

# St. Paul's Anglican Church July 6, 2025 Pentecost 9

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10:00 am Holy Eucharist (BAS)

**Processional Hymn** # 3 Morning Has Broken

## This weeks Readings

First Reading - Isaiah 66:10-14

Rejoice with Jerusalem, and be glad for her, all you who love her; rejoice with her in joy, all you who mourn over her—

that you may nurse and be satisfied from her consoling breast, that you may drink deeply with delight from her glorious bosom.

For thus says the Lord: I will extend prosperity to her like a river and the wealth of the nations like an overflowing stream,

and you shall nurse and be carried on her arm and bounced on her knees. As a mother comforts her child, so I will comfort you; you shall be comforted in Jerusalem. You shall see, and your heart shall rejoice; your bodies shall flourish like the grass, and it shall be known that the power of the Lord is with his servants, and his indignation is against his enemies.

Reader The word of the Lord. **People Thanks be to God.** 

Psalm 66:1-9 (responsively)

Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth;

sing the glory of his name; give to him glorious praise.

Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds! Because of your great power, your enemies cringe before you.

All the earth worships you; they sing praises to you, sing praises to your name."

Come and see what God has done: he is awesome in his deeds among mortals.

He turned the sea into dry land; they passed through the river on foot. There we rejoiced in him,

who rules by his might forever, whose eyes keep watch on the nations - let the rebellious not exalt themselves.

Bless our God, O peoples; let the sound of his praise be heard, who has kept us among the living and has not let our feet slip.

All: God of power and might, you bring your people out of darkness and slavery into light and freedom through waters of salvation. Receive our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, and keep us always in your steadfast love, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

### Second Reading - Galatians 6:1-16

My brothers and sisters, if anyone is detected in a transgression, you who have received the Spirit should restore such a one in a spirit of gentleness. Take care that you yourselves are not tempted. Bear one another's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ. For if those who are nothing think they are something, they deceive themselves. All must test their own work; then that work, rather than their neighbor's work, will become a cause for pride. For all must carry their own loads. Those who are taught the word must share in all good things with their teacher.

Do not be deceived; God is not mocked, for you reap whatever you sow. If you sow to your own flesh, you will reap corruption from the flesh, but if you sow to the Spirit, you will reap eternal life from the Spirit. So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest time, if we do not give up. So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all and especially for those of the family of faith.

See what large letters I make when I am writing in my own hand! It is those who want to make a good showing in the flesh who try to compel you to be circumcised—only that they may not be persecuted for the cross of Christ. Even the circumcised do not themselves obey the law, but they want you to be circumcised so that they may boast about your flesh. May I never boast of anything except the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me and I to the world. For neither circumcision

nor uncircumcision is anything, but a new creation is everything! As for those who will follow this rule—peace be upon them, and mercy, and upon the Israel of God.

Reader The word of the Lord. **People Thanks be to God.** 

# **Gradual Gospel Acclamation** # 715 Gospel Acclamation

**Holy Gospel** - Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. He said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. Go on your way; I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals, and greet no one on the road. Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this house!' And if a person of peace is there, your peace will rest on that person, but if not, it will return to you. Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the laborer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; cure the sick who are there, and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, 'Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near.' "Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me." The seventy returned with joy, saying, "Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!" He said to them, "I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. Indeed, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing will hurt you. Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."

Gradual Gospel Acclamation # 715 Alleluia

Offertory Hymn # 500 Sister, Let Me Be Your Servant

Hymns during Communion

# 578 O Healing River # 507 Blest Be the Tie That Binds

#### **Announcements**

**Recessional Hymn** # 433 Lord, You Give the Great Commission **Next Weeks' Readings** Deuteronomy 30:9-16, Psalm 25:1-10, Colossians 1:1-14, Luke 10:25-37

"If your father and mother, your sister and brother, if the very cat and dog in the house, are not happier for your being Christian, it is a question whether you really are." - James Hudson Taylor

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**St. Paul's Food Pantry** Please try to remember the people we help feed by picking up a few extra items when you are shopping and adding it to our reserves. This is an opportunity to feed both the body and the soul!

**Designated Giving** #215 for July will benefit **Doctors Without Borders**. Whenever natural disasters occur or the horrifying images from war zones make us wish we could help, there - with our support, risking their own lives - these skilled and courageous men and women are the answer to our prayers.

**Summer Office Hours: 9:00 - noon** Tuesday and Thursday in the office and Wednesday somewhere in the building. Thanks



Thank you for worshipping with us today.

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