



# Holy Family Episcopal Church

*Please wear a mask and maintain social distance, keeping three empty chairs between yourself and the next seated group in the sanctuary. Seating in the parish hall has been arranged to allow for appropriate spacing.*

The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost  
June 20, 2021

## Welcome to Holy Family's 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](mailto:admin@hfec.org). Thank you for being part of the community this worship time!

Page/Hymn number references: BCP=red Book of Common Prayer.; Hymnal=blue Hymnal 1982; WLP=dark green Wonder Love and Praise hymnal supplement; Gather=teal hymnal

*You are invited to check in on social media.*

### The Word of God

*Please stand, as you are able.*

#### Entrance Hymn

*Hymnal 390  
Praise to the Lord, the Almighty*

#### Greeting

#### Opening Acclamation

*BCP 355*

*Celebrant* Blessed be God: most holy, glorious, and undivided Trinity.

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

#### *Celebrant*

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

*Gather 97*

*The music for the Gloria can be found in the inside cover of the Gather hymnal.*

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

**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. Refrain.**

**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. Refrain.**

#### The Collect of the Day

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

O Lord, make us have perpetual love and reverence for your holy Name, for you never fail to help and govern those whom you have set upon the sure foundation of your loving-kindness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

*The people sit.*

#### The First Reading

*Job 38:1-11*

The Lord answered Job out of the whirlwind:

"Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge?

Gird up your loins like a man,  
I will question you, and you shall declare to me.

"Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth?

Tell me, if you have understanding.

Who determined its measurements—surely you know!

Or who stretched the line upon it?

On what were its bases sunk,

or who laid its cornerstone

when the morning stars sang together

and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy?

"Or who shut in the sea with doors

when it burst out from the womb?—

when I made the clouds its garment,

and thick darkness its swaddling band,

and prescribed bounds for it,

and set bars and doors,

and said, 'Thus far shall you come, and no farther,

and here shall your proud waves be stopped?'"

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* Thanks be to God.

### **Psalm 107:1-3, 23-32**

**1 Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good,  
and his mercy endures for ever.**

**2 Let all those whom the Lord has redeemed  
proclaim  
that he redeemed them from the hand of the foe.**

**3 He gathered them out of the lands;  
from the east and from the west,  
from the north and from the south.**

**23 Some went down to the sea in ships  
and plied their trade in deep waters;**

**24 They beheld the works of the Lord  
and his wonders in the deep.**

**25 Then he spoke, and a stormy wind arose,  
which tossed high the waves of the sea.**

**26 They mounted up to the heavens and fell back  
to the depths;  
their hearts melted because of their peril.**

**27 They reeled and staggered like drunkards  
and were at their wits' end.**

**28 Then they cried to the Lord in their trouble,  
and he delivered them from their distress.**

**29 He stilled the storm to a whisper**

**and quieted the waves of the sea.**

**30 Then were they glad because of the calm,  
and he brought them to the harbor they were  
bound for.**

**31 Let them give thanks to the Lord for his mercy  
and the wonders he does for his children.**

**32 Let them exalt him in the congregation of the  
people  
and praise him in the council of the elders.**

### **The Second Reading** *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, labors, 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 honor and dishonor, 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.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord

*People* Thanks be to God.

*Please stand, as you are able.*

**Sequence Hymn** *Hymnal 686*  
*Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

### **The Holy Gospel** *Mark 4:35-41*

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

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

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 being 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?"

*Celebrant* The Gospel of the Lord  
*People* **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

**Homily** *The Rev. Bruce Gray*

*Please stand, as you are able.*

### **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 all clergy and people of St. Alban's, Indianapolis. We pray for the Waycross Camp and Conference Center, its Director, Camp Counselors, Staff, and Campers.

**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 Wagoner, Whelan, and Wilson families, and for the fathers in our church and community. 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 Andrew, Julie, John, Eileen, Steve, Betty, Kevin, Bill, Matt, Kara, Erin, Charlie, Phil, Ellen, and Stephanie 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 prayers and thanksgivings, aloud or silently.*

*The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.*

*Celebrant* Let us confess our 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

*Please stand as you are able*

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

### Announcements

## The Holy Communion

### Offertory Anthem

*WLP 742  
Loving Spirit*

*Please stand, as you are able.*

### The Great Thanksgiving

*Eucharistic Prayer B*

*BCP 361*

*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 God thanks and praise.**

*Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds*

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Almighty God, Creator of heaven and earth.

For you are the source of light and life; you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

## Sanctus

*Gather 101*

*Celebrant and People*

**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.**  
*The people stand or kneel.*

*Then the Celebrant continues*

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh. For in these last days you sent Jesus to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In Christ, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In Christ, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On 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 disciples, 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; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

*Celebrant and People*

**We remember Christ's death,  
We proclaim Christ's resurrection,  
We await Christ's coming in glory;**

*The Celebrant continues*

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and the Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us in the sacrifice of Jesus Christ, through whom we are acceptable to you, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with Mary,

Joseph and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your children; through Jesus Christ our Savior, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation. By Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty God, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

*The people stand or kneel.*

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

**The Lord's Prayer** *BCP 364*  
*Celebrant and 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, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.**

**The Breaking of the Bread**

*A period of silence is kept.*

*Celebrant* Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

*People* **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

*Celebrant* The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

**The Invitation**

*All Christians are welcome to receive communion. If you wish only a blessing, please so indicate to the priest by crossing your arms over your chest. A gluten-free option is available for those who need it; simply let the priest know at the time you are to receive the bread.*

**Communion Hymn** *WLP 810*  
*You Who Dwell in the Shelter of the Lord*

*After Communion, the Celebrant says*  
Let us pray.

**Post-Communion Prayer** *BCP 365*  
*Please stand, as you are able.*

*Celebrant and People*  
**Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood**

**of our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of Christ, and heirs of your eternal kingdom.**

**And now, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Savior. To Christ, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.**

**The Blessing**

**Dismissal Hymn** *H 559*  
*Lead Us, Heavenly Father Lead Us*

**The Dismissal**

*Celebrant* 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](mailto:bgray@hfec.org) or go to the Holy Family Website [HolyFamilyFishers.org](http://HolyFamilyFishers.org).

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



Holy Family Spark!Fishers Celebration: Invite your family and friends to the Spark!Fishers 2021 weekend event at Holy Family! The fun begins on Saturday, June 26th at 5 PM. Gather at the church at 5:30 and walk up to 116th St. to view the parade together. Nickel Plate Gardens is hosting a DJ for lawn games on the church grounds, and Samano's Mexican food truck will have food for purchase. Cozy up to the fire with s'mores fixings, view the fireworks from the church grounds, and unwind for the evening with a campfire Compline worship service with music. Camping out overnight on the church grounds is also available and will be supervised by Brotherhood of St. Andrew members. Grab and go breakfast will be provided on Sunday morning before the 8 AM worship service. Feel free to pick and choose activities as they work best for you. All are welcome! View the full event schedule and sign up to attend at [tinyurl.com/HFECSpark2021](http://tinyurl.com/HFECSpark2021). Volunteers for this event are needed - please sign up to volunteer at [tinyurl.com/VolunteerHFECSpark2021](http://tinyurl.com/VolunteerHFECSpark2021)

Construction Alert: If you travel to Holy Family from the east, please be advised that major construction will close 116th St. from Maple St. to Municipal Dr. beginning June 1st. Alternate routes will be marked with street signs, but it would be helpful to allow yourself a little extra travel time during the summer. Stay safe!

**Hospitality Returns:** Holy Family has returned to providing Hospitality time following the 10 AM service. Single-serve snacks and pre-poured lemonade will be available just outside the Narthex doors on days when the weather cooperates.

**Fishers COVID-19 Vaccine:** Walk-ins for ages 12+ are now available at the Fishers Mass Vaccination Site (12520 E. 116th Street, Fishers). For faster check in, pre-register at [ourshot.in.gov](http://ourshot.in.gov). If you are already vaccinated, please encourage your loved ones to get vaccinated by sharing this information with them.

**Mulch Madness:** Bag and bulk mulch is on sale now! Visit [holyfamilyfishers.org/mulch](http://holyfamilyfishers.org/mulch) to make your selection. Bag mulch is now available for pick up in the church parking lot. Proceeds benefit Children's Ministry and Youth Group activities.

**Men's Ministry Gathering:** Please join us for the next Holy Family Men's Ministry gathering hosted by the Brotherhood of St. Andrew next Thursday June 24 at 7pm. We'll be meeting in the outside pavilion at Holy Family, or in the parish hall if the weather is an issue. Bob Murray will lead us through another great segment in our spirituality series, reviewing the Ignatian Daily Examen. We'll also get a progress report on the Delaware Township Food Pantry, the Brotherhood National Convention, New Holy Family Confirmands, and how Holy Family is participating in the SPARK! FISHERS events next weekend. Lastly, bring your ideas for a July Men's Event (Top Golf? Concert?!). As always, we'll move over to Chatham Tap for continued fellowship after the meeting. If you are not yet ready to attend in person, no problem! Please contact Father Bruce at [bgray@hfec.org](mailto:bgray@hfec.org) and a Zoom link can be set up for you. We look forward to seeing you then!

**Reading the World Book Club:** The next virtual gathering of Holy Family's book club will be held via [tinyurl.com/HFECbookclub](http://tinyurl.com/HFECbookclub) on July 20th at 2 PM. The book is The Little Old Lady Who Was Not Afraid of Anything by Linda D. Williams. Please contact Father Bruce for more information. [bgray@hfec.org](mailto:bgray@hfec.org).

**Food Pantry Donations:** Holy Family is once again taking donations for the Delaware Township Food Pantry. Parishioners are invited to bring canned fruits, canned meats, chunky soups, peanut butter and jelly, pastas and pasta sauces, crackers, snacks, household cleaners, laundry detergent, bleach, and personal hygiene items. This list includes suggestions, but any canned or nonperishable item is gratefully received. Donations can be dropped off in the baskets near the coat racks in the Narthex during Sunday worship hours.

**Sacred Ground Series Begins June 23rd:** Sacred Ground is a film-based dialogue series on race and faith developed by the Episcopal Church and co-sponsored in the Diocese of Indianapolis by the Union of Black Episcopalians and the diocesan Racial Justice and Education Team. The discussion group will meet Wednesdays from 6:30-8:30 PM via Zoom

beginning June 23rd for 11 weekly sessions. Deacon Cathy Scott co-facilitates the series. Contact her at [cathyscott@stmattsindy.org](mailto:cathyscott@stmattsindy.org) with any questions. Register at [tinyurl.com/HFECsgseries](http://tinyurl.com/HFECsgseries) to participate in the discussion group.

**Invite. Welcome. Connect:** During the past two months, members of Holy Family have shared ideas for reaching out to newcomers and supporting them as they connect with our faith community. You are invited to help shape these ideas into an action plan during a one-hour session on Wednesday, June 23 beginning at 7 p.m. on Zoom at [tinyurl.com/HFECevangelism](http://tinyurl.com/HFECevangelism). This plan will help Holy Family adopt a more intentional model for inviting, welcoming and connecting newcomers to the congregation. In preparation for this session, review the list of Invite Welcome and Connect ideas at [tinyurl.com/HFECconnectideas](http://tinyurl.com/HFECconnectideas). For more information, contact Fr. Bruce at [bgray@hfec.org](mailto:bgray@hfec.org).

**Summer Offertory Music:** If you or someone in your family would like to volunteer to provide offertory music from now through the summer, reach out to Bethany Paden at [musicministry@hfec.org](mailto:musicministry@hfec.org). Instrumental and sung music welcome as well as dance or dramatic readings or performances. Singers and wind instruments welcome if vaccinated and masked (instruments too!).

**Children's and Youth Ministries:** Sunday school will take a break for the summer and resume in August.

**Shortcut to Sunday Podcasts:** Holy Family has a weekly podcast that focuses on the Bible readings for each week. New podcasts will be released HERE each Tuesday in preparation for the following Sunday.

**Online Resource:** Fr. Bruce maintains a blog for spiritual resources, especially during this time of social distancing. The website is Church From a Distance. Contact Fr. Bruce at [bgray@hfec.org](mailto:bgray@hfec.org).

**Donating to Holy Family Online:** Make contribution via [tinyurl.com/HFECdonate](http://tinyurl.com/HFECdonate) and The Episcopal Diocese of Indianapolis will absorb 100% of the payment processing fee, so every cent you give will go to Holy Family. Be sure to select Holy Family in the drop-down menu. Everyone's support of God's work through Holy Family is needed and very appreciated.

**Holy Family Financials thru April 30:**

Income \$101,204\*  
Expense \$72,382

\* Income reflects \$32,100 in Payroll Protection Money. We have exhausted all PPP money at this point and will be relying on parishioner donations to cover expenses for the remainder of the year. Your generosity to continue ministry work is appreciated!

**Prayer List:** Andrew, Julie, John, Eileen, Steve, Betty, Kevin, Bill, Matt, Kara, Erin, Charlie, Phil, Ellen, and Stephanie

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

Upcoming Events:

Book Club: June 20 2 PM

Men's Ministry Gathering: June 24 7 PM

Spark!Fishers Celebration: June 26-27

Book Club: July 20 2 PM

Back to Church Sunday: August 15

Serving Sunday:

Celebrant: The Rev. Bruce Gray

Homily: The Rev. Bruce Gray

Music Director: Bethany Paden

Organist/Pianist: Doug & Heather Tannas

Greeter: Larry Pickens

Ushers: Bob French, Andrew Barker

Readers: Betty Bogeman, Sandra Cline

Scott Wilson, Joel Bruns

Prayers: Wade Nichols, Bob Murray

Acolytes: Joe Spangler, Hannah Tannas,

Sophia Paden, Charlie Barker

LEV: Marcus Dial

Almoners: Carol Bruns, Marcus Dial

Welcome: Cathy French

Altar Guild: Carol Bruns

Thanks Be to God

- Those who contribute financially to support the ministry and worship offerings of Holy Family
- Ben Paden for his continued work with livestreaming Holy Family's worship services
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