

**Receiving Holy Communion in the Episcopal Church**  
All baptized Christians are welcome to receive the Bread and Wine of Holy Communion, the sacrament of Christ’s Body and Blood. This is done by holding out your hands to receive the bread. To receive the wine guide the chalice to your lips, or dip the bread into the wine. You may choose not to receive the wine. If you do not wish to receive Communion or have not been baptizd, you may come forward to receive a blessing from the priest. Please indicate this by folding your arms across your chest. Gluten-free wafers are available to those who need them, and are kept and administered separately from the other wafers. Please indicate your desire for a gluten-free wafer to the priest. If you have not been baptized and wish to be, please speak to one of the priests following the service.

*If you are unable to come forward to receive Holy Communion, please notify an usher and the clergy will bring the sacrament to you in your pew.*

**The Prayers of the People**

As we pray, please remember the following:  
Janie Ballew, Jane Crowder, Joe MacCabe, Gay Peden, Cory Riedl,  
Linda Robertson, Charlotte Scott, John Waldrop

**Serving in Worship Today**

The Rev. Kellie Wilson, Celebrant  
The Rev. Dr. Harrison McLeod, Preacher  
Clayton Williams & Josh Segars, Lay Readers  
Tom Coker & Nelson Arrington, Vergers  
Donald W. Duncan, Director of Liturgy & Music  
The Christ Church Parish Choir  
The Christ Church Altar Guild

**Altar Flowers**

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of Almighty God and in memory of William (Billy) H. McCauley, II by Joanie McCauley.

Christ Church Clergy	Regular Worship Schedule
<b>The Rt. Rev. Daniel P. Richards</b> <i>Bishop</i>	<b>Sunday Morning</b> 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist, Rite I <i>Markley Chapel</i> 10:30 AM Family Eucharist, Rite II <i>Markley Chapel</i> 10:30 AM Traditional Eucharist, Rite II <i>Historic Church</i>
<b>The Rev. Dr. Harrison McLeod</b> <i>Rector</i>	<b>Sunday Evening</b> <i>First Sunday of the Month</i> 5:00 PM Choral Evensong <i>Historic Church</i> <i>All other Sundays of the Month</i> 5:00 PM Holy Eucharist, Rite II <i>Markley Chapel</i>
<b>The Rev. Kellie Wilson</b> <i>Senior Associate Rector</i>	<b>Second Sunday of the Month</b> 3:00 PM Rhythms of Grace <i>Markley Chapel</i>
<b>The Rev. Scott Fleischer</b> <i>Associate for Pastoral Care</i>	<b>First &amp; Third Tuesdays of the Month</b> 5:30 PM Healing Eucharist, Rite II <i>Markley Chapel</i>
<b>The Rev. Lindy Bunch</b> <i>Associate for Parish Life</i>	<b>Wednesday</b> 10:30 AM Holy Eucharist, Rite I <i>Markley Chapel</i>
<b>The Rev. Wallace Adams-Riley</b> <i>CCES Senior Chaplain</i>	

Christ Church Vestry		
<b>Bill Hardaway</b> <i>Senior Warden</i>	<b>Norma Givens</b> <i>Worship</i>	<b>Phil Peterson</b> <i>Hospitality</i>
<b>Bryant Nixon</b> <i>Junior Warden</i>	<b>Dexter Hagy</b> <i>Resource Development</i>	<b>Cindy Poe</b> <i>Grounds</i>
<b>Betsy Baumgardner</b> <i>Faith Development</i>	<b>Julie Haas</b> <i>Parish Life</i>	<b>Chris Klasing</b> <i>Treasurer</i>
<b>Betsy Elliott</b> <i>Pastoral Care</i>	<b>Kay Jenkins</b> <i>Engagement</i>	<b>Nelson Arrington, III</b> <i>Assistant Treasurer</i>
<b>Betty Parker Ellis</b> <i>Communications</i> <i>Welcoming Ministries</i>	<b>Paul Landis</b> <i>Finance</i>	<b>Cecil Nelson</b> <i>Chancellor</i>
<b>Sam Erwin</b> <i>Outreach</i>	<b>Martha Louise Lewis</b> <i>CCEP &amp; CCES</i>	<b>Wade Kolb</b> <i>Assistant Chancellor</i>
		<b>Josh Hudson</b> <i>Secretary of the Vestry</i>

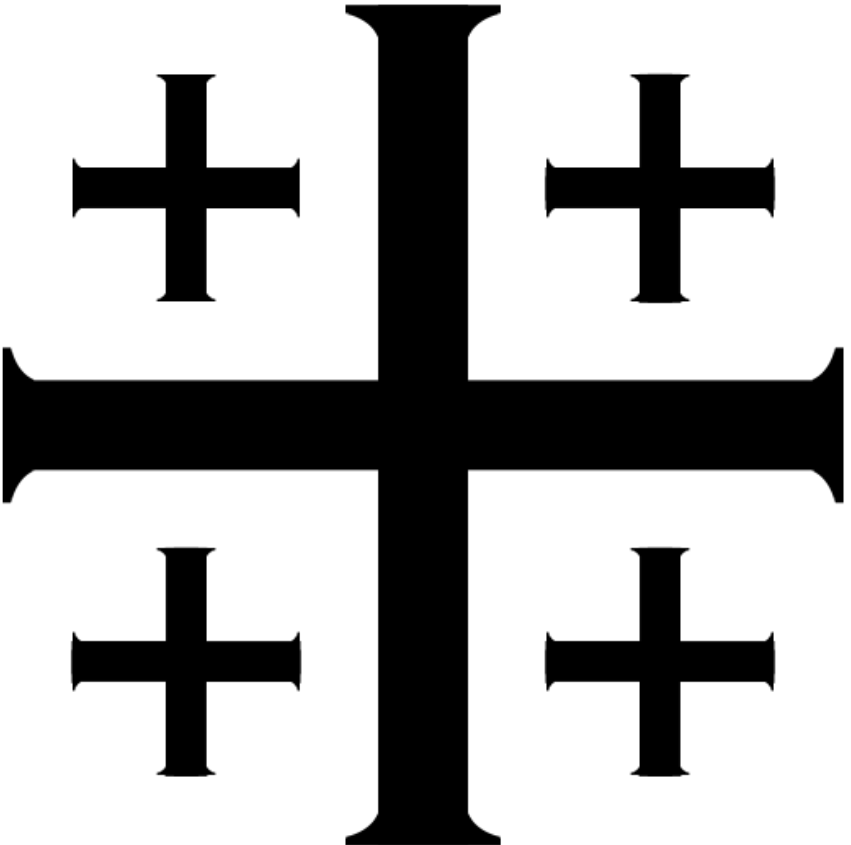
**Ministry Area Leaders**

Christ Church offers an extensive array of ministries. Contact one of these staff members to learn more.		
<i>Faith Development</i> <b>The Rev. Kellie Wilson</b>	<i>Parish Life</i> <b>The Rev. Lindy Bunch</b>	<i>Support</i> <b>Suzanne Mize</b>
<i>Faith in Action</i> <b>Kevin Mertens</b>	<i>Pastoral Care</i> <b>The Rev. Scott Fleischer</b>	<i>Communications</i> <b>Jessica St. Clair Smith</b>
<i>Liturgy and Music</i> <b>Donald W. Duncan</b>	<i>Christ Church Preschool</i> <b>Christine Skelton</b>	<i>Resource Development</i> <b>Kristin Bennett</b>

WORSHIP LEAFLET

**Sunday, October 29, 2023**

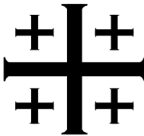
*The Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 25)*  
*Holy Eucharist, Rite II*



*Historic Church Service*  
10:30 AM



CHRIST CHURCH  
EPISCOPAL  
A JOYFUL COMMUNITY  
SHARING LIFE IN JESUS CHRIST



The Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 25)

HISTORIC CHURCH

OCTOBER 29, 2023

10:30 AM

**Welcome to Worship at Christ Church**

Welcome to this service of worship. We are glad that you have chosen to join us today. In order to assist you in following the service, this worship leaflet provides an outline of today’s liturgy. The text of the prayers and other liturgical materials is found in the **Book of Common Prayer** (small red book in pew rack) and the corresponding page numbers in this book are indicated in the worship leaflet by the abbreviation BCP. The hymns and service music are found in the blue **Hymnal 1982** and the corresponding page numbers in this book are indicated in the worship leaflet by No. or S. Instructions for receiving Holy Communion are listed on the inside panel of this leaflet.

The Word of God

Organ Voluntary	Donald W. Duncan, Director of Liturgy & Music
Ringing of the Tower Bell	<i>(standing)</i>
Hymn in Procession, No. 423	<i>Immortal, invisible, God only wise</i>
Opening Acclamation	Book of Common Prayer (BCP) 355 Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.
Collect for Purity	BCP 355
Kyrie eleison (Hymnal, S-88)	McNeil Robinson
Collect of the Day   Proper 25	BCP 235
The Old Testament Lesson	<i>(seated)</i> Deuteronomy 34:1-12
The Epistle Lesson	1 Thessalonians 2:1-8
Sequence Hymn, No. 574	<i>(standing)</i> Before thy throne, O God, we kneel During the singing of the Sequence Hymn young children are invited to follow the children's crucifer to Children's Church, held in St. Luke's Chapel. Children are encouraged to bring an offering with them for the collection.
The Gospel	Matthew 22:34-46
The Sermon	<i>(seated)</i> The Rev. Dr. Harrison McLeod
The Nicene Creed	<i>(standing)</i> BCP 358
Prayers of the People: Form IV	<i>(standing)</i> BCP 388
Confession of Sin & Absolution	<i>(kneeling)</i> BCP 360
The Peace	<i>(standing)</i> BCP 360

The Holy Communion

Offertory Sentences	
Anthem at the Offertory	Christ Church Parish Choir
When rooks fly homeward and shadows fall, when roses fold on the hay yard wall, when blind moths flutter by door and tree, then comes the quiet of Christ to me.	
When stars look out on the children's path , and grey mists gather on carn and rath, when night is one with the brooding sea, then comes the quiet of Christ to me.	
Text   Joseph Campbell (1879-1944) Music   Charles Callahan (b. 1951)	
Presentation Hymn, No. 705, v. 1	<i>(standing)</i>
As those of old their first fruits brought of vineyard, flock, and field to God, the giver of all good, the source of bounteous yield; so we today our first fruits bring, the wealth of this good land, of farm and market, shop and home, of mind, and heart, and hand.	
The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A	BCP 361
Sanctus et Benedictus (Hymnal, S-129)	Robert J. Powell
Fraction Anthem (Hymnal, S-154)	David Hurd
Communion Music	
Agnus Dei (Hymnal, S-163)	
Hymn No. 517	How lovely is thy dwelling place
Hymn No. 314	Humbly I adore thee
If Lay Eucharistic Visitors are sent out this week, the following is said:	
The Sending Forth of Lay Eucharistic Visitors	
In the name of this congregation, I send you forth bearing these holy gifts that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood. We who are many are one body, because we all share one bread, one cup.	
The congregation kneels for the Post Communion Prayer and Blessing.	
Post Communion Prayer	<i>(kneeling)</i> BCP 365
Blessing	<i>(kneeling)</i>
Hymn in Procession, No. 607	<i>(standing)</i> O God of every nation
Dismissal	BCP 366
Organ Voluntary	Donald W. Duncan, Director of Liturgy & Music

Readings for the Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost

The First Lesson	Deuteronomy 34:1-12
Moses went up from the plains of Moab to Mount Nebo, to the top of Pisgah, which is opposite Jericho, and the Lord showed him the whole land: Gilead as far as Dan, all Naphtali, the land of Ephraim and Manasseh, all the land of Judah as far as the Western Sea, the Negeb, and the Plain—that is, the valley of Jericho, the city of palm trees—as far as Zoar. The Lord said to him, “This is the land of which I swore to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, saying, ‘I will give it to your descendants’; I have let you see it with your eyes, but you shall not cross over there.” Then Moses, the servant of the Lord, died there in the land of Moab, at the Lord's command. He was buried in a valley in the land of Moab, opposite Beth-peor, but no one knows his burial place to this day. Moses was one hundred twenty years old when he died; his sight was unimpaired and his vigor had not abated. The Israelites wept for Moses in the plains of Moab thirty days; then the period of mourning for Moses was ended. Joshua son of Nun was full of the spirit of wisdom, because Moses had laid his hands on him; and the Israelites obeyed him, doing as the Lord had commanded Moses. Never since has there arisen a prophet in Israel like Moses, whom the Lord knew face to face. He was unequaled for all the signs and wonders that the Lord sent him to perform in the land of Egypt, against Pharaoh and all his servants and his entire land, and for all the mighty deeds and all the terrifying displays of power that Moses performed in the sight of all Israel.	
The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.	
The Epistle Lesson	1 Thessalonians 2:1-8
You yourselves know, brothers and sisters, that our coming to you was not in vain, but though we had already suffered and been shamefully mistreated at Philippi, as you know, we had courage in our God to declare to you the gospel of God in spite of great opposition. For our appeal does not spring from deceit or impure motives or trickery, but just as we have been approved by God to be entrusted with the message of the gospel, even so we speak, not to please mortals, but to please God who tests our hearts. As you know and as God is our witness, we never came with words of flattery or with a pretext for greed; nor did we seek praise from mortals, whether from you or from others, though we might have made demands as apostles of Christ. But we were gentle among you, like a nurse tenderly caring for her own children. So deeply do we care for you that we are determined to share with you not only the gospel of God but also our own selves, because you have become very dear to us.	
The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.	
The Gospel Lesson	Matthew 22:34-46
The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew. Glory to you, Lord Christ.	
When the Pharisees heard that Jesus had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together, and one of them, a lawyer, asked him a question to test him. “Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?” He said to him, “‘You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind.’ This is the greatest and first commandment. And a second is like it: ‘You shall love your neighbor as yourself.’ On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.” Now while the Pharisees were gathered together, Jesus asked them this question: “What do you think of the Messiah? Whose son is he?” They said to him, “The son of David.” He said to them, “How is it then that David by the Spirit calls him Lord, saying, ‘The Lord said to my Lord, “Sit at my right hand, until I put your enemies under your feet”’? If David thus calls him Lord, how can he be his son?” No one was able to give him an answer, nor from that day did anyone dare to ask him any more questions.	
The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, Lord Christ.	