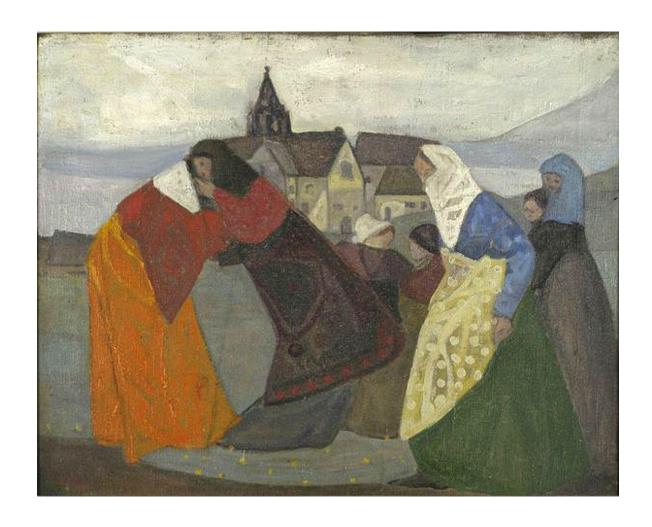
# THE TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

NOVEMBER 9, 2025 9:00 AM





# **WELCOME TO ST. MICHAEL'S!**

WE MANIFEST JOY through vibrant worship, beautiful music, and the active participation and nurturing of our children and youth.

WE EMBRACE RESILIENCE by learning each other's stories, proclaiming the Good News of God's unconditional love, and strengthening our capacity to hope.

WE SEEK JUSTICE by advocating for political change, continuing our work as an Immigrant Welcoming Congregation, and striving to understand our role in social, economic, and racial inequality.

WE LIVE IN LOVE through our Baptismal Promises to welcome and respect the dignity of every human being, care for God's creation, and engage in the ministry of Jesus to bring light, healing, and grace to our world.

Episcopal worship gathers the hearts and prayers of everyone present and involves call and response between the leader and the assembly. You'll find the responses of the community here, in bold type, marked "People."

Children are welcome here, voices and wiggles and all! The very young (infants to five years) are invited to play in our childcare room on the lower level, though some children prefer to remain in worship with their families. Early in the service, school-age children (generally, grades K-5) will be invited downstairs for their Liturgy of the Word, and they return to the gathered community before Communion. Also, coloring and reading books for children are located at the back of the church.

We'd love to know more about you. Please fill out a welcome card from the pew, place it in the offering bag when it comes by, and we'll be in touch to get to know you. You may also email us using the addresses listed on the back page.

St. Michael & All Angels, located in Multnomah County, rests on the traditional homelands of the Multnomah, Kathlamet, Clackamas, Molalla, Tumwater, Watlala bands of the Chinook, the Tualatin Kalapuya, and many other indigenous nations of the Columbia River. We acknowledge the ancestors of this place and understand that we are here because of the sacrifices forced upon them. By recognizing these communities, we honor their legacy, their lives, and their descendants.

St Michael & All Angels Episcopal Church acknowledges the gifts of sacred music written by Black, Indigenous, all People of Color. This music enriches our liturgies, and we are grateful for these musicians. Music of oppressed cultures has been appropriated by the dominant culture without an appreciation of the pain and suffering experienced by its creators. We repent and commit to the work of racial justice and ending racism.

We firmly believe that guns have no place in church. It is our responsibility as followers of Jesus Christ to promote peace and safety in our communities. The presence of firearms on church property is inconsistent with our baptismal promise to respect the dignity of every human being and the vision of God's dream for all creation. St. Michael & All Angels does not permit any person, including clergy, staff, clients, students, volunteers, and visitors, to carry a weapon on the premises of any property or facility owned or operated by the church or the Diocese. This prohibition does not apply to certain exceptions as allowed by law.

(Approved by the Vestry, June 2025)

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# THE COMMUNITY GATHERS FOR WORSHIP

#### **PRELUDE**

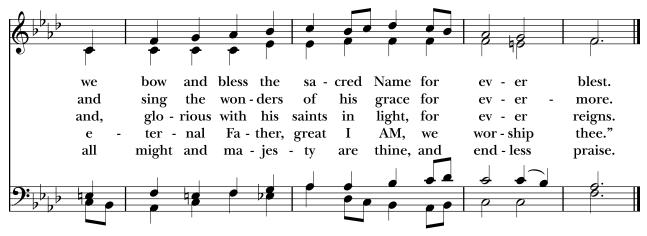
Bound for the promised land

arr. Joshua Evanovich (b. 1984)

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#### THE OPENING ACCLAMATION

Presider
People
Blessed be God: most holy, glorious, and undivided Trinity.

And blessed be God's reign, now and for ever. Amen.

# A COLLECT FOR PURITY

Please pray together

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** Smith



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#### THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider God be with you.
People And also with you.

Presider Let us pray.

The Presider says

O God, whose blessed Son came into the world that he might destroy the works of the devil and make us children of God and heirs of eternal life: Grant that, having this hope, we may purify ourselves as he is pure; that, when he comes again with power and great glory, we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.** 

School-age children are invited to the Children's Liturgy of the Word to hear stories about the Good News of God's love.

Children return to their families at the Peace.

# THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Please be seated

#### THE FIRST READING

Haggai 2:1-9

Lector A reading from the book of the Prophet Haggai.

The people are encouraged to take heart as they rebuild the temple, promising that its future glory will surpass the former and that God will bring peace and prosperity.

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

People Thanks be to God.

# Anglican Chant setting by Ivor Atkins (1869-1953)

The Choir sings the refrain; then All



- Sing to the Lord a new song, \*
  - for God has done marvelous things.
- With God's right hand and holy arm \* has the Lord won for God's self the victory. REFRAIN
- The Lord has made known this victory; \* and righteousness has God openly shown in the sight of the nations.
- The Lord remembers mercy and faithfulness to the house of Israel, \* and all the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God. REFRAIN
- 5 Shout with joy to the Lord, all you lands; \* lift up your voice, rejoice, and sing.
- 6 Sing to the Lord with the harp, \* with the harp and the voice of song.
- †7 With trumpets and the sound of the horn \* shout with joy before the Sovereign, the Lord. REFRAIN
- 8 Let the sea make a noise and all that is in it, \* the lands and those who dwell therein.
- 9 Let the rivers clap their hands, \* and let the hills ring out with joy before the Lord, when God comes to judge the earth.
- †10 In righteousness shall the Lord judge the world \* and the peoples with equity. REFRAIN

#### THE SECOND READING

2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17

Lector A reading from the Second Letter to the Thessalonians.

The Christian community is encouraged to stand firm in the traditions of faith, facing hardship, confident that they are chosen and loved by God.

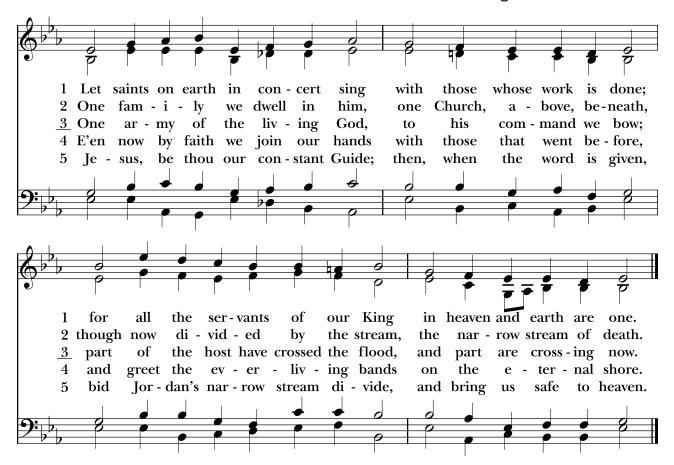
Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People Thanks be to God.



Let the saints on earth in concert sing

Dundee



Words: Charles Wesley (1707-1788), alt. Music: *Dundee*, melody from *The CL Psalmes of David*, 1615; harm. Thomas Ravenscroft (1592?-1635?), alt.

Please remain standing as able

THE GOSPEL Luke 20:27-38

The Deacon or Priest says

The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ, according to Luke.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus teaches about the hope of resurrection.

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Please be seated

# THE SERMON

#### AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

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,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary
and became truly human.

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, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who 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

The Deacon or Priest says

Let us pray for the world and the Church.

Leader God of grace, you have called forth your Church in every time and place. Grant that all who confess your Name may be united in truth, live together in love, and manifest your glory in the world. We pray especially for the Church in places of persecution or division, and for this parish family, that all may live in courage, persistence, and hope.

#### People Hear our prayer, O God.

God of love, guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good. Inspire love and wisdom in all who hold authority and power in these anxious and divided times. **Hear our prayer**, **O God**.

God of creation, look with kindness on your world. Give us reverence for the earth, our island home, that we may share its gifts rightly in the service of all life and to your honor and glory. We remember those suffering from war, from oppression, from climate disaster, from poverty and hunger. Bring peace where there is violence, and hope where there is despair. **Hear our prayer, O God.** 

God our rock and refuge, be near to those experiencing fear, anxiety, or loneliness. Make us instruments of your peace and kindness in our neighborhoods and city. Renew in us a spirit of cooperation and care for one another. **Hear our prayer**, **O God**.

God of mercy, we commend to your care all who suffer in body, mind, or spirit. Comfort those burdened by worry or grief. Strengthen those who tend the sick, and uphold all who are weary. We remember before you those on our prayer list. **Hear our prayer, O God.** 

God of infinite goodness, we give you thanks for all the saints who have gone before us, for the faithful in every generation who have lived with courage and grace. May we, encouraged by their example, press on toward the goal of your heavenly calling in Christ Jesus. Grant them eternal rest and let light perpetual shine upon them. **Hear our prayer, O God.** 

# The Presider says

Grant, O God, that your holy and life-giving Spirit may so move every human heart that barriers which divide us may crumble, suspicions disappear, and hatreds cease; that our divisions being healed, we may live in justice and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

#### **CONFESSION OF SIN**

The Presider says

Let us confess our sins to God.

Please pray together

O God of compassion, we confess that we have sinned against you and one another. We have not been true followers of your new way in Christ. We have not shared in your liberating work in the world. We have fallen short of your glory. In your great compassion, forgive our sin and set us free in the joy of your Spirit, that we may serve you with renewed life; through Jesus Christ, who gave his life that we might truly live. Amen.

The Presider says

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

#### THE PEACE

Presider The peace of Christ be always with you.

People And also with you.

Please greet each other with a sign of peace

#### A WORD OF WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

## A PRAYER FOR BIRTHDAYS AND OTHER 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.

# THE HOLY COMMUNION

#### THE OFFERTORY

The Presider says the Offertory Sentence

Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have; for these are the sacrifices that are pleasing to God. (Hebrews 13:16)

#### **OFFERTORY ANTHEM**

Until I reach my home

Traditional African American Folk Tune Arr. By Brandon A. Boyd (b. 1986)

Carleena Manzi, soloist

Lord, until I reach my home, until I reach my home I never expect my journey over 'til I reach my home.

I would not be a sinner.
I'll tell you the reason why.
I'm afraid my Lord might call my name and I wouldn't be ready to die.

I went up on the mountain. I didn't go there to stay. But then my soul got happy, then I stayed all day.

I got a crown up in a that kingdom ain-a that good news? I'm a gonna lay down this world gonna shoulder up a my cross, gonna take it home to my Jesus, ain-a that good news!

#### Please stand as able

#### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer 1 (Enriching our Worship)

Presider God be with you.
People And also with you.
Presider Lift up your hearts.

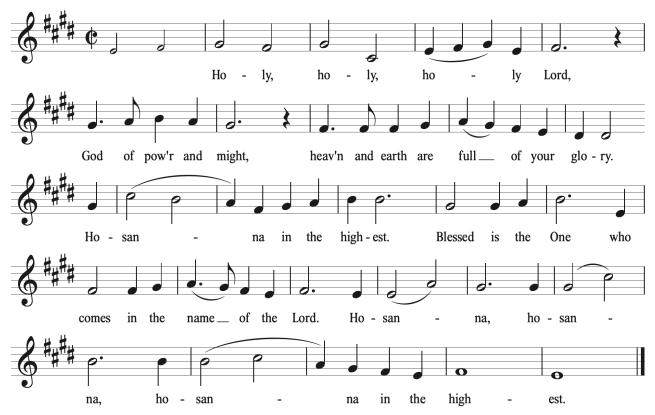
People We lift them up to God.

Presider Let us give thanks to God our Creator.
People It is right to offer thanks and praise.

#### The Presider continues

It is truly right, and good and joyful, to give you thanks, all-holy God, source of life and fountain of mercy. You have filled us and all creation with your blessing and fed us with your constant love; you have redeemed us in Jesus Christ and knit us into one body. Through your Spirit you replenish us and call us to fullness of life.

Therefore, joining with Angels and Archangels and with the faithful of every generation, we lift our voices with all creation as we sing:



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#### The Presider continues

Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love. You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards and show forth your bountiful grace.

But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love. Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people.

Through Abraham and Sarah you called your people into covenant with you. You delivered them from slavery, sustained them in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation. Then in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

The night before he died for us, Our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, 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, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them and said: Drink this, all of you, for 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.

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

#### All Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ's Body in the world.

Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your children, that with all your saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever.

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.

#### THE GREAT AMEN

McNeil Robinson II



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#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

The Presider says

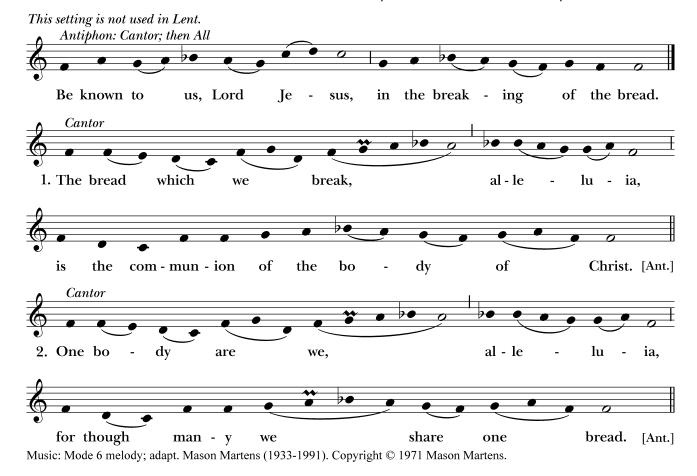
As our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say.

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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 Presider breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.



### THE INVITATION

The Presider says

Come to this table, all who have much faith and all who would like to have more; all who have been here often and all who have not been for a long time; all who have tried to follow Jesus, and all who have failed. Come. It is Christ who invites us to meet him here.

All are welcome to share in Holy Communion. Please be seated until invited by the Ushers to move forward to stand or kneel at the altar. To receive only a blessing, place arms in an "x" across your chest as the priest approaches. To share the bread, extend hands open, palms up, one on top of the other. You may request a gluten-free wafer from the priest. To share the cup, take hold of the base and guide it to your mouth. If not desiring to receive the wine, fold arms in an "x" over your chest as the cup passes by.

**Healing Prayers** are available in the Columbarium (left door) during Holy Communion, and in the Chapel (right door) following the service.

O Lord, please hear my prayer, In the mornin' when I rise. It's Your servant bound for glory. O dear Lord, please hear my prayer.

O Lord, please hear my prayer, Keep me safe within Your arms. It's your servant bound for glory. O dear Lord, please hear my prayer.

When my work on earth is done, And You come to take me home. Just to know I'm bound for glory.



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Please stand as able

#### SENDING OUT OF EUCHARISTIC VISITORS

The Presider says

In the name of this congregation we send you forth to share this Eucharist with N.

All You carry the prayers of us all as you take this Sacrament of Christ's presence. May those who receive it be strengthened and encouraged in the life we find together in our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

#### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Presider Let us pray.

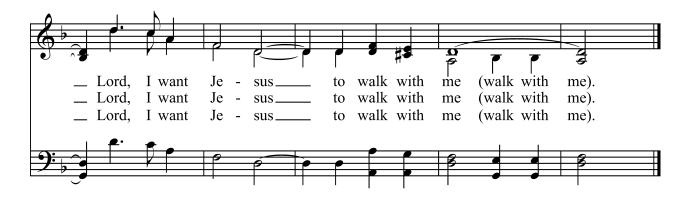
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God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that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

#### THE BLESSING

The presider blesses the people.





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#### THE DISMISSAL

The Deacon or Priest dismisses the people, saying

Go in peace to love and serve and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

**POSTLUDE** 

Fantasia on "St. Helen"

Philip Moore (b. 1943)

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