

# October 14, 2018 Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

#### Today's Hymns

Processional Hymn
Sequence Hymn
Offertory Hymn
Hymnal 460 (v.1-3)
Hymnal 531 (v.1-2)
Hymnal 707 (v.1-2)

#### The Collect

Lord, we pray that your grace may always precede and follow us, that we may continually be given to good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen*.

## The Old Testament

## Amos 5:6-7,10-15

Seek the LORD and live, or he will break out against the house of Joseph like fire, and it will devour Bethel, with no one to quench it.

Ah, you that turn justice to wormwood, and bring righteousness to the ground!

They hate the one who reproves in the gate, and they abhor the one who speaks the truth.

Therefore, because you trample on the poor and take from them levies of grain, you have built houses of hewn stone, but you shall not live in them;

you have planted pleasant vineyards, but you shall not drink their wine.

For I know how many are your transgressions, and how great are your sins—

you who afflict the righteous, who take a bribe,

and push aside the needy in the gate.

Therefore the prudent will keep silent in such a time; for it is an evil time.

Seek good and not evil, that you may live;

and so the LORD, the God of hosts, will be with you, just as you have said.

Hate evil and love good, and establish justice in the gate;

it may be that the LORD, the God of hosts, will be gracious to the remnant of Joseph.

### The Psalm

#### Psalm 90:12-17

- 12 So teach us to number our days \* that we may apply our hearts to wisdom.
- 13 Return, O LORD; how long will you tarry? \*
  be gracious to your servants.
- 14 Satisfy us by your loving-kindness in the morning; \* so shall we rejoice and be glad all the days of our life.
- 15 Make us glad by the measure of the days that you afflicted us \* and the years in which we suffered adversity.
- 16 Show your servants your works \* and your splendor to their children.

17 May the graciousness of the LORD our God be upon us; \* prosper the work of our hands; prosper our handiwork.

## The Epistle

#### Hebrews 4:12-16

The word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing until it divides soul from spirit, joints from marrow; it is able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart. And before him no creature is hidden, but all are naked and laid bare to the eyes of the one to whom we must render an account.

Since, then, we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast to our confession. For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

## The Gospel

#### Mark 10:17-31

As Jesus was setting out on a journey, a man ran up and knelt before him, and asked him, "Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" Jesus said to him, "Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: 'You shall not murder; You shall not commit adultery; You shall not steal; You shall not bear <u>false</u> witness; You shall not defraud:

Honor your father and mother." He said to him, "Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth." Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, "You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me." When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possessions.

Then Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, "How hard it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!" And the disciples were perplexed at these words. But Jesus said to them again, "Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God." They were greatly astounded and said to one another, "Then who can be saved?" Jesus looked at them and said, "For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible."

Peter began to say to him, "Look, we have left everything and followed you." Jesus said, "Truly I tell you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields, for my sake and for the sake of the good news, who will not receive a hundredfold now in this age—houses, brothers and sisters, mothers and children, and fields with persecutions—and in the age to come eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first."



## **Weekly Announcements**

Good Samaritan Episcopal Church, 1801 Tenth Avenue, Honolulu, HI 96816 (808)735-5944, goodsamhawaii@yahoo.com

Good Samaritan is an open and inclusive community, all are welcome.

#### October 14, 2018

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#### 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:
Jonathan Lee, Mildred Ogai, Raine
Akutagawa, Courtney Sato, Joni Kohama, Jack
Morrison, Carl Sato, Matthew Kohashi, Sumie
Mizushima, Carole Hagihara, John & Rei
Hamano, Mel & Aki Shitagi, Elaine Young,
Thelma Lee, Elsie Ching, Bill Harada, Lori
Maunalanga, Janine LeGrande, Trenton Omuro, and for the birthday of Ron Komata and Lori
Kiyuna.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Non-Parochial
Clergy: The Rev. Dcn. Honey Becker
(Deacon); The Rev. Cn. Malcolm Chun
(Priest); The Rev. Walter A. Stevens, III (Priest)
& Mrs. Kathy Stevens; The Revs. Becky &
Mike Tinnon (Priests).

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**

# Thank you to all who helped with the rummage sale!

## **Bishop's Committee Meeting:**

Next meeting will be Oct. 21st after refreshments.

#### **Kilauea Relief Fund:**

The Church of the Holy Apostles in Hilo is coordinating relief efforts for the victims of the Big Island volcanic eruption. To assist with their relief efforts, checks can be mailed to: The Church of the Holy Apostles, Attn: Kilauea Relief Fund, 1407 Kapi'olani Street, Hilo, HI 96720

#### IHS:

Oct. 25<sup>th</sup>, 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.

## **Tai Chi for Arthritis and Fall Prevention:**

Adult forum at Epiphany Church, Sunday, Oct. 28<sup>th</sup>, 8:30am-9:15am with the Arthritis Foundation and Clint Evans.

## **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.)

#### **Bells of Peace: World War I Remembrance**

All churches in the Diocese are encouraged to participate in a worldwide ringing of bells on "the eleventh minute of the eleventh hour on the eleventh day of the eleventh month of the year of Our Lord, 2018," marking the first centennial of World War One. The Bells of Peace event, is in remembrance of the fallen, and will be commemorated with many programs and events. Locally, The Hawai'i World War One Centennial Task Force Program for Armistice Day will be held at the Waikiki Natatorium War Memorial, and will be a grand celebration. Be sure to check local news for updates and information.

Thank You to Our Worship Team!	
OCTOBER 14, 2018	
Supply Clergy:	Rev. Annalise Pasalo
Music	Ben Trusnovec
Altar Guild:	Pat Lum
Eucharistic Minister:	Chris Omuro
Acolytes:	Gavin Nishihira
Lector:	Gavin Nishihira
Alms Bearer:	Youth
Counters:	Chris Omuro
	Pat Lum
Ministries	
Flowers:	Lori Chun
Watering:	Cy Nishihira
Refreshments:	Nishihira

Looking Ahead		
Next Week Sunday – OCTOBER 21, 2018		
Supply Clergy:	Rev. Malcolm Hee	
Music	Ben Trusnovec	
Altar Guild:	Faye Hee	
Eucharistic Minister:	Faye Hee	
Acolytes:	Gavin Nishihira	
Lector:	Paul Kaneshiro	
Alms Bearer:	Pat Lum	
Counters:	Jessica Lum	
	Melissa Morinishi	
Ministries		
Flowers:	Omuro	
Watering:	Cy Nishihira	
Refreshments:	Russell Nishimoto	