



## HYMNS & READINGS

June 24, 2018

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

### Processional Hymn (10:30 am)

379, God is Love, let heaven adore him

### Song of Praise (10:30 am)

S-278, Glory to God

### Collect

O Lord, make us have perpetual love and reverence for your holy Name, for you never fail to help and govern those whom you have set upon the sure foundation of your loving-kindness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

### Old Testament Reading—1 Samuel 17:57-18:5, 10-16

On David's return from killing the Philistine, Abner took him and brought him before Saul, with the head of the Philistine in his hand. Saul said to him, "Whose son are you, young man?" And David answered, "I am the son of your servant Jesse the Bethlehemite."

When David had finished speaking to Saul, the soul of Jonathan was bound to the soul of David, and Jonathan loved him as his own soul. Saul took him that day and would not let him return to his father's house. Then Jonathan made a covenant with David, because he loved him as his own soul. Jonathan stripped himself of the robe that he was wearing, and gave it to David, and his armor, and even his sword and his bow and his belt. David went out and was successful wherever Saul sent him; as a result, Saul set him over the army. And all the people, even the servants of Saul, approved.

The next day an evil spirit from God rushed upon Saul, and he raved within his house, while David was playing the lyre, as he did day by day. Saul had his spear in his hand; and Saul threw the spear, for he thought, "I will pin David to the wall." But David eluded him twice.

Saul was afraid of David, because the Lord was with him but had departed from Saul. So Saul removed him from his presence, and made him a commander of a thousand; and David

marched out and came in, leading the army. David had success in all his undertakings; for the Lord was with him. When Saul saw that he had great success, he stood in awe of him. But all Israel and Judah loved David; for it was he who marched out and came in leading them.

### Psalm 133 *Ecce, quam bonum!*

- 1 Oh, how good and pleasant it is, \*  
when brethren live together in unity!
- 2 It is like fine oil upon the head \*  
that runs down upon the beard,
- 3 Upon the beard of Aaron, \*  
and runs down upon the collar of his robe.
- 4 It is like the dew of Hermon \*  
that falls upon the hills of Zion.
- 5 For there the Lord has ordained the blessing: \*  
life for evermore.

### New Testament Reading 2 Corinthians 6:1-13

As we work together with Christ, we urge you also not to accept the grace of God in vain. For he says,

"At an acceptable time I have listened to you, and on a day of salvation I have helped you."

See, now is the acceptable time; see, now is the day of salvation! We are putting no obstacle in anyone's way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, but as servants of God we have commended ourselves in every way: through great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, beatings, imprisonments, riots, labors, sleepless nights, hunger; by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, holiness of spirit, genuine love, truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left; in honor and dishonor, in ill repute and good repute. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; as unknown, and yet are well known; as dying, and see—we are alive; as punished, and yet not killed; as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing everything. We have spoken frankly to you Corinthians; our heart is wide open to you. There is no restriction in our affections, but only in yours. In return—I speak as to children—open wide your hearts also.

### Sequence Hymn (10:30 am)

559, Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us

## Gospel—Mark 4: 35-41

When evening had come, Jesus said to his disciples, “Let us go across to the other side.” And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him. A great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped. But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, “Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?” He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, “Peace! Be still!” Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. He said to them, “Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?” And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, “Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?”

**Sermon**      Rev. Dr. David Schlafer

### Offertory Hymn (10:30 am)

579, Almighty Father, strong to save

### Communion Hymn (10:30 am)

671, Amazing grace!

### Final Hymn (10:30 am)

535, Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim

**Dismissal**—*after the organ voluntary, and before any applause*      **Response: Thanks be to God.**

## EMAIL

### Emails at Redeemer.

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## Sun      Jun 24

Ordinary Time, Proper 7

The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist

8 – 9am Holy Eucharist/Sanctuary

10:30 – 11:45am Holy Eucharist/Sanctuary

8 – 10pm David Briggs & Silent Movie/Sanctuary

## Mon      Jun 25

Office Closed

12 – 1pm AA Meeting/Parish Hall

## Tue      Jun 26

1 – 2pm Staff Meeting/Rector's office

7:30 – 8:30pm AA Meeting/Parish Hall

## Wed      Jun 27

9 – 9:30am Morning Prayer/St. Luke's Chapel

12 – 1pm AA Meeting/Parish Hall

12 – 1pm Holy Eucharist/Sanctuary

## Thu      Jun 28

Irenaeus, Bishop of Lyons, c. 202

6:30 – 9:30pm Balkan Dancers/Parish Hall

## Fri      Jun 29

Saint Peter and Saint Paul, Apostles

12 – 1pm AA Meeting/Sanctuary

6:30 – 7:30pm AA Meeting/Parish Hall

8:30 – 9:30pm AA Meeting/Parish Hall

## Sat      Jun 30

9:30 – 11:30am Yoga/Parish Hall

4 – 5pm The Advent Project concert (4.00pm)/Sanctuary

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## Volunteers needed for Summer Water Ministry at St Columba's

This summer Redeemer will be joining St. Columba's and St. Dunstan's in serving the guests who come to St. Columba's for the summer water ministry services which include showers, laundry and lunch. Water Ministry is open Mon, Tues, Thursday and Friday from June through mid August at St. Columba's church in Tenleytown.

Volunteer jobs include:

- setting up the lunch room and helping with clean up
- enrolling guests and monitoring the laundry and shower services,
- preparing a simple sandwich and salad lunch and cleaning up.

You can volunteer for one day, everyday or anything in between.

If you are interested in participating see Karen Stewart at coffee hour,  
email [karenstewart0405@gmail.com](mailto:karenstewart0405@gmail.com)  
or text at 301-310-1014.

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**The Book Group** will next be reading the book "Sing, Unburied, Sing" by Jesmyn Ward. This novel is a searing, urgent read for anyone who thinks the shadows of slavery and Jim Crow have passed and anyone who assumes the ghosts of the past are easy to placate. It is hard to imagine a more necessary book for this political era. This book will be discussed at 3:00 pm on Sunday, July 29, 2018 at the home of Huda and Jochen Kraske, 4550 North Park Avenue, Apt. 410, Chevy Chase, Md. 20815, phone 301 656 2087. For further information, pls. contact Huda Kraske at [hqkraske@aol.com](mailto:hqkraske@aol.com). The book to be read after this book will be The Sympathizer by Viet Thanh Nguyen.

**Something New! Office Hours at Sangamore!**

**Thursdays from 10-noon Meeting in the public indoor space between Safeway and the Karate School. See our Facebook page for more information.**

### ■ Prayer Requests

For healing: Rick Abramson, Ellen Boyle, Allison Chow, Joan Eisenstodt, Kiki Garo, Lucien Garo, Jr., John Harbeson, Olivier Jeanne, Judy James, Peter & Beate Kendall, Clarice Leslie, Evelyn Paparelli, Cricket Park, Mary Potter, Marylin Raisch, Rich Randa, Jack Reed, Charlotte Ripa, Bill Ryon, Claudia Serrin, Lynda Shepard, Anne Southard, Karen Stewart, Patricia Snowden, Ann Taylor, Jimmy Tinto, Hannah Tubbergen, Lois Vuolo, Beth Warner, Edward, Greg, Jerry, Jim, Katie, Leslie, Mollie, Logan, and Jay.

In thanksgiving for birthdays: Jane Raisch, Luke Rychlik, Claire Palmer, Zac Seckel, Dee Beilstein, Christopher Muenchow-Pohl, Marcia Sartwell at 90!

And for the anniversary of  
Howard and Julie Wolf-Rodda

For those preparing for Baptism: Patrick Tucker and Anna McInturff

For those serving on the P.R.A.Y. mission trips.

The flowers on the altar on Sunday are given for the glory of God by Judy James with congratulations to Emily at graduation.

### Readings for next Sunday

2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27

Psalm 130

2 Corinthians 8:7-15

Mark 5:21-43

In the summertime, worship assistants will sign up on the board in the Narthex. You can sign up on Sunday, or after for the following Sunday. If you are a lector, we will send you the readings on Friday by email.

Young people are encouraged to participate in this, even if you have not done it before. Training will be available if it seems necessary.

We resume the regular schedule on September 9th. The September schedule will be in the August Redeemer Spirit.

Worship assistants are listed in the This Week At Redeemer on Tuesdays, which is also on the Redeemer web site.

## Education for Ministry

**Who:** YOU! Education for Ministry (EfM) is one of the best lay ministry formation programs available in the church.

**What:** EfM is a four-year program you commit to one year at a time. The first two years you read the Old and New Testaments. The third year is Church History. The fourth year explores theology and interfaith relationships. The seminar groups have multiple years in them and function much like a “one-room schoolhouse” where ideas and discussions bridge all areas of learning. You will create a spiritual autobiography, learn methods of theological reflection, develop ways to sustain your spirituality, and explore how to integrate your beliefs and your behavior.

**Where:** We have two groups at Redeemer. Jo Barclay-Beard mentors a class on Tuesday evenings. Amma Cricket mentors a class on Wednesday mornings.

**When (do I sign up):** Registration for the 2018-2019 program year is now!

**How:** Complete an application form (available from either mentor), or if you are already a student, register on the sheet provided by your mentor. Cost is \$375 for the entire year and includes materials. You will need a study Bible, preferable a New Oxford NRSV, but others are completely acceptable. Please pay by check. Credit cards are accepted; ask for a credit card form.

<http://efm.sewanee.edu/>

Articles for Redeemer Spirit  
are due THIS WEEK!

### Saturday afternoon is The Advent Project

Called a Conversation Concert, the conductor interrupts to explain the origin of the music and how it comes together. Then they play the whole piece through. Great for young people to learn about classical music.

4:00pm on Saturday, June 30th

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# Tonight is MOVIE NIGHT!

7:30pm for a kid's movie downstairs

8:00pm for Hitchcock's The Lodger

with LIVE ORGAN MUSIC

\$5 admission - free popcorn!