# Sunday September 14, 2025 Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost





# HOLY CHILD & ST. MARTIN EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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# The Order of Worship Liturgy of the Word

# **Entrance song:**

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

**People:** And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. **Amen** 

#### Informal Introduction

**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.

Amen.

#### Gloria

Glory to God

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Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you, we bless you,

We adore you, we glorify you,

We give you thanks for your great glory,

Lord God, Heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,

Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

You take away the sins of the world,

Have mercy on us;

You take away the sins of the world,

Receive our prayer;

You are seated at the right hand of the Father, Have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One;

You alone are the Lord,

You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,

With the Holy Spirit,

In the glory of God, the Father. Amen.

#### Collect of the Day

O God, because without you we are not able to please you, mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.** 

## The first reading is from the book of Exodus

The LORD said to Moses, "Go down at once! Your people, whom you brought up out of the land of Egypt, have acted perversely; they have been quick to turn aside from the way that I commanded them; they have cast for themselves an image of a calf, and have worshiped it and sacrificed to it, and said, `These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!'" The LORD said to Moses, "I have seen this people, how stiff-necked they are. Now let me alone, so that my wrath may burn hot against them and I may consume them; and of you I will make a great nation."

But Moses implored the LORD his God, and said, "O LORD, why does your wrath burn hot against your people, whom you brought out of the land of Egypt with great power and with a mighty hand? Why should the Egyptians say, 'It was with evil intent that he brought them out to kill them in the mountains, and to consume them from the face of the earth'? Turn from your fierce wrath; change your mind and do not bring disaster on your people. Remember Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, your servants, how you swore to them by your own self, saying to them, 'I will multiply your descendants like the stars of heaven, and all this land that I have promised I will give to your descendants, and they shall inherit it forever." And the LORD changed his mind about the disaster that he planned to bring on his people.

Reader: Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's People

People: Thanks be to God

**The Psalm** 

#### Psalm 51:1-11

- 1 Have mercy on me, O God, according to your loving-kindness; \* in your great compassion blot out my offenses.
- 2 Wash me through and through from my wickedness \* and cleanse me from my sin.
- 3 For I know my transgressions, \* and my sin is ever before me.
- 4 Against you only have I sinned \* and done what is evil in your sight.
- 5 And so you are justified when you speak \* and upright in your judgment.
- 6 Indeed, I have been wicked from my birth, \* a sinner from my mother's womb.
- 7 For behold, you look for truth deep within me, \* and will make me understand wisdom secretly.
- 8 Purge me from my sin, and I shall be pure; \* wash me, and I shall be clean indeed.
- 9 Make me hear of joy and gladness, \* that the body you have broken may rejoice.
- 10 Hide your face from my sins \* and blot out all my iniquities.
- 11 Create in me a clean heart, O God, \* and renew a right spirit within me.

# The second reading is from the first letter of Paul to Timothy

I am grateful to Christ Jesus our Lord, who has strengthened me, because he judged me faithful and appointed me to his service, even though I was formerly a blasphemer, a persecutor, and a man of violence. But I received mercy because I had acted ignorantly in unbelief, and the grace of our Lord overflowed for me with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners— of whom I am the foremost. But for that very reason I received mercy, so that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display the utmost patience, making me an example to those who would come to believe in him for eternal life. To the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

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**Gospel Acclamation** 

# The Holy Gospel according to Luke

# People: Glory to you, Lord Christ

All the tax collectors and sinners were coming near to listen to Jesus. And the Pharisees and the scribes were grumbling and saying, "This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them."

So he told them this parable: "Which one of you, having a hundred sheep and losing one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness and go after the one that is lost until he finds it? When he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders and rejoices. And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and neighbors, saying to them, `Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep that was lost.' Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance.

"Or what woman having ten silver coins, if she loses one of them, does not light a lamp, sweep the house, and search carefully until she finds it? When she has found it, she calls together her friends and neighbors, saying, `Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I had lost.' Just so, I tell you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents."

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord

People Praise to you Lord Christ

Sermon Fr. Jureck Fernandez

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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: 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.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son.

and his kingdom will have no end.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,

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

Hear Our Prayer: Prayers of the People for the Revised Common Lectionary

Reader: Healing God, as we gather to express the longings of our hearts, shower on us your mercy and grace as we say, Lord in your mercy,

**People:** Hear our prayer.

Reader: Holy Lord, shake your church, tumble us out into the world to continue the ministry of Jesus to bring wholeness to a broken world.

Lord in your mercy,

People: Hear our prayer.

Reader: Move the hearts of this nation and its leaders that we and they might see clearly both what holds us together and what pulls us apart, that joining together we might build a just and merciful society.

Lord in your mercy,

People: Hear our prayer.

Reader: Inspire the people of our local community; that this might be a place where people thrive and live in peace and neighborly good will.

Lord in your mercy,

**People:** Hear our prayer.

Reader: Open our ears, our eyes, and our hearts to hear your call and empower our hands and feet to move closer to you through our service to others. Lord in your mercy,

**People:** Hear our prayer.

Reader: Fill us with awe in contemplation of the glory of your Creation and shake us out of our complacency that we might be effective stewards and champions of our natural world. Lord in your mercy,

People: Hear our prayer.

Reader: Tend those who suffer, bring to wholeness what is broken, reconciliation to what has been separated, and lift up what has been pressed down. Lord in your mercy,

**People:** Hear our prayer.

Reader: Fulfill your promises to the dying, care for the grieving, and grant us all an entrance into your eternal loving presence. Lord in your mercy,

People: Hear our prayer.

**Presider:** You have allowed no barriers to your loving action, hear, and fulfill our longings as may be best for us, and grant us your salvation. All these we ask in the name of Jesus, our Lord, who abides with you and the Holy Spirit forever. **Amen.** 

# We continue to pray

For the blessings our congregation has received and for the continued financial support from the diocese and our givers.

#### We Ask Your Prayers

For the ministry of our Bishop's Committee, the Music Ministry; the Altar Guild; Lectors and Acolytes, Online Ministry, Bread for the World Ministry

### Prayers for Birthdays, Travelers, Wedding Anniversaries, Death Anniversaries

**Prayer intention by:** The Villalon Family, Maria Montalan, Angustia Family, Downs/Fields Family

We pray for those who celebrate their wedding anniversary this week: Gloria & Marlon Apon

We pray for God's blessings on those who celebrate their birthdays this week: Luz Calzita, Rosa Francisco, Tina Benevavides, Emma Corpuz

We continue to pray for the health of Rosalia Basa, Marietta Flores, Romy and Amy Mijares, Elsie Ching, Chris Stock, Elizabeth Reece, Edna Marfori, Mary Crow, Tita Bartolata, Alona Pailano, Ray Flores, Frankie Lino, Anna Angustia, Teresita Cochangco, Ellie Billington, Amelia Quinere, Susan Gabelo, Lily Young, Evelyn Busk, Alice Yunevich, Debbie Yunevich, Ken Yunevich, Megan Fifield, Pablito Quinere, Arnold Dayrit, Keith Prassas, Nelly Sarmiento, Jane Tronoff, Spencer Combes, Esther Archard, Ray Fields, Myrna Villalon, Bernaliza Benin Ponco, Marlene Dayrit, Ofelia Benavidez, Jennifer Downs

We pray for the repose of the souls of the departed, especially: Crisostomo Villon, Gamaller Arevalo, Eugenio Soberano, Sally Martinez, Editha Zumel, Martha Stirm, Mike Schonshinski, Rolando Ferrer, Guillermina & Lucas Lagunte, Babe Concepcion, Auro Olivas, Antonia & Feliz Santiago, Lope De Los Santos, Luis Pica

#### **Confession of Sin**

Celebrant: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

**Celebrant and People:** 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.** 

**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. **Amen.** 

**Celebrant:** The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.

**Celebrant:** In all things that I have shown you that by so toiling, one must help the weak, remembering the words of the Lord Jesus, how he said, "It is more blessed to give than to receive." Let us with gladness present the offerings of our life and work to the Lord.' **Acts 20:35** 

**Celebrant:** Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God.

## Offertory song:

The Doxology (Sung to the tune of Old 100th)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise God, all creatures here below,
Praise God above the Heavenly host,
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

# The Great Thanksgiving Eucharistic Prayer A

**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 him thanks and praise.

**Celebrant:** It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

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:

### Celebrant and People:

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.

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, 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 we proclaim the mystery of faith:

## **Celebrant and People:**

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *AMEN*. And now, as our Savior

Christ has 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

Celebrant: [Alleluia.] Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

**People:** Therefore, let us keep the feast

Lamb of God: Sung

**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.

#### Communion

**Celebrant:** Let us pray.

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

Celebrant: And may the Peace of God which surpasses all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God and of His Son Jesus Christ our Lord, and the blessing of God Almighty; the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit be upon you and remain with you forever. **Amen**.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Summary of donations/pledges/plate collection for the month of August \$3,440.52

Thanks to all our pledgers, givers and Church and her mission
You may mail you pledges to our church at:
777 Southgate Avenue, Daly City, CA 94015
Thanks also to all our Church volunteers
For their dedication and services to the Church and community

Please submit names for prayer requests (Travels, Birthdays, Anniversaries, and Deaths) to Fr. Jureck (650-636-5654) no later than **Wednesday at 6PM.** Prayer requests received after that day and time will be included in the following week's bulletin. Thank you.

#### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

#### We give thanks to God for the ministries of:

Our Bishop's Committee, Liturgy and Worship, Music and Livestream, Lectors and Acolytes, Art and Decorations, Altar Guild, Bread for the World Ministry and Volunteers; Church Building and Grounds Maintenance

To all the faithful who join us always in our online worship service.

'To God be the Glory'

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#### **Dismissal**

Deacon: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord

**People: Thanks be to God** .

# Calendar of Events

*September 20, 2025* **Bus Trip Fund Raiser** 

October 5, 2025 Feast of St. Francis Blessing of animals

176th Convention October 17/18, 2025

October 26, 2025 Feast of Senor de los Milagros

**November 2, 2025** All Souls/All Saint Day Daylight

Saving Time Ends

**November 9, 2025** Veteran's Day

**November 23, 2025** Christ the King

Thanksgiving's Day Potluck

**November 30, 2025** Beginning of Advent

Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe **December 14, 2025** 

Church Christmas Party

Feast of Our Lady of Manaoag February 22, 2026

Bishop's Visit

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SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 20, 2025



Leaves HCSM Church 9:00 AM Leaves Graton 4:00 PM

LIGHT BREAKFAST IS PROVIDED COST \$40

Tets have fun for a cause!"

# Prayer For Peace Among the Nations

Almighty God our heavenly
Father, guide the nations of
the world into the way of
justice and truth, and establish
among them that peace which is the fruit of
righteousness,
that they may become the
kingdom of our Lord and
Gavior Jesus Christ.
Amen.

