



October 27, 2019
The Twentieth Sunday after
Pentecost

Today's Hymns

Processional Hymn	<i>Hymn 546 (all)</i>
Sequence Hymn	<i>Hymn 508 (v.1 before Gospel) (v.2 after Gospel)</i>
Offertory Hymn	<i>Hymnal 656 (v.1-2)</i>

The Collect

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Old Testament

Sirach 35:12-17

Give to the Most High as he has given to you,
and as generously as you can afford.

For the Lord is the one who repays,
and he will repay you sevenfold.

Do not offer him a bribe, for he will not accept it
and do not rely on a dishonest sacrifice;

for the Lord is the judge,
and with him there is no partiality.

He will not show partiality to the poor;
but he will listen to the prayer of one who is wronged.

He will not ignore the supplication of the orphan,
or the widow when she pours out her complaint.

The Psalm

Psalm 84:1-6

- 1 How dear to me is your dwelling,
O LORD of hosts! *
My soul has a desire and longing for the courts of the LORD;
my heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God.
- 2 The sparrow has found her a house
and the swallow a nest where she may lay her young; *
by the side of your altars,
O LORD of hosts,
my King and my God.
- 3 Happy are they who dwell in your house! *
they will always be praising you.
- 4 Happy are the people whose strength is in you! *
whose hearts are set on the pilgrims' way.
- 5 Those who go through the desolate valley will find it a place of springs, *
for the early rains have covered it with pools of water.
- 6 They will climb from height to height, *
and the God of gods will reveal himself in Zion.

2 Timothy 4:6-8,16-18

I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

At my first defense no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Luke 18:9-14

Jesus told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt: "Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, 'God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income.' But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted."



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.

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Welcome to Good Samaritan Church!

We want to thank you for being with us today. 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 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:

For the healing of: Pastor Heather Hill, Fr. Frank Chun, Jan Loo, Tessie Geston-Long, Wayne Olivieri, Blaise and Nancy Napu'unoa, Irene Nakamoto, Edna Kano, Jonathan Lee, Mildred Ogai, John & Rei Hamano, Mel & Aki Shitagi, David Lee, Elsie Ching, Bill Harada, Lori Maunalanga, & Janine LeGrande.

For the Birthdays of: Audrey Case, Malcolm Hee and Pat Lum

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Licensed Clergy: The Rev. Alberto P. Alarcon (Priest) & Mrs. Emelina Alarcon; The Rev. Dale S. Burke (Priest); The Rev. Bruce Craft (Priest); The Rev. Diane Martinson (Priest); The Rev. Robert W. Nelson (Priest); The Rev. Benjamin Newland (Priest) & Mrs. Jieun Kim Newland; The Rev. Phil Paradine (Priest) & Mrs. Carter Kimsey; The Rev. JP Sabbithi & Mrs. Lissy Jayaprakash; The Rev. David Smith (Priest) & Mrs. Jane Smith; The Rev. Keith Wolter (Priest).

Announcements

Children's Corner - (in the Nishihira larger living room space) is now available during the first half of the service from 8:45am-9:45am. Connie/Paul and Chris Omuro (we are looking for more volunteers) will be taking care of any young children that come to church and will have them join the service before

communion. Please encourage families with children to join us on Sundays!

Jarrett Foundation Annual Dinner and Silent Auction - Saturday, November 16, Japanese Cultural Center of Hawaii. Doors open at 5:30 pm – Program starts at 6:30 pm. \$70 per person. If you would like to attend, let Jan know! They are also accepting donations for silent auction items.

E-Mail Website Scams: Diocesan Website Changes: In the ongoing battle against e-mail and online scams, the Diocesan website will be removing linked e-mail addresses from all pages, and replacing them with a contact form. This change will also affect the ministry pages (DOK, ECW, EfM, etc.) that contain e-mail addresses of contacts, although form inquiries will still be directed to those persons. It is a good idea for all churches to reconsider displaying e-mail addresses on their websites that could invite potential spoofer. If you receive any e-mails asking for personal information, be wary and take steps to verify that it is from a legitimate source.

Bishop's Committee Meeting: Nov. 17th, after refreshments. Let the Bishop's Committee members know of any church related items you want discussed or join us at the meeting!

Refreshment signup: Thank you to those that signed up for October. November and December are still available.

Reminder about Eucharistic Minister & Eucharistic Visitor Trainings: They are a licensed lay position that must be renewed every three years, according to Diocesan Guidelines. Because of the greater level of responsibility for Eucharistic Visitors, there are additional requirements, including Safe Church training. To view the requirements and to download an application, visit the Diocese website.

Celebrating Baptism Video Series: The sacrament of baptism is an opportunity for joy, power, and a deep connection with tradition. Celebrating Baptism offers an opportunity to teach and learn about this sacrament through a free video series and accompanying reflection guides available from The Episcopal Church. "Through our baptism we seek to follow the way of Jesus; we are named as one of God's own," said Jerusalem Greer, staff officer for evangelism for The Episcopal Church, "As beloved, we celebrate our new life in the body of Christ, and then invite others into transformative relationship with God, others, and creation. When we live wholeheartedly into this understanding of our identity as baptized Christians following the way of love, we have a greater opportunity to change not just our own lives, but the world."

United Thank Offering (UTO) 2020 Annual Grants: Informational Webinar: January 14:

These grants are awarded for projects in The Episcopal Church and throughout the Anglican Communion, each year with a different focus. For 2020, the focus is Bless: Share faith, practice generosity and compassion, and proclaim the Good News of God in Christ with hope and humility. The application process opened September 6th. The deadline for submitting a grant application is March 6, 2020 at 12:00 pm.

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.)

Piano Lessons: Anyone interested in learning to play the piano? See Ben for his business card, he'd love to receive referrals!

Love Cats? Know anyone that does? Ryan has an online e-commerce website for cat supplies! Go to <https://meowmeowpurrr.com> and check it out!

Thank You to Our Worship Team! OCTOBER 27, 2019	
Supply Clergy:	Rev. Alex Geston
Music	Ben Trusnovec
Altar Guild:	Myrtle Kaneshiro
Eucharistic Minister:	Faye Hee
Acolytes:	Gavin Nishihira
Lector:	Paul Kaneshiro
Alms Bearer:	Youth
Counters:	Jessica Lum Melissa Morinishi
Ministries	
Flowers:	Church
Watering:	Cy Nishihira
Refreshments:	Hee-Malcolm's bday

Looking Ahead NEXT WEEK SUNDAY – NOVEMBER 3, 2019	
Supply Clergy:	Rev. Phil Paradine
Music	Sumi Mizushima
Altar Guild:	Pat Lum
Eucharistic Minister:	Deb Nishihira
Acolytes:	Gavin Nishihira
Lector:	Melissa Morinishi
Alms Bearer:	Youth
Counters:	Les Hata Myrtle Kaneshiro
Ministries	
Flowers:	TBA
Watering:	Cy Nishihira
Refreshments:	Nishihira