

THE HOLY EUCHARIST – RITE II

The Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

June 28, 2026 | 10:15 am



In the name of Jesus Christ, welcome! We are delighted to worship with you this morning.

*This booklet and The Hymnal 1982 (dark blue) provide the resources needed for participation in the service. Congregational responses appear in **bold**.*

Whether a long-standing parishioner, a new member, or someone joining us for the first time, we hope you will sense God's work within you and in this community. May our worship strengthen, inspire, and guide us this day and always.

THE WORD OF GOD

VOLUNTARY *Lullaby*

Calvin Hampton (1938-1984)

Please stand

THE OPENING ACCLAMATION & COLLECT FOR PURITY

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

Celebrant 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.
People **Amen.**

HYMN AT THE PROCESSION 525 "The Church's one foundation"

Aurelia

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.
Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone: Grant us so to be joined together in unity of spirit by their teaching, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.
People **Amen.**

Reader A Reading from the Book of Genesis.

God tested Abraham. He said to him, "Abraham!" And he said, "Here I am." He said, "Take your son, your only son Isaac, whom you love, and go to the land of Moriah, and offer him there as a burnt offering on one of the mountains that I shall show you."

So Abraham rose early in the morning, saddled his donkey, and took two of his young men with him, and his son Isaac; he cut the wood for the burnt offering, and set out and went to the place in the distance that God had shown him. On the third day Abraham looked up and saw the place far away. Then Abraham said to his young men, "Stay here with the donkey; the boy and I will go over there; we will worship, and then we will come back to you." Abraham took the wood of the burnt offering and laid it on his son Isaac, and he himself carried the fire and the knife. So the two of them walked on together. Isaac said to his father Abraham, "Father!" And he said, "Here I am, my son." He said, "The fire and the wood are here, but where is the lamb for a burnt offering?" Abraham said, "God himself will provide the lamb for a burnt offering, my son." So the two of them walked on together. When they came to the place that God had shown him, Abraham built an altar there and laid the wood in order. He bound his son Isaac, and laid him on the altar, on top of the wood. Then Abraham reached out his hand and took the knife to kill his son.

But the angel of the LORD called to him from heaven, and said, "Abraham, Abraham!" And he said, "Here I am." He said, "Do not lay your hand on the boy or do anything to him; for now I know that you fear God, since you have not withheld your son, your only son, from me." And Abraham looked up and saw a ram, caught in a thicket by its horns. Abraham went and took the ram and offered it up as a burnt offering instead of his son. So Abraham called that place "The LORD will provide"; as it is said to this day, "On the mount of the LORD it shall be provided."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 13 *Read responsively by half verse*

Usquequo, Domine?

- 1 How long, O LORD?
will you forget me for ever? *
how long will you hide your face from me?
- 2 How long shall I have perplexity in my mind,
and grief in my heart, day after day? *
how long shall my enemy triumph over me?
- 3 Look upon me and answer me, O LORD my God; *
give light to my eyes, lest I sleep in death;
- 4 Lest my enemy say, "I have prevailed over him," *
and my foes rejoice that I have fallen.

- 5 But I put my trust in your mercy; *
my heart is joyful because of your saving help.
6 I will sing to the LORD, for he has dealt with me richly; *
I will praise the Name of the Lord Most High.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

Please stand and sing

HYMN AT THE SEQUENCE 359 “God of the prophets, bless in the prophets’ heirs”

Toulon

THE GOSPEL

Matthew 10:40-42

Reader The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.
People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said, “Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet’s reward; and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous; and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple—truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward.”

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

Please be seated

THE SERMON

The Reverend Andrew Y. Moore, *Senior Associate Rector*

Please stand

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.

Please remain standing or kneel

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Form VI

- Leader* In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.
For all people in their daily life and work;
- People* **For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.**
- Leader* For this community, the nation, and the world;
- People* **For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.**
- Leader* For the just and proper use of your creation;
- People* **For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.**
- Leader* For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;
- People* **For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.**
- Leader* For the peace and unity of the Church of God;
- People* **For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.**
- Leader* For our presiding bishop, our diocesan bishops,
and for the people, staff, and clergy of this parish;
- People* **For all who serve God in the Church.**
- Leader* For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.
(The People may add their own petitions)
Hear us, Lord;
- People* **For your mercy is great.**
- Leader* We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.
(The People may add their own thanksgivings)
We will exalt you, O God our King;
- People* **And praise your Name for ever and ever.**
- Leader* We pray for all who have died,
that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.
(The People may add their own petitions)
Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;
- People* **Who put their trust in you.**
- Leader* We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.
- People* **Have mercy upon us, most merciful God;
in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown,
things done and left undone, and so uphold us by your Spirit
that we may live and serve you in newness of life,
to the honor and glory of your Name;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy on you,
forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ,
strengthen you in all goodness,
and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.
People **Amen.**

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People **And also with you.**

Please be seated

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Are you new to the St. John's community?
Fill out the newcomer card in the pew or scan the QR code
to help us get to know you and help you discover more about life at St. John's.*



THE HOLY COMMUNION

ANTHEM AT THE OFFERTORY *Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation*

Dale Wood (1934-2003)

The anthem text may be found at hymn 518.

*You can make an offering from your smartphone by scanning the QR code.
Use the drop-down menu to select "Donations" for a one-time offering,
or "2026 Pledges" for a pledge contribution.*



Please stand and sing

HYMN AT THE PRESENTATION

Thaxted





THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer 2 from Enriching Our Worship

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.**

Celebrant We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant. From before time you made ready the creation. Your Spirit moved over the deep and brought all things into being: sun, moon, and stars; earth, winds, and waters; and every living thing. You made us in your image, and taught us to walk in your ways. But we rebelled against you, and wandered far away; and yet, as a mother cares for her children, you would not forget us. Time and again you called us to live in the fullness of your love. And so this day we join with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we sing:

SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS

Calvin Hampton (1938-1984)

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of
 pow - er and might, hea - ven and earth are full of your
 glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high -
 est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the
 Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Please remain standing or kneel

Celebrant Glory and honor and praise to you, holy and living God. To deliver us from the power of sin and death and to reveal the riches of your grace, you looked with favor upon Mary, your willing servant, that she might conceive and bear a son, Jesus the holy child of God. Living among us, Jesus loved us. He broke bread with outcasts and sinners, healed the sick, and proclaimed good news to the poor. He yearned to draw all the world to himself yet we were heedless of his call to walk in love. Then, the time came for him to complete upon the cross the sacrifice of his life, and to be glorified by you.

On the night before he died for us, Jesus was at table with his friends. He took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it, and gave it to them, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine. Again, he gave thanks to you, gave it to them, and said: "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Now gathered at your table, O God of all creation, and remembering Christ, crucified and risen, who was and is and is to come, we offer to you our gifts of bread and wine, and ourselves, a living sacrifice.

Pour out your Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ. Breathe your Spirit over the whole earth and make us your new creation, the Body of Christ given for the world you have made.

In the fullness of time bring us, with all your saints, from every tribe and language and people and nation, to feast at the banquet prepared from the foundation of the world.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever.

People **Amen.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Celebrant And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,
People **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.

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.
People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died and rose again for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

The bread and the wine of Holy Communion are God's gifts for God's people.

Please follow the directions of the ushers to receive communion at the altar rail.

If you require assistance or wish to receive communion at your seat, please inform the ushers.

It is customary to receive communion while kneeling at the altar rail, but remaining standing is also appropriate. Gluten-free wafers are available. If you wish to receive a blessing instead of communion, please come forward and cross your arms across your chest.

ANTHEM AT THE COMMUNION *Locus iste*

Anton Bruckner (1824-1896)

Locus iste a Deo factus est, inaestimabile sacramentum; irreprehensibilis est.

This place was made by God, a priceless sacrament; it is without reproach.

-Gradual for the Anniversary of the Dedication of a Church

HYMN AT THE COMMUNION 321 “My God, thy table now is spread”

Rockingham

Please stand

THE PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Celebrant Let us pray.

People 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 AND DISMISSAL

The Celebrant blesses the people.

People Amen.

The Celebrant dismisses the people.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

HYMN AT THE CLOSING 607 “O God of every nation”

Llangloffan

VOLUNTARY *The Washington Post March*

John Philip Sousa (1854-1932)

AFTER THE SERVICE, PLEASE JOIN US
FOR FELLOWSHIP IN SHEARS HALL.

SERVING THIS MORNING

Acolytes	8:00 am	Bobbi Bowman and Henry McNeilly
	10:15 am	Sydney Tregoning and Jack Tregoning
Lay Readers	8:00 am	Jacqueline McNeilly and Rod Page
	10:15 am	Sydney Tregoning and Jamie Stirn
Chalice Bearers	8:00 am	Rod Page and Reid Prouty
	10:15 am	Mimsy Stirn and Jamie Stirn
Ushers	8:00 am	Dan Smoot and Stephanie Simmons
	10:15 am	Zoe Dobson and Duane Dobson
Altar Guild	8:00 am	Janice Brambilla
	10:15 am	Kristin Saunders
Flower Guild		Sarah Stump and Alexis Fooshé
Hospitality Hosts	8:00 am	Katherine Haskell and Mark Haskell
	10:15 am	Nancy Simon

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

SANDWICH SUNDAY THIS MORNING – The 4th Sunday of the month is Sandwich Sunday at St. John's! All hands, large and small, are welcome for this outreach ministry to feed the hungry through Martha's Table. Please join us for sandwich making in Shears Hall throughout the morning, starting after the 8:00 am service until fellowship following the 10:15 am service.

SUMMER BIBLE STUDY 2026: PAUL'S LETTER TO THE ROMANS

"Faith through Love, the Sacraments, and Grace"

Join us this morning for our in-depth exploration of Paul's Letter to the Romans—writings central to the development of Christian faith, theology, and practice. Each session is led by a layperson using the *Yale Bible Study* series (bit.ly/YBS-romans) to guide our discussions.

- **When:** Sundays at 9:20 am through mid-August (adjourns before the 10:15 am service).
- **Where:** Smoot Conference Room or Zoom at bit.ly/sj-sbs26zoom (Meeting ID: 829 7700 5402 Passcode: 0s9yui).
- **Format:** Weekly lay-led discussions, curriculum videos, and study guides.
- **Flexibility:** Join us for some or all sessions. No prior preparation is necessary.
- **Schedule:** View the full syllabus at stjohnsmclean.org/adults.
- **Contact:** For questions, please contact Kim Clark Pakstys at kclarkpakstys@gmail.com.

OUTDOOR WORSHIP

Summer Sundays at 9:00 am in the Woodland Chapel

Join us every Sunday at 9:00 am for a refreshing, 15-minute outdoor service featuring prayer, scripture, and a brief homily. Experience worship surrounded by nature at our Woodland Chapel (off Douglass Drive). Please dress comfortably and bring sun/element protection. Parking is available at the back of the church.

JUNE DRIVE OF THE MONTH: DONATIONS FOR OUR SERVICE TRIP TO THE DR

Our June Drive of the Month will support an upcoming service trip to Iglesia San Gabriel in the Dominican Republic. From July 18–25, a team of 17 parishioners (tying the size of our largest group ever, set just last year!) will travel there to coordinate games, activities, and crafts for 75 children attending Vacation Bible School. In the afternoons, the team will work to ready the church bathroom and a wall in the vicarage for repairs and perform maintenance of the playground and church grounds. Please scan the QR code or visit amzn.to/4dBvzfM to shop our Amazon Wish List.



LOOKING FOR AN UNFORGETTABLE SUMMER VBS?

The Falls Church Episcopal and St. Mary's Episcopal (Arlington) are teaming up for an incredible week of faith, friendship, and mythology-inspired fun!

- **When:** July 13–17.
- **Where:** The Falls Church Episcopal. Learn more at bit.ly/vgvbs26.
- **Participants:** Children aged 4 years–6th grade. Register at bit.ly/vgvbs26-C.
- **Youth Leaders:** Students in 7th–12th grade. Register at bit.ly/vgvbs26-Y.

ST. JOHN'S MEMORIAL GARDEN

We are excited to announce that our Memorial Garden expansion is complete! We warmly invite you to visit, experience this beautiful space, and discover the new plantings in person. To learn more about our ongoing conservation efforts, please visit bit.ly/sj-mgarden.

- **Get Involved** - We always welcome volunteers to help with occasional watering and weeding. Please contact the Parish Office to join us.
- **Help Our Garden Grow** - Your financial contributions directly fund new plants, mulch, and seasonal maintenance. Visit bit.ly/sj-mgardenFund or scan the QR code to donate today.



CARING CLOSE KNIT CRAFTERS

Thursday, July 14 at 10:30 am in Smoot Conference Room AND at 7:00 pm in Shears Hall

Join us for our regular gathering on the 2nd Thursday of the month. We are currently making gifts for our St. John's graduates, but we need more hands to ensure everyone receives one! All types of crafting are welcome. Do you knit, crochet, paint, or needlepoint? Or perhaps you have a mending project that needs finishing? Note: We also have an inventory of blessed prayer shawls available. Know someone who could use one? Please contact Jayne Swanson at jswan8855@yahoo.com.

SUMMER COFFEE FELLOWSHIP!

Sign Up to Host on Sundays in Shears Hall

- **After the 8:00 am Service:** Sign up to host coffee fellowship! It is a wonderful way to welcome newcomers and connect with fellow parishioners. Coffee and treats are provided, but you are welcome to bring extras.
- **After the 10:15 am Service:** Vestry members will take the lead on hosting. Stop by to connect over refreshments!

How to sign up to host: Visit bit.ly/sj-SummerHost26 or contact Katherine Haskell at haskellkz@gmail.com.

HELP HOMESTRETCH FAMILIES: ST. JOHN'S COLLECTING QUARTERS FOR LAUNDRY

St. John's is collecting quarters for Homestretch residents to use in laundromats. Homestretch provides long-term shelter and support services to unhoused parents and children, many of whom are fleeing domestic violence. Please drop your quarters in the container located on Tim Barwick's desk in the Parish Office. Learn more about Homestretch at homestretchva.org/about.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS (AA) meets Monday through Thursday at noon in our Community Room (on the lower level; enter through the back door adjacent to the playground). Additionally, there is a meeting every Friday at 8:30 pm in the Community Room, or if the weather's good, just outside. You can also call the Northern Virginia AA Intergroup hotline at 703-293-9753 or visit nvintergroup.org for other group listings. Have questions about AA? Contact a fellow parishioner at 571-334-0073.

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PRAYER LIST

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for The Anglican Church of Southern Africa.

In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for St. Peter's, Port Royal.

We give thanks for those who celebrate birthdays this week: Ivan Hodge, Michael Tompkins, Olivia Bissell, Haley Peterson, Mimi Prouty, Lyla Grace Teeple, Brendan Fox, Charles Ing, Sue Sujansky, Karl Robson, Harper Morrill, and Anne Bowen; and for those who celebrate wedding anniversaries this week: Maureen & Tom Christ, Jill & Paul Feeko, Wendy & John Marvin Jones, Jeanne & James Newell, Elizabeth & Bill Bissell, and Lucinda Robb & Lars Florio.

PARISHIONERS

Bruce
Barbara Coffin
Bill and Sandy Silzer
Judith Mueller
Susan Arthur

Mimi Heisey
Tim Barwick
Elizabeth
Helene Aiello

Jennifer Figg
Matt Bowen
David Cooper
Jack Hannon

FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Rob Barnes and Family
David
Susan
Karolyn Morigi Armstrong
Jess and David Hunt
Reilly Clautice
Phyllis Vaughan
Lisa Sierant
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Liz
Jim Griffith
Judy Watson
Bruce and Sue Gross
Jim
Mac

Michael Marden
Dee and Alice Smith
James Yarrison
Chris Cope
Chris Murray
Nancy Elliott
Bona Mitchell and Son
Lacy
Kyle Coker
MA
Sue and Jim Campbell
Paul G. Ruff
Mel Heisey
Menno
Kailey Schleich

Eliza Morrill
Douglas McCalla
Anna Lou
Lillie Hunt
Martin and Susan Rick
Bruce Clarke
Elizabeth Gregg
Mark
Gregg Draeger
Barbara Rubin
Robert "Wick" Robb
Tricia Hutcherson
Sandy Sharpe
Tom Brooke

We pray for the departed and for all who mourn.

To add someone to the Prayer List,
email churchmail@stjohnsmclean.org.



DRIVE OF THE MONTH:

July 18, a group of 17 St. John's parishioners will travel to Iglesia Episcopal San Gabriel in Consuelo, Dominican Republic for a week of service and fellowship with our brothers and sisters there.

Monetary donations, gift cards, and donations of art and craft supplies are needed. See our wish list.



Summer BIBLE STUDY

Paul's Letter to the Romans

"Faith Through Love, the Sacraments, and Grace"

**Sundays, June 14–Aug. 16 at 9:20 am
in Smoot Conference Room AND on Zoom**

Learn more



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