



Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

St. Augustine Parkland Anglican Church
131 Church Road
Spruce Grove Alberta

10 a.m. Holy Eucharist Service, June 23, 2024

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Be Still and Know (Pre-Service Hymn)

Be still and know that I am God. - Be still and know that I am God. - Be still and know that I am God.

I am the Lord that healeth thee. - I am the Lord that healeth thee. - I am the Lord that healeth thee.
In Thee, O Lord, I put my trust. - In Thee, O Lord, I put my trust. - In Thee, O Lord, I put my trust.

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah - CP 565

Guide me, O thou great Jehovah, pilgrim through this barren land.
I am weak, but thou art mighty; hold me with thy powerful hand.
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven, feed me till I want no more,
feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain whence the healing stream doth flow;
let the fire and cloudy pillar lead me all my journey through.
Strong deliverer, strong deliverer, be thou still my strength and shield,
be thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan, bid my anxious fears subside;
death of death, and hell's destruction, land me safe on Canaan's side:
songs of praises, songs of praises, I will ever give to thee,
I will ever give to thee.

The Gathering of the Community

Celebrant The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Almighty God,

All to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden.

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.

Kyrie Eleison - CP 705

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. - Christ, have mercy. Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. - Lord, have mercy, have mercy.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant: Let us pray together the Collect of the Day,

All: **God our protector,
you stood by David in the time of trial.
Stand by us through all life's storms,
giving us courage to risk danger
to protect those who are oppressed and poor,
so that they may know you as their stronghold and hope. Amen.**

The Proclamation of the Word

First Reading (Elizabeth)

A READING FROM THE FIRST BOOK OF SAMUEL
(1 SAMUEL 17:(1A, 4-11, 19-23) 32-49)

Now the Philistines gathered their armies for battle. And there came out from the camp of the Philistines a champion named Goliath, of Gath, whose height was six cubits and a span. He had a helmet of bronze on his head, and he was armed with a coat of mail; the weight of the coat was five thousand shekels of bronze. He had greaves of bronze on his legs and a javelin of bronze slung between his shoulders. The shaft of his spear was like a weaver's beam, and his spear's head weighed six hundred shekels of iron; and his shield-bearer went before him. He stood and shouted to the ranks of Israel, "Why have you come out to draw up for battle? Am I not a Philistine, and are you not servants of Saul? Choose a man for yourselves, and let him come down to me. If he is able to fight with me and kill me, then we will be your servants; but if I prevail against him and kill him, then you shall be our servants and serve us." And the Philistine said, "Today I defy the ranks of Israel! Give me a man, that we may fight together." When Saul and all Israel heard these words of the Philistine, they were dismayed and greatly afraid. Now Saul, and they, and all the men of Israel, were in the valley of Elah, fighting with the Philistines. David rose early in the morning, left the sheep with a keeper, took the provisions, and went as Jesse had commanded him. He came to the encampment as the army was going forth to the battle line, shouting the war cry. Israel and the Philistines drew up for battle, army against army. David left the things in charge of the keeper of the baggage, ran to the ranks, and went and greeted his brothers. As he talked with them, the champion, the Philistine of Gath, Goliath by name, came up out of the ranks of the Philistines, and spoke the same words as before. And David heard him.

David said to Saul, "Let no one's heart fail because of him; your servant will go and fight with this Philistine." Saul said to David, "You are not able to go against this Philistine to fight with him; for you are just a boy, and he has been a warrior from his youth." But David said to Saul, "Your servant used to keep sheep for his father; and whenever a lion or a bear came, and took a lamb from the flock, I went after it and struck it down, rescuing the lamb from its mouth; and if it turned against me, I would catch it by the jaw, strike it down, and kill it. Your servant has killed both lions and bears; and this uncircumcised Philistine shall be like one of them, since he has

defied the armies of the living God." David said, "The Lord, who saved me from the paw of the lion and from the paw of the bear, will save me from the hand of this Philistine." So Saul said to David, "Go, and may the Lord be with you!" Saul clothed David with his armour; he put a bronze helmet on his head and clothed him with a coat of mail. David strapped Saul's sword over the armour, and he tried in vain to walk, for he was not used to them. Then David said to Saul, "I cannot walk with these; for I am not used to them." So David removed them. Then he took his staff in his hand, and chose five smooth stones from the wadi, and put them in his shepherd's bag, in the pouch; his sling was in his hand, and he drew near to the Philistine. The Philistine came on and drew near to David, with his shield-bearer in front of him. When the Philistine looked and saw David, he disdained him, for he was only a youth, ruddy and handsome in appearance. The Philistine said to David, "Am I a dog, that you come to me with sticks?" And the Philistine cursed David by his gods. The Philistine said to David, "Come to me, and I will give your flesh to the birds of the air and to the wild animals of the field." But David said to the Philistine, "You come to me with sword and spear and javelin; but I come to you in the name of the Lord of hosts, the God of the armies of Israel, whom you have defied. This very day the Lord will deliver you into my hand, and I will strike you down and cut off your head; and I will give the dead bodies of the Philistine army this very day to the birds of the air and to the wild animals of the earth, so that all the earth may know that there is a God in Israel, and that all this assembly may know that the Lord does not save by sword and spear; for the battle is the Lord's and he will give you into our hand." When the Philistine drew nearer to meet David, David ran quickly toward the battle line to meet the Philistine. David put his hand in his bag, took out a stone, slung it, and struck the Philistine on his forehead; the stone sank into his forehead, and he fell face down on the ground.

The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 133

Oh, how good and pleasant it is, *

when brethren live together in unity!

It is like fine oil upon the head *

that runs down upon the beard,

Upon the beard of Aaron, *

and runs down upon the collar of his robe.

It is like the dew of Hermon *

that falls upon the hills of Zion.

For there the Lord has ordained the blessing: *

life for evermore.

Creator of the universe, from whom all things come, to whom all things return, give your people such unity of heart and mind, that all the world may grow in the life of your eternal kingdom, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Second Reading (Bob)

A READING FROM THE SECOND LETTER OF PAUL TO THE CORINTHIANS

(2 CORINTHIANS 6:1-13)

As we work together with Christ, we urge you also not to accept the grace of God in vain. For he says, "At an acceptable time I have listened to you, and on a day of salvation I have helped you." See, now is the acceptable time; see, now is the day of salvation! We are putting no obstacle in anyone's way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, but as servants of God we have commended ourselves in every way: through great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, beatings, imprisonments, riots, labours, sleepless nights, hunger; by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, holiness of spirit, genuine love, truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left; in honour and dishonour, in ill repute and good repute. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; as unknown, and yet are well known; as dying, and see - we are alive; as punished, and yet not killed; as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing everything. We have spoken frankly to you Corinthians; our heart is wide open to you. There is no restriction in our affections, but only in yours. In return - I speak as to children - open wide your hearts also.

The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The Battle Belongs to the Lord / Awesome God Medley

In heavenly armour we'll enter the land, - the battle belongs to the Lord,
No weapon that's fashioned against us will stand, - the battle belongs to the Lord.

And we sing glory; honour, power and strength to the Lord.
We sing glory, honour, power and strength to the Lord.

Our God is an awesome God, - He reigns from heaven above
With wisdom, pow'r and love, - Our God is an awesome God.

When the power of darkness comes in like a flood, - the battle belongs to the Lord,
He's raised up a standard, the pow'r of His blood, - the battle belongs to the Lord.

And we sing glory; honour, power and strength to the Lord.
We sing glory, honour, power and strength to the Lord.

Our God is an awesome God, - He reigns from heaven above
With wisdom, pow'r and love, - Our God is an awesome God.

When your enemy presses in hard, do not fear, - the battle belongs to the Lord,
Take courage, my friend, your redemption is near, - the battle belongs to the Lord.

And we sing glory; honour, power and strength to the Lord.
We sing glory, honour, power and strength to the Lord.

Our God is an awesome God, - He reigns from heaven above
With wisdom, pow'r and love, - Our God is an awesome God.
Our God is an awesome God. - Our God is an awesome God.

Gospel (MARK 4: 35-41)

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

People **Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

On that day, when evening had come, Jesus said to his disciples, "Let us go across to the other side." And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him. A great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already swamped. But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. He said to them, "Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?" And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?"

The Gospel of Christ.

People **Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

Sermon

Affirmation of Faith

The Apostle's Creed

Officiant Let us confess the faith of our baptism, as we say,

All **I believe in God,**

the Father almighty,

creator of heaven and earth.

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.

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. Amen**

Prayers of the People (Elizabeth)

Confession and Absolution

Dear friends in Christ,
God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; he welcomes sinners and invites them to his table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.

Silence is kept.

The officiant and people say together,

**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 neighbours 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 says,

Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all our sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness; and keep you in eternal life, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you!

People: **And also with you.**

We are Marching

We are marching in the light of God - We are marching in the light of God
We are marching in the light of God - We are marching in the light of God
We are marching, marching, - We are marching Oh Oh
We are marching in the light of God - We are marching, marching,
We are marching Oh Oh - We are marching in the light of God

We are living in the love of God - We are living in the love of God

We are living in the love of God - We are living in the love of God
We are living, living, - We are living Oh Oh
We are living in the love of God - We are living, living,
We are living Oh Oh - We are living in the love of God

We are moving in the power of God - We are moving in the power of God
We are moving in the power of God - We are moving in the power of God
We are moving, moving, - We are moving Oh Oh
We are moving in the power of God - We are moving, moving,
We are moving Oh Oh - We are moving in the power of God

We are dancing in the power of God - We are dancing in the power of God
We are dancing in the power of God - We are dancing in the power of God
We are dancing, dancing, - We are dancing Oh Oh
We are dancing in the power of God - We are dancing, dancing,
We are dancing Oh Oh - We are dancing in the power of God

The Prayer over the Gifts

Celebrant: For these gifts, let us pray,

All: **Eternal God,**

**you have made our Saviour Jesus Christ
the head of all creation.**

**Receive all we offer you this day
and renew us in his risen life,**

in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

Eucharistic Prayer 2

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 give you thanks and praise, almighty God, through your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Redeemer. He is your living Word, through whom you have created all things. By the power of the Holy Spirit he took flesh of the Virgin Mary and shared our human nature. He lived and died as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. In fulfilment of your will he stretched out his hands in suffering, to bring release to those who place their hope in you; and so he won for you a holy people. He chose to bear our griefs and sorrows, and to give

up his life on the cross, that he might shatter the chains of evil and death, and banish the darkness of sin and despair. By his resurrection he brings us into the light of your presence. Now with all creation we raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

*All 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.
Hosanna in the highest.*

Celebrant Holy and gracious God, accept our praise, through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; who on the night he was handed over to suffering and death, took bread and gave you thanks, saying, "Take, and eat: this is my body which is broken for you." In the same way he took the cup, saying, "This is my blood which is shed for you. When you do this, you do it in memory of me." Remembering, therefore, his death and resurrection, we offer you this bread and this cup, giving thanks that you have made us worthy to stand in your presence and serve you. We ask you to send your Holy Spirit upon the offering of your holy Church. Gather into one all who share in these sacred mysteries, filling them with the Holy Spirit and confirming their faith in the truth, that together we may praise you and give you glory through your Servant, Jesus Christ. All glory and honour are yours, Father and Son, with the Holy Spirit in the holy Church, now and for ever. Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Celebrant And now, as our Saviour 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,
the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

People We, being many, are one body, for we all share in the one bread.

The Communion

The gifts of God for the People of God.

People Thanks be to God.

Agnus Dei – St. Bride Setting

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;
grant us your peace.

There's a Wideness in God's Mercy - CP 606

We Are One in the Spirit

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord;
We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord;
And we pray that all unity will one day be restored.
And they'll know we are Christians - by our love, by our love,
yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.

We will walk with each other, - we will walk hand in hand;
We will walk with each other, - we will walk hand in hand;
And together we'll spread the news - that God is in our land.
And they'll know we are Christians - by our love, by our love,
yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.

We Will work with each other, - we will work side by side;
We will work with each other, - we will work side by side;
And we'll guard each one's dignity - and save each other's pride.
And they'll know we are Christians - by our love, by our love,
yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.

Draw the Circle Wide - CP 418

Draw the circle wide. - Draw it wider still.
Let this be our song, - no one stands alone,
standing side by side, - draw the circle wide.

God the still-point of the circle, - 'round whom all creation turns;
nothing lost, but held forever, - in God's gracious arms.

Draw the circle wide. - Draw it wider still.
Let this be our song, - no one stands alone,
standing side by side, - draw the circle wide.

Let our hearts touch far horizons, - so encompass great and small;
let our loving know no borders, - faithful to God's call.

Draw the circle wide. - Draw it wider still.
Let this be our song, - no one stands alone,
standing side by side, - draw the circle wide.

Let the dreams we dream be larger, - than we've ever dreamed before;
let the dream of Christ be in us, - open every door.

Draw the circle wide. - Draw it wider still.
Let this be our song, - no one stands alone,
standing side by side, - draw the circle wide.

Prayer after Communion

Celebrant Let us pray.

All: Almighty God,
**guide and protect your people
who share in this sacred mystery,
and keep us always in your love;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Celebrant Glory to God,
People whose power, working in us,
**can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine.
Glory to God from generation to generation,
in the church and in Christ Jesus,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

The Blessing

Birthdays/Announcements

Eternal Father, Strong to Save - CP 567

Eternal Father, strong to save, - whose arm restrains the restless wave,
who bids the mighty ocean deep - its own appointed bounds to keep:
we cry, O God of majesty, - for those in peril on the sea.

O Christ, whose voice the waters heard - and hushed their raging at your word,
who walked across the surging deep, - and in the storm lay calm in sleep:
we cry, O Lord of Galilee, - for those in peril on the sea.

Creator Spirit, by whose breath - were fashioned sea and sky and earth;
who made the stormy chaos cease - and gave us life and light and peace:
we cry, O Spirit strong and free, - for those in peril on the sea.

O Trinity of love and power, - preserve their lives in danger's hour;
from rock and tempest, flood and flame, - protect them by your holy name,
and to your glory let there be - glad hymns of praise from land and sea.

The Dismissal

Celebrant Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Please remember in your prayers this week:

- We pray for Metropolitan Greg, Primate Linda, and Bishop Stephen. We also pray for our clergy, Rev. Kevin and Rev. Lesley.
- We pray for the Diocese of Saskatoon, for Rev. David Bennett, president of the Moravian Church Northern Province, and the staff, pastors, and people of Canadian churches within the Moravian Church in North America, for the Buyé Hospital Chaplaincy, for Samson Cree Nation, and for the Church of England.
- We pray for those who are ill, injured, or bereaved; and for all who need God's healing presence, especially remembering Bill, Iain, Barbara, Ann, Joan, Isabel, Harve, Ruth, Donna, Joan, Lise, Mike, Don, Chris, and Renate.
- In our own parish this week, we pray for Linda, Patricia, Troy & Marion, Val & Bill, Paul; and their families.