

# Christ Church Grosse Pointe

THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST: PROPER 11

JULY 20, 2025 ✠ 10 AM

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*Welcome to this service of Holy Eucharist at Christ Church Grosse Pointe. We hope that this service will help lift you to the presence of God and strengthen you for the week to come.*

*Scripture readings are printed in Currents (leaflet insert).*

*Hymns are found in the red hymnal in your pew.*

*'S' numbers refer to service music found in the front of the hymnal.*

*BCP refers to the Book of Common Prayer.*

## Holy Eucharist: Rite II

VOLUNTARY

TRIO IN F

*Maddelena Sirmen  
(1745-1818)*

### ❧ The Entrance Rite ❧

#### THE ANNOUNCEMENTS

*The people stand for the hymn.*

**HYMN 495**

**HAIL, THOU ONCE DESPISED JESUS!**

*In Babilone*

#### OPENING ACCLAMATION

*Celebrant* Blessed be our God.

*People* **For ever and ever. Amen.**

*The Celebrant prays the Collect for Purity, and the people respond **Amen.***

#### SONG OF PRAISE

*The children follow the Children's Cross to the  
Chancel steps during the Song of Praise.*



As we wor-ship you to-day, guide us in the Sav-ior's way.  
In the heav-en-ly coun-try bright none shall need cre-a-ted light;



And may we with fer-vent prayer, yield our-selves to Je-sus' care.  
you, its light, its joy, its crown, you, its sun which goes not down;



Now we give our gifts to you, take our lives and makethem new.  
there up-on you may we gaze, off-ring you e-ter-nal praise.

## ❧ The Word of God ❧

### THE COLLECT FOR THE DAY

*Celebrant* God be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

Let us pray.

Almighty God, the fountain of all wisdom, you know our necessities before we ask and our ignorance in asking: Have compassion on our weakness, and mercifully give us those things which for our unworthiness we dare not, and for our blindness we cannot ask; through the worthiness of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

*People* **Amen.**

*The Celebrant dismisses the children to Children's Chapel, and the people respond* **Amen.**

*The people are seated for the reading and the Psalm.*

### THE READING

Colossians 1:15-28

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

### PSALM 15

*The people stand for the hymn and remain standing for the Gospel.*

### HYMN 488

BE THOU MY VISION

*Slane*

### THE GOSPEL

Luke 10:38-42

*Gospeller* The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Luke.

*People* **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

*The Gospel is read.*

The Gospel of the Lord.

*People* **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

*The people are seated at the invitation of the preacher.*

### THE SERMON

The Reverend Maureen L. Martin

*A brief period of silence is observed for reflection on the sermon.*

*The people stand.*

### 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.

#### THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

- Intercessor* Let us pray for the Church and for the world.
- People* Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;  
**That we all may be one.**
- People* We pray for those on our parish cycle of prayer (*N.*). Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;  
**That your Name may be glorified by all people.**
- People* We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;  
**That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.**
- People* We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;  
**That there may be justice and peace on the earth.**
- People* Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;  
**That our works may find favor in your sight.**
- People* We pray for *N.* Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;  
**That they may be delivered from their distress.**
- People* We pray for those who have died (*N.*).  
 Give to the departed eternal rest.  
**Let light perpetual shine upon them.**
- People* We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;  
**May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.**
- Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.
- The people may add their own petitions.*



## ❧ The Holy Communion ❧

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Eucharistic Prayer C, BCP, p. 369

*Celebrant* God be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

*People* **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People* **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

God of all power, Ruler of the Universe,

you are worthy of glory and praise.

*People* **Glory to you for ever and ever.**

At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

*People* **By your will they were created and have their being.**

From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

*People* **Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.**

Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

*People* **By his blood, he reconciled us.**

**By his wounds, we are healed.**

And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

### SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS - S 129

*The people remain standing as the Celebrant gives thanks for the reconciling work of Christ through his passion and resurrection and prays over the bread and wine.*

Remembering now his work of redemption,  
and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,

*People* **We celebrate his death and resurrection,  
as we await the day of his coming.**

Lord God of our ancestors: God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; God of Tamar, Rahab, Ruth and Mary; God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

*People* **Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.**

Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation.

*People*      **AMEN.**

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

*A period of silence is kept.*

*Celebrant*      We break this bread to share in the Body of Christ.

*People*      **We who are many are one body,  
for we all share in the one bread.**

#### THE INVITATION

*To receive Communion, come to the Communion Station or to the Altar Rail. If you wish to receive a blessing rather than Communion, cross your arms over your chest—this will alert the priest to your request. Gluten free wafers are available upon request.*

#### AGNUS DEI - S 163

*The people are seated.*

#### VOLUNTARY

BALM IN GILEAD

*Richard Billingham  
(b. 1934)*

#### THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

*The people stand.*

*Celebrant*      Let us pray.

*People*      **God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.**

#### THE BLESSING & DISMISSAL

*Celebrant*      God be with you.

*People*      **And also with you.**

*The Celebrant blesses the people.*

*People*      **Amen.**

*The Gospeller dismisses the people.*

*People*      **Thanks be to God.**

#### HYMN 423

IMMORTAL, INVISIBLE, GOD ONLY WISE

*St. Denio*

#### VOLUNTARY

SINFONIA, FROM *CANTATA NO. 29*      *Johann Sebastian Bach  
(1685-1750)*