HOLY EUCHARIST: Rite II

THE FEAST OF ST. BARNABAS (TRANSFERRED)

June 16, 2024 | 10:00 a.m.

Welcome to St. Barnabas, we are delighted that you're here. We hope you'll participate fully in our worship through singing, praying, hearing the Good News of Jesus Christ, and coming to communion. May God richly bless you as you bless us!



St. Barnabas Orthodox Icon

\P All stand as able at the sound of the tower bell.

HYMNAL 286



Words: Theobald Heinrich Schenck (1656-1727); tr. Frances Elizabeth Cox (1812-1897), alt. Music: Zeuch mich, zeuch mich, melody from *Geistreiches Gesang-buch*, 1698; harm. William Henry Monk (1823-1889).

OPENING ACCLAMATION

PresiderBlessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.PeopleAnd blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever.
Amen.

Presider and People

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.

SONG OF PRAISE





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THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider	May God be with you.
People	And also with you.
Presider	Let us pray.

Grant, O God, that we may follow the example of your faithful servant Barnabas, who, seeking not his own renown but the well-being of your Church, gave generously of his life and substance for the relief of the poor and the spread of the Gospel; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

THE WORD OF GOD

THE FIRST READING

READER: A reading from the prophet Isaiah.

Isaiah 42:5-12

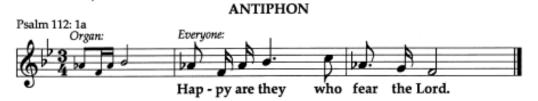
Thus says God, the Lord, who created the heavens and stretched them out, who spread out the earth and what comes from it, who gives breath to the people upon it and spirit to those who walk in it: I am the Lord, I have called you in righteousness, I have taken you by the hand and kept you; I have given you as a covenant to the people, a light to the nations, to open the eyes that are blind, to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon, from the prison those who sit in darkness. I am the Lord, that is my name; my glory I give to no other, nor my praise to idols. See, the former things have come to pass, and new things I now declare; before they spring forth, I tell you of them. Sing to the Lord a new song, his praise from the end of the earth! Let the sea roar and all that fills it, the coastlands and their inhabitants. Let the desert and its towns lift up their voice, the villages that Kedar inhabits; let the inhabitants of Sela sing for joy, let them shout from the tops of the mountains. Let them give glory to the Lord, and declare his praise in the coastlands.

ReaderHear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.PeopleThanks be to God.

Silence is marked by the ringing of a bell.

THE PSALM Please join us in song.

Psalm 112



Choir: Their descendants will be mighty in the land; the generation of the upright will be blessed. Wealth and riches will be in their house, and their righteousness will last for ever.

ALL REPEAT THE ANTIPHON

Choir: Light shines in the darkness for the upright; the righteous are merciful and full of compassion. It is good for them to be generous in lending and to manage their affairs with justice.

ALL REPEAT THE ANTIPHON

Choir: For they will never be shaken; the righteous will be kept in everlasting remembrance. They will not be afraid of any evil rumors; their heart is right; they put their trust in the LORD.

ALL REPEAT THE ANTIPHON

Choir: They have given freely to the poor, and their righteousness stands fast for ever; they will hold up their head with honor.

ALL REPEAT THE ANTIPHON

THE SECOND READING

READER: A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

hose who were scattered because of the persecution that took place over Stephen traveled as far as Phoenicia, Cyprus, and Antioch, and they spoke the word to no one except Jews. But among them were some men of Cyprus and Cyrene who, on coming to Antioch, spoke to the Hellenists also, proclaiming the Lord Jesus. The hand of the Lord was with them, and a great number became believers and turned to the Lord. News of this came to the ears of the church in Jerusalem, and they sent Barnabas to Antioch. When he came and saw the grace of God, he rejoiced, and he exhorted them all to remain faithful to the Lord with steadfast devotion; for he was a good man, full of the Holy Spirit and of faith. And a great many people were brought to the Lord. Then Barnabas went to Tarsus to look for Saul, and when he had found him, he brought him to Antioch. So it was that for an entire year they met with the church and taught a great many people, and it was in Antioch that the disciples were first called "Christians." At that time prophets came down from Jerusalem to Antioch. One of them named Agabus stood up and predicted by the Spirit that there would be a severe famine over all the world; and this took place during the reign of Claudius. The disciples determined that according to their ability, each would send relief to the believers living in Judea; this they did, sending it to the elders by Barnabas and Saul. Now in the church at Antioch there were prophets and teachers: Barnabas, Simeon who was called Niger, Lucius of Cyrene, Manaen a member of the court of Herod the ruler, and Saul. While they were worshiping the Lord and fasting, the Holy Spirit said, "Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them." Then after fasting and praying they laid their hands on them and sent them off.

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HYMNAL 232



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 For Barnabas we praise you, who kept your law of love and, leaving earthly treasures, sought riches from above.
O Christ, our Lord and Savior, let gifts of grace descend, that your true consolation may through the world extend.

The Gospel of the Lord.PeoplePraise to you, Lord Christ.

J esus said to the twelve, "As you go, proclaim the good news, "The kingdom of heaven has come near.' Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment. Take no gold, or silver, or copper in your belts, no bag for your journey, or two tunics, or sandals, or a staff; for laborers deserve their food. Whatever town or village you enter, find out who in it is worthy, and stay there until you leave. As you enter the house, greet it. If the house is worthy, let your peace come upon it; but if it is not worthy, let your peace return to you. If anyone will not welcome you or listen to your words, shake off the dust from your feet as you leave that house or town. Truly I tell you, it will be more tolerable for the land of Sodom and Gomorrah on the day of judgment than for that town. "See, I am sending you out like sheep into the midst of wolves; so be wise as serpents and innocent as doves."

People The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Matthew.*Beople* Glory to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON

Karen Haig

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THE NICENE CREED *Presider and People*

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: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. 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 and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He 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 Leader and People pray responsively.

In peace let us pray to the Lord saying, "Loving God, hear our prayer."

Eternal God, in you we live and move and have our being. We thank you for the gift of our life in you. Empower and strengthen the witness of your church throughout the world, that true to its calling it may embody your reconciling love. Loving God, hear our prayer.

God our source of life, build up all members of the Body of Christ and make us your disciples. Strengthen Michael, our presiding bishop; Melissa and Brian, our bishops; Phil, our bishop-elect; Karen, our rector; Dan, our deacon; Nancy, Judith, Patricia, Jan, Jim and Dennis, priests among us; and all ministers of your Church. Loving God, hear our prayer.

God of justice and peace, you revealed true power in the servanthood of our Lord Jesus Christ. We pray that those in power would exercise authority in wisdom and compassion to bring peace to the world. Awaken in all of us, especially those who govern, a thirst for justice that exemplifies your love of all people. We pray for all who suffer from the ravages of war, and those who perpetrate war. We pray for all who suffer from the systemic racism that permeates our country. Bring an end to all fighting, dignity for all people and healing to all broken relationships. **Loving God, hear our prayer.**

Creator God, you have blessed us with your glorious world. Instill in us a deep love of all creation and make us good stewards of that which you have given into our care. Loving God, hear our prayer.

God of compassion, you are the hope of the poor and the oppressed. Release the ones held captive by poverty, injustice, and any other oppression. Give us ears to hear their cries, and hearts to respond in love. Loving God, hear our prayer.

Gracious God, we give you thanks for this beloved community. Guide us. Give us grace to surrender ourselves to you; teach us your ways and open our hearts to you and to each other that we might build up your Body in our life together. We pray to you for the ones we love and for the ones we find hard to love. **Loving God, hear our prayer.**

God of comfort, soothe all who suffer isolation, illness, distress or grief, especially..., and those we now name. Let your suffering people awaken in us boundless compassion, and make us overflowing vessels of your loving kindness. Loving God, hear our prayer.

God of consolation, bless the ones we love but see no longer, especially..., and those we now name. Receive them into your tender care and grant them everlasting blessedness. Loving God, hear our prayer.

Presider

Blessed are you, O Lord our God, who brings us peace through Jesus Christ. Hear the prayers we offer this day and guide us into all truth with your Spirit of truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Silence may be kept. Presider and People

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 neighbors 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.

Presider

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

THE PEACE

PresiderThe peace of the Lord be always with you.PeopleAnd also with you.

NUT WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Prayer for a Birthday:

Watch over your child, O Lord, as her days increase; bless and guide her wherever she may be. Strengthen her when she stands; comfort her when discouraged or sorrowful; raise her up if she fall; and in her heart may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of her life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer for a Wedding Anniversary:

O God, you have so consecrated the covenant of marriage that in it is represented the spiritual unity between Christ and his Church: Send therefore your blessing upon these your servants, that they may so love, honor, and cherish each other in faithfulness and patience, in wisdom and true godliness, that their home may be a haven of blessing and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

An offering of money is collected. You may make an offering by clicking here or by scanning the QR code.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Only-begotten, Word of God eternal



Plainchant

Only-begotten, Word of God eternal, Lord of creation, merciful and mighty, Hear now thy servants when their joyful voices Rise to thy presence.

Here in our sickness, healing grace aboundeth, Light in our blindness, in our toil refreshment: Sin is forgiven, hope o'er fear prevaileth, Joy over sorrow.

Hallowed this dwelling where the Lord abideth, This is none other than the gate of heaven; Strangers and pilgrims, seeking home eternal, Pass through its portals.

PRESENTATION ANTHEM

Presider	All things come from you, O God,
People	And of your own have we given you.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Presider	May God be with you.
People	And also with you.
Presider	Lift up your hearts.
People	We lift our hearts to God.
Presider	Let us give thanks to the One who created us.
People	It is right to give God thanks and praise.

God of all power, Sustainer of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise. Glory to you for ever and ever.

At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

By your will they were created and have their being.

From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the stewards of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

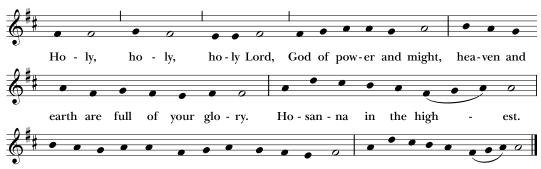
Have mercy, Dear God, for we are sinners in your sight.

Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of Mary his mother, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

By his blood, Christ reconciled us. By Christ's wounds, we are healed.

And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

SANCTUS



Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high - est. Music: From *New Plainsong*; David Hurd (b. 1950). Copyright © 1981 GIA Publications, Inc.

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And so, Most Gracious God, we who have been redeemed by Christ, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ, our Savior.

On the night he was betrayed Jesus took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, 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."

After supper, Jesus took the cup of wine, gave thanks, 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."

Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving, We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.

God of our kindred and their generation: God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob; Deborah, Hannah and Rebecca; God and Father of our Savior Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let this grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in your Son's name.

Risen and Ascended One, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.

Accept these prayers and praises, O God, Most Merciful, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation.

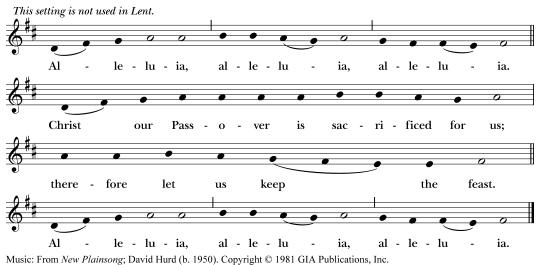
AMEN.

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

ACCLAMATION AFTER THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD



THE INVITATION TO COMMUNION

A COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

This is Jesus's table around which we gather, and all are welcome to receive communion. If you prefer to receive a blessing, or not to receive wine, fold your arms across your chest as a sign. Gluten–free wafers are available, please ask the priest.

An Act of Spiritual Communion for those worshipping online.

My Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. I love you above all things, and long for you in my soul. Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, come spiritually into my heart. As though you have already come, I embrace you and unite myself entirely to you; never permit me to be separated from you. Amen. –*St. Alphonsus Liguori*

COMMUNION ANTHEM

Cantique de Jean Racine

Gabriel Fauré

Word, equal to the Highest, Our only Hope, Eternal day of the earth and heavens, We break the silence of the peaceful night; Divine Savior, cast your eyes upon us!

Spread over us the fire of your powerful grace, That all hell may flee at the sound of your voice; Dispel the slumber of a languishing soul, That drives us to forget your laws.

O Christ, show favor to this faithful people now assembled In order to thank you. Accept the songs they offer to your immortal glory; And may they go forth filled with your gifts. HYMNAL 694



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▲ or ¶ THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE BLESSING

HYMNAL 610





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DISMISSAL

Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

People Thanks be to God.

PROCESSION

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Presider and Preacher | The Reverend Karen Haig Music Director and Organist | Sheila Bristow Musicians | The Parish Choir; Rae Hyra, cantor Lectors | Kathleen Jennings, Heidi O'Brien Eucharistic Ministers | Barbara Bolles, Kathy Bolles Ushers| Borgan and Kathy Anderson Greeters | Beth Gudmundson, Mo Godman Altar Guild | Kathy Anderson, Lynn Duncan, Beth Gudmundson, Sue Thompkins Coffee Hour Team | Mari Bickford, Sue Bunn, Dick Eversole, Judy Jackson, Barbara Bolles, Joy & Isa Best Welcome Table | Kathleen Jennings Videographer | Michael Ditmore

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Delegates | Heidi O'Brien, George Robertson, Brian Andvik, Laura Carroll Alternates | Peggy & Kirk Eichenberger, Sue Ellen Case, Beth Gudmundson



WHO ARE WE? We are a community of faith that welcomes and values all people. We commit to follow Christ, serve others, grow in faith, and transform the world by sharing God's love.

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church acknowledges that we gather on the traditional land of the first people of this island, the Suquamish People, who are still here, and we honor with gratitude the land itself and the life of the Suquamish Tribe.





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