Grace and Holy Trinity Episcopal Cathedral
A Servant Church in the Heart of the City

The Sixth Sunday of Easter
May 22, 2022 • 8 a.m.
Welcome! We are glad you are here.

- If you are a visitor or new attendee, we invite you to fill out a welcome card, found in your pew, and place it in the offering plate or complete the form online. Use this QR code to access the form.
- If you need a hearing assistance device, please ask an usher.
- Restrooms are available in Founders’ Hall. A changing station is available in the restroom at west end (rear) of the Cathedral.

Service Notes

- Page numbers listed are from The Book of Common Prayer. Hymn numbers are from The Hymnal 1982.
- Please rise, as able, for portions of the service marked with an asterisk (*).
- Donations may be placed in the offering, made through the Cathedral website: kccathedral.org, by scanning the QR code to the right or by texting “GIVEtoGHTC” to 73256. Thank you for your generosity.

HOLY EUCHARIST

Voluntary: Adagio, BWV 564/2

Johann Sebastian Bach

The Word of God

* Opening Acclamation and Collect for Purity

Presider: Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People: The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

Presider: 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

All: 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.
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.
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. Amen.
Collect of the Day

Presider The Lord be with you.
People And also with you.
Presider Let us pray.

O God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as surpass our understanding: Pour into our hearts such love towards you, that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Lessons

First Lesson: Acts 16:9–15

Lector During the night Paul had a vision: there stood a man of Macedonia pleading with him and saying, “Come over to Macedonia and help us.” When he had seen the vision, we immediately tried to cross over to Macedonia, being convinced that God had called us to proclaim the good news to them.

We set sail from Troas and took a straight course to Samothrace, the following day to Neapolis, and from there to Philippi, which is a leading city of the district of Macedonia and a Roman colony. We remained in this city for some days. On the sabbath day we went outside the gate by the river, where we supposed there was a place of prayer; and we sat down and spoke to the women who had gathered there. A certain woman named Lydia, a worshiper of God, was listening to us; she was from the city of Thyatira and a dealer in purple cloth. The Lord opened her heart to listen eagerly to what was said by Paul. When she and her household were baptized, she urged us, saying, “If you have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come and stay at my home.” And she prevailed upon us.

The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 67 read alternating by half verse

May God be merciful to us and bless us, *
show us the light of his countenance and come to us.
Let your ways be known upon earth, *
your saving health among all nations.
Let the peoples praise you, O God; *
let all the peoples praise you.
Let the nations be glad and sing for joy, *
for you judge the peoples with equity and guide all the nations upon earth.
Let the peoples praise you, O God; *
let all the peoples praise you.
The earth has brought forth her increase; *
may God, our own God, give us his blessing.
May God give us his blessing, *
and may all the ends of the earth stand in awe of him.


Lector In the spirit the angel carried me away to a great, high mountain and showed me the holy city Jerusalem coming down out of heaven from God.

I saw no temple in the city, for its temple is the Lord God the Almighty and the Lamb. And the city has no need of sun or moon to shine on it, for the glory of God is its light, and its lamp is the Lamb. The nations will walk by its light, and the kings of the earth will bring their glory into it. Its gates will never
be shut by day — and there will be no night there. People will bring into it the glory and the honor of the nations. But nothing unclean will enter it, nor anyone who practices abomination or falsehood, but only those who are written in the Lamb’s book of life.

Then the angel showed me the river of the water of life, bright as crystal, flowing from the throne of God and of the Lamb through the middle of the street of the city. On either side of the river is the tree of life with its twelve kinds of fruit, producing its fruit each month; and the leaves of the tree are for the healing of the nations. Nothing accursed will be found there any more. But the throne of God and of the Lamb will be in it, and his servants will worship him; they will see his face, and his name will be on their foreheads. And there will be no more night; they need no light of lamp or sun, for the Lord God will be their light, and they will reign forever and ever.

The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

* THE HOLY GOSPEL: John 14:23–29

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Gospeller Jesus said to Judas (not Iscariot), “Those who love me will keep my word, and my Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them. Whoever does not love me does not keep my words; and the word that you hear is not mine, but is from the Father who sent me.

“I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid. You heard me say to you, ‘I am going away, and I am coming to you.’ If you loved me, you would rejoice that I am going to the Father, because the Father is greater than I. And now I have told you this before it occurs, so that when it does occur, you may believe.”

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

SERMON

* THE NICENE CREED

All 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 worshiped 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.

* Prayers of the People, Form III  
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Leader  Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;  
People  That we all may be one.  
Leader  Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;  
People  That your Name may be glorified by all people.  
Leader  We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;  
People  That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.  
Leader  We pray especially for Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Diane, our Bishop Provisional; Andy, our Dean; Ryan, our Associate; and Jerry, our Deacon Emeritus.  
Leader  We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;  
People  That there may be justice and peace on the earth.  
Leader  We pray especially for Joe, our President; Mike, our Governor; Quinton, our Mayor; and all mayors and city councils.  
Leader  Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;  
People  That our works may find favor in your sight.  
Leader  Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;  
People  That they may be delivered from their distress.  
Leader  Give to the departed eternal rest.  
People  Let light perpetual shine upon them.  
Leader  We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;  
People  May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.  
Leader  Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.  

Silence  
The People may add their own petitions.  
The Presider adds a concluding Collect.

* The Peace  
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Presider  The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
People  And also with you.
Celebration Prayer

All O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servant(s) 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 lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Holy Communion

Offertory Sentence

Presider Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

Ephesians 5:2

* Offertory Hymn: 538 “God of mercy, God of grace”


* The Great Thanksgiving, Eucharistic Prayer A

Presider The Lord be with you.
People And also with you.
Presider Lift up your hearts.
People We lift them to the Lord.
Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People It is right to give God thanks and praise.
Presider  It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

*Here a Proper Preface is sung or said on all Sundays, and on other occasions as appointed.*

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:

All  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.

Presider  Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord 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 he 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 we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All  Christ has died.  
    Christ is risen.  
    Christ will come again.

Presider  We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. Amen.

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

All  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.
**BREAKING OF THE BREAD**

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

**COMMUNION**

* All are welcome to receive communion or a blessing.
* Intinction of wafers is offered, if desired. For gluten-free bread, cross your hands palms down.
* For a blessing, cross your hands over your chest.

**POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER**

Presider  Let us pray.
People  Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**BLESSING**

May the Lord bless you and keep you.
May the Lord’s face shine upon you and be gracious to you.
May the Lord’s countenance be lifted up to you, and give you peace.
The blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. Amen.

**DISMISSAL**

Following the dismissal,
People  Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.
* SENDING HYMN: 345 “Savior, again to thy dear Name we raise”


Voluntary: Prelude and Fugue in A major, BWV 536

Johann Sebastian Bach

Serving Today

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**Announcements for the Week of May 22, 2022**

**Upcoming Events**

**All Parish Breakfast**
Sunday, May 22 • 9:15 a.m.
Join us between morning services for a catered breakfast. Please stop by and share a moment of fellowship.

**College Welcome Home Gathering**
Sunday, May 22 • 11:45 a.m. • Lower Founders’
We will be welcoming our college students home for the summer Sunday, May 22. All are welcome to this lunch gathering. Contact Clare, cstern@kccathedral.org, to RSVP for this delicious Chipotle lunch!

**Young Adult Coffee and Conversation**
Thursday, May 26 • 9:30–10:30 a.m.
College students will be welcome to these discussions too. Theme for first discussion will be Women in the Episcopal Church. Contact Clare, cstern@kccathedral.org, for more information.

**Parish Picnic**
Sunday, June 5 • 11:45 a.m.
Join us for a picnic lunch in the courtyard outside of Founders’ Hall. The Cathedral will provide the main course. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. We’ll also have activities for kids of all ages. This is a great Sunday to invite a friend or neighbor to worship with you. Dress casually and enjoy this time of fun and fellowship!

**Downtown Neighborhood Association Meeting**
Tuesday, June 7 • 6:30 p.m.
Come meet your Fourth District Councilpersons Eric Bunch and Katheryn Shields (Tentative) as they discuss the issues facing downtown KCMO. The discussion will begin at 6:30 p.m. followed by time for questions and answers. You are also welcome to attend DNA’s brief monthly board meeting at 6 p.m. Get more details at dnakcmo.org.

**Photo Directory**

We’re getting ready to publish a new photo directory. Having a photo directory will help us all put faces and names together! We want every person to be included!

**PHOTO DATES:**
- Sunday, May 22, 9–10:20 a.m.; 11:45 a.m.–2 p.m.
- Wednesday, June 1, 4–7 p.m.
- Sunday, June 12, 9–10:20 a.m.; 11:45 a.m.–2 p.m.

Sign up to get your photo taken at signupgenius.com/go/20F0C4AA8A82EAOFSF85-photo.
You may also log in to Realm and upload your own photo. Contact Janet Sweeting, jsweeting@kccathedral.org, if you have questions about accessing your Realm account.

**May Onesie Drive**

Please remember the mothers and their newborns in Haiti during the month of May with your generous gift of onesies. The best sizes are newborn to six months. Short sleeves only, it gets hot in Haiti. There will be a table in the Tower where your gifts of onesies can be left. Thank you for your kind and generous giving.

**Getting to Know You**

Let’s get to know each other! Canon Ryan would like to buy you a beverage at the establishment of your choice, to chat about serious stuff, trivial stuff, religious stuff or personal stuff. Your call. Visit kccathedral.org/canon.
**Adults**

**LEARNING TO PRAY** • Sundays • 9:15 a.m. • Haden Hall Purple Room • In person

Deacon Emeritus Jerry will be leading a class using *Learning to Pray: A Guide for Everyone* by James Martin, SJ. From Amazon: *Learning to Pray* explains what prayer is, what to expect from praying, how to do it, and how it can transform us when we make it a regular practice in our lives. Please register with Jerry, j.grabher3@gmail.com, if interested.

**WHAT TO EXPECT AT GENERAL CONVENTION** • Sundays, June 5–19 • 9:15 a.m. • Common Room • Hybrid

Please join Dean Andy and our Lay Deputy and second alternate Lay Deputy, Curtis Hamilton and Christine Morrison, as we discuss what will come before the General Convention this July in Baltimore.

Interested in being a delegate to the General Convention? Contact Dean Andy, akeyse@kccathedral.org, if interested.

**GHTC’S DIGITAL CAFE** • Tuesdays • 7:30 a.m.

Please join us for our weekly conversation in GHTC’s Digital Cafe! Tuesday mornings from 7:30–9 a.m. For details, visit kccathedral.org/other-activities.

**WOMEN’S BIBLE STUDY** • Tuesdays • 12:30 p.m.

WBS is currently exploring Adam Hamilton’s *The Call: The Life and Message of the Apostle Paul*. In *The Call* we’ll “follow the journeys of Paul, beginning with his dramatic conversion, as he spread the Gospel through modern-day Greece and Turkey. Travel to the early church sites and explore Paul’s conversations with the Romans, Corinthians, Galatians, Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians and Thessalonians. In this six-week study, you are invited to experience faith through Christ’s greatest teacher and missionary.” Visit the WBS page, kccathedral.org/adultformation/wbs for more information.

**LECTIONARY BIBLE STUDY** • Tuesday, May 24 • 6:45 p.m.

Readings: Seventh Sunday of Easter, Year C

Join the Lectionary Bible Study group in Realm or visit the LBS page, kccathedral.org/adultformation/lbs for more details.

**Children**

**CHILDREN’S FORMATION**

Sundays • 9:15 a.m.

Children are invited into a time of dynamic storytelling that communicates the story of the people of God and the liturgy of the church. *Children’s Choir is on hiatus for the summer.* Following Formation, the kids will transition into Cathedral Kids. Cathedral Kids is during the first half of the 10:30 a.m. worship service. Children attending Cathedral Kids will meet their parents or guardians inside the Tower doors during the passing of the peace. Questions? Contact Brittany, childrensformation@kccathedral.org.

**Youth**

**YOUTH FORMATION**

Sundays • 9:15 a.m.

Sundays, 9:15 a.m.—Join us for formation in the Youth Room Sunday mornings.

Wednesday Youth Group gatherings are on hiatus until fall.

Find us online—Facebook: Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral Youth and College Ministry and request to join! This group is open to youth and parents. Instagram: @GHTCyouthankollegeministry. Information and signups are often found on our linktree, linktr.ee/ghtcyouthandcollegeministry.

Questions? Contact Clare at cstern@kccathedral.org.
Cathedral Prayer List

**Pray for:** Lon Wiksell; Thaddeus S. Withers; Ramona Pansegrau; Kelsey Ivana Hellebuyck; Phyllis and Jim Shaffer; Jeri Hatteberg; Susan Dean; Sonia; Marta Bainum; Jim Grubb; Ian Mattson; Karen Eilers; Karen Bates; Rick Caldwell; Marilyn Tebow; Craig Heslop; Alan Ryder; Pat Miller; Pat & Larry Martin; Richard Morse; Joe Finnie; Peggy Morgan; Emma Crockett; Ken McCandless; Jan Frizzle; Jim Nash; Charlotte Colburn; Eric Fridman; Audren Gaboriau; Hilary Gaboriau; Chris Kemper; Jennifer; Mary Lagergren; Doris Biellier; Gaelle Marchand; Jim Royer; Kay Bowman-Harvey; Dennis & Kathy Meehan; Jean Rau; Andrea Schooling; Bill DeBauche; James Hyatt; Christopher Way & family; Joyce Denton and the Moreno-Denton family; Roger & Joyce Sweating; Chet & Gudrun Neumann; Andy Burbano; Brad Kilpatrick; Junior Garcia; Miriam Marrs; for the people of the Ukraine; All those with loved ones suffering from COVID-19; Dani; Stan; Frances Buckner & Nicolas Miller; Tyson Prather; Nancy Warren; Brett Chapin's family; Sydney Estell; Andrew Rowland

**Youth & Children’s Prayers:** the Geneva Presbyterian Church and people of Laguna Woods; the people and city of Buffalo; a safe and healthy summer; for my dog Abby who is with Jesus; that God will help me to be a good friend; in thanksgiving for our new playground; for all those who are being bullied

**Comfort and Peace:** the Reed family; the Zonone & Bennett family; the Stewart family; the Miller family; the Goddard family; the Tally family; the Bost & England family; the Wyatt family; the Thompson & Cohoon families; the McGee & Lyon families; the Saladino family; the Schneider & Lehmann families; the Wilson family

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**For the complete prayer list:** kccathedral.org/prayers.

To place a person on this prayer list, please contact Janet Sweating, jsweeting@kccathedral.org.

Requests are held in prayer for 90 days.

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**Birthdays & Anniversaries**

- **May 22**
  - George Verschelden
  - Jim & Kathy Jennings

- **May 23**
  - Brad Amer

- **May 24**
  - Vangie Rich
  - Cathy & Tony Carillo
  - Kathy & Kirkland Gates

- **May 25**
  - Michelle Obiesie

- **May 26**
  - Paget Higgins

- **May 28**
  - Dorothy Gershman

Please contact the Cathedral office if we have omitted your birthday or anniversary: 816.474.8260 or jsweeting@kccathedral.org.

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**Today’s Flowers**

- in thanksgiving for my daughter, Betsy Leonard—Carolyn McLeroy
- with our love and thanksgiving for the life of Fiona Schaefer—the Trinity Choir
- in loving memory of Bev Bilotta—the Bilotta family
- in loving memory of Landon Rowland—Sarah Rowland

To help provide flowers for upcoming services, contact Janet Sweating, jsweeting@kccathedral.org.

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