



THE DAY OF PENTECOST

HOLY EUCHARIST AND BAPTISM

Sunday, June 8, 2025
8:00am and 10:15am

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, ROYAL OAK MI



St. John's Welcome Statement

Welcome! We are St. John's, a parish that invites you to be a part of our community and warmly embraces you when you do.

At St. John's, our history has taught us that accepting and embracing true diversity is challenging. As a result, we have come to claim a firm, undying commitment to inclusion. So here is our invitation to you: regardless of your cultural background, ethnicity, gender, lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender or heterosexual identity, economic status, physical or cognitive ability – you will not be labeled, singled out or excluded here. You will be welcomed, affirmed, embraced and celebrated! We will be better because you are here.

Adopted by unanimous vote at St. John's Annual Meeting, January 31, 2016

Everyone is Welcome! Everyone Belongs! Welcome Newcomers!

Young Children – *with all their sounds and wiggles* - are very welcome in this church!

If you are here for the first time, please help us to get to know you by signing our Guest Book (clipboard in the entry of the church) and/or filling out a yellow card found in each pew. Place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher. We are so pleased that you are here and want to do everything we can to help you make the most of St. John's Episcopal Church and its resources for your spiritual journey.

All are welcome to communion, where we share one bread, one body. To facilitate this, our communion bread is all Gluten Free. All are welcome to St. John's programs and events.

Sunday Morning Schedule at a glance:

- 8:00am – **Worship**
- 10:10am – Children age 4 through 5th grade gather at the stairs on second floor in the entry/narthex) and sign in before going up to the third floor for Sunday School. Children are also welcome to stay with family in church if they prefer.
- 10:15am – **Worship**
- 10:15am - 10:45am – **Sunday School** (age 4 through 5th grade) meets on the third floor
- 10:45am – Sunday School children join their families for Communion
- Most Sundays – 11:05am - 12:00 noon – **Youth Group** (grades 6-12) are first to receive Communion, and then leave to meet on the third floor with youth leaders.

PRELUDE

THE WORD OF GOD

At the ringing of a bell, the people stand.

ENTRANCE HYMN *(at 10:15am)*

O day of radiant gladness

The Hymnal 1982, 48, vv. 1-3



1 O day of ra - diant glad - ness, O day of joy and
2 This day at the cre - a - tion, the light first had its
3 This day, God's peo - ple meet - ing, his Ho - ly Scrip - ture

light, O balm of care and sad - ness, most
birth; this day for our sal - va - tion Christ
hear; his liv - ing pres - ence greet - ing, through

beau - ti - ful, most bright; this day the high and
rose from depths of earth; this day our Lord vic -
Bread and Wine made near. We jour - ney on, be -

low - ly, through a - ges joined in tune, sing,
to - rious the Spi - rit sent from heaven, and
liev - ing, re - newed with heaven - ly might, from

"Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly," to the great God Tri - une.
thus this day most glo - rious a tri - ple light was given.
grace more grace re - ceiv - ing on this blest day of light.

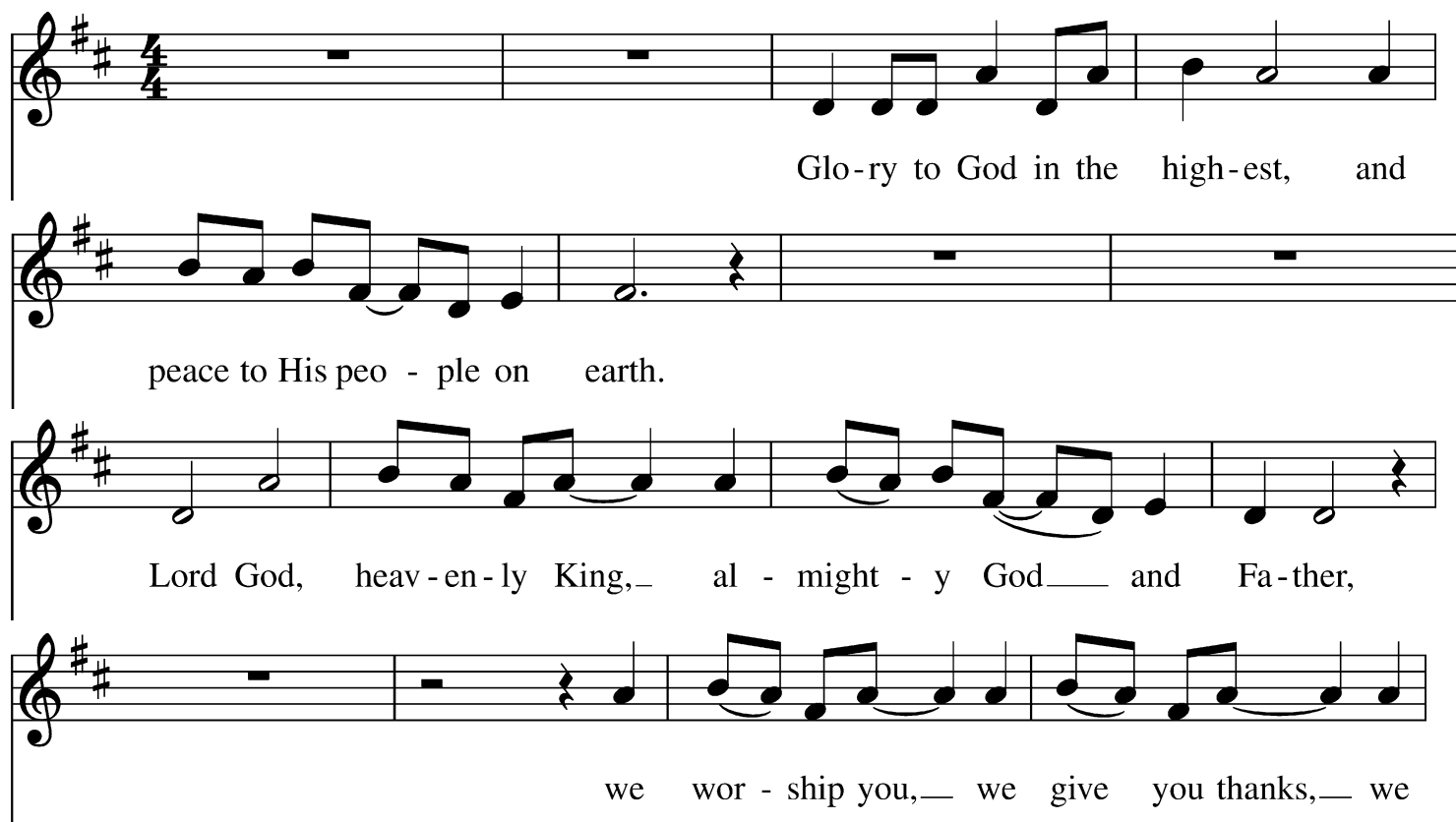
OPENING ACCLAMATION

Presider Blessed be God, †Creator, Christ, and Holy Spirit
People **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever.**
Presider There is one Body and one Spirit;
People **There is one hope in God's call to us;**
Presider One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;
People **One God and Creator of all.**

GLORIA *(spoken at 8:00am)*

**Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to God's people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly king,
Almighty God and Father,
We worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory!**

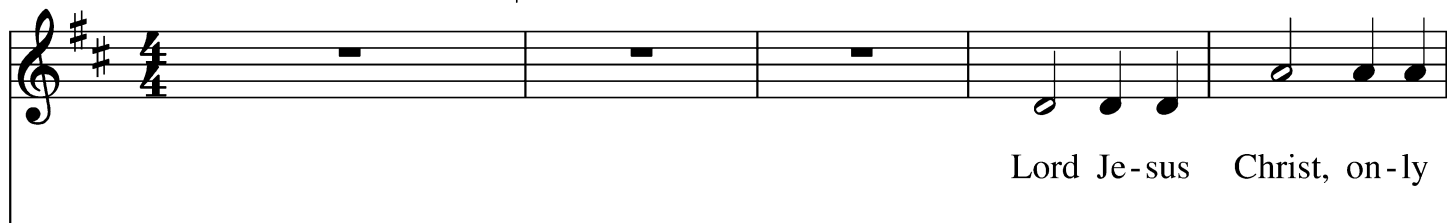
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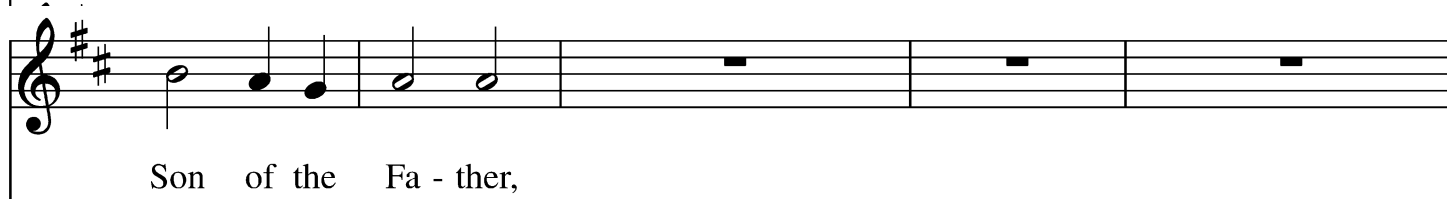
Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and
peace to His peo - ple on earth.
Lord God, heav - en - ly King, — al - might - y God — and Fa - ther,
we wor - ship you, — we give you thanks, — we



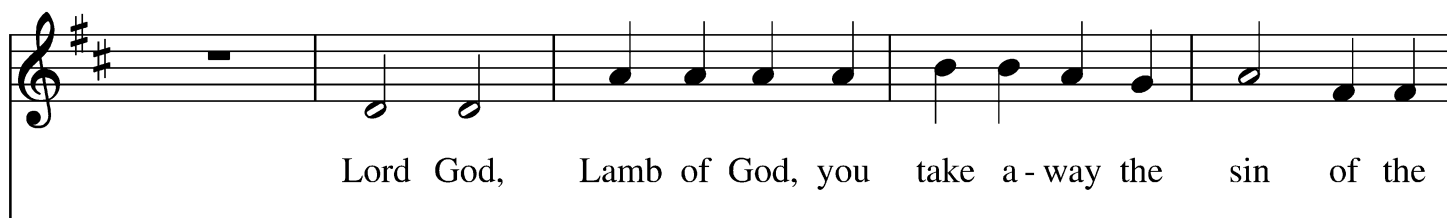
praise_ you for____ your glo-ry.



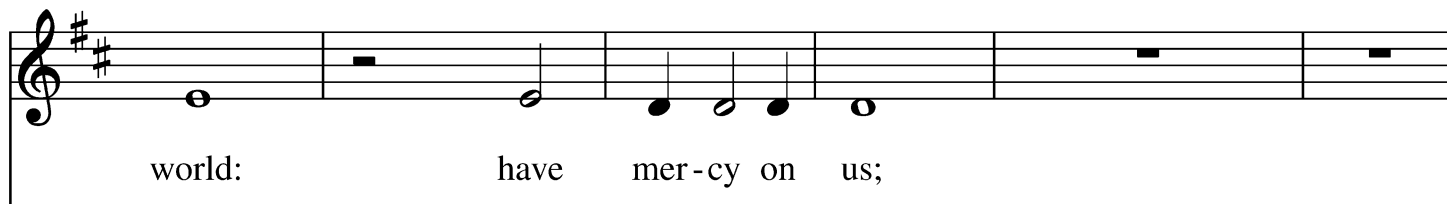
Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly



Son of the Fa - ther,



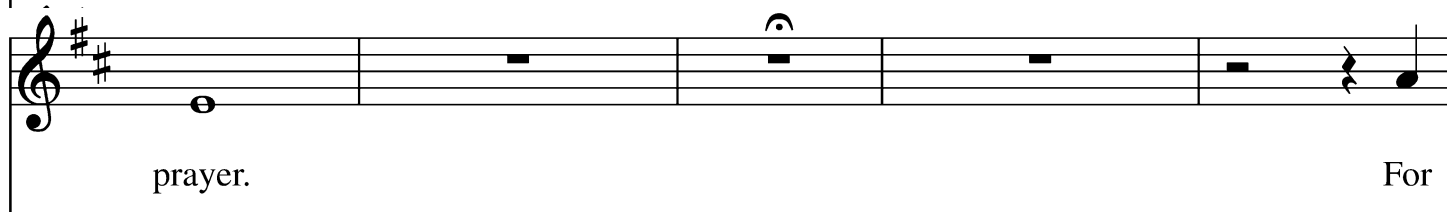
Lord God, Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the



world: have mer-cy on us;

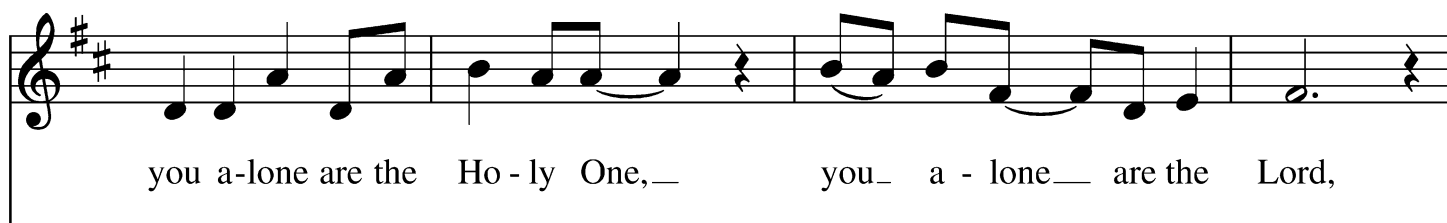


you are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive our



prayer.

For



you a-lone are the Ho - ly One,— you_ a - lone__ are the Lord,

you a-lone are the Most High,

Je - sus Christ with the Ho-ly Spir-it, in the

glo - ry of God the Fa-ther. A - men.

Je - sus Christ with the Ho-ly Spir-it, in the

glo - ry of God_____ the Fa - ther. A - men.

The people remain standing.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider God be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider 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 people are seated.

A Guide on Pentecost: Pentecost has traditionally been known as the day the Church celebrates the gift of the Holy Spirit after Jesus' ascension. The scriptures describe this event with great mystery and power saying that the Spirit came with a rush of violent wind and in tongues of fire. People from every language and tribe and language were gathered in Jerusalem, and the story from Acts describes them being able to hear and understand one another, each in their own language.

THE FIRST LESSON

Acts 2:1-21

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, Cretans and Arabs-- in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine."

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

‘In the last days it will be, God declares,
that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh,
and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,
and your young people shall see visions,
and your old ones shall dream dreams.

Even upon my slaves, both men and women,
in those days I will pour out my Spirit;
and they shall prophesy.

'Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.' "

Lector Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people
People **Thanks be to God**

PSALM 104:25-31, 34-37

- 25 O 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 Leviathan, *
 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 created; *
 and so you renew the face of the earth.
- 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 God; *
 I will rejoice in the Lord.
- 37 Bless the Lord, O my soul. *
 Hallelujah!

THE SECOND LESSON

Romans 8:14-17

All who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ-- if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

Lector Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The people stand and sing (at 10:15) as the Gospel book is processed to the center of the nave.

GOSPEL HYMN *(at 10:15am)*

If you believe and I believe

Wonder, Love, and Praise, 806

The musical score is written on four staves in G major (one sharp) and 6/8 time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The lyrics are: "If you be-lieve and I be-lieve and we to - geth - er pray, the Ho - ly Spir - it must come down and set God's peo - ple free, and set God's peo - ple free, and set God's peo - ple free; the Ho - ly Spir - it must come down and set God's peo - ple free." The score includes various musical notations such as eighth notes, quarter notes, and rests, with some notes beamed together.

If you be-lieve and I be-lieve and we to - geth - er
pray, the Ho - ly Spir - it must come down and set God's peo - ple
free, and set God's peo - ple free, and set God's peo - ple
free; the Ho - ly Spir - it must come down and set God's peo - ple free.

THE HOLY GOSPEL

John 14:8-17, 25-27

The people stand as they are able.

Deacon †The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ according to John
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ**

Philip said to Jesus, "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied." Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

"If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you."

"I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid."

Deacon The Gospel of Christ
People **Praise to you, Lord Christ**

SERMON

The Rev. Dan Martin

A period of silence is kept.

HOLY BAPTISM

Presider The Candidates for Holy Baptism will now be presented.

Sponsors **I present Brenda Arlene Ball to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.**

Presider Do you desire to be baptized?

Candidate **I do.**

Presider Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?

Candidate **I renounce them.**

Presider Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?

Candidate **I renounce them.**

Presider Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?

Candidate **I renounce them.**

Question Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Saviour?

Answer **I do.**

Question Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love?

Answer **I do.**

Question Do you promise to follow and obey him as your Lord?

Answer **I do .**

The people stand. The Presider addresses the Congregation, saying

Presider Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support this person in her life in Christ?

People **We will.**

RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL VOWS

Presider Let us join with those who are committing themselves to Christ and renew our own baptismal covenant.

THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT

Deacon Do you believe in God the Father?

People **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Deacon Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People **I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

Deacon Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People **I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
†the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.**

Deacon Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the
breaking of bread, and the prayers?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Deacon Will you persevere in resisting evil, and whenever you fall into sin, repent
and return to the Lord?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Deacon Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in
Christ?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Deacon Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as
yourself?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Deacon Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the
dignity of every human being?

People **I will, with God's help.**

PRAYERS

- Deacon* Let us now pray for these persons who are to receive the Sacrament of new birth and for those who renew their commitment to Christ.
- Leader* Deliver them, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.
People **Lord, hear our prayer.**
- Leader* Open their hearts to your grace and truth.
People **Lord, hear our prayer.**
- Leader* Fill them with your holy and life-giving Spirit.
People **Lord, hear our prayer.**
- Leader* Keep them in the faith and communion of your holy Church.
People **Lord, hear our prayer.**
- Leader* Teach them to love others in the power of the Spirit.
People **Lord, hear our prayer.**
- Leader* Send them into the world in witness to your love.
People **Lord, hear our prayer.**
- Leader* Bring them to the fullness of your peace and glory.
People **Lord, hear our prayer.**
- Presider* Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and forever. ***Amen.***

THANKSGIVING OVER THE WATER

Keeping a tradition at St. John's, members are invited to bring water from local places and places from around the world which hold significant meaning to us. We will mingle these waters for use at baptisms as a sign of our diversity and unity. Today's waters come from: the Jordan River in the Holy Land, and the Great Lakes.

- Presider* God be with you.
People **And also with you.**
- Presider* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water.

Over it the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through it you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In it your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

We thank you, O God, for the water of Baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit. Therefore in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come to him in faith, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

At the following words, the Presider touches the water.

†Now sanctify this water, we pray you, by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who here are cleansed from sin and born again may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Savior. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and forever. **Amen.**

THE BAPTISM

The candidate is presented by name to the Presider, who then immerses, or pours water upon, the candidate saying

Presider Brenda, I baptize you in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Then the Presider places a hand on the person's head, marking on the forehead the sign of the cross using Chrism oil and saying to each one

Presider Brenda, you are sealed by the Holy Spirit in Baptism and †marked as Christ's own for ever. **Amen.**

The candidate is presented with a candle lit from the Paschal candle.

Deacon Receive the Light of Christ. **Amen.**

Presider Let us pray.

Gracious God, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon this your servant the forgiveness of sin, and have raised her to the new life of grace. Sustain her, O Lord, in your

Holy Spirit. Give her an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works. **Amen.**

Presider Let us welcome the newly baptized.

People **We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.**

THE ASPERGES

All remain standing as the clergy asperge the people by sprinkling them with the blessed baptismal water saying the words, 'Remember your baptism.'

THE PEACE

Presider The peace of Christ be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

The peace is exchanged among the people.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

JUNE BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES, AND MILESTONES

O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servants as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

INVITATION TO THE OFFERTORY

Oblation bearers bring forward the bread and wine on behalf of the congregation. The ushers collect our gifts of pledges and other offerings. Gifts of pledges and offerings may also be placed in collection baskets at the steps of the altar. Your pledges and financial gifts support the mission, the many ministries, the outreach, and the fellowship offered through St. John's.



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Text: Text "StJohnsRoyalOak" to 73256

Mail: St. John's, 26998 Woodward Ave, Royal Oak, MI 48067

OR scan this code to be directed to the giving page.

OFFERTORY MUSIC *(at 10:15am)*

Creator Spirit, come we pray

David Hurd

Oblation bearers bring forward the gifts of bread and wine on behalf of the congregation.

8:00am - Gifts of pledges and other offerings may be placed in collection baskets at the steps of the altar.

10:15am - The ushers pass collection baskets to gather our gifts of pledges and other offerings. At the Presentation Hymn, all stand. The ushers present our gifts at the altar. The Eucharistic ministers join the clergy to prepare for Eucharist.

PRESENTATION HYMN *(at 10:15am)*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow The Hymnal 1982, 380, v. 3

*3 Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; praise

him, all crea - tures here be - low; praise him a - bove, ye

heaven - ly host: praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

Presider God be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

Presider

Eternal God, Source of all being, we give you thanks and praise for your faithful love. You call us into relationship with you and one another to be your holy people, a sign of your presence in the world.

When those we trust betray us, unfailingly you remain with us. When we injure others, you confront us in your love and call us to the paths of righteousness. You stand with the weak, and those, broken and alone, whom you have always welcomed home, making the first last, and the last first.

Therefore we raise our voices with angels and archangels, forever praising you and saying (singing):

Presider and People (spoken at 8:00am)

**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.

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

SANCTUS *(at 10:15am)*

The Hymnal 1982, S129

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. _____

The musical score is written on four staves in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It features a melody with various note values including eighth, quarter, and half notes, as well as rests. There are three triplet markings (indicated by a '3' and a bracket) over the words 'heaven', 'full', and 'comes'.

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The Presider continues

Blessed are you, O Holy One:

When Hagar was driven into the wilderness you followed her and gave her hope.

When Joseph was sold into bondage, you turned malice to your people's good.

When you called Israel out of slavery, you brought them through the wilderness into the promised land.

When your people were taken into exile you wept with them by the river of Babylon and carried them home.

Restore us, O God, let your face shine!

At the right time you sent your Anointed One to stand with the poor, the outcast, and the oppressed. Jesus touched the sick and healed them. He accepted water from a woman of Samaria and offered her the water of new life. Christ knew the desolation of the cross and opened the way for all humanity into the redemption of your reconciling love.

On the night he was betrayed, Jesus, at supper with his friends, took bread, gave you thanks, broke the bread, gave it to them, and said, “Take and 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 all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.”

Loving and Holy One, recalling Christ’s death and resurrection, we offer you these gifts, longing for the bread of tomorrow and the wine of the age to come. Therefore we proclaim our hope:

Dying you destroyed our death, rising you restored our life. Lord Jesus, come in glory.

Pour out your Spirit upon these gifts that they may be for your people the Body and Blood of Christ. Fill us with that same Spirit and sustain us in our hunger for your peace. We hold before you all whose lives are marked by suffering. When we are broken and cast aside, embrace us in your love.

Restore us, O God, let your face shine!

Through Christ, with Christ, and in Christ in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory are yours, O Source of all life, now and for ever. ***Amen.***

THE LORD’S PRAYER

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

**Our Father, in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done
on earth as in heaven.**

Give us today our daily bread.

**Forgive us our sins,
as we forgive those who sin against us.**

**Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,
now and forever. *Amen.***

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD/FRACTION ANTHEM

The Presider breaks the consecrated Bread.

(spoken at 8:00am)

Presider Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People **Therefore, let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

Celtic Alleluia *(at 10:15am)*

Gather, 266



Presider These are the gifts of God

People **And we are the people of God.**

Presider Behold who you are, and become what you receive.

This is Christ's table, and Christ is our host at this feast. Everyone who comes to the altar seeking Christ will be welcomed. The bread used for Holy Eucharist at St. John's is gluten free.

St. John's youth (6th-12th grade) are the first to receive communion and then leave immediately following Eucharist to meet with their leaders. All youth are invited to participate – you are very welcome here!

Healing - Those who would like prayers for healing may go to the healing station in the west transept for prayers during communion.

COMMUNION HYMNS *(at 10:15am)*

Come, Holy Spirit, heavenly Dove

The Hymnal 1982, 510

1 Come, Ho - ly Spi - rit, heaven - ly Dove, with all thy quick-ening powers;
2 See how we tri - fle here be - low, fond of these earth - ly toys;
3 In vain we tune our for - mal songs, in vain we strive to rise:
4 Come, Ho - ly Spi - rit, heaven - ly Dove, with all thy quick-ening powers;

kin - dle a flame of sa - cred love in these cold hearts of ours.
our souls, how heav - i - ly they go, to reach e - ter - nal joys.
ho - san - nas lan - guish on our tongues, and our de - vo - tion dies.
come, shed a - broad a Sa - vior's love, and that shall kin - dle ours.

The musical score is written for a four-part choir (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with a repeat sign at the end of the first system. The lyrics are printed below the staves, with line numbers 1 through 4 corresponding to the four parts of the hymn.

Words: Isaac Watts (1674-1748), alt. Music: *Saint Agnes*, John Bacchus Dykes (1823-1876).

Spirit of God, you moved over the waters

Voices Found, 58



1 Spi - rit of God, you moved o - ver the wa - ters
 2 Spi - rit of God, by the pro - phets you sought us,
 3 Spi - rit of God, like a dove you once rest - ed,
 4 Spi - rit of God, like a might - y wind blow - ing;
 5 Help us to see you, still call - ing and car - ing,

whisp - ring God's love to the whole of cre - a - tion.
 cal - ling us back from our pride - filled be - ha - vior.
 show - ing God's joy on the day Christ was bap - tized.
 sud - den - ly Chris - tians stopped hid - ing and fear - ing.
 help us to know you a - mong us, cre - at - ing.

You breathe your life in - to God's sons and daugh - ters,
 Through cho - sen lead - ers you reached us and taught us;
 You sent Christ out to the hills to be test - ed,
 You gave them cour - age and love o - ver - flow - ing,
 Spi - rit of God, give us cour - age and dar - ing—

giv - ing us tal - ents and your in - spi - ra - tion.
 by your own gift we were giv - en our Sav - ior.
 through you, he called us to see God with new eyes.
 so they pro - claimed you to all in their hear - ing.
 to share God's love with a world that is wait - ing.

After Communion - The children and youth are invited forward at the end of communion to consume all the bread that has been blessed or consecrated for communion. This is a tradition at St. John's.

SENDING FORTH OF LAY EUCHARISTIC VISITORS *(as requested)*

Deacon In the name of this congregation, I send you forth bearing these holy gifts,
that those to whom you go may share with the communion of Christ's body
and blood.

People **We who are many are one body, because we all share one bread,
one cup.**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

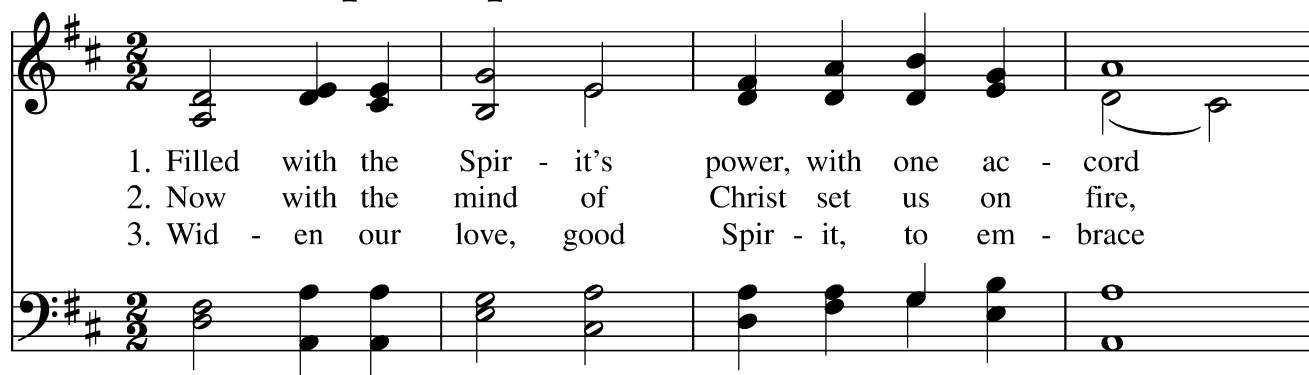
All stand and pray

**God of abundance,
you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation;
you have united us with Christ and one another;
and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth.
Now send us forth in the power of you Spirit,
that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world
and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. *Amen.***

BLESSING

CLOSING HYMN *(at 10:15am)*

Filled with the Spirit's power Wonder, Love, and Praise, 741



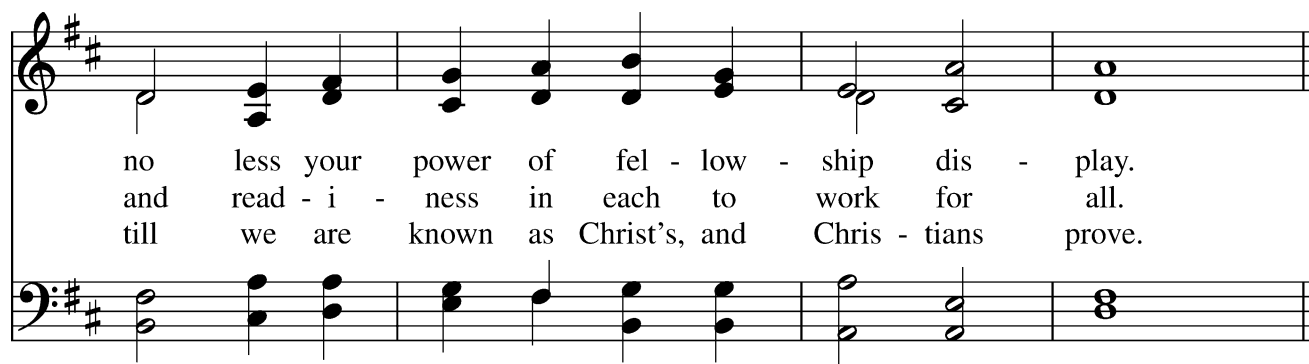
1. Filled with the Spir - it's power, with one ac - cord
2. Now with the mind of Christ set us on fire,
3. Wid - en our love, good Spir - it, to em - brace



the in - fant church con - fessed its ris - en Lord.
that u - ni - ty may be our great de - sire.
in your strong care all those of ev - ery race.



O Ho - ly Spir - it, in the church to - day
Give joy and peace; give faith to hear your call,
Like wind and fire with life a - mong us move,



no less your power of fel - low - ship dis - play.
and read - i - ness in each to work for all.
till we are known as Christ's, and Chris - tians prove.

Words: J. R. Peacey (1896-1971). Music: *Ashley*, David Ashley White (b. 1944).

DISMISSAL

Deacon Let us go forth into the world,
Rejoicing in the power of the Spirit. Alleluia! Alleluia!
People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

POSTLUDE

Join us immediately following the 10:15am service in the West Transept
for a reception to celebrate the ordination of The Rev. Dan Martin
All are welcome!

Ministers of Today's Service: The People of St. John's

8:00am Lectors	Cathy Holcomb – First Lesson and Psalm; Chuck Tucker – Second Lesson and Prayers of the People
8:00am Acolyte	LeeAnn Morgan
8:00am Greeter/Usher	Jim Whipple
8:00am Greeter during service	Greg Gmerek
8:00am Eucharistic Ministers	Peg Coury, Joey Spano, Chuck Tucker
8:00am Healing Minister	Lee Ann Morgan
8:00am Altar Guild	Therese Nottingham
10:15am Lectors	Angela Stough – First Lesson; Sharon Kennedy – Psalm; Dustin Walker – Second Lesson; Marcy Darin – Prayers of the People
10:15am Acolytes	Jennifer Bartleman, Julia Bartleman, Jennifer Bruns
10:15am Greeter	Marie Donigan, Lisa Philips
10:15am Greeter during service	Cindy Fellner
10:15am Ushers	Chris Davis, Bruce Donigan, Marie Donigan, Lisa Philips, Greg Taub
10:15am Eucharistic Ministers	Rachel Andrews, Askari Asante, Elizabeth Moon Carter
10:15am Healing Minister	Joyce Morey
10:15am Altar Guild	Elaine Kapelanski, Maryann LeComb, Kathy Stricker
Bread Baker	Linda Tucker
Tech Team	Chris Bosley, Barbara Jones, Laurie McLaughlin
Vergers	Rachel Andrews, Kevin McLogan
Opener/Closer	Tim Morgan, Pete Kelly
Parking Lot Greeters	Gregg Barnett, Veronica Griffith, Richard Le Jeune
Musicians	Dr. Sr. Steven McGhee, <i>Music Director</i> ; Bex Conway, Brooklyn Pfeffer, <i>Choral Scholars</i> ; St. John's Chancel Choir
Deacon	The Rev. Dan Martin
Priest in Charge	The Rev. Gerardo Aponte-Safe

June Birthdays

Carol Aaron	6/29	Jeffrey Gaglio	6/7	Bob Nagaj	6/8
Safyan Afzal	6/11	Barbara Gilbertson	6/30	Kevin Oakes	6/11
Jennifer Bartleman	6/4	Abby Gustafson	6/7	Michael Saggau	6/30
Jared Berousek	6/8	Waymon Howard	6/1	Kristine Sprague	6/6
Jennifer Berousek	6/27	Mark Jones	6/7	Corinne Swan	6/2
Vincent Betanzo	6/7	Ivan Judge*	6/17	Kristen Swan	6/18
Christopher Bosley	6/17	Katherine Judge	6/4	Maren Swan	6/23
Dayton Brown	6/22	Brian Kennedy	6/8	Susan Trebilcock	6/13
Matthew Clark	6/21	Grace Lakinske	6/6	Chuck Tucker	6/12
Peg Coury	6/10	Maryann LeComb	6/11	Will Wittig	6/22
Janet Craft	6/23	A.J. Lowler*	6/23	* = child	
Michael Dinunzio	6/29	Katie Macey	6/23	Bold =special	
Bruce Donigan	6/28	Maryann Maiuri	6/5	birthday	
Marie Donigan	6/17	Renee Mazurek*	6/4		
Allyson Frank	6/17	Joyce Morey	6/25		
Anjela Freeman	6/27	Larry Morton	6/6		

June Anniversaries

Woodie & Mary Adams	6/22/1974
Rachel Andrews & Kathy Battles	6/27/1993
Dale & Barbara Gilbertson	6/22/1963
Maryann LeComb & Kathy Stricker	6/4/2016
Melanie & Ned Macey	6/21/2002
Linda Northcraft & Ellen Ehrlich	6/22/1987
Andrew & Nicole Stewart	6/5/2004
Chris & Susan Trebilcock	6/8/2008

Waymon Howard, a longtime member, turned 91 on June 1. You can help him celebrate his birthday by sending him a card to 6806 Arlington Dr., West Bloomfield, MI 48322. If you do not know him, please send a card anyway. Just sign your name, and "A friend from St. John's". He will love hearing from you.

If you celebrate a Birthday or an Anniversary in June, and your name is not on this list, we'd love to have it! Please call 248-546-1255 and leave the information with Jennifer Perkins, Parish Administrator or email it to us at office@stjohnro.org Thank you!

Altar Memorials and Thanksgivings

In thanksgiving for
Marie Donigan and **Kelly Neighbors**
serving as maintenance coordinators
over the last five months

In welcome and thanksgiving for
Richard Dudas
as our facilities coordinator

Altar Flower Memorials and Thanksgivings

We welcome your participation and contributions to this ministry. If you would like to have a flower thanksgiving or memorial placed in the bulletin, please contact Jennifer Perkins at 248-546-1255 or office@stjohnro.org or you can give online by going to the St. John's website at stjohnsroyaloak.org - click on GIVE and then from the "Fund" dropdown options, select "Flower Fund." The suggested minimum donation is \$25.00; however, all donations will be accepted and recognized. Thank you!

Additional Prayer List

Persons being prayed for:

Sarah
 Briana, Wettona, Ezra, Vic, Jackie
 Sandi
 Willa
 Edward, Ariana, Glenn
 Matthew, Heather, India, Joann, Jim
 Larry, Lois
 Gary, Patrick
 Jeanette, Evelyn
 Angelina, Jamie
 Donna, MaryPat, Linda, Debbie
 Kae, Lois, Peggy, Linda
 JoAnn, Edgar, Mary Lou, Natalia
 Lorie, Patty, Betty, Gail, Dot, Wilma, Nan, Mike
 Jennifer, Richard, Mark
 Mildred
 Mike
 Linda
 Patty, Jim, Ron, David, Maria
 Bill, Dorothy
 Dave, Kate, Evie, Caroline, Rhonda, Joe, Dennis, Norma, Ashley, Jake, Carson
 Gail, Phil, Steven, Paul
 Gwen
 Arthur, Dan, Winnie
 Randy, Kelly, Charlotte
 Adam, Don
 Bob, Jennifer, Scott
 Barbara, Bob, Cathy
 David, David
 Dominic, Pam, Nancy, Miles, Tom, Clyde
 June
 Brian
 Gabrielle
 Debbie, Marion, Harvey

Requested by:

Rachel Andrews
 Gloria Brown
 Jen Bruns
 Janet Craft
 Sandy Curtis
 Carolyn Darling
 Chris Davis, Lonnie Shelton
 Ann Davis
 Cheryl Donigan
 Allyson Frank
 Diana Graor
 Elaine Kapelanski
 Kathy Kustowski
 Maryann LeComb & Kathy Stricker
 Richard LeJeune
 Jim Lewis
 Leah Lynady
 Kelly Mankin & Michael Tonda
 Mapley Extended Family
 Barbara & Chris Moran
 Mary Ann Morrow
 Bob & Trudy Nagaj
 Scout Osborn & Kristine Sprague
 Janice Pedersen
 Marilyn Robinson
 Jeff & Nancy Sever
 Joey Spano
 Bob Stevens
 Elizabeth Swanchara
 The Sykes Family
 Barbara Thornton
 Bob Walsh
 Pam Lupinski
 Tamra Zakar