



ST. GEORGE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
in the heart of the historic Stockade District  
**The Fifth Sunday after Pentecost — 24 June 2018**  
**High Mass — Rite I, 10AM**  
The Rev'd John L. Scott, *Celebrant & Preacher*  
David Kennison, *Master of Ceremonies*

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**Setting of the Eucharist** *Communion Service* John Merbecke b. 1932

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**Voluntary** *Berceuse* Louis Vierne 1870–1937

**At the Procession: Hymnal 372** Praise to the living God! *Leoni*

**Opening Acclamation and Collect for Purity** **Prayer Book p. 323**

**Kyrie eleison: Hymnal S 90 &**  
**Gloria in excelsis: Hymnal S 201** John Merbecke

**The Collect of the Day**

O Almighty God, who hast built thy Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone: Grant us so to be joined together in unity of spirit by their doctrine, that we may be made an holy temple acceptable unto thee; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**The First Lesson** *Please be seated.* Job 38:1-11

The LORD answered Job out of the whirlwind:

"Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge? Gird up your loins like a man, I will question you, and you shall declare to me.

"Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth? Tell me, if you have understanding. Who determined its measurements—surely you know! Or who stretched the line upon it? On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone when the morning stars sang together and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy?

"Or who shut in the sea with doors when it burst out from the womb?—when I made the clouds its garment, and thick darkness its swaddling band, and prescribed bounds for it, and set bars and doors, and said, 'Thus far shall you come, and no farther, and here shall your proud waves be stopped?'"

*Lector* The Word of the Lord.  
*People* **Thanks be to God.**

**At the Gradual: Psalm 107:1-3, 23-32** *Confitemini Domino* *Sung by a cantor*

1 Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, \*  
and his mercy endures for ever.

2 Let all those whom the Lord has redeemed proclaim \*  
that he redeemed them from the hand of the foe.

3 He gathered them out of the lands; \*  
from the east and from the west,  
from the north and from the south.

23 Some went down to the sea in ships \*  
and plied their trade in deep waters;

24 They beheld the works of the Lord \*  
and his wonders in the deep.

25 Then he spoke, and a stormy wind arose, \*  
which tossed high the waves of the sea.

26 They mounted up to the heavens and fell back to the  
depths; \*their hearts melted because of their peril.

27 They reeled and staggered like drunkards \*  
and were at their wits' end.

28 Then they cried to the Lord in their trouble,  
and he delivered them from their distress.

29 He stilled the storm to a whisper \*  
and quieted the waves of the sea.

30 Then were they glad because of the calm, \*  
and he brought them to the harbor they were bound for.

31 Let them give thanks to the Lord for his mercy \*  
and the wonders he does for his children.

32 Let them exalt him in the congregation of the people \*  
and praise him in the council of the elders.

**The Second Lesson** *2 Corinthians 6:1-13*

As we work together with Christ, we urge you also not to accept the grace of God in vain. For he says, "At an acceptable time I have listened to you, and on a day of salvation I have helped you."



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.

**Greeting & Announcements**

*Please be seated.*

*Please stand.*

**At the Offertory: Hymnal 535**

Ye servants of God

*Paderborn*

**Sursum corda, Hymnal S 120**

**Sanctus & Benedictus: S 113**

*Sung by all.*

Merbecke

**Eucharistic Prayer I, continued**

**Prayer Book p. 334**

**The Lord's Prayer, traditional version**

*Sung by all.*

**Hymnal, S 119**

**Pascha nostrum**

**Hymnal, S 152**

**The Peace**

*Celebrant*

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People*

**And with thy spirit.**

**Agnus Dei: S 157**

*Sung by all.*

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**The Prayer of Humble Access**

*Said by all.*

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.

**The Invitation to Communion**

*Celebrant*

Behold the Lamb of God. Behold him who takest away the sins of the world.

*People*

**Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldst come under my roof, but speak the word only and my soul shall be healed.**

**At the Communion: Hymn 565**

He who would valiant be

*Monk's Gate*

**Post-Communion Prayer**

**Prayer Book p. 339**

**Blessing & Dismissal**

**Prayer Book p. 339**

**At the Procession: Hymnal 432**

O praise ye Lord!

*Laudate Dominum*

**Voluntary**

*Prelude in A Minor, BWV 543*

Johann Sebastian Bach 1685–1750

*Altar Servers*

Steve Hartz, Alice Pumbo, JJ Moran, Anna Thiessen, Cora Wareh

*Thurifer*

Christopher Henry

*Lector*

Alice Pumbo

*Greeters:*

Jim Wingate, Rich Unger

*Counters:*

Rich Unger, Paul Smigelski

**Our Thanksgivings**

*Birthdays: Cora Wareh 6/20, Dorothy Kennison 6/21*

*Anniversaries: Bob & Lynn Paska 6/28*

**Our Intercessions**

*[If there is no longer a need for a name to be present on this list, please notify parish administrator Bob McCloskey at office@stgeorgesschenectady.org]*

*The Sick and those in need:* Dorothy, Larry, Bob H., Joan P., Jill, Aileen, Craig, Shirley, Nicholas, Kate, Robert H., Martha, Loren & family, Pat, Dagmar Mary, Douglas, Alice, Patricia, George, Katherine, Michele, Ken, Polly, Christian, Francis, Daniel, Richard, Melissa, Andrea, Allen, Ed C., Barbara O., Bill, Douglas, and Lisa.

## THIS WEEK AT St. GEORGE'S

MORNING PRAYER: Wednesday— Friday 8:30 a.m.

EVENING PRAYER: Wednesday –Friday 5:00 p.m.

HOLY EUCHARIST: Friday 12:15 p.m.

NEXT SUNDAY: **The Sixth Sunday after Pentecost**

9:00 am Bible Study (Shaw Lounge)

9:30 a.m. Morning Prayer, *Lady Chapel*

10:00 a.m. High Mass, *followed by* coffee in the Great Hall

### PARISH NOTICES

**WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS!** We are glad that you have chosen to be with us today. Please complete a visitor card and hand it to Father Matt as you leave (or drop it in the offering plates), and please consider joining us for warm and lively fellowship at our coffee reception in the Great Hall after the service.

**MUG SALE** Please consider purchasing a new Saint George's mug for yourself, your friends, and another for a visitor at \$10 apiece. How about one for home, and another for the office?

**CITY MISSION FOOD DONATIONS** Please remember The City Mission when grocery shopping. The City Mission uses ALL donated food in its kitchen to prepare meals for those seeking nourishment.

**WEEKLY SHAPENOTE SINGING** Every Wednesday, 6-8 p.m. in the Great Hall. All are welcome to drop in and sing hymns from the Sacred Harp tune book. More information at [albanysacredharp.org](http://albanysacredharp.org), or by speaking to Tarik Wareh.

Monthly **THEOLOGY ON TAP** At the Van Dyck, June 28 @ 7:00 p.m. Our topic will be “Prayer: How do I pray? Does it make a difference?”

**ALL ON THE SAME PAGE** St. George's book club members are reading *Varina* by Charles Frazier. The title character, widow of Confederate President Jefferson Davis, reflects on the difficulties she encountered in life, including profound regrets over the Civil War. All are welcome to attend the discussion in the Great Hall following Mass on Sunday, September 9.

An Independence holiday **CHURCH PICNIC** will be held at the rectory on Tuesday, July 3<sup>rd</sup> at 5:30 followed by fireworks at Riverside park. Please RSVP to April Stromberg at [awstromberg@gmail.com](mailto:awstromberg@gmail.com) or 610-247-6557

Saint George's is very proud of its **ASSISTED LIVING MINISTRY** in which volunteers lead worship at a number of facilities in our community once a month. If you would like more information about this ministry or to volunteer please contact Alice at [rpolumbo@hotmail.com](mailto:rpolumbo@hotmail.com)

Fr. Matt will be away for his brother's wedding from June 21<sup>st</sup>-June 25<sup>th</sup>. For any pastoral care needs Fr. Brad Jones, Rector, of Christ Church has agreed to fill in for Fr. Matt. Fr. Jones' number is 518-374-3064.

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