

The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

13 September 2026

The Church of the Holy Faith

Santa Fe, New Mexico

The Church of the Holy Faith welcomes all people into an ever-deepening relationship with Jesus Christ our Lord. We believe in God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, the Sacraments, and the Authority of Scripture. We honor our Anglican heritage and praise God with solemn liturgy, traditional Prayer Book worship, and music to exalt the spirit. We strive to live as a community with compassion for one another and the world around us. We worship together in peace to praise and thank God, to transcend division, and to celebrate the mystery of faith.

The 11:00 a.m. service will be broadcast via livestream on Holy Faith's YouTube channel.



Be thoughtful, be silent, be reverent; for this is the House of God.
Before the Service, speak to the Lord; during the Service, let the Lord speak to you;
after the Service, speak to one another.

The voices of small children are always welcome!

Please take a moment to silence your cell phone.

The Word of God

At the sound of the bell, please stand.

The Processional Hymn

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Hymnal 390

The Opening Acclamation

BCP p. 323

The people standing, the Celebrant says

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

People And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

The Celebrant continues

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid:
Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee,
and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

The Celebrant

Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ saith: Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.

Kyrie

BCP p. 324 (Hymnal S 91)

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Gloria in excelsis

(Hymnal S 202)

Glory be to God on high,
and on earth peace, good will towards men.

We praise thee, we bless thee,
we worship thee,
we glorify thee,
we give thanks to thee for thy great glory,
O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.

Thou that takest away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer.
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father,
have mercy upon us.

For thou only art holy;
thou only art the Lord;
thou only, O Christ,
with the Holy Ghost,
art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect

The Celebrant says to the people

The Lord be with you.

People And with thy spirit.

Celebrant

Let us pray.

O God, forasmuch as without thee we are not able to please thee, mercifully grant that thy Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with thee and the same Spirit liveth and reigneth, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Please be seated.

First Reading

Genesis 50:15-21

Realizing that their father was dead, Joseph's brothers said, "What if Joseph still bears a grudge against us and pays us back in full for all the wrong that we did to him?" So they approached Joseph, saying, "Your father gave this instruction before he died, 'Say to Joseph: I beg you, forgive the crime of your brothers and the wrong they did in harming you.' Now therefore please forgive the crime of the servants of the God of your father." Joseph wept when they spoke to him. Then his brothers also wept, fell down before him, and said, "We are here as your slaves." But Joseph said to them, "Do not be afraid! Am I in the place of God? Even though you intended to do harm to me, God intended it for good, in order to preserve a numerous people, as he is doing today. So have no fear; I myself will provide for you and your little ones." In this way he reassured them, speaking kindly to them.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 103:1-13

setting by Michael Lindstrom (b.1955)

Chanted by the Choir (11:00 a.m. only)

Benedic, anima mea

1 Bless the LORD, O my soul, *
and all that is within me, bless his holy Name.

- 2 Bless the LORD, O my soul, *
and forget not all his benefits.
- 3 He forgives all your sins *
and heals all your infirmities;
- 4 He redeems your life from the grave *
and crowns you with mercy and loving-kindness;
- 5 He satisfies you with good things, *
and your youth is renewed like an eagle's.
- 6 The LORD executes righteousness *
and judgment for all who are oppressed.
- 7 He made his ways known to Moses *
and his works to the children of Israel.
- 8 The LORD is full of compassion and mercy, *
slow to anger and of great kindness.
- 9 He will not always accuse us, *
nor will he keep his anger for ever.
- 10 He has not dealt with us according to our sins, *
nor rewarded us according to our wickedness.
- 11 For as the heavens are high above the earth, *
so is his mercy great upon those who fear him.
- 12 As far as the east is from the west, *
so far has he removed our sins from us.
- 13 As a father cares for his children, *
so does the LORD care for those who fear him.

Second Reading

Romans 14:1-12

Welcome those who are weak in faith, but not for the purpose of quarreling over opinions. Some believe in eating anything, while the weak eat only vegetables. Those who eat must not despise those who abstain, and those who abstain must not pass judgment on those who eat; for God has welcomed them. Who are you to pass judgment on servants of another? It is before their own lord that they stand or fall. And they will be upheld, for the Lord is able to make them stand.

Some judge one day to be better than another, while others judge all days to be alike. Let all be fully convinced in their own minds. Those who observe the day, observe it in honor of the Lord. Also those who eat, eat in honor of the Lord, since they give thanks to God; while those who abstain, abstain in honor of the Lord and give thanks to God.

We do not live to ourselves, and we do not die to ourselves. If we live, we live to the Lord, and if we die, we die to the Lord; so then, whether we live or whether we die, we are the Lord's. For to this end Christ died and lived again, so that he might be Lord of both the dead and the living.

Why do you pass judgment on your brother or sister? Or you, why do you despise your brother or sister? For we will all stand before the judgment seat of God. For it is written,

"As I live, says the Lord, every knee shall bow to me,
and every tongue shall give praise to God."

So then, each of us will be accountable to God.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

The Sequence Hymn

Please stand.

O bless the Lord, my soul!

Hymnal 411



The Holy Gospel

Matthew 18:21-35

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

People Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Peter came and said to Jesus, "Lord, if another member of the church sins against me, how often should I forgive? As many as seven times?" Jesus said to him, "Not seven times, but, I tell you, seventy-seven times.

"For this reason the kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who wished to settle accounts with his slaves. When he began the reckoning, one who owed him ten thousand talents was brought to him; and, as he could not pay, his lord ordered him to be sold, together with his wife and children and all his possessions, and payment to be made. So the slave fell on his knees before him, saying, 'Have patience with me, and I will pay you everything.' And out of pity for him, the lord of that slave released him and forgave him the debt. But that same slave, as he went out, came upon one of his fellow slaves who owed him a hundred denarii; and seizing him by the throat, he said, 'Pay what you owe.' Then his fellow slave fell down and pleaded with him, 'Have patience with me, and I will pay you.' But he refused; then he went and threw him into prison until he would pay the debt. When his fellow slaves saw what had happened, they were greatly distressed, and they went and reported to their lord all that had taken place. Then his lord summoned him and said to him, 'You wicked slave! I forgave you all that debt because you pleaded with me. Should you not have had mercy on your fellow slave, as I had mercy on you?' And in anger his lord handed him over to be tortured until he would pay his entire debt. So my heavenly Father will also do to every one of you, if you do not forgive your brother or sister from your heart."

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise be to thee, O Christ.

The Sermon

Fr. Simon Carian

The Nicene Creed

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I believe in one God,
 the Father Almighty,
 maker of heaven and earth,
 and of all things visible and invisible;

And in one Lord Jesus Christ,
 the only-begotten Son of God,
 begotten of his Father before all worlds,
 God of God, Light of Light,
 very God of very God,
 begotten, not made,
 being of one substance with the Father;
 by whom all things were made;
 who for us men and for our salvation
 came down from heaven,
 and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary,
 and was made man;
 and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate;
 he suffered and was buried;
 and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures,
 and ascended into heaven,
 and sitteth on the right hand of the Father;
 and he shall come again, with glory,
 to judge both the quick and the dead;
 whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Ghost the Lord, and Giver of Life,
 who proceedeth from the Father and the Son;
 who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped
 and glorified;
 who spake by the Prophets.
And I believe one holy Catholic and Apostolic Church;
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins;
and I look for the resurrection of the dead,
 and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Prayers of the People – Form IV

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The Deacon

Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy
Hear our prayer.

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect

The Confession of Sin

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The Deacon continues

Ye who do truly and earnestly repent you of your sins, and are in love and charity with your neighbors, and intend to lead a new life, following the commandments of God, and walking from henceforth in his holy ways: Draw near with faith, and make your humble confession to Almighty God, devoutly kneeling.

Silence may be kept.

Minister and People

Almighty God,
Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
maker of all things, judge of all men:
We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins
and wickedness,
which we from time to time most grievously have committed,
by thought, word, and deed, against thy divine Majesty,
provoking most justly thy wrath and indignation against us.
We do earnestly repent,
and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings;
the remembrance of them is grievous unto us,
the burden of them is intolerable.
Have mercy upon us,
have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;
for thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake,
forgive us all that is past;
and grant that we may ever hereafter
serve and please thee in newness of life,
to the honor and glory of thy Name;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Absolution

The Celebrant, stands and says

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all those who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

The Comfortable Words

The Celebrant continues

Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him.

Come unto me, all ye that travail and are heavy laden, and I will refresh you. *Matthew 11:28*

God so loved the world, that he gave his only-begotten Son, to the end that all that believe in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. *John 3:16*

This is a true saying, and worthy of all men to be received, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. *1 Timothy 1:15*

If any man sin, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; and he is the perfect offering for our sins, and not for ours only, but for the sins of the whole world. *1 John 2:1-2*

The Peace

The Celebrant says to the people

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And with thy spirit.

The Ministers and the People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.



The Holy Eucharist

Offertory Anthem

Ubi Caritas

Ola Gjeilo (b.1978 Norway)

Where there is charity and love, God is there. The love of Christ has gathered us together. Let us rejoice and be glad in it. Let us revere and love the living God. And from a sincere heart let us love one another. Amen.

The Doxology

Hymnal 380 v. 3

Please stand.

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer II

BCP p. 340

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People And with thy spirit.
Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People We lift them up unto the Lord.
Celebrant Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.
People It is meet and right so to do.

Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God; through Jesus Christ our Lord; who on the first day of the week overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life.

Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

Sanctus & Benedictus

BCP p. 341 (Hymnal S 114)

Celebrant and People

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts:
Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.
Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.

Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

Please kneel.

Then the Celebrant continues

All glory be to thee, O Lord our God, for that thou didst create heaven and earth, and didst make us in thine own image; and, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there a full and perfect sacrifice for the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

At the following words concerning the bread, the Celebrant is to hold it, or lay a hand upon it; and at the words concerning the cup, to hold or place a hand upon the cup and any other vessel containing wine to be consecrated.

For in the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks to thee, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat, this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me."

Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, we thy people do celebrate and make, with these thy holy gifts which we now offer unto thee, the memorial thy Son hath commanded us to make; having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; and looking for his coming again with power and great glory.

And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us, and, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, to bless and sanctify these gifts of bread and wine, that they may be unto us the Body and Blood of thy dearly-beloved Son Jesus Christ.

And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, whereby we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, our selves, our souls and bodies. Grant, we beseech thee, that all who partake of this Holy Communion may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, and be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; and also that we and all thy whole Church may be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord;

By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. *AMEN.*

Celebrant

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

The Lord's Prayer

BCP p. 336 (Hymnal S 119)

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

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.

A period of silence is kept.

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

Agnus Dei

BCP p. 337 (Hymnal S 158)

Celebrant and People

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world,
grant us thy peace.

People and Celebrant

We do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table. But thou art the same Lord whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. *Amen.*

Celebrant

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Regarding Communion

We believe in the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist.

In the Episcopal Church all baptized Christians are invited to receive the Sacrament.

Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.

*To receive wine, you may sip from the chalice. You may also decline the chalice,
as Communion in one kind constitutes a full Communion.*

Please do not place the wafer in the wine yourself.

*Our priests are happy to do so for you and place the wafer on your tongue.
If this is your preference, please keep your hands folded as a sign to the priest
to give you Communion in this manner.*

*If you do not wish to receive Communion,
you may cross your arms over your chest to receive a blessing.*

*Children who have been baptized
may receive according to the discretion of their parents.*

Those watching via live-stream are invited to pray the following prayer at this time

A Prayer for those who are not present to receive

In union, O Lord, with your faithful people at every altar of your Church, where the Holy Eucharist is now being celebrated, I desire to offer you praise and thanksgiving. I remember your death, Lord Christ; I proclaim your resurrection; I await your coming in glory. And since I cannot receive you today in the physical presence of my community, I beseech you to come spiritually into my heart. Cleanse and strengthen me with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let me never be separated from you. May I live in you, and you in me, in this life and the life to come. *Amen.*

Communion Anthem

O Holy Spirit, Lord of grace

Christopher Tye (1505-1572)

O Holy Spirit, Lord of grace, Eternal source of love, In flame, we pray, our in most hearts with fire from heaven above. As thou dost join with holiest bonds The Father and the Son, So fill us all with mutual love and knit our hearts in one.

Communion Hymn

Judge eternal throned in splendor

Hymnal 596

The Postcommunion Prayer

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People and Celebrant

Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. *Amen.*

The Blessing

Celebrant

The peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be amongst you and remain with you forever. *Amen.*

Retiring Hymn

Please stand.

Come down, O Love divine

Hymnal 516

The Dismissal

Deacon Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing
in the power of the Spirit.

People Thanks be to God.

The flowers for the High Altar,
the Shrine of Saint Mary the Virgin, and the Chapel of the Good Shepherd
are given to the Glory of God.



The Ministers of the Service

7:30 a.m.

The Very Reverend Canon Robin D. Dodge
Celebrant

The Reverend Simon R. Carian
Assisting Priest and Preacher

Gail Rachor
Lector

8:30 a.m.

The Very Reverend Canon Robin D. Dodge
Celebrant

The Reverend Simon R. Carian
Deacon of the Mass and Preacher

Pam Jones
Subdeacon

Luke Sterling, Silas Bernard, Asher Bernard, Lynsey Bernard, and Van Swift
Acolytes

Kathlene Ritch
Lector

Kaki Grubbs and Kent Grubbs
Ushers

11:00 a.m.

The Very Reverend Canon Robin D. Dodge
Celebrant

The Reverend Simon R. Carian
Deacon of the Mass and Preacher

Van Swift
Subdeacon

Layla Condit, CC Condit, Joey Condit, Alice McSweeney, and Pam Jones
Acolytes

Helen Condit
Lector

Kathleen Orozco and Jim Vaughan
Ushers

Ken Duran
Livestream Ministry



The Holy Faith Choir
Canon Mark Edw. Childers
Director of Liturgy and Music

Descant

4 Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me a -

1 Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre -
 2 Praise to the Lord; o - ver all things he glo - rious - ly
 3 Praise to the Lord, who doth pros - per thy way and de -
 4 Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me a -

dore him! All that hath life and breath come now with

a - tion; O my soul, praise him, for he is thy
 reign - eth: borne as on ea - gle - wings, safe - ly his
 fend thee; sure - ly his good - ness and mer - cy shall
 dore him! All that hath life and breath come now with

prais - es be - fore him! Let the a - men sound from his

health and sal - va - tion: join the great throng, psal - ter - y,
 saints he sus - tain - eth. Hast thou not seen how all thou
 ev - er at - tend thee; pon - der a - new what the Al -
 prais - es be - fore him! Let the a - men sound from his

peo - ple a - gain; glad - ly for ev - er a - dore him.

or - gan, and song, sound - ing in glad ad - o - ra - tion.
 need - est hath been grant - ed in what he or - dain - eth?
 might - y can do, who with his love doth be - friend thee.
 peo - ple a - gain; glad - ly for ev - er a - dore him.

Kyrie

Hymnal S 91

Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Lord, have mer - cy up -

on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -

on us. Christ, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -

on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

1. Glo - ry be to God on high, and on earth peace,
 good will towards men. 2. We praise thee, we bless thee,
 we wor - ship thee, we glo - ri - fy thee, we give
 thanks to thee for thy great glo - ry, 3. O Lord God, heaven - ly
 King, God the Fa - ther Al - might y.
 4. O Lord, the on - ly be - got - ten Son, Je - sus Christ;
 5. O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther, that
 ta - kest a - way the sins of the world, have mer - cy up -
 on us. 6. Thou that ta - kest a - way the sins of the
 world, re - ceive our prayer. 7. Thou that sit - test at the

right hand of God the Fa - ther, have mer - cy up - on us.

8. For thou on - ly art ho - ly; thou on - ly art the Lord; 9. thou

on - ly, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost, art most

high in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. —

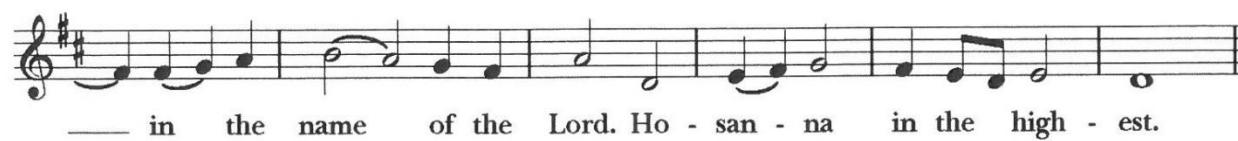
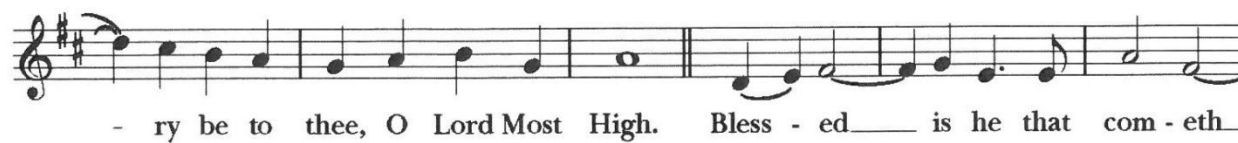
A - - - - - men.

The musical score is written for a two-part setting (Soprano and Bass) in G major, indicated by a single sharp (F#) on the treble clef. The time signature is common time (C). The melody is primarily composed of half notes and quarter notes, with some eighth notes in the Soprano part. The lyrics are arranged in five lines, each corresponding to a vocal line. The first line of the score corresponds to the first line of lyrics, and so on. The score ends with a double bar line.

1 O bless the Lord, my soul! His grace to thee pro - claim!
2 O bless the Lord, my soul! His mer - cies bear in mind!
3 He will not al - ways chide; he will with pa - tience wait;
4 He par - dons all thy sins, pro - longs thy fee - ble breath;
5 He clothes thee with his love, up - holds thee with his truth;

1 And all that is with - in me join to bless his ho - ly Name!
2 For - get not all his ben - e - fits! The Lord to thee is kind.
3 his wrath is ev - er slow to rise and rea - dy to a - bate.
4 he heal - eth thine in - fir - mi - ties and ran - soms thee from death.
5 and like the ea - gle he re - news the vi - gor of thy youth.

6 Then bless his holy Name,
whose grace hath made thee whole,
whose loving-kindness crowns thy days:
O bless the Lord, my soul!





O Lamb of God, that ta - kest a -

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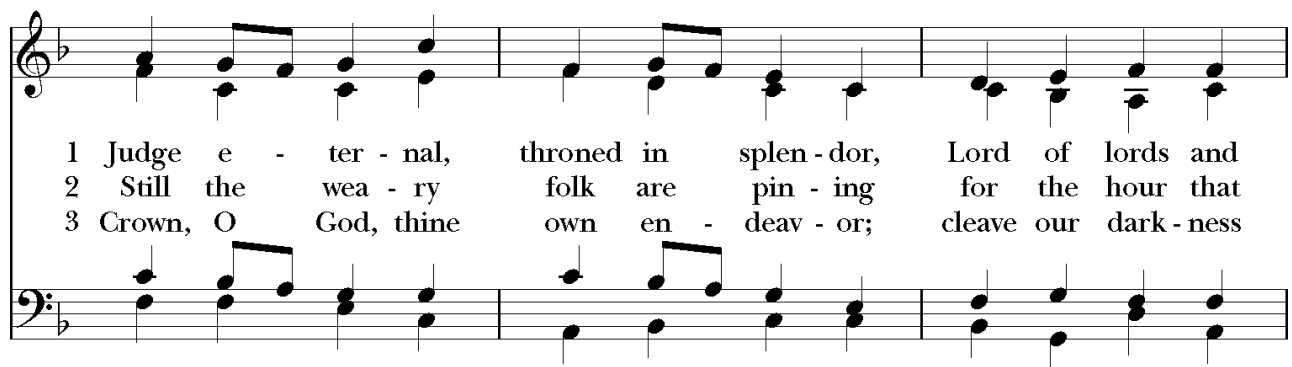
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mer - cy up - on us. O Lamb of

God, that ta - kest a - way the sins of the

world, grant us thy peace.



1 Judge e - ter - nal, throned in splen - dor, Lord of lords and
 2 Still the wea - ry folk are pin - ing for the hour that
 3 Crown, O God, thine own en - deav - or; cleave our dark - ness



King of kings, with thy liv - ing fire of judg - ment
 brings re - lease, and the ci - ty's crowd - ed clang - or
 with thy sword; feed all those who do not know thee



purge this land of bit - ter things; sol - ace all its
 cries a - loud for sin to cease; and the home - steads
 with the rich - ness of thy word; cleanse the bo - dy



wide do - min - ion with the heal - ing of thy wings.
 and the wood - lands plead in si - lence for their peace.
 of this na - tion through the glo - ry of the Lord.

1 Come down, O Love di - vine, seek thou this soul of mine,
 2 O let it free - ly burn, till earth - ly pas - sions turn
 3 And so the yearn - ing strong, with which the soul will long,

and vis - it it with thine own ar - dor glow - ing;
 to dust and ash - es in its heat con - sum - ing;
 shall far out - pass the power of hu - man tell - ing;

O Com - fort - er, draw near, with - in my heart ap - pear,
 and let thy glo - rious light shine ev - er on my sight,
 for none can guess its grace, till Love cre - ate a place

and kin - dle it, thy ho - ly flame be - stow - ing.
 and clothe me round, the while my path il - lum - ing.
 where - in the Ho - ly Spi - rit makes a dwell - ing.

This Week at Holy Faith

September 13 – September 20, 2026

SUNDAY	The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost	
	7:30 a.m.	Spoken Eucharist Rite I
	8:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist Rite I – with Hymns and Anthems
	10:00 a.m.	Adult Forum
	10:00 a.m.	Faith Explorers
	11:00 a.m.	Choral Eucharist Rite I
MONDAY	12:30 p.m.	Youth Group
	2:00 p.m.	Faith Family
	5:30 p.m.	Bible Study
TUESDAY	6:00 p.m.	Scouts
	10:00 a.m.	Spiritual Classics
	2:45 p.m.	DOK – <i>Daughters of the King</i>
	5:15 p.m.	Rosary
WEDNESDAY	6:00 p.m.	Taizé Eucharist Rite II with Prayers for Healing, <i>Catherine of Genoa, Mystic & Nurse, 1510</i>
	10:00 a.m.	Women’s Guild
	10:00 a.m.	Staff Meeting
	12:00 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous
	12:10 p.m.	Holy Eucharist Rite I, <i>Ninian, Bishop</i>
	3:00 p.m.	Bible Study
	4:15 p.m.	Outreach Opportunities Committee
THURSDAY	5:30 p.m.	Whirlwind Bible Tour
	10:00 a.m.	Women’s Bible Study
	11:30 p.m.	Men’s Lunch (off-site)
	12:00 p.m.	Contemplative Outreach Meditation Group
SATURDAY	5:30 p.m.	EfM – <i>Education for Ministry</i>
	9:00 a.m.	DAR – <i>Daughters of the American Revolution</i>
SUNDAY	9:00 a.m.	Women’s Spirituality Retreat (off-site)
	The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost	
	7:30 a.m.	Spoken Eucharist Rite I
	8:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist Rite I – with Hymns and Anthems
	10:00 a.m.	Adult Forum
	10:00 a.m.	Faith Explorers
SUNDAY	11:00 a.m.	Choral Eucharist Rite I

We pray Morning Prayer Monday - Friday at 9:15 a.m. in the Church Chancel.
We pray Evening Prayer Monday - Friday at 4:30 p.m. in the Chapel of the Good Shepherd.

All things come of thee, O lord, and of thine own have we given thee.



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the Santa Fe community, and beyond.

Announcements

Welcome!

We welcome all newcomers to Holy Faith. Your children are especially welcome to participate in our many activities designed for kids and youth. Faith Explorers is geared to younger kids (ages 3+) it's a lowkey, fun way to learn Bible stories, share snacks, create art and make friends. We meet in the Youth Room at the end of the hall in Conkey House every Sunday between services from 10:00 – 10:40 a.m.

The Youth Group (ages 8 and up) meets the 2nd and 4th Sunday of every month after the 11:00 a.m. service (12:30 – 1:45 p.m.) for pizza, games and general wackiness. We'd love to have your older child/ren join us! For more information, please reach out to Pam Jones at pengojones@gmail.com.

Adult Forum

At this Sunday's Forum at 10:00 a.m. in Palen Hall, Fr. Robin will present on "Summer Chapels on the Coast of Maine, or How I Spent My Vacation." He will offer a pictorial overview of these seasonal worship sites, explore the origins of this unique ministry, and what we can learn from this ministry for ourselves. All are welcome.

Faith Explorers

When we look around at others, what do we see? What does God see? All will be revealed with art, snacks and discussion this Sunday in the youth room from 10:00 a.m. - 10:40 a.m. All kiddos age 4 and up come join us!! For more info or to assist, please contact Pam at pengojones@gmail.com

Youth Group

Youth Group is this Sunday (12:30 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.) and we will be GOING BANANAS!! Let's figure out how we are all like bananas in some way - and then let's dress as bananas, play games with bananas and finish with banana splits!! Oh yes - there will be lunch first!! For more info please reach out to Pam. Rides home are always available.

Kids' Corner

Every week, kids are discovering who Jesus is - through stories, games, laughter and love. It's beautiful. It's a little chaotic. And it matters more than we realize. Kids Ministry isn't about being perfect or experienced. It's about showing up, loving kids well, and helping shape faith in the next generation.

This is real Kingdom work. Right here. Right now - and honestly...won't you join us? For more info about helping with Faith Explorers or Youth Group, please contact Pam Jones at pengojones@gmail.com.

SAVE THE DATE

Youth Group lock-in coming soon!! September 25 - 26.

Boys' Day at Laser Tag - October 18th right after church. Details coming in email!!

Fall Carnival / Trunk or Treat - Saturday October 31st 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 pm.

**Spiritual Classics with Fr. Simon+,
Tuesdays at 10 a.m. in Palen Hall**

To get ready for our big patronal feast day on October 4th, we are reading the *Life of St Francis* by St Bonaventure in ISBN: 9780809121212. It is fifteen short chapters. On September 1st, we will discuss chapters 1-5. On September 15th, chapters 6-10 (there is no meeting on September 8th due to the annual diocesan Clergy Conference). On September 22nd, we will discuss chapters 11-15. Finally, on September 29th we will wrap everything up to get ready for the big feast day of our Parish's and our City's Patron Saint. Hope you can make it!

**Bible Study with Fr. Simon+,
Wednesdays at 3 p.m. in Palen Hall**

We will continue diving deeply into the Book of Revelation. Bring your Bibles and excitement as we engage this extremely interesting and mysterious material!

**Whirlwind Bible Tour,
Wednesdays at 5:30 p.m. in Palen Hall**

What is the main story of the Bible? What are the primary themes? Where did the Bible come from and how is it put together? What writing styles are in the Bible? What are the historic contexts?

If any of these questions interest you, please join us for a Whirlwind Bible Tour on Wednesday evenings 5:30 p.m. starting August 26, 2026 and continuing until December 16, 2026. We'll meet in Palen Hall.

Please contact Whirlwind Bible Tour Guide Kat Bernhardt at (505) 819-9667 or katbernhardt@mac.com to sign up or to ask any questions.

Women's Spirituality Group Retreat

The Women's Spirituality Group will offer a one-day retreat Saturday, September 19th, 8:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The retreat will focus on the nature and meaning of mercy through scripture, readings, prayer, and discussion. The day will include time for quiet individual contemplation.

Morning coffee or tea and also a light lunch will be provided. There is no cost to participants. If interested, please contact Mtr. Madelynn at mkpriest@msn.com at your earliest convenience, as space is limited. The retreat will gather at the home of Sally Ritch. Do RSVP as a count will be necessary to ensure we will have enough food on hand.

Why Faith Family?

Why would you contact Faith Family? Because we are here for you! If you need help with transportation to a doctor's appointment, the grocery store, or a church service we can help. Or perhaps you'd like someone to visit you when you're homebound, pray with you or visit you in the hospital, please let us know. To contact Faith Family, email your request to faithfamily@holyfaithchurchsf.org. This email address is monitored by our Lead Disciple (*George Case for the month of September*) who will coordinate with our Faith Family volunteers. No access to email? Then call the Church Office at (505) 982-4447 ext.100, and Eli will forward your request for assistance to Faith Family.

We Have a Family! Juarez House Build September 23-26!

Missions Ministries has matched our parish with the Vasquez Esparza family. Bryan and Karime are a young couple raising two daughters, Edna (5) and Sofia (1). For the past two years, the family has owned a piece of land, but because of difficult circumstances, they have not been able to build a home on it. Little by little, they have worked on their property—putting up a fence, planting small trees, and caring for it while holding on to the hope that one day they would have a home of their own. Their faith has also become an important part of their story. When asked what she would like the team coming to build their home to know, Karime wrote: “I would like to thank you even though I don’t know you yet because I know God sent you. I don’t know how to thank you for everything you do and will do for many families. May God bless you all your lives. What will be a beautiful home for us will be a beautiful house for you, where many memories will remain.”

Daughters of the King Meeting

The September meeting will be held at 2:45 p.m, Tuesday, September 15th in the Kinsolving Room. Asenath Keplar will be providing refreshments. Kelly Enos will be taking us through Week One of "7 Feasts, Finding Christ in the Sacred Celebrations of the Old Testament by Erin Davis" All women of the church are invited to join us. Copies of the 7 Feasts books can be found in the top drawer at the entrance to the church office. (Under the green name tag box). You can bring a check for \$16.12 to the meeting on September 15th or leave a check in the mail room in the DOK mailbox. We will cover Week One “The Cure for Spiritual Amnesia” in our meeting on September 15. Here is the link for the Youtube video of Erin Davis covering this section. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2YEaPVngPJk&list=PL5G4jHc5ut3XQ4cYR88eLMysYDn1DceAE&index=1&pp=iAQB>

News from the Cookie Ministry

We are very pleased to report answers to our prayers and appeal for more cookies! Quite a few Parishioners answered the call. I know that I can especially thank the Youth Ministry and Pam Jones and Father Simon for baking and inspiring the youth in our Parish.

Our Ministry ensures that every Sunday there are cookies, brownies, bars, muffins, etc. for all parishioners to partake of after the 8:30 Service and before and after the 11:00 Service. Please consider joining us.

Call or text me at **703-623-7192**.

Thank you very much,
Karen Gahr

Twice Blessed Donations

Bring your new or gently used items to Twice Blessed. We welcome your used Christmas decorations, especially artificial greens. Items may be left outside the door upstairs in Conkey House or in the Guild room behind Palen Hall. Questions? Please contact Cathy Gronquist at cathy@gronquist.org/505-231-4557.

Care Kits

The Outreach Opportunities Committee is sponsoring “Care Kits” for parishioners to take and give to those in need as you meet them around our community. The kits are available in the back of church in the coat rack area and are regularly replenished. Each zip lock contains the basics: water, high protein food, socks, multi-use garbage bag, wipes, and dental care. If you are interested in supporting this on-going project, please identify Care Kits with your donation “If you pour out your heart to the hungry and satisfy the

needs of the afflicted, then your light will rise in the darkness.” Isaiah 58:10 *Thank you for shining your light in our community!*

Nursery Volunteers Needed

We are in need of volunteers for the nursery during the 8:30 a.m. and the 11:00 a.m. services. If you are interested, please email Eli at parishoffice@holyfaithchurchsf.org or call (505) 982-4447.

Stewardship Campaign

Our 2026 Stewardship Campaign “You are the Light of the World” is progressing with 202 pledges totaling \$954,243 for the mission and ministry of Holy Faith. Pledges are gratefully accepted at any time. Pledge cards are available in church. You can also pledge online at <https://holyfaithchurchsf.org/stewardship/>.

Join our Prayer Banner – Let your light shine!

Help us create a “Banner of Light”, by writing your prayer on a gold ribbon, located in Palen Hall. Pray that Holy Faith’s LIGHT GROWS in commitment, membership, ministry, worship, discipleship, community, hospitality, and Spirit led direction. Help us carry the TORCH to light the world. BE SEEN FOR GOD’S GLORY.

From Your Treasurer

Your generosity and robust response to our pledge challenge means we succeeded in blowing past our matching goal. Thank you! And it’s not just the pledge challenge that reflects your commitment to Holy Faith. The Juarez Mission Project now has enough funds not only to build a new home for the Vasquez Esparza family but also to provide them with the appliances needed to make it a true home.

It’s been mentioned before that Holy Faith is blessed to have “faithful non-pledgers” - parishioners who contribute to the worship and ministries of our parish year after year. We’re determining how much of these contributions we can include toward our pledge goal. If the past is any guide, we are hopeful that we’ll soon share the wonderful news that we have reached our \$1 million financial goal.

If you have any questions, please don’t hesitate to reach out to me or to any member of your Vestry. We are grateful for your questions, your participation, and your commitment to Holy Faith as we continue our shared mission to welcome all people into an ever-deepening relationship with Jesus Christ.

Gratefully,

Charles Rountree

Treasurer

Our Prayers ...

For Birthdays

O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servants as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their life.

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Especially for:

Dillon Perea – 15

Paula Price – 18

Hillary Norton – 19

Kay West – 17

M.A. Blake - 19

Charles Rountree - 20

Jim Clem - 17

For Anniversaries

Clayton Lobaugh & Stephanie Montoya Lobaugh – 14

Robin Dodge & Thérèse Saint-André - 20

Will & Annette Hobbs – 17

Jim & Sue Wilder - 20

Kay West & John Molyneaux - 18

Parish Prayer List

(as of September 13, 2026)

Almighty and everliving God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth, hear our prayers for this parish family. Strengthen the faithful, arouse the careless and restore the penitent. Grant us all things necessary for our common life, and bring us all to be of one heart and mind within your holy Church; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Please Pray For:

Sarah, Archbishop of Canterbury
Sean, Presiding Bishop
Michael, Diocesan Bishop

Robin, Rector
Simon, Associate Rector
Madelynn, Assisting Priest
The Vestry and Staff

St. Bede's
Holy Family
First Presbyterian Church
Cathedral Basilica of St. Francis

Keep watch, dear Lord, with those who work, or watch, or weep this night, and give thine angels charge over those who sleep. Tend the sick, Lord Christ; give rest to the weary, bless the dying, soothe the suffering, pity the afflicted, shield the joyous; and all for thy love's sake. Amen.

Within Our Parish Family:

GAIL Allen	KAREN Gahr	DIRK Mathis	JENNIFER Roberts – Carian
PAT Bailey	LOU Gavioli	GRANT McDonald	MARI Russell
BARBARA Barlow	DAN Green	PATTI Merrill	ROBERT Shay
STEVEN Berkshire	IRMA Gutierrez	JOANNE Morrissey	SHERRI Sorensen
RICHARD Brunson	JOHN Heaton	LORA Morton	SUZANNE Spivey
SUSAN Campbell	CHUCK Ingraham	JOEL Olson	PAULA Steinert
LUCY Carian	KRISTAN Kirkpatrick	WES Pacheco	GEORGE Strebeck
MARK Chalfant	JAMES Koch	BOB Parker	LILLIAN Strebeck
JIM Clapp	CLAIRE Kropschot	EMILY Perea	OTTO Strebeck
JULIE Cresswell	WES Lackey	ANITA Pisa	LINDA Thomas
CHRIS Emory	DIANA Lautens	RUTH Rael	SUSAN Weber
LISA Emory	STEPHANIE Lobaugh	JODY Register	JIM Vandernaald
TÉRESE Fayden	JIM Martin	PATRICIA Randolph	KAREN Winter

The Communion of Saints:

John Otter (15 September 2019), John Potter (16 September 2011), Caroline Scheffler (18 September 2009), Kate McGraw (18 September 2015), Stacy Buchsbaum (20 September 2011), Martha Greenway (20 September 2019)

Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses ... let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith.



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