

**ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH
BAYSIDE, NEW YORK**



**THE NINTH SUNDAY AFTER
PENTECOST**

AUGUST 10, 2025

10:00 AM HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II



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214-35 40TH AVENUE, BAYSIDE, NY 11361

THE VERY REV. LAURENCE G. BYRNE, RECTOR

THE REV. MARJORIE BOYDEN-EDMONDS, DEACON ASSOCIATE



WELCOME TO ALL SAINTS

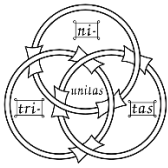
Whether you are a first-time visitor, long-time parishioner, or somewhere in between, we are honored and enriched by your on-line or in-person presence this morning, and offer you a sincere welcome home to this parish church.

As we worship together, we encourage you to join fully in the prayers and hymns and to share in the Holy Communion. If you are at home, sing out the great hymns of the Church and make the responses out loud.

Should you be seeking a church to call your own, we hope that your search is over and that you will become a member of All Saints. Please be sure to sign the visitors' book in the entryway.

INTERCESSORY PRAYER LIST

Lisa Benedict, Carolina Castro, Ian Castro, Christon, Cardoso, Veronica Scanlon, Kristen Tonnesen and family, Paul Parfrey, Birgit Tonnesen, Che'ade Delotte-Bennett, Marjorie, Kem, John Crowe, Mike DellaVecchia, Zachary, Skylar, Virginia Presinal, Arlene Tesar, Joseph Tesar, Jack Smith, Susan Majerski, Michael Quaranta and the Quaranta Family, Peter Santangelo and the Santangelo Family. Kenneth Benedict, Leola Powell, Jimmy Osborne, Frank Torre, Stella, All who are suffering from bigotry, greed, injustice, gun violence, warfare, and all those served by our Blessing Box Ministry.



IX PENTECOST, AUGUST 10, 2025

HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II

Prelude

Processional Hymn (H401)

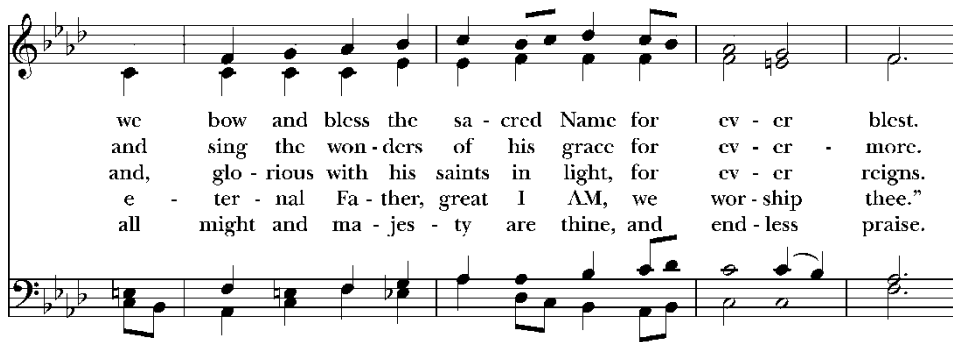
The God of Abraham Praise

LEONI

1 The God of A - braham praise, who reigns en - throned a - bove;
2 He by him - self hath sworn: we on his oath de - pend;
3 There dwells the Lord, our King, the Lord, our Right - eous - ness,
4 The God who reigns on high the great arch - an - gels sing,
5 The whole tri - um - phant host give thanks to God on high;

1 An - cient of ev - er - last - ing days, and God of love;
2 we shall, on ea - gle - wings up - borne, to heaven a - scend;
3 tri - um - phant o'er the world and sin, the Prince of Peace;
4 and "Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly," cry, "Al - might - y King!
5 "Ilail, Fa - ther, Son, and Illo - ly Ghost!" they ev - er cry;

1 the Lord, the great I AM, by earth and heaven con - fessed:
2 we shall be - hold his face, we shall his power a - dore,
3 on Zi - on's sa - cred height his king - dom he main - tains,
4 Who was, and is, the same, and ev - er - more shall be:
5 hail, A - braham's Lord di - vine! With heaven our songs we raise;



Opening Sentences and Collect for Purity

BCP. 355

All standing, the Celebrant says Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit
People ***And blessed be His Kingdom, now and forever. Amen.***

The Celebrant says the Collect for Purity 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.***

Gloria in Excelsis

SUMMER SERVICE MUSIC LEAFLET

Glory to God, We give you thanks and praise..... With all the heav'nly host we glorify.

The Collect of the Day:

Celebrant The Lord be with you. *People* **And also with you.** *Celebrant* Let us pray.

Grant to us, Lord, we pray, the spirit to think and do always those things that are right, that we, who cannot exist without you, may by you be enabled to live according to your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. ***Amen.***

The First Lesson

The word of the Lord came to Abram in a vision, "Do not be afraid, Abram, I am your shield; your reward shall be very great." But Abram said, "O Lord God, what will you give me, for I continue childless, and the heir of my house is Eliezer of Damascus?" And Abram said, "You have given me no offspring, and so a slave born in my house is to be my

Genesis 15:1-6

heir." But the word of the Lord came to him, "This man shall not be your heir; no one but your very own issue shall be your heir." He brought him outside and said, "Look toward heaven and count the stars, if you are able to count them." Then he said to him, "So shall your descendants be." And he believed the Lord; and the Lord reckoned it to him as righteousness.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

People : Thanks be to God

Psalm 33:12-22

- 12 Happy is the nation whose God is the Lord! *
happy the people he has chosen to be his own!
- 13 The Lord looks down from heaven, *
and beholds all the people in the world.
- 14 From where he sits enthroned he turns his gaze *
on all who dwell on the earth.
- 15 He fashions all the hearts of them *
and understands all their works.
- 16 There is no king that can be saved by a mighty army; *
a strong man is not delivered by his great strength.
- 17 The horse is a vain hope for deliverance; *
for all its strength it cannot save.
- 18 Behold, the eye of the Lord is upon those who fear him, *
on those who wait upon his love,
- 19 To pluck their lives from death, *

and to feed them in time of famine.

20 Our soul waits for the Lord; *

he is our help and our shield.

21 Indeed, our heart rejoices in him, *

for in his holy Name we put our trust.

22 Let your loving-kindness, O Lord, be upon us, *

as we have put our trust in you.

The Second Lesson

Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16

Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen. Indeed, by faith our ancestors received approval. By faith we understand that the worlds were prepared by the word of God, so that what is seen was made from things that are not visible. By faith Abraham obeyed when he was called to set out for a place that he was to receive as an inheritance; and he set out, not knowing where he was going. By faith he stayed for a time in the land he had been promised, as in a foreign land, living in tents, as did Isaac and Jacob, who were heirs with him of the same promise. For he looked forward to the city that has foundations, whose architect and builder is God. By faith he received power of procreation, even though he was too old-- and Sarah herself was barren--

because he considered him faithful who had promised. Therefore from one person, and this one as good as dead, descendants were born, "as many as the stars of heaven and as the innumerable grains of sand by the seashore." All of these died in faith without having received the promises, but from a distance they saw and greeted them. They confessed that they were strangers and foreigners on the earth, for people who speak in this way make it clear that they are seeking a homeland. If they had been thinking of the land that they had left behind, they would have had opportunity to return. But as it is, they desire a better country, that is, a heavenly one. Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God; indeed, he has prepared a city for them.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

People : **Thanks be to God**


Sequence Hymn (H 68)

Rejoice, Rejoice Believers

LLANGLOFFAN




1 Re - joice! re - joice, be - liev - ers, and let your lights ap - pear!
 2 See that your lamps are burn - ing, re - ple-nish them with oil;
 3 Our hope and ex - pec - ta - tion, O Je - sus, now ap - pear;



The eve - ning is ad - vanc - ing, and dark - er night is near.
 look now for your sal - va - tion, the end of sin and toil.
 a - rise, thou Sun so longed for, a - bove this dark-ened sphere!



The Bride-groom is a - ris - ing, and soon he will draw nigh;
 The mar - riage - feast is wait - ing, the gates wide o - pen stand;
 With hearts and hands up - lift - ed, we plead, O Lord, to see



up, watch in ex - pec - ta - tion! at mid - night comes the cry.
 rise up, ye heirs of glo - ry, the Bride-groom is at hand!
 the day of earth's re - demp - tion, and ev - er be with thee!

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

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ

Jesus said to his disciples, "Do not be afraid, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom. Sell your possessions, and give alms. Make purses for yourselves that do not wear out, an unfailing treasure in heaven, where no thief comes near and no moth destroys. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

"Be dressed for action and have your lamps lit; be like those who are waiting for their master to return from the wedding banquet, so that they may open the door for

him as soon as he comes and knocks. Blessed are those slaves whom the master finds alert when he comes; truly I tell you, he will fasten his belt and have them sit down to eat, and he will come and serve them. If he comes during the middle of the night, or near dawn, and finds them so, blessed are those slaves. "But know this: if the owner of the house had known at what hour the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into. You also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour."

Deacon The Gospel of The Lord

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ

The Sermon

Fr. Byrne

The Nicene Creed

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 worshipped 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 Prayers of the People *The Leader and People pray responsively*

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;

That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for Sean, our Presiding Bishop, Lawrence, Geralyn, and William our bishops; Laurence, our priest; Marjorie, our deacon, and all bishops, priests, and deacons;

That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest.

Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Remembering especially [_____] Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

The Celebrant adds a concluding collect Almighty God, to whom our needs are known before we ask: Help us to ask only what accords with your will; and those good things which we dare not, or in our blindness cannot ask, grant us for the sake of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Deacon: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor

Leader and People Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Priest alone 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.

Welcome and Announcements

The Offertory

In addition to our silver alms basins, we're passing the virtual offering plate! If you would like to make an online donation, please visit www.allsaintsepiscopalbayside.org and click on the donate tab. Thank you!

OFFERTORY HYMN (H 533) *How Wondrous and Great, Thy Works God of Praise* LYONS

1 How won - drous and great thy works, God of praise!
2 To na - tions of earth thy light shall be shown;

How just, King of saints, and true are thy ways!
their wor - ship and vows shall come to thy throne:

O who shall not fear thee, and hon - or thy Name?
thy truth and thy judg - ments shall spread all a - broad,

Thou on - ly art ho - ly, thou on - ly su - preme.
till earth's ev - ery peo - ple con - fess thee their God.

THE DOXOLOGY (H.380, VERSE 3)

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving, Eucharistic Prayer A

(Complete text BCP p. 361)

Celebrant The Lord be with you. *People* And al - so 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 proceeds It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth [*Here a proper preface is said or sung.*] Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus

SUMMER SERVICE MUSIC LEAFLET

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of Sabaoth adored..... in the name of the Lord.

Then the Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father... Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith

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

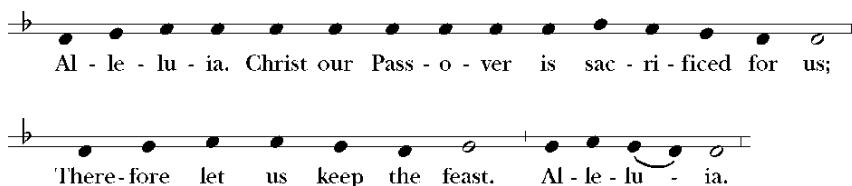
The Celebrant continues We celebrate the memorial of our redemption.....

all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

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

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name..... For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread



Agnus Dei

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O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God.....And grant us peace, O Lord, we pray.

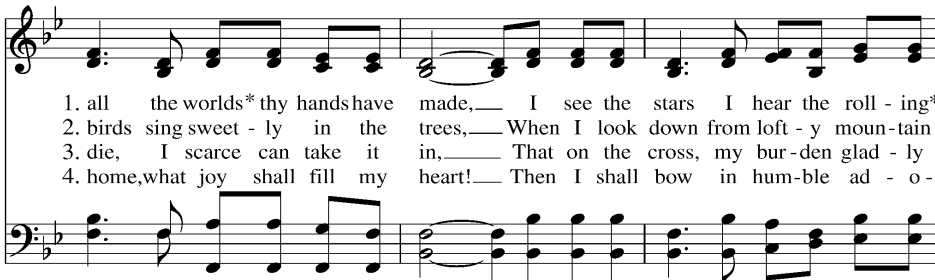
The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died and rose for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

THE COMMUNION OF THE FAITHFUL

All Baptized Christians are welcome and encouraged to receive Holy Communion.

Communion Hymn (LEVAS 60) *How Great Thou Art*

1. O Lord my God, when I in awe - some won - der Con - sid - er
2. When through the woods and for - est glades I wan - der And hear the
3. And when I think that God, his Son not spar - ing, Sent him to
4. When Christ shall come with shout of ac - cla - ma - tion And take me



1. all the worlds* thy hands have made, — I see the stars I hear the roll - ing*
 2. birds sing sweet - ly in the trees, — When I look down from loft - y moun - tain
 3. die, I scarce can take it in, — That on the cross, my bur - den glad - ly
 4. home, what joy shall fill my heart! — Then I shall bow in hum - ble ad - o -



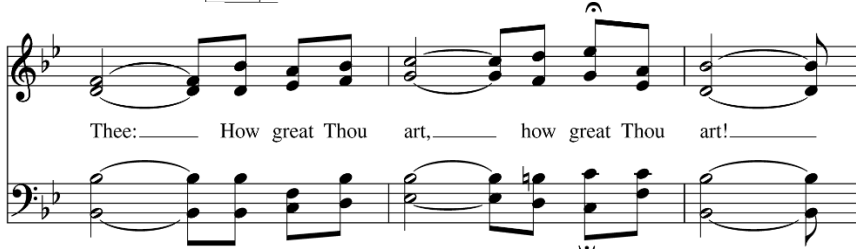
1. thun - der, Thy pow'r through - out the u - ni - verse dis - played. —
 2. gran - deur, And hear the brook and feel the gen - tle breeze. —
 3. bear - ing, He bled and died to take a - way my sin. —
 4. ra - tion, And there pro - claim, my God how great thou art. —



Then sings my soul, my Sav - ior, God, to Thee: — How great Thou



art, — how great Thou art! — Then sings my soul, my Sav - ior, God, to



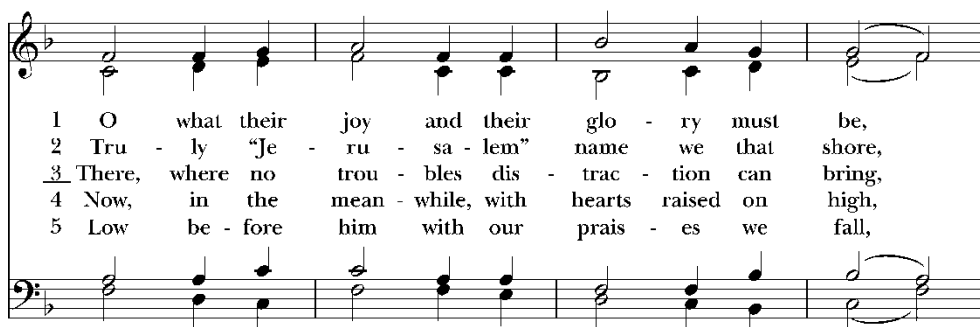
Thee: — How great Thou art, — how great Thou art! —

After Communion, the Celebrant says, Let us pray together:

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Blessing

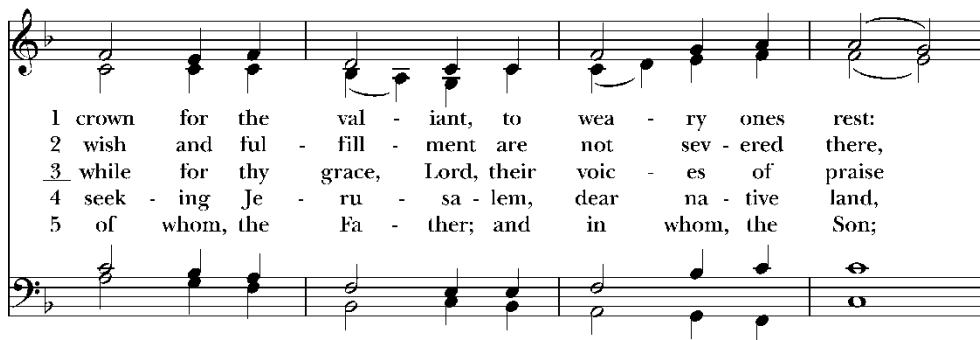
Recessional Hymn (H623) *O What Their Joy and Their Glory Must Be*



1 O what their joy and their glo - ry must be,
 2 Tru - ly "Je - ru - sa - lem" name we that shore,
 3 There, where no trou - bles dis - trac - tion can bring,
 4 Now, in the mean - while, with hearts raised on high,
 5 Low be - fore him with our prais - es we fall,



1 those end - less Sab - baths the bless - ed ones see;
 2 ci - ty of peace that brings joy ev - er - more;
 3 we the sweet an - thems of Zi - on shall sing;
 4 we for that coun - try must yearn and must sigh,
 5 of whom, and in whom, and through whom are all;



1 crown for the val - iant, to wea - ry ones rest;
 2 wish and ful - fill - ment are not sev - ered there,
 3 while for thy grace, Lord, their voic - es of praise
 4 seek - ing Je - ru - sa - lem, dear na - tive land,
 5 of whom, the Fa - ther; and in whom, the Son;



1 God shall be all, and in all ev - er blest.
 2 nor do things prayed for come short of the prayer.
 3 thy bless - ed peo - ple e - ter - nal - ly raise.
 4 through our long ex - ile on Bab - y - lon's strand.
 5 through whom, the Spi - rit, with them ev - er One.

Dismissal Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. *Thanks be to God*

Today's Liturgical Gifts

The altar flowers are given Paul and Susan Parfrey to the glory of God and in celebration of Fiona Parfrey's 11th birthday ✕ The Sanctuary Lamp is given by Paul and Susan Parfrey to the glory of God and in loving memory of Martha Weimar

Coffee Hour

Everyone is invited to enjoy fellowship and refreshments in the Common Room following the service. **Today's host(s)** *Fred Xavier* **Next Week:** *Liz Gillespie*

Looking Ahead

September 1-12: Fr. & Mrs. Byrne will be on Summer vacation, part 2

September 14: "Welcome Back" Picnic **September 20:** Parish Yard Sale

September 25: Thrift Shop reopens for the 2025-26 season

September 27: Diocesan Altar Guild 90th Anniversary Celebration

October 3: The 1910 Gallery returns for its 2025 Fall Art Show: *For the Beauty of the Earth*

The 1910 Gallery will open its 2025 Fall Art Show on Friday, October 3, with the theme "For the Beauty of the Earth." We are delighted to welcome back Rose Poyser as curator for this special exhibit.

We are currently accepting submissions from artists working in traditional mediums — including painting, sculpture, illustration, photography, and mixed media. Artists may submit up to two pieces for consideration by September 2.

If you or someone you know is interested, in being an exhibitor, please visit allsaintsepiscopalbayside.org/1910 or email allsaintsbayside@gmail.com for more information. A call for volunteers will be shared soon.

Join us for The 1910 Gallery 2025 Fall Art Show Opening Reception on Friday, October 3, from 6–10 PM. This will be a ticketed event — pricing and purchasing information will be available soon. We'll also host a special event in conjunction with the Feast of St. Francis on Saturday, October 4. More details to come. Thank you for your continued support of The 1910 Gallery!

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Almighty God, giver of every good gift and source of all wisdom and understanding, look graciously upon your Church and guide the minds and hearts of those who will choose our next bishop. We pray that you will grant wisdom, discernment, a spirit of revelation, and the knowledge of your will to those who offer themselves as candidates. We pray that you will guide us to elect a bishop who will care for all your people and equip us for our ministries through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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On the Cover: Abraham looks to the stars

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