



SaintPaul's

An Episcopal Church For  
The City of Milwaukee

✠ The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost ✠  
10:15 am Sung Morning Prayer  
September 27, 2020

Voluntary

*Voluntary in G: Grave*

William Walond

Officiant

O send out thy light and thy truth, that they may lead me,  
and bring me unto thy holy hill, and to thy dwelling.

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Officiant

O Lord, open thou our lips.

People

**And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.**

**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.**

**Alleluia.**

Canticle *Venite*

*Come, let us sing to the Lord*

Jack Noble White

*Come, let us sing to the Lord;\**

*let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation.*

*Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving\*  
and raise a loud shout to him with psalms.*

*For the Lord is a great God,\**

*and a great King above all gods.*

*In his hand are the caverns of the earth,\**

*and the heights of the hills are his also.*

*The sea is his, for he made it,\**

*and his hands have molded the dry land.*

*Come, let us bow down, and bend the knee,\**

*and kneel before the Lord our Maker.*

*For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand.\**

*Oh, that today you would hearken to his voice!*

Psalm 25:1-8

*Ad te, Domine, levavi*

Chant Two

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- 1 To you, O LORD, I lift up my soul; my God, I put my / **trust in you**;\*  
let me not be humiliated, nor let my enemies triumph / **over me.**
- 2 Let none who look to you be put to / **shame**;\*  
let the treacherous be disappointed in their / **schemes.**

- 3 Show me your ways, O / **LORD**,\*  
and teach me your / **paths**.
- 4 Lead me in your truth and / **teach me**,\*  
for you are the God of my salvation;  
in you have I trusted all the day / **long**.
- 5 Remember, O LORD, your compassion and / **love**,\*  
for they are from ever/**lasting**.
- 6 Remember not the sins of my youth and my trans/**gressions**;\*  
remember me according to your love  
and for the sake of your goodness, O / **LORD**.
- 7 Gracious and upright is the / **LORD**;\*  
therefore he teaches sinners in his / **way**.
- 8 He guides the humble in doing / **right**\*  
and teaches his way to the / **lowly**.
- 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. **A/men**.

### The First Reading

Philippians 2:1-13

If then there is any encouragement in Christ, any consolation from love, any sharing in the Spirit, any compassion and sympathy, make my joy complete: be of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility regard others as better than yourselves.

Let each of you look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others. Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death - even death on a cross.

Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Therefore, my beloved, just as you have always obeyed me, not only in my presence, but much more now in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling; for it is God who is at work in you, enabling you both to will and to work for his good pleasure.

*Lector*            The Word of the Lord.

*People*            **Thanks be to God.**

Canticle *Benedictus es, Domine*

*A Song of Praise*

John Rutter

*Glory to you, Lord God of our fathers;\*  
you are worthy of praise; glory to you.  
Glory to you for the radiance of your holy Name;\*  
we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.*

*Glory to you in the splendor of your temple;\*  
on the throne of your majesty, glory to you.  
Glory to you, seated between the Cherubim;\*  
we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.*

*Glory to you, beholding the depths;\*  
in the high vault of heaven, glory to you.  
Glory to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit;\*  
we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.*

## The Second Reading

Matthew 21:23-32

When Jesus entered the temple, the chief priests and the elders of the people came to him as he was teaching, and said, “By what authority are you doing these things, and who gave you this authority?” Jesus said to them, “I will also ask you one question; if you tell me the answer, then I will also tell you by what authority I do these things. Did the baptism of John come from heaven, or was it of human origin?” And they argued with one another, “If we say, ‘From heaven,’ he will say to us, ‘Why then did you not believe him?’ But if we say, ‘Of human origin,’ we are afraid of the crowd; for all regard John as a prophet.” So they answered Jesus, “We do not know.” And he said to them, “Neither will I tell you by what authority I am doing these things.

“What do you think? A man had two sons; he went to the first and said, ‘Son, go and work in the vineyard today.’ He answered, ‘I will not’; but later he changed his mind and went. The father went to the second and said the same; and he answered, ‘I go, sir’; but he did not go. Which of the two did the will of his father?” They said, “The first.” Jesus said to them, “Truly I tell you, the tax collectors and the prostitutes are going into the kingdom of God ahead of you. For John came to you in the way of righteousness and you did not believe him, but the tax collectors and the prostitutes believed him; and even after you saw it, you did not change your minds and believe him.

*Lector*            **The Word of the Lord.**

*People*            **Thanks be to God.**

## Canticle *Jubilate*

*O be joyful in the Lord*

Chant: Francis Jackson



- 1 O be joyful in the Lord all ye lands; \*  
serve the Lord with gladness  
and come before his presence with a song. [Ant.]
- 2 Be ye sure that the Lord he is God;  
it is he that hath made us and not we our selves; \*  
we are his people and the sheep of his pasture. [Ant.]

- 3 O go your way into his gates with thanksgiving  
and into his courts with praise; \*  
be thankful unto him and speak good of his Name. [Ant.]
- 4 For the Lord is gracious;  
his mercy is everlasting; \*  
and his truth endureth from generation to generation. [Ant.]
- (Gloria Patri may be added)*
- Glory to the Father, and to the Son, \*  
and to the Holy Spirit:  
As it was in the beginning, is now, \*  
and will be forever. Amen. [Ant.]

The Homily

The Rector

### The Apostles' Creed

***I believe in God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty. From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.***

### The Prayers

*Officiant* The Lord be with you.

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

*Officiant* Let us pray.

***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.***

### Suffrages

- v.* O Lord, show thy mercy upon us;  
*r.* **And grant us thy salvation.**
- v.* Endue thy Ministers with righteousness;  
*r.* **And make thy chosen people joyful.**
- v.* Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;;  
*r.* **For only in thee can we live in safety.**
- v.* Lord, keep this nation under thy care;  
*r.* **And guide us in the way of justice and truth.**
- v.* Let thy way be known upon earth;  
*r.* **Thy saving health among all nations.**
- v.* Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;  
*r.* **Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.**
- v.* Create in us clean hearts, O God;  
*r.* **And sustain us with thy Holy Spirit.**

## A Collect for the Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

*O God, you declare your almighty power chiefly in showing mercy and pity: Grant us the fullness of your grace, that we, running to obtain your promises, may become partakers of your heavenly treasure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.*

**Amen.**

## A Collect for the Poor and Neglected

*Almighty and most merciful God, we remember before you all the poor and neglected persons whom it would be easy for us to forget: the homeless and the destitute, the old and the sick, and all who have none to care for them. Help us to heal those who are broken in body and spirit, and to turn their sorrow into joy. Grant this, Father, for the love of your Son, who for our sake become poor, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

## A Collect for the Oppressed

*Look with pity, O heavenly Father, upon the people in this land who live with injustice, terror, disease, and death as their constant companions. Have mercy upon us. Help us to eliminate our cruelty to these our neighbors. Strengthen those who spend their lives establishing equal protection of the law and equal opportunities for all. And grant that every one of us may enjoy a fair portion of the riches of this land; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

**Anthem**

*O sacrum convivium*

J.A. Kucharski

*O sacred banquet, wherein Christ is received; the memorial of his passion is renewed;  
The soul is filled with grace; and a pledge of future glory is given to us. Alleluia.*

Words: *Vesper Antiphon for Corpus Christi*

## A Prayer of St. Chrysostom

*Almighty God, who hast given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication unto thee, and hast promised through thy well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name thou wilt be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, the desires and petitions of thy servants as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of thy truth, and in the world to come life everlasting. Amen.*

## The Grace

*The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all evermore. Amen.*

**Hymn 339** *Deck thyself, my soul, with gladness*

Schmücke dich

**Voluntary** *Voluntary in G: Allegro*

William Walond

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## Worship Schedule

### Sunday Morning

8:00 am Holy Eucharist in the Morning Chapel

10:15 am Choral Eucharist

### Organ Recital and Choral Evensong

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3:30 pm

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