



# Saint Bartholomew

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Thirteenth Sunday after  
Pentecost  
September 8, 2019  
The Holy Eucharist Rite I  
8:00am

*The People Gather*

*This service is based on the Order for Holy Eucharist: Rite One found in the red Book of Common Prayer. It is customary for the people to prepare for worship in quiet and prayer.*

## The Word of God

*The people stand*

### Acclamation

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

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

### The Collect for Purity

*The Celebrant and the People say*

**Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ saith:

**Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.**

### Glory to God

**Glory be to God on high, and on earth peace, good will towards men.**

**We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee, we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glory,**

**O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.**

**O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;**

**O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.**

**Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer.**

**Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.**

**For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord; thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

*See Insert*

### The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

**People** **And with thy spirit.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

**People** **Amen.**

*The people sit for the readings*

### The Lessons

The first reading: **Jeremiah 18:1-11**

**The Psalm** **Psalm 139:1-5, 12-17**

The second reading: **Philemon 1-21**

*The people stand for the reading of the Gospel.*

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

**People:** **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

The Gospel: **Luke 14:25-33**

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord

**People** **Praise be to thee, O Christ**

### The Sermon

*The Reverend Stephen Secaur*

### 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.**

### The Prayers of the People

**Leader:** Let us pray for the whole state of Christ's Church and the world.

Almighty and everliving God, who in thy holy Word hast taught us to make prayers, and supplications, and to give thanks for all men: Receive these our prayers which we offer unto thy divine Majesty, beseeching thee to inspire continually the Universal Church with the spirit of truth, unity, and concord; and grant that all those who do confess thy holy Name may agree in the truth of thy holy Word, and live in unity and godly love.

**Lord hear our prayer.**

Give grace, O heavenly Father, to all bishops and other ministers, especially Michael our Presiding Bishop, Mark our bishop, and Steve our priest, that they may, both by their life and doctrine, set forth thy true and lively Word, and rightly and duly administer thy holy Sacraments.

**Lord hear our prayer**

And to all thy people give thy heavenly grace, and especially to this congregation here present; that, with meek heart and due reverence, they may hear and receive thy holy Word, truly serving thee in holiness and righteousness all the days of their life.

**Lord hear our prayer.**

We beseech thee also so to rule hearts of those who bear the authority of government in this and every land, especially Donald our President and Mike our Governor that they may be led to wise decisions and right actions for the welfare and peace of the world.

**Lord hear our prayer.**

Open, O Lord, the eyes of all people to behold thy gracious hand in all thy works, that, rejoicing in thy whole creation, they may honor thee with their substance, and be faithful stewards of thy bounty.

**Lord hear our prayer.**

And we most humbly beseech thee, of thy goodness, O Lord, to comfort and succor [\_\_\_\_\_ and] all those who, in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity.

**Lord hear our prayer.**

We pray for those serving in the armed forces, and their families, especially,.

**Lord hear our prayer**

We give thanks for the Birthdays of Jenny Jakse, Vida LePage, Linda Poelking, and Margaret DeMarco,...

and for the anniversary of, ...

**Lord, hear our prayer.**

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God... and in loving memory of... by...

And we also bless thy holy Name for all thy servants departed this life in thy faith and fear especially,...beseeching thee to grant them continual growth in thy love and service; and to grant us grace so to follow the good examples of the ever Blessed Virgin Mary, Blessed Joseph her spouse and Blessed Bartholomew and all thy saints, that with them we may be partakers of thy heavenly kingdom.

**Lord hear our prayer**

Grant these our prayers, O Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate.

**Amen.**

### Confession of Sin

Celebrant Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God.

*Celebrant and People*

**Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against thee in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved thee with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of thy Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in thy will, and walk in thy ways, to the glory of thy Name. Amen.**

### The Absolution

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all those who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto 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. **Amen.**

### The Peace

*All stand Greet one another in the name of the Lord.*

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you

**People** **And with thy spirit**

### Prayers of Intention

### Announcements

## The Holy Communion

### Offertory

*At the Presentation, the people stand to sing*

**The Doxology** **(Hymn H-380, v.3)**

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### The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer II

Celebrant: The Lord be with you

**People:** **And with thy spirit.**

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts

**People:** **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

Celebrant: Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

**People:** **It is meet and right so to do.**

It is very meet, right and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, according to whose true promise the Holy Ghost came down from heaven, lighting upon the disciples, to teach them and to lead them into all truth; uniting peoples of many tongues in the confession of one faith, and giving to thy Church the power to serve thee as a royal priesthood, and to preach the Gospel to all nations

Therefore, with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying

*Celebrant and People*

### Sanctus

**Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts:  
Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.  
Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.  
Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

The Celebrant continues,

All glory be to thee, Almighty God, our heavenly Father, for that thou, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption; who made there, by his one oblation of himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation, and satisfaction, for the sins of the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

For in the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat, this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me."

Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, we thy people do celebrate and make, with these thy holy gifts which we now offer unto thee, the memorial thy Son hath commanded us to make; having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; and looking for his coming again with power and great glory

And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us; and, of thy almighty goodness, vouchsafe to bless and sanctify, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, these thy gifts and creatures of bread and wine; that we, receiving them according to thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ's holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most blessed Body and Blood.

And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, whereby we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, ourselves, our souls and bodies. Grant, we beseech thee, that all who partake of this Holy Communion may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, and be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; and also that we and all thy grace and heavenly benediction; and also that we and all thy whole Church may be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord;

By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. Amen.

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

**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

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

**Therefore, let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

### Agnus Dei

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, **have mercy upon us**

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, **have mercy upon us.**

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, **grant us thy peace.**

*Celebrant and People*

**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.**

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.

### Communion of the People

*All people are welcome to join in the sacrament of Holy Communion, Children of all ages are included in this invitation. If you wish to receive a healing blessing from the Celebrant, when you come to the rail for Communion, fold hands in prayer.*

Celebrant Let us Pray

*Celebrant and People*

**Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen**

### Blessing

And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you forever. **Amen**

### Dismissal

Celebrant Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

**People Thanks be to God**

Can you find the Cross?

The Reverend Stephen Secaur

Eucharistic Ministers: Betsy Limmex (8:00) Joanna Rini (10:30)

Lectors: Diane Bellas (8:00) Dick York and Tom Robinson (10:30)

Ushers: Mary Wise and Tom Rini, Vestry Teller: Betsy Limmex

Acolyte: Nancy Nicholls, Organist: Aleksandr Leybkind

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### Looking ahead...

Sun	Sept 8		
Mon.	Sept 9	@ 6 pm	Bible Study
		@ 7 pm	ACAM
Tues.	Sept 10	@ 9 am-noon	Fr. Steve office hrs
		@ 6 pm	GG Glee Club
		@ 7 pm	St. B's Book Club
Wed.	Sept 11	@ 6:30 pm	Cub Scouts
Thurs.	Sept 12	@ 8 am	TMCC
		@ 7 pm	BSA Troop
		@ 7 pm	Fresh Fork
		@ 9 am	Morning Prayer
Fri.	Sept 13		
Sat.	Sept 14		
Sun.	Sept 15	@ 8 am	HE, Rite I
		@ 9:15 am	Bible Study
		@ 9:20 am	Choir Practice
		@ 10:30 am	HE Rite I

From Father Steve...

A neighbor of Kay Boyd, John Denholm, is a leader in the Knight Riders Homeless Ministry. They take food and items of clothing to locations where homeless people sleep. Please donate any men's or women's jeans, winter coats, hat and gloves to this ministry. If you have such items, just place them in my office or the church office and we will see that John gets them.

Bishop Hollingsworth will be here September 22<sup>nd</sup>, to Confirm, Receive, and Baptize. On that day, all loose-plate offering and/or checks made out for this purpose, will be directed to the Bishop's Discretionary Fund. Please help us have a large congregation that day, to welcome the Bishop and all new members. What a glorious day!

**We offer thanksgiving for your many blessings upon us especially for September 1 offering of \$1556.65.00 attendance of 62**

### Schedule for Inquirers/Confirmation/Reception Classes

**All classes to be held in the Library, starting @ 11:45am**

**September 8- Spirituality and Prayer  
Diane Bellas**

**The Rev. Stephen Secaur**

**Parish Office Hours: Tuesday 9-noon, and by appointment**

In case of a pastoral emergency, please call the church and leave a message. Fr. Stephen Secaur may be contacted directly at 440.541.8359 or by email at

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