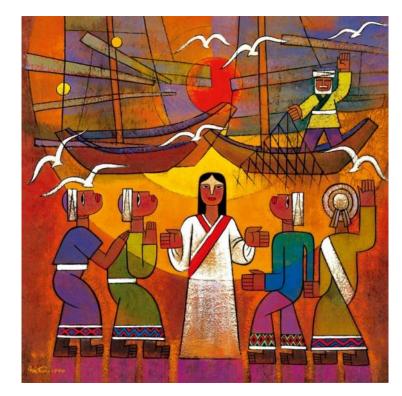
# THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

# (PROPER 9)

# 4 JULY 2021



# The Holy Eucharist: Rite I

# 10:00 am



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### Welcome to St. Peter's by-the-Sea Episcopal Church

**We extend a warm welcome** to everyone, and especially any visitors who may be worshiping with us today. If you do not already have a church home, please feel welcome to join this Parish family.

In the Episcopal Church, all baptized persons are welcomed to the table to receive Holy Communion.

Our Services begin with the Opening Voluntary. You are invited to enter quietly into the spirit of worship as the music is played.



# The Collect for Independence Day

Lord God Almighty, in whose Name the founders of this country won liberty for themselves and for us, and lit the torch of freedom for nations then unborn: Grant that we and all the people of this land may have grace to maintain our liberties in righteousness and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

#### A Litany of Thanksgiving for Independence Day The Reverend Rick Morley

*Bishop* As we remember the birth of our nation, and the gifts of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness, let us offer our thanks and prayers to God, the giver of all good gifts.

For the women and men who braved the long journey by sea to come to this new world,

#### We thank you Lord.

For the tribes and nations who inhabited this land for generation upon generation,

#### We thank you Lord.

For patriots who dreamed of, and fought for, a free nation,

#### We thank you Lord.

For the men and women who laid the foundation of our democracy, and who pledged liberty and justice for all,

#### We thank you Lord.

For those who built this country brick by brick, road by road, and town by town,

#### We thank you Lord.

For the brave soldiers who have fought for our country, for all who paid for our freedom by their service, and those who paid by their sacrifice,

#### We thank you Lord.

For the innovators and artists, poets and teachers, farmers and factory workers; for all who labor and provide for the common good,

#### We thank you Lord.

For this land, with its peaks and valleys, coasts and deserts, fields and meadows, *We thank you Lord.* 

For our own community, for those who came before us in this place, and for our neighbors near and far, *We thank you Lord.* 

Lord, we pray for The United States, that we might always be a nation which defends and promotes liberty and freedom, truth and justice.

#### We thank you Lord.

That we might always be a nation where all are free to worship and pray, *We thank you Lord.* 

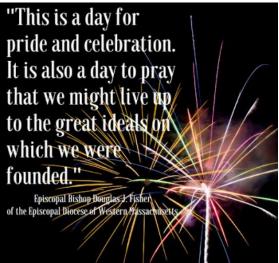
That we might be a beacon of freedom to all those who live under the shadow of terror and hopelessness, *We thank you Lord.* 

That those who are elected to govern and lead, would be guided by you, and be ever aware of the trust that has been given them,

#### We thank you Lord.

That we would be a people who repent from our sins, and who always return to you and to your grace, *We thank you Lord.* 

*Bishop* Gracious God, Father of all nations, bless and defend us and our land; prosper the work of our hands, and increase in us your grace and compassion, and our offerings of thanks to you, our rock and our salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.* 



# - PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK -

We pray for those who have asked our prayers: Andrea, Ann, Annakutty, Anthony, Autumn, Ben, Betty, Betty C., Bill, Chris, Deanna, Diane, Donna, Elinor, Felix (Sr.), Gary, George (Sr.), Greg, Hannah, Joel, Joy, Joyce, June, Kamryn, Lorraine, Mark, Matthew, Mike, Muriel, Roger, Ronald, Sarah Grace, Shanti, Sister Joy, Steve, Sue, Vincent, and William;

We pray for those who have died; that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

We pray for those in military service, and especially for Christian, Erik, John, Robert, and Stephen;

We pray for the unemployed and underemployed; for all who suffer from addictions; for all who suffer chronic illness, and for all caregivers;

We pray for our companion dioceses of Torit & Ecuador-Central; and for mercy, peace, and justice among all peoples, especially those whose lives have been devastated by natural disasters, terrorism, war, famine, tyranny, or injustice;

In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for Episcopal Public Policy Network ; St. Paul's, Patchogue; Christ Church, Port Jefferson; Church of the Atonement, Quogue; Grace Church, Riverhead; Companion Diocese of Torit, South Sudan; Christ Church, Sag Harbor;

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for the Anglican Church of Papua, New Guinea; and the Dioceses of Connor, and Cork, Cloyne & Ross (Ireland); Costa Rica (Central America); Coventry (Church of England); Cuba (The Episcopal Church); Cueibet (South Sudan).

# THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE I

#### THE WORD OF GOD

#### **Opening Voluntary**

#### **Opening Hymn**

The Hymnal 1982, #657 Hyfrydol

Love divine, all love's excelling





Words Charles Wesley (1707-1788) Music Hyprydol, Rowland Hugh Prichard (1811-1887)

# Bishop Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.People And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever Amen.

#### The Celebrant says the Collect for Purity

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. *Amen.* 

#### The Song of Praise

Celebrant Glory be to God on high,

<i>A11</i>	and on earth peace, good will towards men.
	We praise thee, we bless thee,
	we worship thee,
	we glorify thee,
	we give thanks to thee for thy great glory,
	O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.
	O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;
	O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
	that takest away the sins of the world,
	have mercy upon us.
	Thou that takest away the sins of the world,
	receive our prayer.
	Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father,
	have mercy upon us.
	For thou only art holy;
	thou only art the Lord;
	thou only, O Christ,
	with the Holy Ghost,
	art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

**The Collect of the Day** (The Sixth Sunday After Pentecost—Proper 9)

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

#### *People* And with thy spirit.

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

O God, who hast taught us to keep all thy commandments by loving thee and our neighbor: Grant us the grace of thy Holy Spirit, that we may be devoted to thee with our whole heart, and united to one another with pure affection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the same Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.** 

#### The Lessons

The First Lesson: 2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10

Lector A reading from the Second Book of the Prophet Samuel

All the tribes of Israel came to David at Hebron, and said, "Look, we are your bone and flesh. For some time, while Saul was king over us, it was you who led out Israel and brought it in. The Lord said to you: It is you who shall be shepherd of my people Israel, you who shall be ruler over Israel." So all the elders of Israel came to the king at Hebron; and King David made a covenant with them at Hebron before the Lord, and they anointed David king over Israel. David was thirty years old when he began to reign, and he reigned forty years. At Hebron he reigned over Judah seven years and six months; and at Jerusalem he reigned over all Israel and Judah thirty-three years.

David occupied the stronghold, and named it the city of David. David built the city all around from the Millo inwards. And David became greater and greater, for the Lord, the God of hosts, was with him.

*Lector* The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

#### Psalm 48

1 Great is the LORD, and highly to be praised; \* Lector All in the city of our God is his holy hill. 2 Beautiful and lofty, the joy of all the earth, is the hill of Zion, \* the very center of the world and the city of the great King. 3 God is in her citadels; \* he is known to be her sure refuge. 4 Behold, the kings of the earth assembled \* and marched forward together. 5 They looked and were astounded; \* they retreated and fled in terror. 6 Trembling seized them there; \* they writhed like a woman in childbirth, like ships of the sea when the east wind shatters them. 7 As we have heard, so have we seen, in the city of the LORD of hosts, in the city of our God; \* God has established her for ever. 8 We have waited in silence on your loving-kindness, O God, \* in the midst of your temple. 9 Your praise, like your Name, O God, reaches to the world's end; \* your right hand is full of justice. 10 Let Mount Zion be glad and the cities of Judah rejoice, \* because of your judgments. 11 Make the circuit of Zion; walk round about her; \* count the number of her towers. 12 Consider well her bulwarks; examine her strongholds; \* that you may tell those who come after. 13 This God is our God for ever and ever; \* he shall be our guide for evermore.

#### The Second Lesson: 2 Corinthians 12:2-10

*Lector* A reading from the Second Letter to the Corinthians

I know a person in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of out of the body I do not know; God knows. And I know that such a person—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows— was caught up into Paradise and heard things that are not to be told, that no mortal is permitted to repeat. On behalf of such a one I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better of me than what is seen in me or heard from me, even considering the exceptional character of the revelations. Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated. Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, but he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness." So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. Therefore I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong.

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

The congregation stands for the reading of the Gospel.

#### The Gospel: Mark 6:1-13

*Celebrant* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.*People* Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Jesus came to his hometown, and his disciples followed him. On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, "Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?" And they took offense at him. Then Jesus said to them, "Prophets are not without honor, except in their hometown, and among their own kin, and in their own house." And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. And he was amazed at their unbelief.

Then he went about among the villages teaching. He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. He said to them, "Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them." So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

CelebrantThe Gospel of the Lord.PeoplePraise be to thee, O Christ.

The Sermon

The Right Reverend Johncy Itty

The Nicene Creed We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

#### The Prayers of the People

*Intercessor* Let us pray for the whole state of Christ's Church and the world. Almighty and ever living God, who in thy holy Word hast taught us to make prayers, and supplications, and to give thanks for all men: Receive these our prayers which we offer unto thy divine Majesty, beseeching thee to inspire continually the Universal Church with the spirit of truth, unity, and concord; and grant that all those who do confess thy holy Name may agree in the truth of thy holy Word, and live in unity and godly love.

#### Lord, hear our prayer

Give grace, O heavenly Father, to all bishops and other ministers, especially Michael, the Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church; Lawrence, Geralyn, Daniel, and William, Bishops of the Diocese of Long Island; and Johncy, our Bishop-in-Residence, that they may, both by their life and doctrine, set forth thy true and lively Word, and rightly and duly administer thy holy Sacraments.

#### Lord, hear our prayer

And to all thy people give thy heavenly grace, and especially to this congregation here present; that, with meek heart and due reverence, they may hear and receive thy holy Word, truly serving thee in holiness and righteousness all the days of their life.

#### Lord, hear our prayer

We beseech thee also so to rule the hearts of those who bear the authority of government in this and every land, especially the President of the United States, the members of Congress, and all regional and local authorities, that they may be led to wise decisions and right actions for the welfare and peace of the world.

#### Lord, hear our prayer

Open, O Lord, the eyes of all people to behold thy gracious hand in all thy works, that, rejoicing in thy whole creation, they may honor thee with their substance, and be faithful stewards of thy bounty.

#### Lord, hear our prayer

And we most humbly beseech thee, of thy goodness, O Lord, to comfort and succor Andrea, Ann, Annakutty, Anthony, Autumn, Ben, Betty, Betty C., Bill, Chris, Deanna, Diane, Donna, Elinor, Felix (Sr.), Gary, George (Sr.), Greg, Hannah, Joel, Joy, Joyce, June, Kamryn, Lorraine, Mark, Matthew, Mike, Muriel, Roger, Ronald, Sarah Grace, Shanti, Sister Joy, Steve, Sue, Vincent, and William; and all those who, in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity.

#### Lord, hear our prayer

We pray for those in military service, and especially for Christian, Erik, John, Robert, and Stephen; *Lord, hear our prayer* 

For the unemployed and underemployed; for all who suffer from addictions; for all who suffer chronic illness, and for all caregivers; . . . For our companion dioceses of Torit and Ecuador-Central, and for mercy, peace, and justice among all peoples, especially those whose lives have been devastated by natural disasters, terrorism, war, famine, tyranny, or injustice; For the petitions in the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer and the Anglican Cycle of Prayer this week; . . . And for any other special needs of this congregation, I invite your intercessions now, silently or aloud *(short pause before the response);* 

#### Lord, hear our prayer

And we also bless thy holy Name for all thy servants departed this life in thy faith and fear; beseeching thee to grant them continual growth in thy love and service; and to grant us grace so to follow the good examples of the Blessed Virgin Mary, St. Peter, St. Edmund, and of all thy saints, that with them we may be partakers of thy heavenly kingdom.

#### Lord, hear our prayer

Grant these our prayers, O Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate. Amen.

#### **Confession of Sin**

Bishop

Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

All

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, maker of all things, judge of all men: We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, which we from time to time most grievously have committed, by thought, word, and deed, against thy divine Majesty, provoking most justly thy wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance of them is grievous unto us, the burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; for thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may ever hereater serve and please theein newness of life, to the honor and glory of thy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### Bishop

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all those who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.* 

#### The Peace

*Bishop* The peace of the Lord be always with you.*People* And with thy spirit.

#### THE HOLY COMMUNION

#### Hymn at the Offertory

The Hymnal 1982, #608 Melita

Eternal Father, strong to save



Words: William Whiting (1825-1878), alt. Music: Melita, John Bacchus Dykes (1823-1876)

#### The Great Thanksgiving, Eucharistic Prayer II

Celebrant	The Lord be with you.
People	And with thy spirit.
Celebrant	Lift up your hearts.
People	We lift them up unto the Lord.
Celebrant	Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.
People	It is meet and right so to do.

#### The Celebrant continues

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God; Creator of the light and source of life, who hast made us in thine image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord. Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

#### Celebrant and People

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts: Heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High. Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

#### Then the Celebrant continues

All glory be to thee, O Lord our God, for that thou didst create heaven and earth, and didst make us in thine own image; and, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there a full and perfect sacrifice for the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

For in the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks to thee, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat, this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me."

Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, we thy people do celebrate and make, with these thy holy gifts which we now offer unto thee, the memorial thy Son hath commanded us to make; having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; and looking for his coming again with power and great glory.

And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us, and, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, to bless and sanctify these gifts of bread and wine, that they may be unto us the Body and Blood of thy dearly-beloved Son Jesus Christ.

And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, whereby we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, our selves, our souls and bodies. Grant, we beseech thee, that all who partake of this Holy Communion may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, and be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; and also that we and all thy whole Church may be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord;

By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. **AMEN**.

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

People and Celebrant

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 Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us; Therefore let us keep the feast. O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,

have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, *grant us thy peace.* 

The Prayer of Humble Access (said by all)

We do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table. But thou art the same Lord whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

#### The Communion of the People

*Celebrant* The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts, by faith, with thanksgiving.

In the Episcopal Church, Baptized Christians from any denomination may receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion.

During this time of COVID-19, we ask that you come forward wearing your face mask and keeping at a safe distance, sanitize your hands. As you approach the Minister of Communion, receive the Eucharist in the pal of your hand, step to the left or the right, remove your face mask, consume the host, place your face mask back on and return to your seat.

#### The Postcommunion Prayer

#### *Bishop* Let us pray.

Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

#### The Postcommunion Hymn

The Hymnal 1982, #716 America



Words: Siegfried August Mahlmann (1771-1826); tr. Charles Timothy Brooks (1813-1883) and John Sullivan Dwight (1812-1893), alt. Muser: America, from Thesaurus Museus

#### The Blessing and Dismissal

*The People's Response* **Thanks be to God.** 

#### **Closing Voluntary**

### - FOR THE SERVICE -

Officiant and Preacher Lector Lay Eucharistic Minister and Intercessor Acolyte Organist Usher Altar Guild The Right Reverend Johncy Itty Linda Brady Clyde Payne William Logan Manuel Zacarias Bruce and Linda Rauch Linda Brady, Juanita Moon, Jeannie Taylor



Parish Financial Snapshot for the Month of June 2021 Compared with the Month of June 2020			
Total 2021 Annual Budget \$364,856	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	
Total Parish Expenses Per Month	<u>\$30,405</u>	\$30,290	
Donations for the Month of June	8.113	6.957	
LPL Transfer	6,690	7,458	
Building Use	5,451		
Sports Rental	<u>50</u>	-	
	20,304	14,415	
Monthly Overage (Deficit)	<u>(10,101)</u>	<u>(15,875)</u>	
Year-to-Date Deficit	(\$32,820)	(\$64,255)	

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Brian Clark, Senior Warden Joe Concalves, Junior Warden

Class of 2022 Stephanie Campbell Lisa Hallett Class of 2023 Marc Johnston Bill Kern Class of 2024 Roger Burmeister Clyde Payne



#### Praising God, Serving Neighbor

We seek to worship the Lord as one loving family by serving our parish and community through prayer, music, education, and outreach