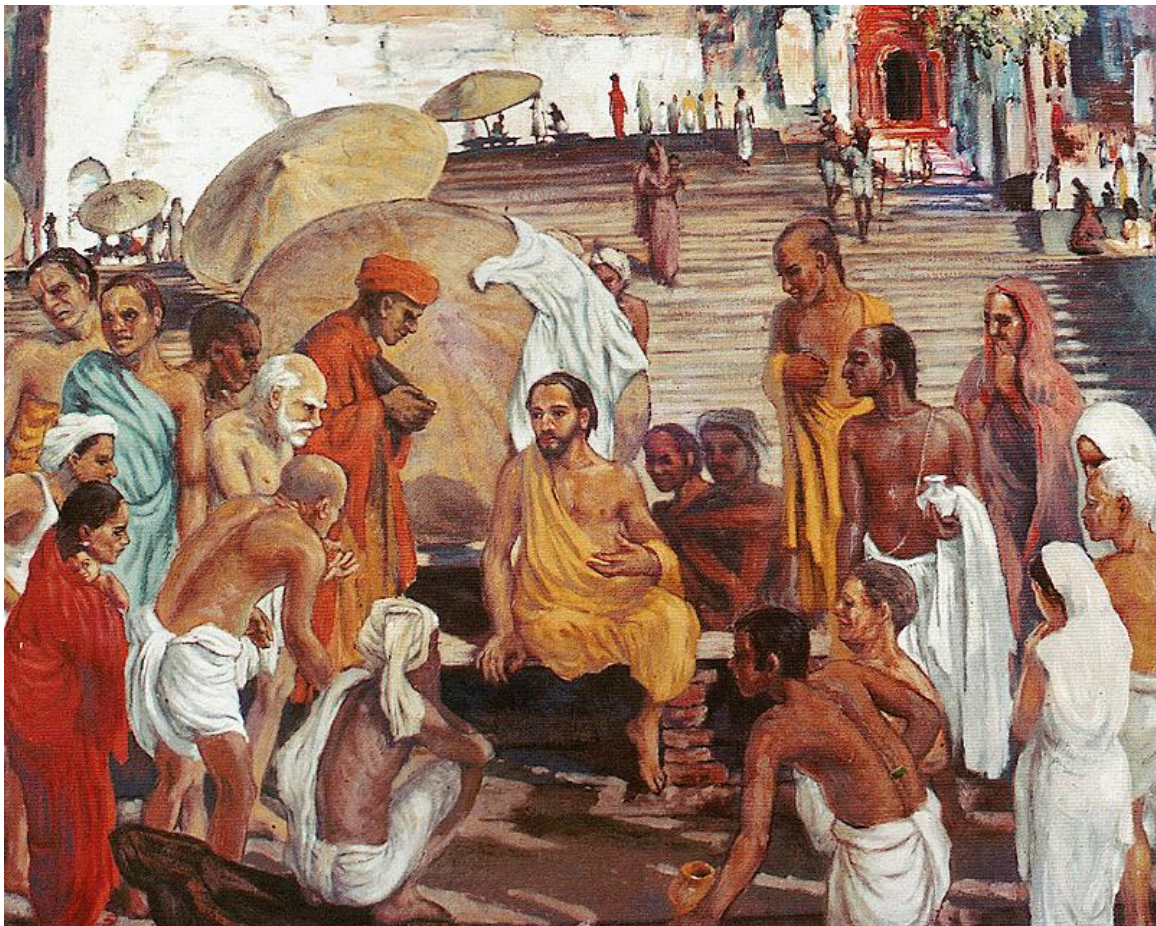




The Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 5th, 2024

10:00 am



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Serving Today

Presider	Rev. Sara Fischer
Preacher	Rev. Dennis j. Sagun Parker
Deacon	Rev. Tracy LeBlanc
Music	St. David's Choir Josh Hegg, Guest Musician
Readers	
Intercessor	Anne Norloff
Eucharistic Minister	Mark Turner
Altar Guild	Rev. Tracy LeBlanc Diane Wells
AV Tech	
Zoom Host	
Vestry on Duty	Cass Cole
Coffee Hour Lead	Anne Parks

This Week

Sunday

Eucharist: 10 am in the Sanctuary and on Zoom

Godly Play: during the 10 am Eucharist – Today: The Story of St. Julian of Norwich

Childcare (ages 0 - 9): from 9 am - noon in the Grace Room

Coffee Hour: Join us after the service for coffee, snacks, and community in the Parish Hall

Jr. Youth Group (grades 3 - 5): 11:30 am - 12:30 pm in the Fireside Room

Family Engagement Meeting: 1130 am in the Chapel

Monday

Weekly garden work party: 5:30 - 7 pm outside the church

Wednesday

Potluck Dinner and Fellowship: 5:30 - 7 pm in the Parish Hall

Thursday

No Morning Prayer this week

Choir Rehearsal: 6:30 - 7:30 pm in the Sanctuary

Friday

Say Their Names: at noon at church

Please stand to sing as you are able

Opening Hymn

My faith looks up to thee

The Hymnal 1982, #691

1 My faith looks up to thee, thou Lamb of Cal - va - ry,
2 May thy rich grace im - part strength to my faint - ing heart,
3 While life's dark maze I tread, and griefs a - round me spread,

Sa - vior di - vine! Now hear me while I pray, take all my
my zeal in - spire; as thou hast died for me, O may my
be thou my guide; bid dark - ness turn to day; wipe sor - row's

guilt a - way; O let me from this day be whol - ly thine.
love to thee pure, warm, and change - less be, a liv - ing fire.
tears a - way, nor let me ev - er stray from thee a - side.

Words: Ray Palmer (1808-1887). Music: *Olivet*, Lowell Mason (1792-1872).

The Easter Acclamation

Presider Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

Opening Prayer

Almighty God, whom truly to know is everlasting life: Grant us so perfectly to know your Son Jesus Christ to be the way, the truth, and the life, that we may steadfastly follow his steps in the way that leads to eternal life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Please be seated

Children of all ages are invited to the steps of the sanctuary to be sent on their way for Godly Play.

Deacon or Priest

May you be deeply rooted and grounded in the Love of the God who made you and adores you.

People **May you understand how much this community values you and delights in you.**

All **And may you discover ways that you can be a force for Love in this world.
Amen**

The Liturgy of the Word

The First Reading

Acts 10:44-48

Reader A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

After the reading

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 98

Prayed responsively by whole verse

- 1 Sing to the LORD a new song, *
for God has done marvelous things.
- 2 **With the Lord's right hand and holy arm *
has God won the victory.**
- 3 The LORD has made known this victory; *
and righteousness has God openly shown in the sight of the nations.
- 4 **The Lord remembers mercy and faithfulness to the house of Israel, *
and all the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.**
- 5 Shout with joy to the LORD, all you lands; *
lift up your voice, rejoice, and sing.
- 6 **Sing to the LORD with the harp, *
with the harp and the voice of song.**
- 7 With trumpets and the sound of the horn *
shout with joy before the Sovereign, the LORD.
- 8 **Let the sea make a noise and all that is in it, *
the lands and those who dwell therein.**
- 9 Let the rivers clap their hands, *
and let the hills ring out with joy before the LORD,
when the Lord comes to judge the earth.
- 10 **In righteousness shall the Lord judge the world *
and the peoples with equity.**

The Second Reading

I John 5:1-6

Reader A reading from the First Letter of John.

After the reading

Reader The Word of the Lord.

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

Please stand to sing as you are able

Gospel Hymn

Blest are the pure in heart

The Hymnal 1982, #656

1 Blest are the pure in heart, for they shall see our God; the
2 The Lord, who left the heavens our life and peace to bring, to
3 he to the low - ly soul will still him - self im - part and
4 Lord, we thy pres - ence seek; may ours this bless - ing be; give

se - cret of the Lord is theirs, their soul is Christ's a - bode.
dwell in low - li - ness with us, our pat - tern and our King;
for his dwell - ing and his throne will choose the pure in heart.
us a pure and low - ly heart, a tem - ple fit for thee.

The musical score consists of two systems of music. Each system has a treble clef staff on top and a bass clef staff on the bottom. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is common time (C). The lyrics are printed between the two staves of each system.

Words: Sts. 1 and 3, John Keble (1792-1866), alt.; sts. 2 and 4, William John Hall (1793-1861), alt. Music: *Franconia*, melody Johann Balthasar König (1691-1758); adapt. and harm. William Henry Havergal (1793-1870).

The Gospel

John 15:9-17

The Deacon or Presider

The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to John.

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

After the reading

The Deacon or Presider

The Gospel of the Lord.

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

Sermon by Rev. Dennis j. Sagun Parker

Please stand as you are able

The Nicene Creed

Presider and People

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

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the Holy One of God, eternally begotten of the most high,
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,
begotten, not made, of one Being with the Creator.**

Through whom all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:

by the power of the Holy Spirit,

became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made human.

Who for our sake was crucified under Pontius Pilate;

suffered death and was buried.

On the third day, rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;

ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God.

Christ will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,

and God's kingdom will have no end.

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, our Guide and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Creator.**

With Creator and Christ, She is worshiped and glorified.

She 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.

Prayers of the People

by the Rev. Dcn. Tracy LeBlanc

Deacon Let us join together in praying for the church, the world, and the needs of our own hearts.

Leader: For all people in this world who seek to understand and follow the Resurrected Christ and for us as we seek to live out our faith:

All **Let Love be our guide,
mercy the path at our feet,
truth the melody in our ears,
compassion and justice the work of our hands,
and resurrection the song on our lips: Alleluia!**

Leader For the fallible and imperfect systems of government, economics and policy in our country. For the people who work to better them and people impacted by their brokenness:

All **Let Love be our guide, alleluia!**

Leader For all people in positions of power and leadership in the church, our city, our nation and in the world:

All **Let Love be their guide, alleluia!**

Leader For this beautiful and broken world - that holds war, poverty, climate change and oppression in one hand and joy, connection and laughter in the other – and for us as we seek to be voices of hope in it:

All **Let Love be our guide, alleluia!**

Leader For all whose lives are torn with suffering born of addiction, mental and physical illness, loss, unemployment or strife. For those who seek to be people of resilience or companions with others in this journey:

All **Let Love be our guide, alleluia!**

Leader For us as we encounter injustice, indifference, anger, hopelessness, or any situation in which we might forget who we are:

All **Let Love be our guide, alleluia!**

Leader For those who have died and those who mourn:

All **Let Love be our guide, alleluia!**

Leader For the concerns and needs of this parish spoken silently or aloud:

(People are invited to voice prayers at this time)

Leader And for each of our daily lives:

All **Let Love be our guide,
mercy the path at our feet,
truth the melody in our ears,
compassion and justice the work of our hands,
and resurrection the song on our lips: Alleluia!**

Presider O Lord our God, accept the fervent prayers of your people; in the multitude of your mercies, look with compassion upon us and all who turn to you for help; for you are gracious, O lover of souls, and to you we give glory, Creator, Redeemer, and Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and

might, Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord,

God of power and might, hea - ven and earth are

full, full of your glo - ry. Ho -

san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na

in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes

in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na

in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Music: From *Deutsche Messe*, Franz Peter Schubert (1797-1828); arr. Richard Proulx (b. 1937). Copyright © 1985 GIA Publications, Inc.

The Presider continues ...

We acclaim you, holy God, glorious in power. ... Recalling Christ's death and Christ's descent among the dead, proclaiming Christ's resurrection and ascension to your right hand, awaiting Christ's coming in glory; and offering to you, from the gifts you have given us, this bread and this cup, we praise you and we bless you.

Presider and People

**We praise you, we bless you,
we give thanks to you,
and we pray to you, Lord our God.**

The Presider continues ...

God, we pray that in your goodness and mercy your Holy Spirit may descend upon us, and upon these gifts, sanctifying them and showing them to be holy gifts for your holy people, the bread of life and the cup of salvation, the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ. ... Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, all honor and glory are yours, Almighty God and Creator, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, for ever and for ever. **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

Book of Common Prayer, p. 364

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

Our Father in heaven,

hallowed be your Name,

your kingdom come

your will be done,

on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins,

as we forgive those

who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial,

and deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power,

and the glory are yours,

now and for ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

The Presider breaks the consecrated Bread.

Presider Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

The People receive Communion.

The Bread is gluten free, nut free, and dairy free. Both wine and juice are available at the rail; when presented with the cup, please let the Minister know if you prefer juice. If you are unable to ascend the steps to the rail, Ministers will be available to bring the elements out to you; please let an usher know. All are welcome to partake.

San-ctum no - men Do - mi - ni ma-gni - fi-cat a - ni-ma me a.
Ho - ly is the name of God. Sing out my soul, prais-ing God ev-er-more.

San-ctum no - men Do - mi - ni ma-gni - fi-cat a - ni - ma me - a.
Ho - ly is the name of God. Sing out my soul, giv-ing praise to God.

Music: Jacques Berthier (1923-1994)

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Please stand as you are able

The Prayer after Communion

Prayers for an Inclusive Church

All **Risen Christ, whom we have seen with our eyes and touched with our hands,
the word of life in whom our joy is complete: Send us out to declare your truth,
your unshakeable faith in the world you love. Amen.**

The Presider gives the Blessing

Closing Hymn

O love, how deep, how broad

The Hymnal 1982, #448



1 O love, how deep, how broad, how high, how pass - ing
2 For us bap - tized, for us he bore his ho - ly
3 For us he prayed; for us he taught; for us his
4 For us to wick - ed hands be - trayed, scourged, mocked, in
5 For us he rose from death a - gain; for us he
6 All glo - ry to our Lord and God for love so



1 thought and fan - ta - sy, that God, the Son of
2 fast and hun - gered sore; for us temp - ta - tions
3 dai - ly works he wrought: by words and signs and
4 pur - ple robe ar - rayed, he bore the shame - ful
5 went on high to reign; for us he sent his
6 deep, so high, so broad; the Trin - i - ty whom



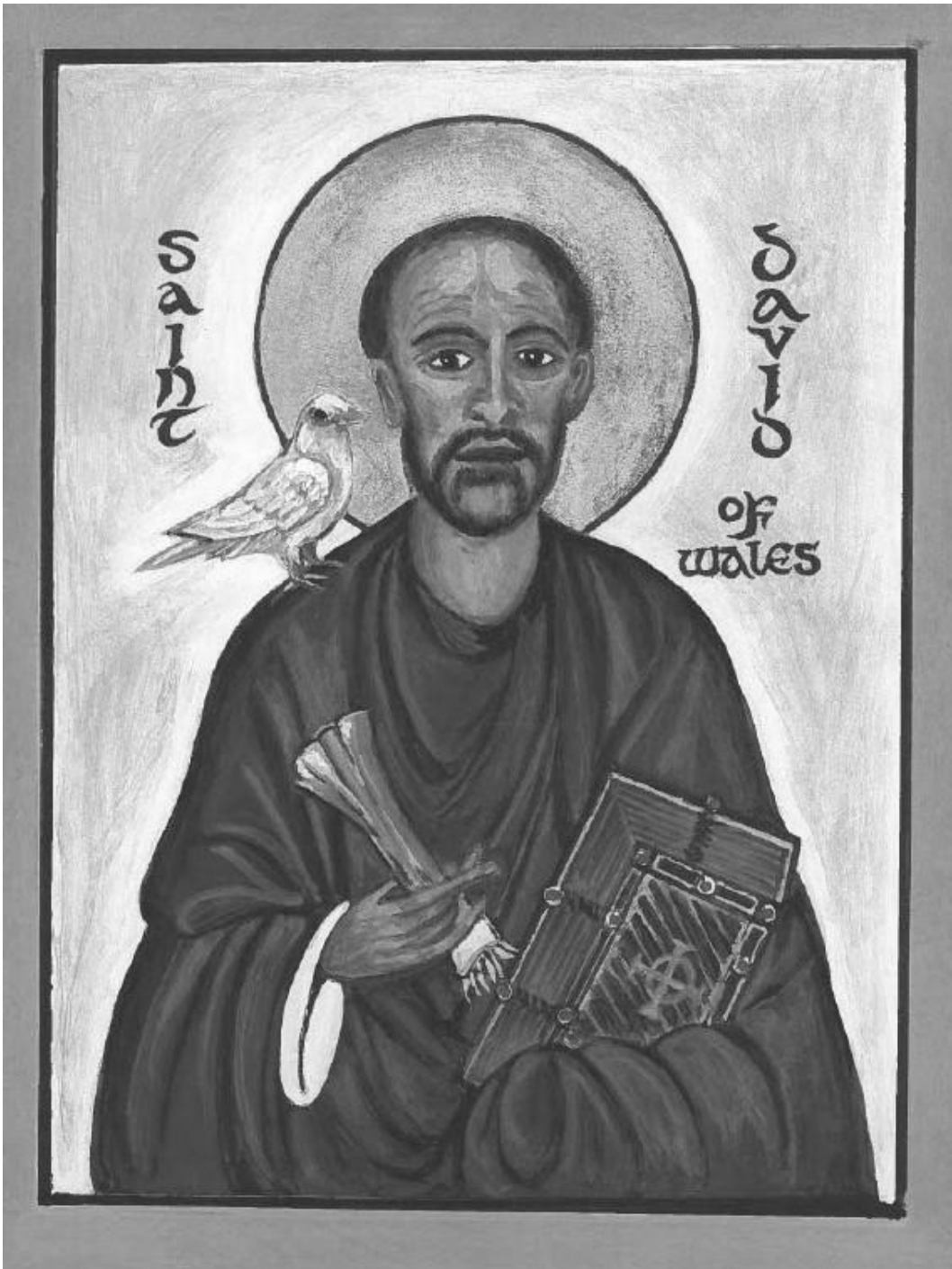
1 God, should take our mor - tal form for mor - tals' sake.
2 sharp he knew; for us the tempt - er ov - er - threw.
3 ac - tions, thus still seek - ing not him - self, but us.
4 cross and death; for us gave up his dy - ing breath.
5 Spi - rit here to guide, to strength - en, and to cheer.
6 we a - dore for ev - er and for ev - er - more.

Words: Latin, 15th cent.; tr. Benjamin Webb (1819-1885), alt. Music: *Deus tuorum militum*, from *Antiphoner*, 1753; adapt. *The English Hymnal*, 1906, alt.; harm. after Basil Harwood (1859-1949).

Dismissal

Deacon ...in this world. Alleluia, Alleluia.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia.



Announcements

Family Engagement Meeting, Today, May 5th, 11:30 am in the Chapel. We will discuss the ministries and offerings under her supervision, how the current offerings are going, and what we want to see continue or change for the fall. For more information, contact Cleo Mozena: kids@saintdavidpdx.org.

Morning Prayer, beginning Wednesday, May 8, will meet on Wednesdays at 9 am in the Chapel

Gentle Yoga will be suspended for the month of May, while Chiaki Smillie is out of town.

Save the Date – Pentecost Chili Cook Off, Sunday, May 19th, 2024. Follow [this link](#) to volunteer. For more information, contact Cindy Marvin, 99cindywho@gmail.com

Regular Happenings

Junior Youth Group (Grades 3 - 5), First and third Sundays: 11:30 am - 12:30 pm in the Fireside Room – the next meeting is today

Senior Youth Group (Grades 6 - 12), Second and fourth Sundays: 11:30 am - 12:30 pm in the Fireside Room – the next meeting is May 12

St. David's Taizé Service, Third Sundays: 5 pm in the Sanctuary – the next service is May 19

Acts of Service

Serve During our Liturgies

May 2024

Pentecost Chili Cook Off

June 2024

Family Promise: Help host families in the building.

Email Cass Cole: cassandracole90@gmail.com

Hot Meals: Serve a hot lunch every 2nd Saturday.

Signup, or email Kieran Cannistra:

kieran.cannistra@gmail.com

Brigid's Table: Serve to-go meals every Tuesday.

Email Barbara Brecht: bbrechtlcs@gmail.com

Hospitality: Help with coffee hour.

Email Cindy Marvin: 99cindywho@gmail.com

AV Team: Help host our hybrid service.

Email Mary Hultquist: mhultquist@mac.com

Lay Eucharistic Ministers

Contact Madeline Moore at 503-502-0405 or speak to Deacon Tracy

Share with the Community – [Announcements](#) (Due Tuesdays by noon)

Maintenance Requests – Follow [this link](#)

Lost and Found – Please check the lost & found box (under the coat rack near the parking lot entrance) for any belongings you may have left behind. Anything unclaimed will be given to charity at the end of each month.



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