ship you to - day
- *2. The flow'r of earth-ly splen-dor in time must sure-ly die,
3. Then hear, O gra-cious Sav-ior, ac-cept the love we bring,



And sing the love a - maz-ing that songs can - not re - pay;
Its frag - ile bloom sur - ren - der to you, the Lord most high;
That we who know your fa - vor may serve you as our King;



For we can on - ly won - der at ev - 'ry gift you send,
But hid - den from all na - ture the e - ter - nal seed is sown,
And wheth - er our to - mor - rows be filled with good or ill,



At bless-ings with - out num - ber and mer - cies with - out end,
Though small in mor - tal stat - ure to heav-en's gar - den grown.
We'll tri - umph through our sor - rows and rise to bless you still,



We lift our hearts be - fore you and wait up - on your word;
For Christ, the man from heav - en, from death has set us free,
To mar - vel at your beau - ty and glo - ry in your ways,



We hon - or and a - dore you, our great and might - y Lord.
And we through him are giv - en the fin - al vic - to - ry!
And make a joy - ful du - ty our sac - ri - fice of praise.

The tune for this hymn is known as **Thaxted** and it is from the middle section of the Jupiter movement of Gustav Holst's orchestral suite called "The Planets." Thaxted is the village in which Holst spent much of his life.

Deacons have a special responsibility to proclaim the Gospel, or good news, to the world. That proclamation is often through action and service. So, it is fitting that the Deacon proclaims the Gospel with words in our worship service.

GOSPEL: Luke 18:9-14

All stand.

Deacon
People

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.
Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt: "Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, 'God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income.' But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted."

Deacon
People

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, Lord Christ.

SEQUENCE HYMN

O God beyond all praising (v. 3)
See previous page

THE SERMON

Followed by a moment of silent meditation.

Julie Shires



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.*

Deacons play a special part in the prayer life of the congregation.

Thus, they bid, or introduce, both the Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer during our worship.

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

*St. Barnabas is located on lands that were originally inhabited by the Northern Chumash tribe, also known as the **Obispeño Chumash**.*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

All remain standing.

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:
**Julie Shires, Violet Atwell, Betty Castillo, the Madina family, Shirley Bardin, Deb,
Devonia Colbry, Noel, Joe Vasquez, Tony Correa, Paul Pecerra, Helen Kemper,
Kathleen McDonnel, Jerry Schmidt & family, Carol Wilcock,
and the Most Rev. Sarah Mullaly.**
And we pray for those who have died. Especially: **James Jones and Drew Struzan.**
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

People

The peace of Christ be always with you.
And also with you.

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

*We share **peace** with
one another as we
prepare ourselves for
the community's
sharing of bread and
wine at the altar.*

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: Gerti Garner

Anniversaries: David & Pam Pano, Beth & Allan Davis

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.



OFFERTORY ANTHEM

The Pharisee and the Tax Collector Sung by the Choral Scholars

Jesus said unto them, "Two men went to the temple to pray. The one was a pharisee, a moral and righteous man. The other was a tax collector, despised by everyone. The pharisee stood there and prayed with piety. But the tax collector moved off, would not lift up his eyes to heaven. They beat upon their breasts, loudly saying:

(Pharisee) I give thanks to thee, God, that I am not as other men are; thieves and rogues. Extortioners! Adulterers! Or even as this tax collector. I thank thee, O God! I always fast two days a week, and give a tenth of all I possess.

(Tax Collector) Lord, be merciful to me. Lord, I am sinful. Have mercy on a sinner.

(Jesus) I say to you: This man went back home, went home justified, rather than the other. They who exalt themselves, they shall be humbled. But all who humble themselves, they shall be exalted.

Words: Luke 18:10-11

Music: Heinrich Schütz (1585-1672)

DOXOLOGY

The people stand and sing



**AT OUR 10AM EUCHARIST, PLEASE SWITCH TO THE SUPPLEMENTAL SEASONAL BULLETIN.
IF YOU ARE ATTENDING IN-PERSON WORSHIP, THEN THIS SUPPLEMENT IS YELLOW.**



We are using
Eucharistic Prayer C
from our 1979 Book of
Common Prayer.

Some affectionately call
this the Star Wars
prayer.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The People remain standing.

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

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.**

The Celebrant continues

God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.

Glory to you for ever and ever.

At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

By your will they were created and have their being.

From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.

Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

By his blood, he reconciled us. By his wounds, we are healed.

And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

Celebrant and People

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

Hosanna in the highest.

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

Hosanna in the highest.

The Celebrant continues

And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends, 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.

After supper, he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, and said, “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. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.”

Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,

We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.

The Celebrant continues

Lord God of our Fathers and Mothers; God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; God of Sarah, Rebecca, Leah, and Rachel. God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name

Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.

Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation. **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

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

The Celebrant says The Gifts of God for the People of God.

The original version of this Eucharistic Prayer only listed the Patriarchs (men) from some of the early Old Testament stories. We know that God also honored the women of these stories, so we add them. You may note there are three men and four women. Remember that Leah and Rachel both had Jacob as a husband.

COMMUNION HYMN

For the bread which you have broken

*You are welcomed to
join the choir in singing
the Communion Hymns.*

*Or, you may elect to
listen.*



1 For the bread which you have bro - ken, for the
2 By this pledge, Lord, that you love us, by your
3 As our bless - ed ones a - dore you, seat - ed
4 In your ser - vice, Lord, de - fend us; in our



wine which you have poured, for the words which you have
gift of peace re - stored, by your call to heaven a -
at our Fa - ther's board, may the Church still wait - ing
hearts keep watch and ward, in the world to which you



spo - ken, now we give you thanks, O Lord.
bove us, hal - low all our lives, O Lord.
for you keep love's tie un - bro - ken, Lord.
send us let your king - dom come, O Lord.



COMMUNION HYMN

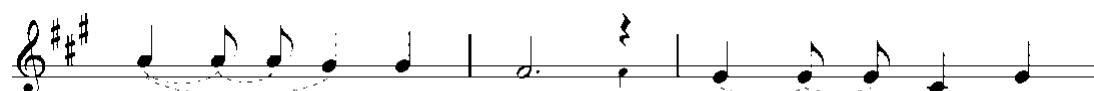
I am the bread of life



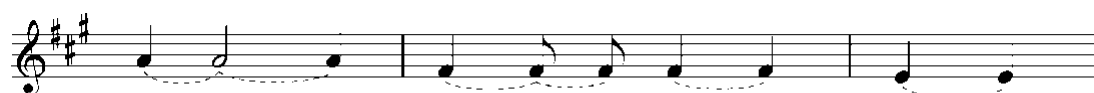
1 I am the bread of life; they who
 2 (The) Bread that I will give is my
 3 (Un-) less you eat of the
 4 I am the re - sur - rec - tion,
 5 (Yes,) Lord, we be - lieve that



1 come to me shall not hun - ger; they who be -
 2 Flesh for the life of the world, and they who
 3 Flesh of the Son of Man and
 4 I am the life. They who be -
 5 you are the Christ, the



1 lieve in me shall not thirst. No one can come to
 2 eat of this bread, they shall live for
 3 drink of his Blood, you shall not have life with -
 4 lieve in me, e - ven if they
 5 Son of God who has



1 me un - less the Fa - ther draw them.
 2 ev - er. they shall live for ev - er.
 3 in you. you shall not have life with - in you.
 4 die, they shall live for ev - er.
 5 come in - to the world.



And I will raise them up, and I will raise them



And I will raise them up, and I will raise them



up, and I will raise them up on the

last day. 5 Yes, day.

2 The
3 Un- day.
4
5 Yes,
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The descant may be sung after stanzas 4 and 5.

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.**

The tune for this hymn is called "*Jerusalem*" and it is a secondary national anthem for Great Britain (secondary to "God Save the King"). The words of this hymn are different than used in England since those words are specific to that nation.

In the Episcopal Church, the role of the **Deacon** is different than role of the Priest. The Deacon is to have one foot in the church and one foot in the world, thus providing a bridge and connection. Since our worship is to prepare us to serve in the world and the Deacon is the bridge to the world, it is quite appropriate for the Deacon to send us back out into the world at the end of worship.

CLOSING HYMN

O day of peace

1 O day of peace that dim - ly shines through all our
 2 Then shall the wolf dwell with the lamb, nor shall the

hopes and prayers and dreams, guide us to jus - tice, truth, and
 fierce de - vour the small; as beasts and cat - tle calm - ly

love, de - liv - ered from our self - ish schemes. May swords of
 graze, a lit - tle child shall lead them all. Then en - e -

hate fall from our hands, our hearts from en - vy find re -
 mies shall learn to love, all crea - tures find their true ac -

lease, till by God's grace our war - ring world shall see Christ's
 cord; the hope of peace shall be ful - filled, for all the

1 Interlude

prom - ised reign of peace.
 earth shall know the (Lord.)

Final Ending

Lord.

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

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

VOLUNTARY

LIFE AT ST. BARNABAS

PHILOSOPHY CLUB FOR HIGH SCHOOLERS – Sunday, October 26th at 6:00 pm in the church library (by the office) Come discuss interesting philosophical ideas with college professors and peers at St. Barnabas's very own (brand new!) Philosophy Club. The club is for ages 15-19 (upper high school / early college). The topic of the first meeting will be medieval philosophy and the problem of universals, which are absolute ideas that can be thought by anyone. (Or can they . . . ?) No experience with philosophy is needed, but prior knowledge is welcome and will enrich our discussions. The group will be led by Eleanor Helms and Todd Long. Both have PhDs in philosophy and teach at Cal Poly.

PHOTOS FOR ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY – Bring in framed photos of your deceased loved ones to place on the side altar. Once again, this year we will observe All Saints/All Souls Sunday with a display of photos of your loved ones who have died. Photos will be displayed on Sunday, November 2nd and Sunday, November 19th, and then you may take your photos home with you. You may bring in your photos earlier if you wish.

GRATITUDE BRUNCH – On Sunday, November 2nd at 11:30am, please join us for Brunch to celebrate the In-Gathering of pledges for the coming year. If you're able and so inclined, feel free to bring a salad or desert to share and note which you might bring on the sign-up sheet that will be out in the narthex (... or outside the entrance, on a table, depending on the weather). Or you can send an email to Robert Merritt at RxMerritt@gmail.com saying that you will attend. We hope to see you there!

BIBLE STUDY – Our Bible Study group has begun 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: bit.ly/stbarnabasmorningprayer 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: <https://insidetheinvisible.beehiiv.com/subscribe>

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 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

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

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.

TUESDAY MORNING PRAYER at 9:30 am – 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:

bit.ly/stbarnabasmorningprayer

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.

BIBLE STUDY Tuesdays at 10:00 am – 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 ggrgarner@gmail.com for more information.

Friday 4:00 pm CENTERING PRAYER – 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

(<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86777561670?pwd=OEV0ajx1WXhuSGJINTIwbu1LUWR6Zz09>).

We meet in person on the second Friday of the month at St. Barnabas. We meet next **in person** on **Friday, November 14, 2025**.

MAKING DONATIONS TO ST. BARNABAS

ELECTRONIC TRANSFER: 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 saintbarnabas.treasurer@gmail.com. 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: stbarnabas.financial@gmail.com PayPal does charge St. Barnabas a processing fee.

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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 stbarnabas.financial@gmail.com. Thank you for your continued support of St. Barnabas.



DONATE

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:

Marigay Ross, Barbara Conry, Paula Mason

Sunday School Teachers:

Pam Pano & Aly Magno

Youth Ministry Director:

Natalia Berryman

Last Week's Coffee Hour Ministry Hosts:

8 am: Rev. Ken Kaisch

10 am: The Pano & Kielan families

CALENDAR

October 26 – November 2

TODAY	In-Person Holy Communion	8:00 am
	In-Person Holy Communion.....	10:00 am
	Children’s Sunday School.....	10:00 am
	Buildings and Grounds Meeting.....	11:20 am
Tuesday	Morning Prayer (Hybrid Zoom & Church Library)	9:30 am
	Biblical Roundtable (Hybrid Zoom & Church Library).....	10:00 am
	12-Step Meeting (outdoors)	12:00 noon
Wednesday	Senior Fitness & Stretching with Sigrid	12:15 pm
	Chancel Choir Rehearsal.....	6:00 pm
	Youth Group.....	6:00 pm
	Choral Scholars Rehearsal.....	7:00 pm
Thursday	Morning Yoga with Sigrid.....	9:30 am
	Senior Fitness & Stretching with Sigrid	12:15 pm
Friday	Centering Prayer (via Zoom).....	4:00 pm
Sunday	In-Person Holy Communion	8:00 am
	In-Person Holy Communion.....	10:00 am
	Children’s Sunday School.....	10:00 am

**In-person and via Facebook Live*

SERVING TODAY

PRESIDER	The Rev. Rob Keim
DEACON	The Rev. Dcn. Susan Arnold
PREACHER	Julie Shires
8AM MUSIC	Sharon Williams
10 AM MUSIC	Janis Johnson
CHORAL SCHOLARS	Catryna Benander, Helena Fuller, Zach Allen, Wyatt Traski

8 am

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER	Karen Reinecke
LECTOR	Melissa Biel
CHALICE	Carlos Ortiz
USHERS	David Rodgers, Lorrie Erno
VESTRY ON CALL	Candace Kincade
COFFEE MINISTRY HOSTS	Dave & Sharon Williams

10 am

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER	Kevin Pence
CHALICES	Nancy Taylor, Gerti Garner
USHERS	Steve Jerrick & Harry Johnson
VESTRY ON CALL	Leslie Campbell
LIVESTREAM	Cole Martinez
COFFEE MINISTRY HOST	Stan & Ginger Terry



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