



Holy Cross EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Third Sunday After Pentecost
June 21, 2020

The Service of the Word

Temporary Safety Rules

- ✠ Be joyful, grateful, and blessed!
- ✠ Please wear mask anytime you are not seated in a pew/chair.
- ✠ Bathroom: please only one person in a bathroom at a time.
- ✠ Kneel, instead of standing, for Gospel and Creed.
- ✠ **Singing:** We encourage you to remain seated with your mask on.
- ✠ **Communion:** A priest will come through the aisle to distribute bread (host) only. If you wish NOT to receive the bread, simply cross your arms across your chest.
- ✠ **Dismissal:** Ushers will dismiss by rows, starting in the back.

Opening Voluntary: *Samuel Klauss (piano)*

Opening Hymn: "This Is My Father's World"

*This is my Father's World,
And to my listening ears,
All nature sings, and round me rings.
The music of the spheres.
This is my Father's World,
I rest me in the thought
Of rocks and trees, of skies and seas
His hand the wonders wrought.*

*This is my Father's World,
The birds their carols raise.
The morning light, the lily white.
Declare their Maker's praise.
This is my Father's World.
He shines in all that's fair;
In the rustling grass I hear Him pass,
He speaks to everywhere.*

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People ***And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever! Amen.***

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*

The Collect of the Day - *prayed by the Celebrant*

The First Reading: *Romans 6:1b-11*

Should we continue in sin in order that grace may abound? By no means! How can we who died to sin go on living in it? Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? Therefore we have been buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life.

For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. We know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be destroyed, and we might no longer be enslaved to sin. For whoever has died is freed from sin. But if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. The death he died, he died to sin, once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God. So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

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

Psalm: 69: 8-11, (12-17), 18-20 (read in unison)

- 8 Surely, for your sake have I suffered reproach,
and shame has covered my face.
9 I have become a stranger to my own kindred,
an alien to my mother's children.
10 Zeal for your house has eaten me up;
the scorn of those who scorn you has fallen
upon me.
11 I humbled myself with fasting,
but that was turned to my reproach.
15 "In your great mercy, O God,
answer me with your unfailing help.
16 Save me from the mire; do not let me sink;
let me be rescued from those who hate me
and out of the deep waters.
17 Let not the torrent of waters wash over me,
neither let the deep swallow me up;
do not let the Pit shut its mouth upon me.

18 Answer me, O LORD, for your love is kind;
in your great compassion, turn to me.'

19 "Hide not your face from your servant;
be swift and answer me, for I am in distress.

20 Draw near to me and redeem me;
because of my enemies deliver me.

Sequence Hymn: "Take My Life and Let it Be
Consecrated Lord to Thee"

Take my life, and let it be consecrated Lord, to thee

*Take my moments and my days, let them flow in ceaseless
praise*

*Take my hands, and let them move at the impulse of thy
love*

Take my heart, it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne

The Gospel Reading: *Matthew 10:24-39*

Reader The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to Matthew.

People **Glory to you Lord Christ.**

Jesus said to the twelve disciples, "A disciple is not above the teacher, nor a slave above the master; it is enough for the disciple to be like the teacher, and the slave like the master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebul, how much more will they malign those of his household!

"So have no fear of them; for nothing is covered up that will not be uncovered, and nothing secret that will not become known. What I say to you in the dark, tell in the light; and what you hear whispered, proclaim from the housetops. Do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell. Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground apart from your Father. And even the hairs of your head are all counted. So do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows.

"Everyone therefore who acknowledges me before others, I also will acknowledge before my Father in heaven; but whoever denies me before others, I also will deny before my Father in heaven.

"Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth; I have not come to bring peace, but a sword.

For I have come to set a man against his father,
and a daughter against her mother,
and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law;
and one's foes will be members of one's own household.

Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it."

Reader The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you Lord Christ.**

Sermon

The Rev. Rob Dixon

The Apostles' Creed *(in unison)*

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven,

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. *Amen*

Prayers of the People

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 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.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

Silence

The Confession

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 Peace: Welcome & Announcements



The Holy Communion

This portion of the service begins on p. 361 in the BCP however, you are encouraged to give your attention to the altar.

Offertory: "I Come With Joy to Meet My Lord"

*I come with joy to meet my Lord,
forgiven, loved, and free,
in awe and wonder to recall
his life laid down for me.*

*I come with Christians far and near
to find, as all are fed,
the new community of love
in Christ's communion bread.*

*As Christ breaks bread and bids us share,
each proud division ends.
That love that made us makes us one,
and strangers now are friends.*

*And thus with joy we meet our Lord.
His presence, always near,
is in such friendship better known:
We see and praise him here.*

The Doxology:

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all
creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host:
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

The Great Thanksgiving

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.

People **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Sanctus

*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.*

Celebrant Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

People **Christ has died.**

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again..

Communion Hymn: "The Blessing"

*The Lord bless you, And keep you
Make His face shine upon you, And be gracious to you
The Lord turn His, Face toward you and give you peace*

Amen, amen, amen

Amen, amen, amen

*May His favor be upon you,
And a thousand generations
And your family and your children,
And their children, and their children*

*May His presence go before you,
And behind you, and beside you
All around you, and within you,
He is with you, He is with you*

*In the morning, in the evening,
In your coming, and your going
In your weeping, and rejoicing,
He is for you, He is for you*

Prayer for Grace and Blessing

Loving God, while I cannot receive your Holy Communion at this time, I sincerely ask you to send your Holy Spirit upon me now and upon all of your children. Fill me, sustain me, and lead me with your life-giving Grace and strength, today and forever. *Amen.*

Post Communion Prayer

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have 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

Closing Hymn: "Good, Good Father"

*I've heard a thousand stories of what they think
you're like
But I've heard the tender whisper of love in the dead
of night
And you tell me that you're pleased
And that I'm never alone*

*You're a Good, Good Father
It's who you are, It's who you are, It's who you are
And I'm loved by you
It's who I am, It's who I am, It's who I am*

You're a Good, Good Father

The Dismissal

Closing Voluntary: Samuel Klauss (piano)

Flower Dedications

Your Sermon Notes

Prayer List

Requested Prayer:

Adam, Alida, Aly & Baby Logan, Amy, Angel, Ann, Arlene, Asa, Barbara, Betty, Bob, Brad, Brenda, Catherine M., Catherine Z., Cecil, Fr. Chris, Cindy, Dan, Darlene, David I., Dean D., Ellie, Elsie, Erin, Evelyn, Fred, George, Grace, Jackie, James, Jennifer W., Jillian, Joey, Joseph, Judy G., Karen, Kelly, Ken, Kiefer, Kimberly, Kristyn, Linda E., Linda M., Luke Allen, Maggie, Marguerite, Melissa, Millie, Neil, Neta, Pam, Patrick B., Paula, Peggy, Polly, Ralph, Robert, Robyne, Ron, Selene, Sherry Jo, Sherry, Steve, Sue, Susan, Teresa L., Terry, Tif, Tom, Tony, The Collado Family, The Daily Family, The Ramirez Family & The Youth.

Military

Adam Thomas, Adam Zigler, Ben Boyer, Bill Elliott, Chase Coleman, Christian Clark, Daniel Payden, Donovan Chau, Doug Wiessman, Dylan Hoewt, Edie Ruiz, Grant Hungerford, Hunter Bailey, Jackie Neville, Jeremy Rice, Jose Hernandez, Kathryn Rubio, Kevin Kahl, Marc Ruiz, Mike Darrah, Nicholas Pinkston, Raymond Buckalew, Jr., Sean Haight, Shaun Southall, Terry W. Triplett, Jr., Tyler Post

New Beginnings

Greyson Austin Coleman, a son born on May 26th born to Clay & Tiffanie Coleman

Thanksgiving for Ordination

Rachel Iversen

Rest of the Soul

Evelyn "Corky" Bjorngaard
100,000+ Americans who have died from COVID-19
Civilians & Police injured or killed during the recent riots

Clergy

The Rev. Rob Dixon, Pastor/Rector
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Angela Hinkle (Sr. Warden), Britt Landrum (Jr. Warden), Mike Spain, (Assistant Jr. Warden), Beth Ramirez, David Curtis, Donovan Chau; Howard Johnson, Laurie White; Mike Bollette, Mike McFee, Susan Bell; Susan Karl (Vestry Member, Clerk) Warren Jerrems (Treasurer) treasurer@holycrosspensacola.org

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SUNDAY CLASSES



9:35am – Adult & Youth

"Tour of the Altar": Live & Zoom (Rev. Rog)

"Bible Warfare": Live & Zoom (Dean Dake)

Youth Group: 6th – 12th Grade - Zoom

THE WEEK AT-A-GLANCE

Mon 22 Jun 6:30pm Theology on Tech –**Returning this fall!**

Tues 23 Jun 1:00pm Youth Service Day (& Donuts)

Wed 24 Jun 9:00am Food Pantry
10:00am **Worship - Canceled**
5:30pm Youth Group - Zoom
6:10pm Bible Study with Fr. Rob – Zoom

Thur 25 Jun 11:30am Kid's Club - Zoom

Sat 27 Mar 7:30am Running/Walking Club

Sun 28 Mar 8:00am **Live Stream**
9:30am Youth Group - Zoom
9:35am Fr. Roger's Class
9:35am Chris Dake's Class
10:30am **Live Stream**
5:00pm **Worship Canceled**

Music Director: Leanne Whalen Klauss
Pianist/Organist: Samuel Klauss
Guitarist: Ryan Etheredge
Flutist: Katie Diamond
Rector: The Rev. Rob Dixon
Associate Rector: The Rev. Roger Hungerford

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to Holy Cross!

All are welcome – no exceptions!

You will find that this is a very active church family, with constant opportunities to serve, study, worship, and grow in relationship with God and with other wonderful people. There are *visitor's brochures* in the back of the pews. They contain information that could be helpful, especially for those who are less familiar with our style of worship. If you put your information on the back of that brochure and place it in the offering plate, we would enjoy welcoming you further in small, gentle, but sincere ways.

We strive to remember that this church belongs to God, and, therefore, this is as much your church as it is ours. You are invited to participate in all that we do. If there is ever any way in particular that we can be a blessing to you or to your neighbor, please do not hesitate to contact us. See you for coffee and refreshments after the service– served in the Parish Hall.

Peace!

Today's Schedule

06-21-2020

8:00am ... Live Streaming

9:00am ... Hot, Delicious, Breakfast...Coming Soon!

9:35am ... Christian Education (details on back)

10:30am ...Live Streaming

3:00pm ... Ultimate Frisbee @ UWF – Coming Soon!

5:00pm Worship - Canceled

THE WEEK AHEAD - IN DETAIL

Theology on Tap – *Returning this fall!*

GriefShare –SATURDAYS- 10:00am –For help and encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member, or friend. Includes video seminar, small group discussion, and personal study exercises in workbook. Join us at any point! For more information, contact Elaine Gaines at 310-427-2506.

WeCare Support Group – 10:00am

On the 2nd & 4th Saturday of the month. If you or someone you know is caring for a loved one, or whose life has been affected by dementia, WeCare is a support group that connects, shares, and discovers the experiences and challenges that each person is facing with this disease. Contact Barbara Coats at 251-223-2484

Holy Cross Running/Walking Club! – SATURDAY – 7:30am

All are welcome to run and/or walk in this family ministry that meets every Saturday morning at the church. Contact Dean Craig at 850-384-6780.

Sports Ministry DETAILS – SUNDAYS – 3:00pm - Coming Soon!

On the 1st, 3rd, (and when applicable 5th) Sunday of the month, join us at UWF (park by tennis courts) for ultimate frisbee. On the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month, we meet at Holy Cross for volleyball and board games. Contact Ben Boyer at 850-572-3710.0

Happy
Father's
Day!

Canceled

TAILGATE PARTY!

Don't take this the wrong way. We are not letting our guard down concerning the COVID-19! Instead, we are learning how we can be creative in living with the uncertainty of it. COME ONLY IF IT IS WISE FOR YOU TO DO SO.

After our 5:00pm Outdoor Worship, we will enjoy food and live music (bring your instruments and share a song or join in! Really, do!) from our tailgates or lawn chairs. We will have someone very carefully preparing some boxed dinners with hotdogs and burgers, or, for safety, just bring your own dinner! Yes, the virus will still get in our way of having some of our normal fun, but it will be great for a few of us at least to share a meal together again!



Congratulations
on your
Ordination

Rachel Iversen!

Youth Events!

It's time to get back together in a very
SAFE and FUN way!

- **Beach Cleanup - 6/17 – 4:00-5:30** - Meeting up at The Cross on Pensacola Beach to help keep our beaches clean! Trash bags and Gloves provided.
- **Youth Service Day (& DONUTS!) - 6/23 - 1:00-3:00**
Let's get together and knock out a couple of outdoor projects around the church – then let's eat some donuts because, why not!?
- **Boomerang & Kite Day – Date and Time TBD** - Who wants to learn how to throw a boomerang!?! The church will sponsor the boomerangs and I am going to teach you! – or if that doesn't meet your fancy, at least come fly a kite with us! **Contact me if interested** so I can know how many boomerangs to order. Bring your own kite if you have one!



PARENTS: Safety is my #1 priority as we start to try new things to get back together in some form as a youth group. We will be outdoors for all of the upcoming events and we will keep a safe distance from one another. Please send them with their own bottle of water to each event. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or concerns. – Ryan E.