

St. Philip's Episcopal Church
Pentecost II—Proper 5
The Order of Morning Prayer
June 7, 2026
In your mercy, Lord you called me

Prelude		
Opening Hymn	Blue Hymnal #8— “When morning fills the skies...”	
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THE LESSONS

First Reading: A Reading from Genesis (12:1-9) - Nancy M.
(God sends and blesses Abram.)

Canticle 10—The Second Song of Isaiah *Quærite Dominum*

Second Reading: A Reading from Paul’s letter to the Romans (4:13-25)
(The promise comes through faith and righteousness.)

Canticle 13—A Song of Praise *Benedictus es, Domine - Song of the Three Young Men , 29-34*

✠ The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew (9:9-13, 18-26)
(Jesus calls sinners; faith and healing.)

Sermon Brother Richard Matthias BSG

Offertory Hymn **Blue** Hymnal—#686— “Come, thou fount of every blessing...”


The Apostles’ Creed BCP p. 96

THE PRAYERS

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Closing Hymn	Blue Hymnal—#493- “O for a thousand tongues to sing...”
Dismissal	
Postlude	

Welcome to our continuing celebration of Pentecost, when the Holy Spirit breathed the church into being!

Prayers for healing for: Natalie teRiele, Corina Bassity, Anna Webster, Jan , Rachel, Ava, Barry. Good Jesus, physician of souls and bodies, in your mercy tend to those who are burdened with illness; soothe with your presence each ache and pain because you have known the weakness and pain of our mortal bodies, *teach us to unite our sufferings with yours and give us patience to endure our own pain and tender sympathy for the pain of others, that in all things we may grow in knowledge of you and in all circumstances may accomplish your good purposes. Amen.*
—Saint Augustine’s Prayer Book

 O God, from whom all good proceeds: Grant that by your inspiration we may think those things that are right, and by your merciful guiding may do them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

Follow Me

When Christ calls us by his grace, we ought not only to remember what we are, but we ought also to think of what he can make us. It is “Follow me, and *I will make you.*” We should repent of what we have been, but rejoice in what we may be.

It is not “Follow me because of what you are already.” It is not “Follow me because you may make something of yourselves” but “Follow me because of what I will make you.”

—Charles Spurgeon

THERE WAS JESUS BY THE WATER

There was Jesus by the water speaking to the pressing crowd, when, behold, there came a ruler from the synagogue, who bowed, saying “Come and heal my daughter, lay your healing hands upon her, heal her, Lord, that she may live.”

As the Saviour healed another, news was brought that she was dead. “Do not trouble Jesus further.” Jesus heard the news and said, “I will come and see your daughter, I will lay my hands upon her, do not fear, she year may live.”

Jesus went back with the ruler where they heard the mourners weep. Jesus said unto the wailers, “Why this tumult she’s asleep. I will go unto his daughter, and will lay my hands upon her, do not laugh, only believe.”

Jesus touched the little daughter saying “Little girl arise!” And she rose to see her father and her mother’s stunned surprise. They then held their little daughter and they laid their hands upon her, trusting how he made her live.

Gracia Grindal

The Gladdest Thing

Turn around and believe that the good news that we are loved is better than we ever dared hope, and that to believe in that good news, to live out of it and toward it, to be in love with that good news, is of all glad things in this world the gladdest thing of all.

---Frederick Buechner, *The Clown in the Belfry*

“To pray is to grasp heaven in one’s arms, to embrace the Deity within one’s soul and to feel one’s body made a temple of the Holy Spirit.”

--Charles H. Spurgeon



Sunday- June 7, 2026—10:00 a.m. - **PENTECOST II (PROPER 5)**— THE ORDER OF Morning Prayer— Brother Richard Matthias, Officiant
Each Tues.—AA Meeting 8 p.m. in Parish Hall
Common Cents—Regular Hours
Wed. June 10—Women’s Guild Meeting
Friday, June 12—10:00 a.m.—Bible Study
Sunday– June 14—**THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST, PROPER 6**—THE Holy Eucharist— The Rev. Meigs Ross, Celebrant



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*“Welcoming the weary,
 Dedicated to discipleship”*

From the invitation of Jesus in Matt. 11:28-30

As a congregation, we seek to:

1. open our doors to all who come, regardless of race, class, gender, disability, or religion,
2. reach out in service to our neighbors, especially the poor and elderly

As individual members we seek to:

1. grow daily in the understanding and practice of our faith,
2. care for one another as beloved brothers and sisters in Christ.

June 7—Pentecost II

Officiant: Br. Richard Matthias BSG

Reader: Nancy

Prayers of the People: Lucille

And Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit and exclaimed with a loud cry,

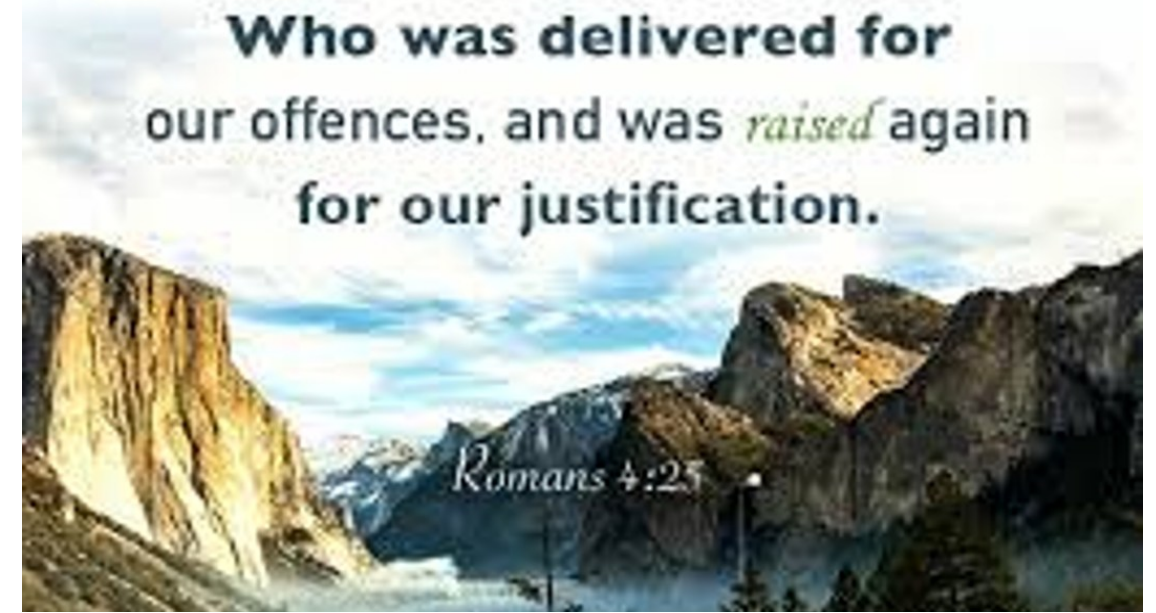
‘Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb.

And why has this happened to me, that the mother of my Lord comes to me?

For as soon as I heard the sound of your greeting,

the child in my womb leapt for joy.

And blessed is she who believed that there would be a fulfilment of what was spoken to her by the Lord.’



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