

Mobile, Alabama
Fifth Sunday of Easter
May 3, 2026
The Holy Eucharist: Rite Two
Ten o'clock in the morning

We invite you to participate in the worship of God. Our service is the Holy Eucharist: Rite Two in The Book of Common Prayer. For ease of use, this booklet contains the congregational portions of the liturgy and service music. Congregational responses are printed in bold. Hymn numbers refer to The Hymnal 1982. Page numbers refer to the Prayer Book for those wishing to use it. Lesson and Gospel texts are taken from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible. Unless requested, applause isn't necessary; please give quiet thanks to God for the elements of worship that are meaningful for you.



We extend a warm welcome to all visitors. Please complete a visitor card and place it in the alms basin so that we can know you better. A nursery is available. A gentle reminder: please turn off all electronic devices before the service. Sound enhancement receivers for the hearing impaired are available. Please see an usher.

Prelude

Joseph Jongen
(1873-1953)

Choral

Welcome

Children's Chapel (Ages 4 to Grade 3) Children process with their leader to Chapel and return at the peace.

Opening Hymn

Westminster Abbey
Hymnal 518

Christ is made the sure foundation

Christ is made the sure foundation, Christ the head and cornerstone,
chosen of the Lord, and precious, binding all the Church in one;
holy Zion's help for ever, and her confidence alone.

All that dedicated city, dearly loved of God on high,
in exultant jubilation pours perpetual melody;
God the One in Three adoring in glad hymns eternally.

To this temple, where we call thee, come, O Lord of Hosts, today;
with thy wonted loving-kindness hear thy servants as they pray,
and thy fullest benediction shed within its walls away.

Here vouchsafe to all thy servants what they ask of thee to gain;
what they gain from thee, for ever with the blessed to retain,
and hereafter in thy glory evermore with thee to reign.

The Word of God

BCP 355

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People: **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

Collect for Purity

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. **Amen.**

Song of Praise

Canticle 20

Mathias
Hymnal S-278

Gloria in excelsis

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

BCP 225

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Almighty God, whom truly to know is everlasting life: Grant us so perfectly to know your Son Jesus Christ to be the way, the truth, and the life, that we may steadfastly follow his steps in the way that leads to eternal life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The Lessons

First Reading: *Acts 7:55-60*

Reader: A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Stephen gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God and Jesus standing at the right hand of God. "Look," he said, "I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God!" But they covered their ears, and with a loud shout all rushed together against him. Then they dragged him out of the city and began to stone him; and the witnesses laid their coats at the feet of a young man named Saul. While they were stoning Stephen, he prayed, "Lord Jesus, receive my spirit." Then he knelt down and cried out in a loud voice, "Lord, do not hold this sin against them." When he had said this, he died.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Psalms 31:1-5, 15-16 *In te, Domine, speravi*

Please read responsively by whole verse.

BCP 622

¹ In you, O Lord, have I taken refuge;
let me never be put to shame; *
deliver me in your righteousness.

² **Incline your ear to me; ***
make haste to deliver me.

³ Be my strong rock, a castle to keep me safe,
for you are my crag and my stronghold; *
for the sake of your Name, lead me and guide me.

⁴ **Take me out of the net that they have secretly set for me, ***
for you are my tower of strength.

⁵ Into your hands I commend my spirit, *
for you have redeemed me,
O Lord, O God of truth.

¹⁵ **My times are in your hand; ***
rescue me from the hand of my enemies,
and from those who persecute me.

¹⁶ Make your face to shine upon your servant, *
and in your loving-kindness save me.

Second Reading: *1 Peter 2:2-10*

Reader: A Reading from the First Letter of Peter.

Like newborn infants, long for the pure, spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow into salvation—if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good. Come to him, a living stone, though rejected by mortals yet chosen and precious in God’s sight, and like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. For it stands in scripture: “See, I am laying in Zion a stone, a cornerstone chosen and precious; and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame.” To you then who believe, he is precious; but for those who do not believe, “The stone that the builders rejected has become the very head of the corner”, and “A stone that makes them stumble, and a rock that makes them fall.” They stumble because they disobey the word, as they were destined to do. But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God’s own people, in order that you may proclaim the mighty acts of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. Once you were not a people, but now you are God’s people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Sequence Hymn

Dunedin
Hymnal 455

O Love of God, how strong and true vv. 1, 2
O Love of God, how strong and true, eternal and yet ever new;
uncomprehended and unbought, beyond all knowledge and all thought.
O wide embracing, wondrous Love, we read thee in the sky above;
we read thee in the earth below, in seas that swell and streams that flow.

The Holy Gospel: *John 14:1-14*

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

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

Jesus said, “Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father’s house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also. And you know the way to the place where I am going.” Thomas said to him, “Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?” Jesus said to him, “I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. If you know me, you will know my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him.” Philip said to him, “Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.” Jesus said to him, “Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, ‘Show us the Father’? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.”

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.

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

Sequence Hymn

Dunedin
Hymnal 455

O Love of God, how strong and true vv. 3, 4

We read thee best in him who came to bear for us the cross of shame,
sent by the Father from on high, our life to live, our death to die.

We read thy power to bless and save e'en in the darkness of the grave;
still more in resurrection light we read the fullness of thy might.

The Sermon

The Reverend Thomas K. Heard

The Nicene Creed

BCP 358

**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

The leader and people pray responsively.

Deacon: Gracious and loving One, you have revealed yourself through the compassion and love of your Son Jesus, and you have called us to follow his example as the way, the truth, and the life; incline your ear to us as we pray: Make your face to shine upon your servants and in your loving-kindness, save us.

Intercessor: You have called your Church to be a royal priesthood, a chosen race, a holy nation, God's own people, that you may build us, like living stones, into a spiritual house: Feed your children with the pure, spiritual milk of your goodness, so that we may grow into the fullness of Christ's stature and do ever greater works in his name.

Make your face to shine upon your servants,
and in your loving-kindness, save us.

In you, O God, have we taken refuge; make haste to deliver us. Be a tower of strength to lead and guide all who serve in positions of authority, that they may be instruments of your kindness and may protect all who are wrongly threatened.

Make your face to shine upon your servants,
and in your loving-kindness, save us.

Be present in your wondrous power on behalf of any throughout the world who suffer persecution or threat because of their witness to God and to the compassion and freedom that come from you. Let them see the glory of your presence and be safe within your eternal life.

Make your face to shine upon your servants,

and in your loving-kindness, save us.

Show yourself in our community and encourage all troubled hearts, that everyone may see the works of Jesus, and know God.

Make your face to shine upon your servants,

and in your loving-kindness, save us.

Reveal your glory to all who are ill or who suffer in any way; be their strong rock, a castle to keep them safe. Hear our grateful praise for all the blessings you shower upon us. Receive into your heavenly dwelling place those who have died. Into your hands we commend their spirits, for you have redeemed us, O God of truth.

Make your face to shine upon your servants,

and in your loving-kindness, save us.

Deacon: Gracious and loving One, you have promised through your Son Jesus that you would do whatever we ask in his name so that you may be glorified in the Son: Help us to believe with such purity of heart, that we may only ask what accords with your will, and live in the light of Christ's way and truth and life, in the power of the Holy Spirit, now and always. **Amen.**

Confession of Sin

BCP 360

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Celebrant and People:

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 have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

The Peace

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

People: **And also with you.**

Welcome and Announcements

The Holy Communion

The Offertory

R. Vaughan Williams
(1872-1958)

O How Amiable
Cathedral Choir

O How amiable are thy dwellings: thou Lord of hosts!
My soul hath a desire and longing to enter into the courts of the Lord:
My heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God.
Yea, the sparrow hath found her a house,
and the swallow a nest where she may lay her young:
even thy altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God.
Blessed are they that dwell in thy house:
They will be always praising thee.
The glorious Majesty of the Lord our God be upon us:
prosper thou the work of our hands upon us.
O prosper thou our handy work.
O God, our help in ages past, Our hope for years to come,
Our shelter from the stormy blast, And our eternal home.

At the Presentation

Old 100th vs. 3

Hymnal 380

**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.**

America vs. 4

Hymnal 717

**Our father's God, to thee, author of liberty, to thee we sing; long may our land
be bright with freedom's holy light; protect us by thy might, great God, our King.**

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A

BCP 361

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

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

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

People: **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

The Celebrant continues: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, but chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won for us everlasting life. 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:

Sanctus

Hymnal S-125

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.**

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People: **Christ has died.**
 Christ is risen.
 Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues: We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom. 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. **Amen.**

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

The Lord's Prayer

BCP 364

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.

Fraction Anthem

Christ our Passover

Hymnal S-155

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.
Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us; therefore let us keep the feast.
Alleluia, alleluia, 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.

Music at Communion

O sing unto the Lord

Cathedral Choir

Peter Aston
(1938-2013)

O sing unto the Lord, sing a new song: sing, O sing unto the Lord, all the earth.
O sing unto the Lord, bless his name; shew forth his salvation from day to day.
For the Lord is great, and greatly to be praised. Declare his glory among the heathen,
declare his wonders among all the peoples.

Hymn

The Call
Hymnal 487

Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life

Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life: such a way as gives us breath;
such a truth as ends all strife; such a life as killeth death.

Come, my Light, my Feast, my Strength: such a light as shows a feast;
such a feast as mends in length; such a strength as makes his guest.

Come, my Joy, my Love, my Heart: such a joy as none can move;
such a love as none can part; such a heart as joys in love.

Post Communion Prayer

BCP 365

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Blessing

Closing Hymn

Aurelia
Hymnal 525

The Church's one foundation

The Church's one foundation is Jesus Christ her Lord;
she is his new creation by water and the word:
from heaven he came and sought her to be his holy bride;
with his own blood he bought her, and for her life he died.

Elect from every nation, yet one o'er all the earth,
her charter of salvation, one Lord, one faith, one birth;
one holy Name she blesses, partakes one holy food,
and to one hope she presses, with every grace endued.

Though with a scornful wonder men see her sore oppressed,
by schisms rent asunder, by heresies distressed;
yet saints their watch are keeping, their cry goes up, "How long?"
and soon the night of weeping shall be the morn of song.

Mid toil and tribulation, and tumult of her war
she waits the consummation of peace for evermore;
till with the vision glorious her longing eyes are blessed,
and the great Church victorious shall be the Church at rest.

Yet she on earth hath union with God, the Three in One,
and mystic sweet communion with those whose rest is won.

O happy ones and holy! Lord, give us grace that we
like them, the meek and lowly, on high may dwell with thee.

Dismissal

Celebrant: Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia. Alleluia.

People: **Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

Postlude

Felix Mendelssohn
(1809-1847)

Allegro maestoso e vivace



Please join us after the service for a time of hospitality in the Chapter House.

CATHEDRAL PRAYERS

WE PRAY FOR:

Members:

Patti Biel, Valrie Vanek, Lynn Betbeze Yankie, George Seymour, Patsy Seymour, Lisa Williams, Linda Dann-LeBlanc, Bill Butler, Ricky Bradford, Betty Reniewicz, Bill Christian, Emily-Marie Butler, Melvin Koger, Craig Pittman, Nancy Bryan, Jane Inge, Ed Crowson, Martha Adams, Perrin Drew, Win Thurber

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The Reverend Dennis Brown, Mary Rose Snider, George & Mary Ester Hall Bollis, Elizabeth Berry, Karla Geiger, Lloyd Shearer Smith, Kathy Thurber, David Barnett, David Morgan, John Baylor, Sr., Erma Clark, Dorothy Queenan, Kelly Clark, Lanier Faircloth, Vivian "Cookie" Rich, Hunter Hale, James Bloodworth, Dennis Knizley, Missy Foose, Curran Foose, Malcolm Warren, Hallie Inge Baker, Bennett Stenger, Molly Nordmann, Maxine Dodson, Matthew Williams

For Those Serving in the Military:

Marlin Brutkiewicz, Blake Hickey, Gray Stephens, Dylan Butler, Tripp Bennett, Jacob Hester-Heard, Cameron Morrisette, Dylan Thompson, Connor Roy, Charles Lewis, Richard Graham

Flowers:

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Sarah Howard Luce, grandmother of Dwain G. Luce and great-grandmother of Margaret Luce Brown and Greg Luce

Ordination Anniversary:

The Reverend Deacon Pratt Paterson

Anglican Cycle of Prayer:

The Anglican Church in North India

Cathedral Cycle of Prayer:

St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Daphne

Ecumenical Cycle of Prayer:

We pray for the church in Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, and Memorial Presbyterian Church, Mobile.

Prison Ministry Cycle of Prayer:

Walton Correctional Institution, DeFuniak Springs



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LAY MINISTER CALENDAR

	May 10 5th Sunday after Easter Mother's Day	May 17 6th Sunday after Easter	May 24 Day of Pentecost: Whitsunday	May 31 Trinity Sunday
First Reader	Tray Hamil	Allison Paterson	Wilt Rendfrey	Laura McLeod
Psalm/Intercessor	Ginny Behlen	Douglas Kearley	Carolyn Jeffers	Bob Israel
Second Reader	Tony Brown	Stewart Cobb	Carl Cunningham, Jr.	Kennon Drew
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Flower Guild	Bruce Rockstad Ricky Bradford Lark Singley	Smitty Vanek	Robbie Lynn Irvine Ann Luce	Janet Rich Pittman
Open/Close	Bill Skinner	David Sanders	Leigh Taylor	Mark Weeks
Vestry Greeter	Bill Skinner	Hayley Van Antwerp	Charlotte Taylor	Cart Blackwell
Ushers	Cart Blackwell John Ferguson Fred Rendfrey	Robby McClure David Brady Rick Mitchell Kyle Wall	Lewis Golden Weathers Bolt Henry Seawell John Ruzic	Tony Brown Carl Cunningham, Sr. Leigh Taylor Ritchie Harris
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Allegro maestoso e vivace: Music: Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847).

CATHEDRAL NOTES



LOAVES AND FISH

Today, Sunday, May 3 and Monday, May 4

We will pack lunches in the servery immediately following worship. On Monday, we will distribute the lunches outside from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.



REMEMBER THE BLESSING BOX

A little goes a long way. Help us keep our food pantry stocked for anyone in need of a helping hand. Fill our box with care bringing non-perishable food donations such as fresh or canned fruit, canned meats, cereal, peanut butter and crackers, pop tarts. Remember that all cans must have pop tops.



BETTY COALE SCHOLARSHIP

The Betty Coale Young Musician Scholarship grants financial awards to promising middle and high-school instrumentalists and singers. Recipients of this scholarship will be featured during Christ Church Cathedral's summer services.

We are deeply thankful for Harwell Coale's generous donation in memory of his late wife and for their long-standing support of the music ministry at Christ Church. Betty Coale was a cherished member of the Christ Church choir, and we are grateful that her memory lives on in the support of education and performance opportunities for Mobile-area music students. If you or someone you know would like to submit an application to be considered for this scholarship, please apply on our website www.christchurchcathedralsmobile.org/music. Please direct any questions to Josh Coble at jcoble@christchurchcathedralsmobile.org.



SERVICE OF THE SIMPLE PRESENCE

SUMMER HIATUS

The final spring service will be held on Wednesday, May 20.

The service will resume on Wednesday, August 19.



CATHEDRAL OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

Beginning on Friday May 22, the Cathedral office will be closed on Fridays. We will return to regular Friday 9:00 a.m. to noon opening on Friday, August 7.



MOBILE SINGING CHILDREN SPRING CONCERT:

SOUTHERN SKIES: FROM DAY, THROUGH NIGHT, TO HOPE

Saturday, May 9 at 7:00 p.m.

Directed by Katie Hoitt, Mobile's Singing Children is the premier youth choir on the Gulf Coast. In the choir children receive classical voice training of the very highest quality, as well as perform music of the highest caliber in 4 age-appropriate ensembles.



BIRTHDAYS

May 4

Carolyn Eichold
Bestor Ward

May 5

Julianna Ramo
David Brady

May 6

Robby McClure
Charlie Ramo

May 8

Debbie Broome
Carson Ashcraft

May 11

Jill Chow

May 14

Virginia Betbeze
Tom Garth
Gillette Slaton

May 15

Ginny Ritchie

May 16

Sam Ritchie
Will Ritchie

May 18

Melvin Koger

May 19

Bill Haffner

May 20

Emily-Marie Butler
Beverly Gibson
Ross Holladay
Brad Israel
Doris Kohler

May 21

Mary Lynn Cooper

May 22

Louise Davis

May 23

Christian Hines
Julie McClelland
Norah Palileo



MINISTERS FOR TODAY

Celebrant and Preacher..... The Reverend Thomas K. Heard
 Assisting..... The Reverend Deacon Pratt Paterson
 Psalmist and IntercessorSkip Archer
 Chalice Bearers.....Skip Archer, Bill Skinner
 Lay Readers Henry Seawell, John Leach
 Organist.....Josh Coble
 CrucifersKennedy Simmons, Wright Bolt
 Acolytes Brady Wall, Willa Bolt
 Flower Guild.....Sage Bolt, Lucy Brady, Anne Blake Brooks,
 Open/Close..... Bruce Rockstad
 UshersKennon Drew, Jay Watkins
 Lay Eucharistic VisitorLeigh and Charlotte Taylor
 Altar Guild Barbara Archer, Skip Archer, Ginny Behlen, Bill Haffner,
 Lucy Harrison, Robbie Lynn Irvine, Rosemarie McClure
 Hospitality.....Hamilton Lucas, Ginny Behlen, Virginia Gordon, Jesse Koger,
Homer McClure, Laura McLeod, Campbell Sindel



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 The Very Reverend Beverly F. Gibson, Ph.D., *Rector and Dean*
 The Reverend Thomas K. Heard, *Priest Associate*
 The Reverend Pratt Paterson, *Deacon*
 Dr. Joshua H. Coble, *Organist and Choirmaster*
 Mollie A. Adams, *Cantor*
 Andy R. Palileo, *Audio-Visual Specialist*
 Sabrina Evans, *Children's and Family Program Coordinator*

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