



Holy Family Episcopal Church

The Second Sunday After Pentecost
June 14, 2020

Welcome to Holy Family's Online Worship!

If you would like more information about Holy Family or otherwise want to communicate with the clergy or office, please email admin@hfec.org. Thank you for being part of the community this worship time! Alleluia Christ is Risen!

References marked BCP are for pages in The Book of Common Prayer.

You are invited to check in on social media.

Entrance Hymn WLP 752
There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit in This Place

- 1 **There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place,
and I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord.
There are sweet expressions on each face,
and I know they feel the presence of the
Lord.**

Refrain: *Sweet Holy spirit, Sweet Heavenly
Dove, Stay right here with us, filling us with
your love. without a doubt we'll know that we
have been revived when we shall leave this
place.*

- 2 **There are blessings you cannot receive till
you know him in his fullness, and believe.
You're the one to profit when you say, "I am
going to walk with Jesus all the way."**

Refrain

- 3 **If you say he saved you from your sin, now
you're weak, you're bound, and cannot enter
in, you can make it right if you will yield;
you'll enjoy the Holy Spirit that we feel.**

Refrain

Greeting and Announcements

The Word of God BCP 355

Officiant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People **And blessed be God's kingdom, now
and for ever. Amen.**

Officiant 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 *Hymnal S280*

**Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his
people on earth.**

**Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and
Father, we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.**

**Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord
God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of
the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at
the right hand of the Father: receive our
prayer.**

**For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the
Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus
Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God
the Father. Amen.**

The Collect of the Day

Officiant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Officiant Let us pray.

Keep, O Lord, your household the Church in your
steadfast faith and love, that through your grace we
may proclaim your truth with boldness, and minister
your justice with compassion; for the sake of our
Savior Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you
and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for
ever. **Amen.**

The First Reading

Exodus 19:2-8a

The Israelites had journeyed from Rephidim, entered the wilderness of Sinai, and camped in the wilderness; Israel camped there in front of the mountain. Then Moses went up to God; the Lord called to him from the mountain, saying, "Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and tell the Israelites: You have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I bore you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself. Now therefore, if you obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession out of all the peoples. Indeed, the whole earth is mine, but you shall be for me a priestly kingdom and a holy nation. These are the words that you shall speak to the Israelites." So Moses came, summoned the elders of the people, and set before them all these words that the Lord had commanded him. The people all answered as one: "Everything that the Lord has spoken we will do."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 100

- 1 Be joyful in the LORD, all you lands;
serve the LORD with gladness
and come before his presence with a song.**
- 2 Know this: The LORD himself is God;
he himself has made us, and we are his;
we are his people and the sheep of his
pasture.**
- 3 Enter his gates with thanksgiving;
go into his courts with praise;
give thanks to him and call upon his Name.**
- 4 For the LORD is good;
his mercy is everlasting;
and his faithfulness endures from age to age.**

The Second Reading

Romans 5:1-8

Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us. For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person-- though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

The Holy Gospel

Matthew 9:35-10:8

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

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

Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest."

Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him. These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: "Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. 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.

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord

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

Homily

The Rev. Bruce Gray

The Nicene Creed

**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 worshipped 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 Form III

BCP 387

The Leader and People pray responsively

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;
That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;
That your Name may be glorified by all people.

In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for the clergy and people of Trinity, Lawrenceburg. We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;
That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;
That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

In our parish cycle of prayer we pray for the Farrell, Finkbeiner, and Forman families and for those who serve in our Meal Ministry. We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life. We pray for those expecting babies soon especially Diane & Quinn, Leslie & Jimmie, and Courtney & Shawn. We pray in Thanksgiving for our church community. Even when we are physically separated, we are one body in prayer. Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;
That our works may find favor in your sight.

Especially remembering those on our prayer list Linda, Kinley Mae, Carla, Barb, Laraine, Al, Phyllis, Monique, and Shannon have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;
That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest.
Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;
May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.
Silence - the People may add their own petitions

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

Deacon Let us confess sins against God and our neighbor.

Confession of Sin

BCP 360

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.

Absolution

The Peace

Officiant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People And also with you.

Anthem

Special Music

The congregation prays the Lord's Prayer together.

The Lord's Prayer

BCP 364

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.

Additional Prayers

The Blessing

The Priest will pronounce a final blessing

Dismissal Hymn

WLP 810

You Who Dwell in the Shelter of the Lord

- 1 You who dwell in the shelter of the Lord, who abide in this shadow for life, say to the Lord: "My refuge, my rock in whom I trust!"

Refrain And I will raise you up on eagle's wings, bear you on the breath of dawn, make you to shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of my hand.

- 2 Snares of the fowler will never capture you, and famine will bring you no fear; under God's wings your refuge with faithfulness your shield.

Refrain

- 3 For to the angels God's given a command to guard you in all of your ways; upon their hands they will bear you up, lest you dash your foot against a stone.

Refrain

The Dismissal

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

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Announcements:

Welcome to Holy Family! If you would like more information about Holy Family, please email Fr. Bruce at bgray@hfec.org or go to the Holy Family Website HolyFamilyFishers.org.

You can use your smartphone to scan this code which opens the Holy Family website.



Social Media: Be sure to check in on social media and talk about today's online worship. Share how you are spending your worship time and spread the Good News!

Make Every Sunday a Selfie Sunday: Snap a photo of you (and any members of your household – including pets) participating in online worship or any other activities during social distancing. Send these pictures to [Ruth Everett](mailto:Ruth.Everett) to be included in Holy Family's weekly worship video.

Regathering: With guidelines established by the Episcopal Diocese of Indianapolis, Holy Family has created a Regathering Team that will meet regularly to discuss the steps for reopening the church building safely. The team consists of Father Bruce Gray, Deacon Cathy Scott, Dr. Doug Tannas, Dr. Katie Swec, Ruth Everett, Bob Murray, Cheryl Burke, Jolene Johnston, Bethany Paden, and Ben Paden. The team concurred with the Vestry that public worship at Holy Family should only happen when it is safe for the entire parish to regather together. No one wants to exclude anyone due to age or health vulnerabilities. There is no way to predict when conditions will improve enough for Holy Family to reopen, but the Regathering Team is beginning to consider various approaches and strategies for when the congregation can come together again. The team is not simply waiting, but instead, they are preparing and will be meeting every two weeks to both prepare for and facilitate the eventual resumption of in-person worship at Holy Family. Questions about the team or the reopening process may be directed to Father Bruce. bgray@hfec.org

Parish Administrator Announcement: Cheryl Burke has announced her resignation from the Parish Administrator position. Cheryl and her family will remain involved at both Holy Family and St. Paul's, Indianapolis. The parish, staff, and ministries are grateful for the time and dedication Cheryl has shared over these last nine years. The search for the next Parish Administrator now begins. Candidates should have experience managing space, finances, volunteers, vendors, contracts, and time. Among other duties, the Parish Administrator is often the first contact with new parishioners and outside groups, therefore candidates must possess a friendly and welcoming demeanor. The ability to work collaboratively, creatively, and in an organized fashion are needed to be successful in this position. Anyone interested in this part time, paid position should please contact Fr. Bruce at bgray@HFEC.org. All such inquiries will be kept confidential by Bruce since parishioners are eligible to apply. The deadline for expressing interest through email to Bruce is June 15.

Holy Family Parenting Facebook Group: As an extension of Christian formation programming, Holy Family has created a parenting Facebook group. This online group is focused on supporting parents, grandparents, and guardians in the Holy Village community and provides a place to ask/answer questions, share ideas, and connect with other families. Please click [HERE](#) to join the conversation.

Offertory Music: Offertory performance volunteers are needed to provide sacred artistic offertory selections for online worship. Selections can be instrumental, vocal, dance, or even dramatic! Mixed ensembles are not yet permitted due to social distancing; however, family groups are encouraged! All ages are invited to participate. If interested please contact Bethany Paden at musicministry@hfec.org.

Morning Prayer & Compline – Facebook Watch Parties: The Episcopal Diocese of Indianapolis has set up a page on Facebook for live videos of Morning Prayer and Compline at 8 AM and 8 PM, respectively. All are welcome to join in on these Watch Parties through the diocesan page, [IndyDio Virtual Abbey](#).

Morning Book Club - DATE CHANGE: The book club plans to meet via Zoom on Tuesday, June 16th at 1:30 PM. Please join the online conversation for what should be a thoughtful and lively discussion of the current book, *Island of Sea Women*, by Lisa See. It's a compelling read, so even if you're a late-comer to the group you may be able to read much of it before the meeting! All are welcome.

Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9678536628?pwd=5XNLLzI4bIRwZ1k5ZURQTzViUzRudzO9>

Church at Home: Weekly resources for children, youth, and adults can be found at [Faith@Home](#). Also, see the bottom of each week's Holy Family newsletter for a printable coloring sheet that matches the weekly Gospel scripture.

Licensed Counseling Available for Free: Deacon Cathy is offering free, short-term counseling by telephone for any parishioner who is experiencing depression, anxiety, or just generalized worry about the future or is having difficulty coping with this "new normal." Cathy has over 30 years of counseling experience and is licensed with the State of Indiana. Deacon Cathy cannot prescribe medication, but will be happy to refer you to a local mental health center for follow-up. Feel free to reach out to her at 317-441-8493 to talk.

COVID-19 Information Webpage: Holy Family has created a new webpage to centralize information about staying connected to church life, receiving current health information, and finding resources for spiritual practices during these difficult times. The page can be found [HERE](#).

Pub Theology: Pub Theology is taking a break for the summer. Please watch for updates in the fall about when future meetings will be held.

Online Resource: Fr. Bruce has started a new blog for spiritual resources, especially during this time of social distancing. Holy Family's deacon, Cathy Scott, is also contributing to it and other authors may also do so in the future. The website is www.churchfromadistance.org. Feel free to share it with others, and to offer suggestions or questions that would help make the blog more interesting and helpful. Contact Bruce at bgray@hfec.org.

Love Thy Neighbor: While following recommended social distancing procedures, consider checking in on ill, elderly, or isolated neighbors to make sure they are doing ok.

Pass the Peace: Record yourself and/or members of your household saying, "The Peace of the Lord be with you....and also with you" on a phone, laptop, or tablet. Email the video files to shortcut@hfec.org for the recordings to be used in an upcoming Holy Family online worship service video on YouTube (HFECVIDEOS). Record in a place where there is good lighting on your face and little or no background noise. Your videos may include any members of your family, including pets.

Personal Prayer: During this difficult time, Deacon Cathy and Father Bruce are available to pray with individuals or families by text or phone. Please reach out by text first (if possible) to set up a time to pray together.
The Reverend Bruce W. Gray (317) 363-6412
The Reverend Cathy Scott (317) 441-8493

Giving to Holy Family Online: Even though Holy Family is not gathering in person, the work of ministry continues in a wide range of activities. Bills continue to be paid, and therefore giving by parishioners continues to be crucial. Make a contribution via [this link](#), and The Episcopal Diocese of Indianapolis will absorb 100% of the payment processing fee, so every cent you give will go to Holy Family. Other ways to donate are using your online banking, using the giving link on the [parish webpage](#) (which works using PayPal), or mailing a check to the church office. Everyone's support of God's work through Holy Family is needed and very appreciated!

Shortcut to Sunday Podcasts: Holy Family hosts a podcast that focuses on the bible readings for each week. Father Bruce and Ben Paden briefly discuss the assigned scriptures. New episodes are released on Tuesdays in preparation for the following Sunday. The podcasts can be found on iTunes and other podcast sources. Share with your friends!

In Case of Emergency: Please contact Fr. Bruce at this number 317-363-6412 via voice or text.

Mulch Sale: Bagged mulch is now on sale to benefit Holy Family and community outreach service projects. Submit payment through your bank, mail or drop off a check in the white mailbox by the church office, or [pay online](#).

Upcoming Events:

Book Club Zoom: June 16 1:30 PM

Father's Day: June 21 during 9 AM worship video

Prayer List: Linda, Kinley Mae, Carla, Barb, Laraine, Al, Phyllis, Monique, Shannon

Serving today:

Officiant: The Rev. Bruce Gray

Homily: The Rev. Bruce Gray

Deacon: The Rev. Cathy Scott

Music Director: Bethany Paden

Readers: David Emerson, Sandra Cline

Prayers: Joan Head

Thanks Be to God

- Those who participated in recent racial justice demonstrations
- Those who attended the community forum webinar with Bishop Jennifer
- All readers and volunteers for Holy Family's worship videos
- Ben Paden for producing Holy Family's worship videos
- Hospital staff and first responders
- Those who work in grocery stores, food service, postal services, and delivery

Parish Budget Update: Holy Family relies on the generosity of Sunday worshippers to support the ministries of the church. If possible, please keep up on your pledge so Holy Family can continue to grow in its ministry. The financial information reflects the church financial reports as of May 31, 2020.

	Actual
Income	\$101,798*
Expense	\$79,626**
Difference	\$22,172

** Includes \$13,167 received in 2019 for 2020 pledges.*

***Payroll and utility costs for May and June are covered by the Payroll Protection loan.*

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