



ST. HELENA'S

— ANGLICAN —

The Tenth Sunday After Pentecost
August 17, 2025
10:30 am

Welcome!

Whether you are visiting or looking for a new church home,
we rejoice that you are here to worship with us today.

Please take a moment to connect with us so that we might
welcome you more personally. Please scan the QR code below or
sign our online guestbook at www.sthelenas1712.org/guestbook.

We look forward to saying hello!



Nursery: Children ages kindergarten and older are encouraged
to worship with their families in the church.

A nursery is available in Tyndale Hall for children
ages 4 and under during the 10:30 am service.

An usher can direct you to Tyndale Hall.

Liturgy of the Word

Opening Voluntaries: Softly and Tenderly, Jesus is Calling
arr. Dale Wood

Jubilate, Alleluia! Douglas E. Wagner
The Handbell Choir

Choral Introit: R. Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)

O Taste and See

O taste and see how gracious the Lord is:
blest is the man that trusteth in him.

The Parish Choir
Avery Kate Lane, Soloist

Procession Hymn 188 *St. Catherine*
Faith of Our Fathers

The Acclamation

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

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

The Celebrant prays:

The Collect for Purity *BCP, page 106*

The Summary of the Law *BCP, page 106*

Gloria

Robert Powell

1. Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and
 peace — to his peo - ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heaven - ly King, al -
 might - y — God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we give you thanks, we
 praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord
 God, Lamb of God, 4. you take a - way the sin of the world: have
 mer - cy on us; 5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the
 Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer. 6. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One,
 you a - lone are the Lord, 7. you a - lone are the Most — High, Je - sus
 Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the glo - ry of
 God — the Fa - ther. A - men.

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: *And with your spirit.*

Celebrant: Let us pray.

The Collect of the Day (*Remain standing*)

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. **Amen.**

Please be seated for the reading of God's Word.

First Reading: 2 Corinthians 9:11-15

Pew Bible, page 968

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: *Thanks be to God.*

Psalm 34:1-8

¹ I will extol the Lord at all times; *

his praise will always be on my lips.

² I will glory in the Lord; *

let the afflicted hear and rejoice.

³ Glorify the Lord with me; *

let us exalt his name together.

⁴ I sought the Lord, and he answered me; *

he delivered me from all my fears.

⁵ Those who look to him are radiant; *

their faces are never covered with shame.

⁶ This poor man called, and the Lord heard him; *

he saved him out of all his troubles.

⁷ The angel of the Lord encamps around those who fear him, *

and he delivers them.

⁸ Taste and see that the Lord is good; *

blessed is the one who takes refuge in him.

*Please stand to sing the Gradual Hymn and remain standing
through the reading of the Gospel.*

Gradual Hymn 335

Nettleton

Come, Thou Fount of Ev'ry blessing

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

People: *Glory to you, Lord Christ.*

Gospel Lesson: Matthew 5:13-16

Pew Bible, Page 810

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

Sermon

The Rev. Shay Gaillard

The Prayers of the People (*Kneeling or seated as you are able*)

Let us pray for the Church and the world, saying, "Hear our prayer."

For the peace of the whole world, and for the well-being and unity of the people of God.

Reader: Lord, in your mercy:

People: *Hear our prayer.*

For Archbishop Steve and Bishop Chip, for all the clergy and people of our diocese and congregation, and for Camp Jubilee. We pray especially for Ascension, Hagood and their clergy, The Rev. Joel Osborne and for Grace, Little River and their clergy, The Rev. Cindy Larsen and the Rev. Jeff Hoffman.

Reader: Lord, in your mercy:

People: *Hear our prayer.*

For all those who proclaim the Gospel at home and abroad; and for all who teach, disciple, and plant churches, especially for our Gospel community on Fripp, our daughter church at Habersham, and our church planter, Daniel Miles and his family.

Reader: Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

For our brothers and sisters in Christ who are persecuted for their faith and for all of our mission partners, especially Fred and Sophia Onyango, Zach and Noelle Slagel in Cambodia, Roger and Joanne Griffin in Mexico, Steve and Sarah Hoskins in Maine, and Peng our Seminarian.

Reader: Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

For our nation, for those in authority and for all in public service.

Reader: Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

For the care and keeping of all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad, defend them day by day with your heavenly grace.

Reader: Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

For all those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially those on our parish prayer list.

Reader: Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

For all those who have departed this life in the certain hope of the resurrection, in thanksgiving let us pray.

Reader: Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

The Celebrant concludes:

Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for the sake of Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Confession of Sin

BCP, page 112

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, maker and judge of us all: We acknowledge and lament our many sins and offenses, which we have committed by thought, word, and deed against your divine majesty, provoking most justly your righteous anger against us. We are deeply sorry for these our transgressions; the burden of them is more than we can bear. Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; for your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may evermore serve and please you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Absolution of Sin

BCP, page 113

The Peace

Celebrant: The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: *And with your spirit.*

Announcements

Offertory Sentence

*Taste and see that the Lord is good;
blessed is the one who takes refuge in him.*

Psalms 34:8

Offertory Anthem

arr. Alice Parker (1925-2003)

Hark, I Hear the Harps Eternal
The Parish Choir

Hark, I hear the harps eternal ringing on the farther shore.
As I near those swollen waters, with their deep and solemn roar.

Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, praise the Lamb;
Hallelujah, hallelujah, glory to the great I Am.

And my soul, though stained with sorrow, fading as the light of day,
Passes swiftly o'er those waters to the city far away.

Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, praise the Lamb;
Hallelujah, hallelujah, glory to the great I Am.

Souls have crossed before me, saintly, to that land of perfect rest;
And I hear them singing faintly in the mansions of the blest.

Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, praise the Lamb;
Hallelujah, hallelujah, glory to the great I Am.

Please stand as you are able for the Doxology.

Doxology 208

Old Hundredth

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

Liturgy of the Table

The Sursum Corda

BCP, page 115

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: *And with your spirit.*

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.*

Sanctus

Hymnal, 764

Kneeling or seated as you are able

The Prayer of Consecration

BCP, page 116

The Lord's Prayer

BCP, page 118

The Fraction

BCP, page 118

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover Lamb has been sacrificed, once for all upon the Cross.

People: *Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.*

During Communion

Congregation, please join in singing:

Agnus Dei

Hymnal, 765

Communion Anthem

Carl F. Mueller (1892-1982)

Come, Christians, Join to Sing
The Parish Choir

Come, Christians, join to sing Alleluia! Amen!
Loud praise to Christ our King: Alleluia! Amen!
Let all, with heart and voice, Before His throne rejoice;
Praise is His gracious choice; Alleluia! Amen!

Come, lift your hearts on high; Alleluia! Amen!
Let praises fill the sky; Alleluia! Amen!
He is our guide and friend; To us He'll condescend;
His love shall never end: Alleluia! Amen!

Praise yet our Christ again; Alleluia! Amen!
Life shall not end the strain; Alleluia! Amen!
On heaven's blissful shore His goodness we'll adore,
Singing for ever more, Alleluia! Amen!

Hymn 206

Dix

For the Beauty of the Earth

Hymn 375

Hymn to Joy

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us, through this Sacrament, of your favor and goodness towards us: that we are true members of the mystical body of your Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of your everlasting kingdom. And we humbly ask you, heavenly Father, to assist us with your grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all the good works that you have prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

The Blessing

BCP, page 121

Procession Hymn 573

Crucifer

Lift High the Cross

The Dismissal

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

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Closing Voluntary: Te Deum

Marc-Antoine Charpentier

Announcements

Mid-week activities resume this week! Please join us for
Wednesdays At St. Helena's:

11:00 am- Equip Class Teaching in the Parish Hall

4:30 pm- Worship Service in the Church

5:15 pm- Dinner in the Parish Hall

This week's menu is fried chicken, lima beans, mac n cheese, and
candied yams.

6:00 pm- Age appropriate teaching in the Parish House
Equip Class in the Cranmer Room

Men's Bible and Breakfast will resume on Thursday, August 28 at
7:30 am in the Parish Hall.

The Women's Ministry Fall Kickoff will be Sunday afternoon,
September 14 in the Parish Hall with guest speaker Sherry Bradshaw.
Look for more details coming soon!



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High altar flowers are given to the glory of God by
Ann and Bill McDuff in loving memory of
Hannie and Al McDuff and Deena and John Ausband
and in thanksgiving for Martha, Lee, Jimmy, Whitney,
Holbrook and Heston.

Side altar flowers are given to the glory of God by
Connie and Eddie Hipp in thanksgiving for
their children and grandchildren.

This Week's Prayer List

Please pray for all those who, in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially the following:

For those in our parish family: Richard and Doris Bland, Eleanore Brough, Sam and Nancy Chesnutt, Carroll Crowther, Mary Lou Cullen, Jim Egan, Frank Giammona, Lynn Gibson, Chris Goodson, Beth Grace, Leila Harris, Henderson Family, Bill Johnston, Bonnie Markle, Jeanne McIntyre, Julie Michau, Caroline Milne, **Becky Mitchell**, Dee Moss, Margy Oehlert, Keith O'Neal, Jo Panayotoff, Doadie and Rod Parker, **John Parker**, John Payne, Bev Peutz, Chuck and Annie Pollak, Fran Sanders, Ric Schwank, Tommy Schwank, Marcia and Rich Seymour, Hamp Simkins, Ed and Sandy Stephan, Jerry Stocks, Carla Stout, Kenneth Tootle, and Vola Whitcomb.

For extended family or friends of our parish family:

William Acker, Steele and Stephanie Anderson, Rev. Paul Anobile, Julie (Hyle) Bleier, **Dora Bonetti**, Hannah Bump, Wendy Burchfield, Tad and Katie Carver, Chloe Clark, **Leslie Custer**, Lisa Duress, Colton Ealy, Lederle Eberhardt, Susan Eitnier, Finley, Good Shepherd Academy in South Sudan, Raymond Griffin, Anita Hammerbeck, Jason Hamshaw, Barbara Harper, Bray Hefner, Gary Holen, Hanna Irby, Martha Lachicotte, Carolyn Lyson, Macynski Family, Makenna Mattesi, Andrea Marino, Stephanie McCurdy, Zoran and Annie Misis, Tom Moore, Linda Morris, **Joyce Moye**, Steve Ninemire, Fran Norman, Jan and Linda Olsen, Richard Parsons, Sienna Perez, Debbie Pollak, Pete Pratt, Bill Rector, **Reiss Family**, Joseph Ritchie Sr, Christian Rooney, Todd Roseneau, Tracey Sailer, Frank and Becci Seuberling, Marilyn Shaver, Aleena Sheeja, Connie Chesnutt Simmons, Sarah Smith, Shenandoah Smith, Stacy Smith, Billy Steen, Sr., Stephanie, Shanna Sullivan, Linda Tesler, Yana Thomas, Tom Truman, Karen Turner, Carolyn Vitolo, Taylor Ward, Reed Watts, **Terry Whitehead**, and the Young Life Ministry.

For all our U.S. service members defending our country, especially the following who are deployed overseas: Connor Brazinski, Trey Crowley, Flannery Woodward Macynski, and Captain Austin Sneed.

For our foreign and local missionaries supported by St. Helena's: Fr. John Chol Daau and family in South Sudan; Philip in East Asia; Roger and Joanne Griffin in Mexico; Zach and Noelle Slagel in Cambodia; Fred and Sophia Onyango from Kenya, serving in the Anglican Diocese of South Carolina, and Allan and Theresa Weikel serving West Africa from Bluffton.

Names in bold were added this week. Names on the prayer list are the initial communication to the clergy of a need for prayer. In order to keep the list current, names remain on the list for 30 days, unless illness is chronic. Expectant parents remain on the list until their children are born and deployed military until they return home. Please fill out an online Prayer Request form or call the church office at (843) 522-1712 to submit a prayer request and inform the clergy of hospitalizations.
Updated 08/13/2025

Participating in the Service:

The Rev. Shay Gaillard, Rector
The Rev. Hunter Jordan, Associate Rector
The Rev. Jim Cato, Deacon
Debby Graves, Organist
Eugenia Henderson, Music Assistant
The Parish Choir
The Handbell Choir
Mary Lee Carns, Lector
Maude Hornsby, Paul Cash, and Mark Benford, LEMs
Jim Thomas, James Thomas, Ryan Bradley, and Laura Thomas, Ushers

Our Vision

St. Helena's will boldly proclaim the saving Gospel and Lordship of Jesus Christ, and through intentional discipleship, will raise up servant leaders and Gospel communities in Beaufort and beyond, seeing the Kingdom come.

Vestry Members

Class of 2025

Cindy Collins
Clyde Hinchey
Kelly Newnham
Hall Sumner

Class of 2026

Jim Egan
Helon Hrushka
Heidi Smith
Kathy Whitehead

Class of 2027

Jeff Kidd
Sherwood Miler
Marjory Mitchell
Jeff Weart

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