



HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

THE SUNDAY OF PENTECOST - WHITSUNDAY: YEAR A

MAY 24, 2026: 10:00 A.M.

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Seekers, believers, and doubters of all ages, welcome home to St. Andrew's! Everything you need for the Liturgy of the Word is found in your bulletin. Music may be found in this bulletin, or you can refer to the blue 1982 Hymnal (in the pew rack). Restrooms are downstairs in the undercroft; our greeters can direct you to a more accessible restroom in the parish house as well. Children of all ages are welcome to join us in our Soft Space, located temporarily at the back of the church, during worship. Please move around our space as you and your children are most comfortable. Visitors, we would love to get to know you, and we invite you to fill out one of our welcome cards and place it in the offering plate or hand it to one of our greeters. We are so glad you are here!

Prelude

Opening Hymn

Move in our midst

Kenneth Morse

Sung by all. Please stand as you are able.

1 Move in our midst, O Spir - it of God. Go with us
2 Touch now our hands to lead us a - right. Guide us for-
3 Strike from our feet the fet - ters that bind. Lift from our
4 Kin - dle our hearts to burn with your flame. Raise up your
down from your ho - ly hill. Walk with us through the
ev - er, show us your way. Trans - form our dark - ness
lives the weight of our wrong. Teach us to love with
ban - ners high in this hour. Stir us to build new
storm and the calm. Spir - it of God, now go with us still.
in - to your light. Spir - it of God, still lead us to - day.
heart, soul, and mind. Spir - it of God, your love makes us strong.
worlds in your name. Spir - it of God, O send us your pow'r!

TEXT: Kenneth I. Morse (1942, 1949), *The Brethren Hymnal* (1951)
TUNE: Perry L. Huffaker (1950), *The Brethren Hymnal* (1951)
From *Hymnal: A Worship Book*, Brethren Press, Elgin, IL

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PINE GLEN

Opening Acclamation

The Book of Common Prayer (BCP), p. 355

Please remain standing as you are able.

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ is risen.

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

The Collect for Purity

Please remain standing as you are able.

Celebrant Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid:

All **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.**

Song of Praise

Glory to God

Hymn #S280

Sung by all. Please remain standing as you are able.

THE WORD OF GOD

The Collect of the Day

BCP, p. 226

Please remain standing as you are able.

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, who on this day taught the hearts of your faithful people by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit: Grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgment in all things, and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; 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.**

The First Lesson

Numbers 11:24-30

NRSV

Please be seated.

A reading from the Book of Numbers.

Moses went out and told the people the words of the Lord; and he gathered seventy elders of the people, and placed them all around the tent. Then the Lord came down in the cloud and spoke to him, and took some of the spirit that was on him and put it on the seventy elders; and when the spirit rested upon them, they prophesied. But they did not do so again. Two men remained in the camp, one named Eldad, and the other named Medad, and the spirit rested on them; they were among those registered, but they had not gone out to the tent, and so they prophesied in the camp. And a young man ran and told Moses, "Eldad and Medad are prophesying in the camp." And Joshua son of Nun, the assistant of Moses, one of his chosen men, said, "My lord Moses, stop them!" But Moses said to him, "Are you jealous for my sake? Would that all the Lord's people were prophets, and that the Lord would put his spirit on them!" And Moses and the elders of Israel returned to the camp.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The Response

Psalm 66:7-18

Psalter for the Christian People

Sung by all. Please stand as you are able.



- 25 LORD, how manifold are your / works! *
in wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your / creatures.
- 26 Yonder is the great and wide sea with its living things too many to / number, *
creatures both small and / great.
- 27 There move the ships, and there is that Le - / viathan, *
which you have made for the / sport of it.
- 28 All of them look to / you *
to give them their food in due / season.
- 29 You give it to them; they / gather it; *
you open your hand, and they are filled with good / things.
- 30 You hide your face, and they are / terrified; *
you take away their breath, and they die and return to their / dust.
- 31 You send forth your Spirit, and they are cre - / ated; *
and so you renew the face of the / earth.
- 32 May your glory, O LORD, endure for / ever; *
may you rejoice in all your / works.
- 33 You look at the earth and it / trembles; *
you touch the mountains and they / smoke.
- 34 I will sing to the LORD as long as I / live; *
I will praise my God while I have my / being.
- 35 May these words of mine please / you;
I will rejoice in the / LORD.
- 37 Bless the LORD, O my / soul. *
Halle - / lujah!
Glory to the Father, and to the / Son, *
and to the Holy / Spirit:
as it was in the beginning, is / now, *
and will be forever. A - / men.

The Epistle

Acts 2:1-21

NRSV

Please be seated.

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

When the day of Pentecost had come, the disciples were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes,

The Prayers of the People

Praying the Scriptures

Please remain standing or kneel as you are able.

Intercessor Peace be with you, siblings in Christ. In wonder and gratitude, let us pray, saying, you send forth your Spirit;

People **Come, Holy Spirit.**

Intercessor Holy God, by your Spirit you gave birth to your Church: may our many members be the one Body of Christ in this world. Give to each member of your Church the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. You send forth your Spirit;

People **Come, Holy Spirit.**

Intercessor Holy God, you gave your disciples the ability to speak in the languages of the people: may we also speak about your deeds of power throughout the world, that all may know of your salvation. You send forth your Spirit;

People **Come, Holy Spirit.**

Intercessor Holy God, the earth is full of your creatures: may all who look to you be given food in due season. Open your hand in desolate places and fill the hungry with good things. We pray for all who live, work, and go to school on Oregon Hill; and for all who are celebrating birthdays this week, including Michael Deitchman, Estela Smith, Deya Porter, Carol Slonaker. You send forth your Spirit;

People **Come, Holy Spirit.**

Intercessor Holy God, you poured out your Holy Spirit in your Holy City Jerusalem: pour out your Spirit in our own city. Raise up prophets and dreamers; give us vision. We pray for health care in Metropolitan Richmond: For a national health care system that promotes and encourages health, wellness, and well-being for all people. You send forth your Spirit;

People **Come, Holy Spirit.**

Intercessor Holy God, you give the gift of healing by your Spirit: bring healing and wholeness to all those on our hearts and minds this day. You renew the face of the earth; bring renewals to those in need. You send forth your Spirit;

People **Come, Holy Spirit.**

Intercessor Holy God, we pray for our siblings in Christ, especially Sheila Miller, who were baptized into the one body, who were made to drink of the one Spirit, and who now have died in Christ. May those who have called upon your name, O Lord, be saved forever. You send forth your Spirit;

People **Come, Holy Spirit.**

Intercessor God of wisdom who knows our path, we humbly ask you to guide our discernment committee: Christine, Patrick, Shar, Steve, and Vivien by the Holy Spirit towards the priest whom you have raised up to lead us. Quiet their hearts, keep them from sin, and strengthen Your gifts within them so they may better listen and respond to Your perfect counsel. We pray also for our future priest, that You may prepare them to aid us in continuing the mission of the church, began in the apostles, continued in Grace Arents, us, and all St. Andreans, and perfected in the return of Our Lord Jesus Christ. Until that day, be close to St. Andrew's and strengthen our spirits, so we may continue in doing Your good work.

Intercessor At this time we invite you to share your prayers of intercession and thanksgiving silently or aloud.

The celebrant adds the concluding collect.

The Peace

BCP, p. 360

Please stand as you are able.

Celebrant The peace of Christ be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

The Ministers and People greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Welcome and Announcements

Please be seated.

Offertory Anthem

Please remain seated.

Presentation Hymn

Holy God we praise thy Name

Hymn #366, verses 1,2,4

Sung by all. Please stand as you are able.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer B

BCP, p. 367

Please remain standing as you are able.

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 our God.

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

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. In fulfillment of his true promise, the Holy Spirit came down on this day from heaven, lighting upon the disciples, to teach them and to lead them into all truth; uniting peoples of many tongues in the confession of one faith, and giving to your Church the power to serve you as a royal priesthood, and to preach the Gospel to all nations. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus

Holy, holy, holy Lord

Hymn #S129

Please remain standing or kneel as you are able.

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life. On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me." Therefore, according to his command, O Father:

All **We remember his death, We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory;**

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine. We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with the Blessed Virgin Mary, Andrew, and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

The Lord's Prayer

BCP, p. 364

Said by all. Please remain standing or kneeling as you are able.

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept. Please remain standing or kneeling as you are able.

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

Communion Hymn

Creator Spirit

Hymn #500

Postcommunion Prayer

BCP, p. 365

Please stand or kneel as you are able.

Celebrant Let us pray.

All 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

Come, Gracious Spirit

Hymn #512

Sung by all. Please stand as you are able.

The Dismissal

Celebrant Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit. Alleluia, alleluia!

People Thanks be to God! Alleluia, alleluia!

Postlude

THIS MORNING'S LEADERS

Celebrant & Preacher: The Rev. Canon Dr. Lynn Collins *Organist & Choirmaster:* Demas Boudreaux

Reader: Tim Williams *Crucifer:* Dwight Johnson *Intercessor:* Sue Barrett *Altar Guild:* Aimee Johnson

Lead Greeter: Mike Culver *Teller:* Steve Salter *Sunday Steward of the Day:* Chris Prior

Foreign Language Readers: Pat Bridgewater, Chris Catanzaro, Katrina Comissiong-Williams, Britton Trimble, Hank Selby,
& Tim Williams *Email your vestry:* vestry@standrewsoregonhill.org

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THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

- Pat Bridgewater, Cathy Creamer, John Cyrus, Jim Evans, Sarah Farber, Ellen Field, Mil Floyd, Patrick Getlein, Maddie Gross, Sandra Heitzler, Bill Jackson, Crystal Munnings, Cathy O'Neil, Deya Porter & family, Brick Quinn, Lizzie Schrass, Carol Slonaker, the Thompson-White family, Tim Williams, Chris Vega.
- Pray for those who have died, especially Sheila Miller, aunt of the Rev. Canon Dr. Lynn Collins.
- Pray for those who live and work and go to school on Oregon Hill and for the ministry of the St. Andrew's School.

- Pray for our discernment committee: God of wisdom who knows our path, we humbly ask you to guide our discernment committee: Christine, Patrick, Shar, Steve, and Vivien by the Holy Spirit towards the priest whom you have raised up to lead us. Quiet their hearts, keep them from sin, and strengthen Your gifts within them so they may better listen and respond to Your perfect counsel. We pray also for our future priest, that You may prepare them to aid us in continuing the mission of the church, began in the apostles, continued in Grace Arents, us, and all St. Andreans, and perfected in the return of Our Lord Jesus Christ. Until that day, be close to St. Andrew's and strengthen our spirits, so we may continue in doing Your good work.
- Pray for those in our armed forces, especially those deployed to combat zones.
- Pray for health care in Metropolitan Richmond: For a national health care system that promotes and encourages health, wellness, and well-being for all people.
- Pray for those who are celebrating birthdays this week, especially Michael Deitchman (5/26), Estela Smith (5/26), Deya Porter (5/28), Carol Slonaker (5/29).

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Recognizing our Graduates:** Are you or your loved one graduating or moving up to another academic level this year? Please let the office know (office@standrewsoregonhill.org) by May 31 so we can recognize our graduates on June 7 during the regular 10:00 a.m. service.
- Our leaders have finalized our 2026 budget, but it's **not too late to pledge!** Pledge cards are available in the narthex, or you can [pledge online](#) using this QR Code to the right.
- **Organ Removal & Repairs:** Contractors were in the church April 20-24 and removed the organ. It has been transported to their workshop for the repair work. We expect the organ to be reinstalled by early 2027. In the meantime, things will look and sound a little different. We are very excited the restoration of our historic organ is underway! Please see Demas Boudreaux or Dwight Johnson if you have questions.
- **Updated Directory Available:** If you still have a 2025 or older directory, have changes to your information, or have questions or concerns, please see or email Britton Trimble for the new, updated directory at office@standrewsoregonhill.org. Please do not share your copy of the directory and please do not distribute information contained in this directory outside of our parish family.



THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

The Sunday of Pentecost, May 24: Whitsunday

- **Holy Eucharist Rite II:** 10:00 a.m., church and on Facebook Live
- **Coffee Hour:** directly following the service, chapel

Trinity Sunday, May 31

- **Holy Eucharist Rite II:** 10:00 a.m., church and on Facebook Live
- **Coffee Hour:** directly following the service, chapel



Seekers, believers, and doubters of all ages:
Welcome home to St. Andrew's!

Together we are building a community in Christ that gathers to
worship joyfully, love abundantly, and serve wholeheartedly.

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