

The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost
Holy Eucharist: Rite II – October 2, 2022

Living in faith knowing that we are following the teachings of God.

Prelude	Abbot's Leigh	Mark Sedio
Processional Hymn 523	"Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken"	
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The Gloria (Hymnal S-280)		BCP Page 356

THE WORD OF GOD

The Collect of the Day (17 th Pentecost – Proper 22)		BCP Page 234
First Lesson		Lamentations 1:1-6
Psalm 137		BCP Page 792
Second Lesson		2 Timothy 1:1-14
Sequence Hymn 524	"I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord"	
Gospel		Luke 17:5-10
The Sermon		Bob Prichard
The Nicene Creed		BCP Page 358
The Blessing of Animals		
Canticle 12 A Song of Creation		BCP Page 88
The Prayers of the People: Form IV		BCP Page 388
The Confession and Absolution		BCP Page 360
The Peace		BCP Page 360
Anthem	Gather Us In	Marty Haugen

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving: Prayer A		BCP Page 361
Sanctus and Benedictus (Hymnal S-130)		BCP Page 361
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Communion Hymn 660	"O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee"	
Post-Communion Prayer		BCP Page 365
The Blessing		
Recessional Hymn 400	"All Creatures of Our God and King"	
Dismissal: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.		BCP Page 366
People	<i>Thanks be to God.</i>	
Postlude	Te Deum	Marc-Antoine Charpentier

The Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray, and to give more than we either desire or deserve: Pour upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid, and giving us those good things for which we are not worthy to ask, except through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ our Savior; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The First Lesson

Lamentations 1:1-6

How lonely sits the city that once was full of people! How like a widow she has become, she that was great among the nations! She that was a princess among the provinces has become a vassal. She weeps bitterly in the night, with tears on her cheeks; among all her lovers she has no one to comfort her; all her friends have dealt treacherously with her, they have become her enemies. Judah has gone into exile with suffering and hard servitude; she lives now among the nations, and finds no resting place; her pursuers have all overtaken her in the midst of her distress. The roads to Zion mourn, for no one comes to the festivals; all her gates are desolate, her priests groan; her young girls grieve, and her lot is bitter. Her foes have become the masters, her enemies prosper, because the Lord has made her suffer for the multitude of her transgressions; her children have gone away, captives before the foe. From daughter Zion has departed all her majesty. Her princes have become like stags that find no pasture; they fled without strength before the pursuer.

Psalm 137

Super flumina

- 1 By the waters of Babylon we sat down and wept, *
when we remembered you, O Zion.
- 2 As for our harps, we hung them up *
on the trees in the midst of that land.
- 3 For those who led us away captive asked us for a song, and our oppressors called for mirth: *
"Sing us one of the songs of Zion."
- 4 How shall we sing the Lord's song *
upon an alien soil.
- 5 If I forget you, O Jerusalem, *
let my right hand forget its skill.
- 6 Let my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth if I do not remember you, *
if I do not set Jerusalem above my highest joy.
- 7 Remember the day of Jerusalem, O Lord, against the people of Edom, *
who said, "Down with it! down with it! even to the ground!"
- 8 O Daughter of Babylon, doomed to destruction, *
happy the one who pays you back for what you have done to us!

9 Happy shall he be who takes your little ones, *
and dashes them against the rock!

The Epistle

2 Timothy 1:1-14

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, for the sake of the promise of life that is in Christ Jesus, To Timothy, my beloved child: Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord. I am grateful to God-- whom I worship with a clear conscience, as my ancestors did-- when I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. Recalling your tears, I long to see you so that I may be filled with joy. I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that lived first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, lives in you. For this reason I remind you to rekindle the gift of God that is within you through the laying on of my hands; for God did not give us a spirit of cowardice, but rather a spirit of power and of love and of self-discipline. Do not be ashamed, then, of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner, but join with me in suffering for the gospel, relying on the power of God, who saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works but according to his own purpose and grace. This grace was given to us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Savior Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. For this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher, and for this reason I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know the one in whom I have put my trust, and I am sure that he is able to guard until that day what I have entrusted to him. Hold to the standard of sound teaching that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us.

The Gospel

Luke 17:5-10

The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith!" The Lord replied, "If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you. "Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from plowing or tending sheep in the field, 'Come here at once and take your place at the table'? Would you not rather say to him, 'Prepare supper for me, put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink; later you may eat and drink'? Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, 'We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!'"

We give thanks for those who are celebrating their birthdays this week: Linda Parker.

We pray for our Diocese and in our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for Abingdon, White Marsh, Meade Memorial, White Post, and St. Thomas, Orange.

The mid-week service is celebrated on Wednesday mornings in the Parish Hall Chapel at 9:30 a.m.

PARTICIPANTS IN THE SERVICE

Holy Eucharist: Rite I 8:00 a.m.

Celebrant / Sermon	the Rev. Dr. Robert Prichard
Deacon	the Rev. Deacon Peg Moncure
Euch. Min. / Acolyte / Lector	Dave Wilcox
Usher	Jack Tarran

Holy Eucharist: Rite II 10:30 a.m.

Celebrant / Sermon	the Rev. Dr. Robert Prichard
Deacon	the Rev. Deacon Peg Moncure
Organist	Libby Boyer
Gosp. Bk. Bearer / Prayers / Euch. Min.	Jack Hellems
Eucharistic Minister	Grace Parker
Lector	Diane Martin
Crucifer / Acolyte	Robin Wells
Ushers	Lydia Dudley and Henry Moncure
Altar Guild	Marilyn South, Judi Snider, Pam McClelland, Judy Quilter, and Sheila Gammel
Flower Guild	Sheila Gammel & Harriette Floyd
Tech Team	Greg Grichtmeier, Ann de Peyster, Mike Floyd, Mike Gorin, Jeff Loustaunau, Robin Wells, & Jack Fackler

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Christ Church Parish Vestry

Jeannette Adkins – Senior Warden '22	
Betsy Evans – Junior Warden '23	
Lydia Dudley '22	Karen Brown '24
John Quilter '22	Garry Clay '24
Mike Gorin '23	Ann de Peyster '24
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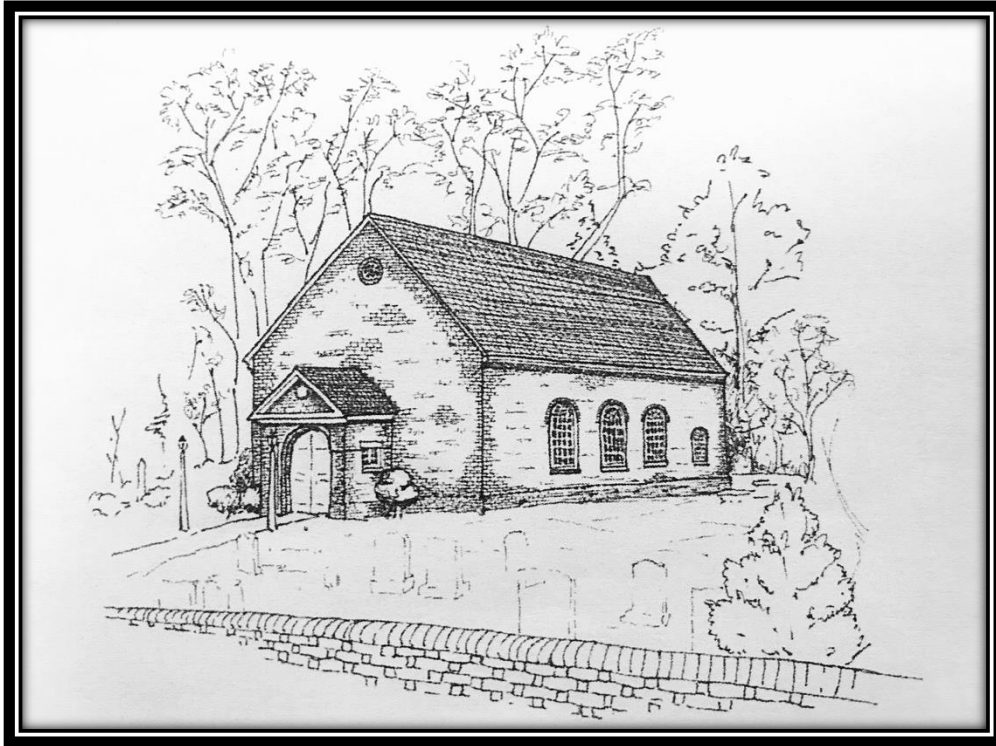
Welcome to Christ Church Parish

(Episcopal)

October 2, 2022

10:30 a.m.

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Founded in 1666

Before the service, speak to God in the silence of your heart.

*During the service, let God speak to you through
Word and Sacrament.*

After the service, speak with your neighbor!

Christ Church Parish Mission Statement

*We are a family of faith,
growing in Christ through worship, learning, and
service, who strive to love God
and to love our neighbors as ourselves.*