



May 20, 2018

Day of Pentecost

Today's Hymns

Processional Hymn
Sequence Hymn
Offertory Hymn

Hymnal 225 (all)
Hymnal 531 (v.1-2)
WLP 751 (v.1-2)

The Collect

O God, who on this day taught the hearts of your faithful people by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit: Grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgment in all things, and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Old Testament

Ezekiel 37:1-14

The hand of the LORD came upon me, and he brought me out by the spirit of the LORD and set me down in the middle of a valley; it was full of bones. He led me all around them; there were very many lying in the valley, and they were very dry. He said to me, "Mortal, can these bones live?" I answered, "O Lord GOD, you know." Then he said to me, "Prophecy to these bones, and say to them: O dry bones, hear the word of the LORD. Thus says the Lord GOD to these bones: I will cause breath to enter you, and you shall live. I will lay sinews on you, and will cause flesh to come upon you, and cover you with skin, and put breath in you, and you shall live; and you shall know that I am the LORD."

So I prophesied as I had been commanded; and as I prophesied, suddenly there was a noise, a rattling, and the bones came together, bone to its bone. I looked, and there were sinews on

them, and flesh had come upon them, and skin had covered them; but there was no breath in them. Then he said to me, "Prophecy to the breath, prophecy, mortal, and say to the breath: Thus says the Lord GOD: Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe upon these slain, that they may live." I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived, and stood on their feet, a vast multitude.

Then he said to me, "Mortal, these bones are the whole house of Israel. They say, 'Our bones are dried up, and our hope is lost; we are cut off completely.' Therefore prophecy, and say to them, Thus says the Lord GOD: I am going to open your graves, and bring you up from your graves, O my people; and I will bring you back to the land of Israel. And you shall know that I am the LORD, when I open your graves, and bring you up from your graves, O my people. I will put my spirit within you, and you shall live, and I will place you on your own soil; then you shall know that I, the LORD, have spoken and will act," says the LORD.

The Psalm

Psalm 104:25-35, 37

- 25 O LORD, how manifold are your works! *
in wisdom you have made them all;
the earth is full of your creatures.
- 26 Yonder is the great and wide sea
with its living things too many to
number, *
creatures both small and great.
- 27 There move the ships,
and there is that Leviathan, *
which you have made for the sport of it.
- 28 All of them look to you *
to give them their food in due season.
- 29 You give it to them; they gather it; *
you open your hand, and they are filled
with good things.

- 30 You hide your face, and they are terrified; *
you take away their breath,
and they die and return to their dust.
- 31 You send forth your Spirit, and they are
created; *
and so you renew the face of the earth.
- 32 May the glory of the LORD endure for
ever; *
may the LORD rejoice in all his works.
- 33 He looks at the earth and it trembles; *
he touches the mountains and they
smoke.
- 34 I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; *
I will praise my God while I have my
being.
- 35 May these words of mine please him; *
I will rejoice in the LORD.
- 37 Bless the LORD, O my soul. *
Hallelujah!

The Epistle

Romans 8:22-27

We know that the whole creation has been groaning in labor pains until now; and not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly while we wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies. For in hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what is seen? But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

The Gospel

John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15

Jesus said to his disciples, "When the Advocate comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who comes from the Father, he will testify on my behalf. You also are to testify because you have been with me from the beginning.

"I did not say these things to you from the beginning, because I was with you. But now I am going to him who sent me; yet none of you asks me, 'Where are you going?' But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your hearts. Nevertheless I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Advocate will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. And when he comes, he will prove the world wrong about sin and righteousness and judgment: about sin, because they do not believe in me; about righteousness, because I am going to the Father and you will see me no longer; about judgment, because the ruler of this world has been condemned.

"I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.



Weekly Announcements

Good Samaritan Episcopal Church, 1801 Tenth Avenue, Honolulu, HI 96816
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Good Samaritan is an open and inclusive community, all are welcome.

May 13, 2018

Seventh Sunday of Easter

Welcome to Good Samaritan Church!

If you are visiting today, we want to thank you for being with us. Your presence is a gift to our community, and your prayers enhance our worship. We look forward to your return! Please join us for refreshments after church in the parish hall above pavilion.

Please hold the following people in your prayers

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others, especially those on our prayer list:

Jack Morrison, **Carl** Sato, **Matthew** Kohashi, **Sumi** Mizushima, **Ralph & Sally** Hartman, **Carole** Hagihara, **John & Rei** Hamano, **Elaine** Young, **Thelma** Lee, **Elsie** Ching, **Bill** Harada, **Debbie** Sekine, **Lori** Maunalanga, **Janine** LeGrande, **Trenton** Omuro and **Adeline** Sing and for the birthday of **Erin** Sasaki.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Holy Nativity,

Aina Haina: **The Rev. Luis** Rodriguez
(Interim Rector).

Our Bishop's Committee: **Deb** Nishihira, **Les** Hata, **Connie** Kaneshiro, **Myrtle** Kaneshiro, **Lori** Chun, **Rich** Marshall, **Jan** Motoshige, **Chris** Omuro, and **Melissa** Morinishi.

Our Altar Guild: **Pat** Lum (Coordinator), **Myrtle** Kaneshiro, **Faye** Hee, **Jessica** Lum, **Jan** Motoshige, **Taylor** Omuro, **Chris** Omuro, **Melissa** Morinishi, **Deb** Nishihira and **Betsy** Hata.

Announcements

Bishop's Committee Meeting:

May 20th, after refreshments.

CPK Fundraiser – Save the date!

On Monday, June 4th we are encouraging everyone to take out or eat at the Kahala or Ala Moana California Pizza Kitchen Restaurants during their business hours of 10am – 9pm. When paying, people just need to show our fundraiser flyer so Good Samaritan can receive 20% of the total cost! Please take some flyers and distribute it to your friends! The flyer can also be downloaded from our church website at <https://www.goodsamaritanhawaii.org>

Good Samaritan Cookbook:

Please send in your favorite recipes this month to Gail Lee, Ariel Lee or Jan Motoshige or email goodsamhawaii@yahoo.com so they can create a GSC cookbook in June.

Canned Goods Collection:

Donations for our outreach to Palolo Housing families continue to be accepted! Containers are in the back of the church and in the Parish Hall.

IHS:

May 24th, 9 am – 12 pm, St. Mary's Church Every Last Thursday of the Month— St. Mary's Moili'ili Outreach Center - Feeding those less fortunate - Cook and serve lunch, 9:00 am. Any help is welcome. Observe the difference this program is making in our community! Questions? Call Jan at 349-6435.

Tri-church Bible Study:

Every Thursday at St. Luke's Episcopal Church—10:00 am to 11:30 am (Led by Michael Kim of St. Luke's.)

Choral Evensong:

The Cathedral of St. Andrew will hold their next Choral Evensong on Sunday, May 20, 2018, at 5:30 PM, and will honor Saint Dunstan (d. May 19, 988) who served as the Archbishop of Canterbury during a lengthy career. His work restored monastic life in England and reformed the English church. He was canonised in 1029, and was the most popular saint in England for nearly two centuries.

Organ Concert:

St. Christopher Episcopal Church in Kailua will be kicking off its 2018 organ concert series on Sunday, May 27, 2018, at 5:00 PM. The first concert will feature Todd Beckham, Director of Music and Organist at The Cathedral of St. Andrew. The concerts are free and open to the public. St. Christopher's is located at 93 North Kainalu Drive, Kailua. For more information, contact the church office at (808) 262-8176.

Alzheimer's Forum:

There are two more Alzheimer's forums remaining of the 3-part Alzheimer's Forum Series at Epiphany Episcopal Church. The forums are led by Marilyn Moku, Director of Programs and Advocacy at the Alzheimer's Association. The Sunday forums are being held between services at 8:30 AM-9:15 AM, and is open to all. The dates and topics of the remaining two sessions are as follows:

- June 3 - Dementia-Related Behaviors
- July 15 - Dementia Conversations

Epiphany is located at 1041 10th Avenue in Kaimuki. For more information, contact Roxane at (808) 734-5706.

Eucharistic Ministers and Eucharistic Visitors training session, Cathedral of St. Andrew's Von Holt Room, Saturday June 23rd. The session will be led by the Rev. Giovan King, 9:00 AM – 11:30 AM for Eucharistic Minister. Those intending to be Eucharistic Ministers only may then leave. 12:30 pm – 3:00 pm, Eucharistic Visitor training, lunch provided. Register by Monday, June 18th. For more information and to register, visit the Diocese website.

Thank You to Our Worship Team!	
MAY 20, 2018	
Supply Clergy:	Rev. Annalise Pasalo
Music	Deb (Ben on vacation)
Altar Guild:	Faye Hee
Eucharistic Minister:	Chris Omuro
Acolytes:	Gavin Nishihira Aurora Sing
Lector:	Melissa Morinishi
Alms Bearer:	Pat Lum
Counters:	Chris Omuro Pat Lum
Ministries	
Flowers:	Kaneshiro
Watering:	Cy Nishihira
Refreshments:	Hata

Looking Ahead	
Next Week Sunday – MAY 27, 2018	
Supply Clergy:	Rev. Alex Geston
Music	Deb (Ben on vacation)
Altar Guild:	Jessica Lum
Eucharistic Minister:	Faye Hee
Acolytes:	Gavin Nishihira Aurora Sing
Lector:	Russell Nishimoto
Alms Bearer:	Youth
Counters:	Jessica Lum Melissa Morinishi
Ministries	
Flowers:	Church
Watering:	Cy Nishihira
Refreshments:	Nishihira