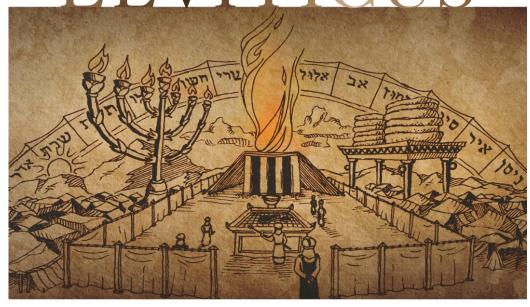


LEVITICUS



PART II

AUGUST 17, 2025
THE TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

WELCOME!

We're so glad you chose to worship with us today! We are a new church in Madison with a vision to be a community coming home to Jesus and his Church. We long to see those who feel disconnected from Jesus and disenchanted with church find their way back to God and be reintroduced—in a compelling and accessible way—to the historic Christian church.

As an Anglican church, we follow a liturgy every Sunday which allows us to participate in worship together. In the first part of our service, God meets us in His word. In the second, God meets us as we come together around His table. You may recognize some familiar things if you've been to church before, or it might all be new; whatever your background, we're thrilled you're here and you don't need to know anything special to participate. This bulletin has everything necessary to follow along.

We are a part of a larger movement of churches throughout the Midwest with a heart to see a revival of Word and Sacrament, infused with the Holy Spirit.

To learn more or connect with us in person, reach out to me (Scott) or Kaitlyn (our Ministry Director), and come to our upcoming Welcome Dinner. We'd love to meet you.

Fr. Scott Cunningham

SUNDAY WORSHIP

Sundays, 10am Memorial High School

EUCHARIST DELIVERY

Contact Dcn. Kaitlyn (below)

MORNING PRAYER: 7AM

Wed: 4477 Crescent Road, #2 Mon, Tue, Thur, Fri: Zoom Contact Dcn. Kaitlyn (below) for link.

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NEXT WELCOME DINNER:

Thur, 9/18, 7:30pm, 617 Charles Ln

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Processional Hymn

How Firm A Foundation

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THE WORD OF GOD

In the first half of the service, we encounter God by hearing and responding to his truth in the Bible.

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

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

CELEBRANT: Let us pray,

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.

ALL: Amen.

The Summary of the Law

CELEBRANT: Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ says:

You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets.

Matthew 22:37-40

Holy God, Holy and Mighty, Holy Immortal One,

ALL: Have mercy on us.

ST. PATRICK'S PRAYER

Christ be with me, Christ within me Christ behind me, Christ before me Christ beside me, Christ to win me Christ to comfort and restore me

Christ beneath me, Christ above me Christ in quiet, Christ in danger Christ in hearts of all that love me Christ in mouth of friend and stranger Chorus

So I bind myself unto The strong name of the Trinity I believe the Three in One Father, Son, and Holy Ghost

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The Gloria

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.

The Collect of the Day

A brief prayer on the theme of the day.

CELEBRANT: Let us pray.

Keep your Church, O Lord, by your perpetual mercy; and because without you the frailty of our nature causes us to fall, keep us from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable for our salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

PEOPLE: Amen.

Sending of the Children

Children gather with their shepherd at the back to continue worship in Treehouse.

PEOPLE: The Lord be with you.

CHILDREN: And also with you.

PEOPLE: May the Word of the Lord grow in your hearts.

CHILDREN: Thanks be to God!

PEOPLE: Go in the peace of the Lord.



[&]quot;Gloria" Music by Scott & Marissa Cunningham, 2022

The Lessons

READER: A reading from the book of Leviticus.

LEVITICUS 24:1-9

¹ The LORD spoke to Moses, saying, ² "Command the people of Israel to bring you pure oil from beaten olives for the lamp, that a light may be kept burning regularly. ³ Outside the veil of the testimony, in the tent of meeting, Aaron shall arrange it from evening to morning before the LORD regularly. It shall be a statute forever throughout your generations. ⁴ He shall arrange the lamps on the lampstand of pure gold before the LORD regularly.

⁵ "You shall take fine flour and bake twelve loaves from it; two tenths of an

READER: The Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

ephah shall be in each loaf. ⁶ And you shall set them in two piles, six in a pile, on the table of pure gold before the LORD. ⁷ And you shall put pure frankincense on each pile, that it may go with the bread as a memorial portion as a food offering to the LORD. ⁸ Every Sabbath day Aaron shall arrange it before the LORD regularly; it is from the people of Israel as a covenant forever. ⁹ And it shall be for Aaron and his sons, and they shall eat it in a holy place, since it is for him a most holy portion out of the LORD's food offerings, a perpetual due."

PSALM 36

- ¹ My heart shows me the wickedness of the ungodly; * there is no fear of God before his eyes.
- ² For he flatters himself in his own sight, * until his abominable sin is found out.
- ³ The words of his mouth are unrighteous and full of deceit; * he has left off behaving wisely and doing good.
- ⁴ He imagines mischief upon his bed, and has set himself in no good way; * neither does he abhor anything that is evil.
- ⁵ Your mercy, O LORD, reaches to the heavens, * and your faithfulness to the clouds.

- ⁶ Your righteousness stands like the strong mountains; your judgments are like the great deep; *
 - you, LORD, shall save both man and beast.
- ⁷ How excellent is your mercy, O God! *
 The children of men shall take refuge under the shadow of your wings.
- ⁸ They shall be satisfied with the plenteousness of your house, * and you shall give them drink from your pleasures as out of a river.
- 9 For with you is the well of life, * and in your light shall we see light.
- ¹⁰ O continue your loving-kindness to those who know you, * and your righteousness to those who are true of heart.
- ¹¹ O let not the foot of the proud come against me, * and let not the hand of the ungodly cast me down.
- ¹² There have they fallen, all those who work wickedness; * they are cast down, and shall not be able to rise.

READER: A reading from the Book of Revelation.

REVELATION 1:9-20

⁹ I, John, your brother and partner in the tribulation and the kingdom and the patient endurance that are in Jesus, was on the island called Patmos on account of the word of God and the testimony of Jesus. ¹⁰ I was in the Spirit on the Lord's day, and I heard behind me a loud voice like a trumpet ¹¹ saying, "Write what you see in a book and send it to the seven churches, to Ephesus and to Smyrna and to Pergamum and to Thyatira and to Sardis and to Philadelphia and to Laodicea."

¹² Then I turned to see the voice that

was speaking to me, and on turning I saw seven golden lampstands, ¹³ and in the midst of the lampstands one like a son of man, clothed with a long robe and with a golden sash around his chest. ¹⁴ The hairs of his head were white, like white wool, like snow. His eyes were like a flame of fire, ¹⁵ his feet were like burnished bronze, refined in a furnace, and his voice was like the roar of many waters. ¹⁶ In his right hand he held seven stars, from his mouth came a sharp two-edged sword, and his face was like the sun shining in full strength.

¹⁷ When I saw him, I fell at his feet as though dead. But he laid his right hand on me, saying, "Fear not, I am the first and the last, ¹⁸ and the living one. I died, and behold I am alive forevermore, and I have the keys of Death and Hades.
¹⁹ Write therefore the things that you

have seen, those that are and those that are to take place after this. ²⁰ As for the mystery of the seven stars that you saw in my right hand, and the seven golden lampstands, the seven stars are the angels of the seven churches, and the seven lampstands are the seven churches.

READER: The Word of the Lord.
PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

ALLELUIA

Please stand for the Gospel reading.

DEACON: The holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to John.

PEOPLE: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

JOHN 1:1-14

¹ In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. ² He was in the beginning with God. ³ All things were made through him, and without him was not any thing made that was made. ⁴ In him was life, and the life was the light of men. ⁵ The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.

⁶ There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. ⁷ He came as a witness, to bear witness about the light, that all might believe through him. ⁸ He was not the light, but came to bear witness about the light.

DEACON: The Gospel of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

⁹ The true light, which gives light to everyone, was coming into the world. ¹⁰ He was in the world, and the world was made through him, yet the world did not know him. ¹¹ He came to his own, and his own people did not receive him. ¹² But to all who did receive him, who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God, ¹³ who were born, not of blood nor of the will of the flesh nor of the will of man, but of God.

¹⁴ And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth.

ALLELUIA

Basking in the Light of God's Presence

— Fr. Scott Cunningham	

The Nicene Creed

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

LEADER: Lord, in your mercy:

ALL: Hear our prayer.

CELEBRANT: Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for the sake of Jesus Christ, our only Me-

diator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

one God, now and forever. Amen.

Confession of Sin

Please be seated or kneel. There will be a time of silence.

DEACON: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

ALL: Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you

in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done,

and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart;

we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.

We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.

For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,

have mercy on us and forgive us;

that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways,

to the glory of your Name. Amen.

CELEBRANT: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgive-

ness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to 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.

ALL: Amen.

The Peace

Please extend a greeting to one another. Please pick up your children from Treehouse.

CELEBRANT: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

PEOPLE: And also with you.

The Offertory

CELEBRANT: Let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven.

Matthew 5:16

IN THE LORD I'LL BE EVER THANKFUL



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THE HOLY COMMUNION

In the second part of the service, we encounter God at his table.

Doxology

Please stand.

ALL: 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. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

CELEBRANT: The Lord be with you.

PEOPLE: And also with you.

CELEBRANT: Lift up your hearts.

PEOPLE: We lift them up to the Lord.

CELEBRANT: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

PEOPLE: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

CELEBRANT: ... 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.

"Sanctus," music by Scott Cunningham, 2017

CELEBRANT: ... Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

ALL: Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

CELEBRANT: ... 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.

ALL: AMEN.

CELEBRANT: And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray:

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

CELEBRANT: Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

PEOPLE: Therefore let us keep the feast! Alleluia!

CELEBRANT: 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.

All who are baptized in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit and are committed to following Jesus are welcome to receive Communion.

The chalices contain wine and the trays contain grape juice. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.

If you would like to receive Communion but are unable to come forward due to physical limitations, please let one of the ushers know and the Eucharist Ministry team will come serve you at the end.

Trained prayer ministers are available at the back to confidentially pray for any needs you have.

Behold (Psalm 27)

One thing I ask of the Lord
One thing I seek
That I may dwell in the House of the Lord
All of my days
To behold the fair beauty
To behold the beauty
Of the Lord and to seek Him in His Temple

He is my Light and Salvation
Whom shall I fear?
He is the strength of my life
Why be afraid?
He will hide me in His shelter
In His tent of dwelling
In time of trouble He sets me high on a rock

Hear me, O Lord, when I cry out
Be gracious to me
You want me to seek your face
Your face I seek
You are God of my salvation
You have been my help though my
Father and mother forsake me You take me in

I believe I'll see the goodness of the Lord The beauty of our God If I wait upon the Lord

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IN YOUR HOUSE (PSLAM 84)

How lovely is your dwelling place Oh Lord of haven walls With all I am I cry to you You are the living God

The sparrow finds a resting place The swallow builds a home I long to come and find my place At your table Lord

Chorus

Better is one day
Better is one day in your house
Better is one day
Than a thousand elsewhere

You've built a highway in my heart
To your city gates
And though I walk through weeping now
Your joy will lead me home

For you oh Lord are my sun and shield No good thing will you withhold Forever I will dwell with you At the altar of your love Word

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YOU HOLD IT ALL TOGETHER

You come at the right time When I least expect it never behind So why would I be surprised When You deliver every time

On mountaintops You stay the same In valleys low You never change

Chorus

And I believe that I will see The goodness of the Lord I'm confident as seasons change Your faithfulness remains

You go You go before me To prepare a blessing You make a way It's more than I could imagine More than I can fathom Or comprehend

God of my present God of my future You write my story You hold it all together

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The Prayer of Thanksgiving

CELEBRANT: Let us pray.

PEOPLE: Heavenly Father,

We thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food

of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ;

and for assuring us in these holy mysteries

that we are living members of the body of your Son,

and heirs of your eternal Kingdom.

And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord.

To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit,

be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

The Blessing

CELEBRANT: The peace of God, which passes 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 among you, and remain

with you always.

ALL: Amen.

Recessional Hymn

IN CHRIST ALONE

In Christ alone my hope is found He is my light my strength my song This Cornerstone this solid Ground Firm through the fiercest drought and storm

What heights of love what depths of peace When fears are stilled when strivings cease My Comforter my All in All Here in the love of Christ I stand

In Christ alone who took on flesh
Fullness of God in helpless babe
This gift of love and righteousness
Scorned by the ones He came to save
Till on that cross as Jesus died
The wrath of God was satisfied
For every sin on Him was laid
Here in the death of Christ I live

There in the ground His body lay
Light of the world by darkness slain
Then bursting forth in glorious Day
Up from the grave He rose again
And as He stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me
For I am His and He is mine
Bought with the precious blood of Christ

No guilt in life no fear in death
This is the power of Christ in me
From life's first cry to final breath
Jesus commands my destiny
No power of hell no scheme of man
Can ever pluck me from His hand
Till He returns or calls me home
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

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The Dismissal

DEACON: Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHURCH AT GREEN LAKE

Sunday, 8/24, 10am, Green Lake Conference Center (W2511 WI-23)

Next Sunday our service will be held at Green Lake Conference Center as we close our All Church Retreat. Even if you did not sign-up for the the All Church Retreat, you are still welcome to make the journey for our Sunday morning service at Green Lake! We will be worshipping together with our sister congregation, Church of the Incarnation.

MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL

Sunday, 8/31, 10am, Memorial High School (201 S Gammon Rd)

Starting on August 31st, we will be meeting for worship in the Performing Arts Center of Vel Phillips Memorial High School. DIRECTIONS: park on the north side of the building and enter on that side of the school (not through the main entrance). We look forward to having you with us!

CHRISTIAN FOUNDATIONS



Starting on September 7th, and running for 8 weeks on Sunday afternoons, Foundations is for everyone! If you haven't participated in it yet, we highly encourage you to join this Fall. This is the pathway to baptism, and joining the church through confirmation. Sign-up wit the QR code or at https://christchurchmadison.com/membership

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NEXT SUNDAY:

All Church Retreat
Green Lake Conference Center, Green Lake, WI

AFTER THAT (STARTING 8/31):

Memorial High School 201 S Gammon Road



NEW TO CHRIST CHURCH?

We'd love to meet you, and we have a gift we'd like to give you! Come meet us at the Welcome table in the lobby after the service.

Scan the QR Code to fill out our Connection form online.