

Pentecost 12 / Proper 14

Sunday, August 11, 2024 ✦ 8:00 am



Celebrant/Preacher: The Rev. Jason Shelby

Deacon: The Rev. Celeste Stump

Guest Organist: Rebecca Ogle

We warmly welcome you if you are here with us for the first time today. We joyfully welcome all people into our community without exception. Whoever you are, and whatever the status of your relationship with God, you will find fellow travelers here. Please join us for coffee and fellowship after the service.

Flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God by Gayle Taylor in gratitude for friends and family and by Diane Diekman in loving memory of her son, Jeffery Long.

Please take a moment to silence your cellphone. Thank you.

What's Happening!

IMPORTANT: Parish Small Group Meetings in July and August

Details in the back of this bulletin.

Annual Rummage Sale – August 23-24

Save the date. Donations are now being accepted.

Healing & Reconciliation Holy Eucharist – Wednesdays at noon in the Chapel

Ongoing

Good Grief Loss Support Group: Alternating Wednesday mornings (11 am to noon) and evenings (5 pm to 6 pm) in the St. Francis Library.

Men's Corner: Monthly for dinner at Corner Bakery. Contact Ed Hinz (kn6jn@yahoo.com).

Quilting and Knitting Group: Thursdays at 1 pm in the Board Room. Contact: Anna Eakins (annatkozaki@gmail.com).

SAGES (Senior Adult Group of Episcopalians): Outings, social gatherings, guest speakers, and more.

St. Anne's Guild: Meets on the 4th Monday of Sept-June at 6pm. Join us for fellowship, plan church events (like the Rummage Sale and Antiques Show), potluck dinners, and our Christmas charity event! Contact Anna Eakins for questions.

St. Teresa's Guild: Meet a few times a year to raise money for charities that support women and children through dues and our famous Chinese New Year event. Contact Robin Pano for questions.

Friars: Meets as needed to cook meals for Parish events (e.g. Lenten Suppers). Contact Dick Briggs.

Yoga: All Levels Hatha Yoga for Strength and Mobility: Mondays, 11 am to 12:30 pm. All Levels Gentle Yoga for Vital Mobility and Balance: Wednesdays, 9am to 10:30 am. Contact: Jill Lynch (jillfenskelynych@gmail.com).

Alcoholics Anonymous Thursdays and Sundays, 7:30 pm.

Al-Anon Thursdays, 7 pm.

Visit our website calendar for more events, dates and times: stfrancispalosverdes.org

The Processional: O Day of Radiant Gladness

Hymnal #48



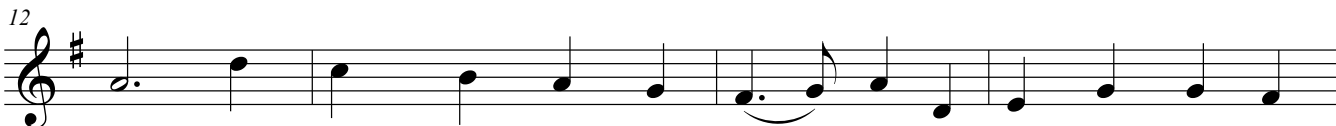
O day of ra - diant glad - ness, O day of joy and
This day at the cre - a - tion, the light first had its
This day, God's peo - ple meet - ing, his Ho - ly Scrip - ture
That light our hope sus - tain - ing, we walk the pil - grim



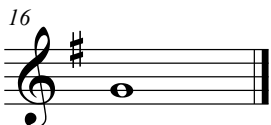
light, O balm of care and sad - ness, most beau - ti - ful, most
birth; this day for our sal - va - tion Christ rose from depths of
hear; his liv - ing pres - ence greet - ing, through Bread and Wine made
way, at length our rest at - tain - ing, our end - less Sab - bath



bright; this day the high and low - ly, through a - ges joined in
earth; this day our Lord vic - to - rious the Spi - rit sent from
near. We jour - ney on, be - liev - ing, re - newed with heaven - ly
day. We sing to thee our prais - es, O Fa - ther, Spi - rit,



tune, sing, "Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly," to the great God Tri -
heaven, and thus this day most glo - rious a tri - ple light was
might, from grace more grace re - ceiv - ing on this blest day of
Son; the Church her voice up - rais - es to thee, blest Three in



une.
given.
light.
One.

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Charles P. Price; st. 4, "Hymnal 1982". Music: "Es flog ein kleins Waldvoegelein,"
German folk song; harm. George Ratcliffe Woodward (1848-1934).

The Opening AcclamationBook of Common Prayer p. 323
The Collect for PurityBook of Common Prayer p. 323
The Summary of the LawBook of Common Prayer p. 324
The Kyrie.....Book of Common Prayer p. 324
The Collect of the DayBook of Common Prayer p. 325

The First Lesson.....	1 Kings 19:4-8
<p>⁴Elijah went a day’s journey into the wilderness, and came and sat down under a solitary broom tree. He asked that he might die: “It is enough; now, O LORD, take away my life, for I am no better than my ancestors.”⁵Then he lay down under the broom tree and fell asleep. Suddenly an angel touched him and said to him, “Get up and eat.” ⁶He looked, and there at his head was a cake baked on hot stones, and a jar of water. He ate and drank, and lay down again. ⁷The angel of the LORD came a second time, touched him, and said, “Get up and eat, otherwise the journey will be too much for you.” ⁸He got up, and ate and drank; then he went in the strength of that food forty days and forty nights to Horeb the mount of God.</p>	
The Response.....	Psalm 34:1-8 (Book of Common Prayer p. 627)
The Epistle	Ephesians 4:25–5:2
<p>²⁵So then, putting away falsehood, let all of us speak the truth to our neighbors, for we are members of one another. ²⁶Be angry but do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, ²⁷and do not make room for the devil. ²⁸Thieves must give up stealing; rather let them labor and work honestly with their own hands, so as to have something to share with the needy. ²⁹Let no evil talk come out of your mouths, but only what is useful for building up, as there is need, so that your words may give grace to those who hear. ³⁰And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with which you were marked with a seal for the day of redemption. ³¹Put away from you all bitterness and wrath and anger and wrangling and slander, together with all malice, ³²and be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ has forgiven you. ³³Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children, ³⁴and live in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.</p>	
The Holy Gospel.....	John 6:35, 41-51
<p>³⁵Jesus said, “I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. ⁴¹Then the Jews began to complain about him because he said, “I am the bread that came down from heaven.” ⁴²They were saying, “Is not this Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How can he now say, ‘I have come down from heaven?’” ⁴³Jesus answered them, “Do not complain among yourselves. ⁴⁴No one can come to me unless drawn by the Father who sent me; and I will raise that person up on the last day. ⁴⁵It is written in the prophets, ‘And they shall all be taught by God.’ Everyone who has heard and learned from the Father comes to me. ⁴⁶Not that anyone has seen the Father except the one who is from God; he has seen the Father. ⁴⁷Very truly, I tell you, whoever believes has eternal life. ⁴⁸I am the bread of life. ⁴⁹Your ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness, and they died. ⁵⁰This is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that one may eat of it and not die. ⁵¹I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.”</p>	
The Sermon.....	The Rev. Jason Shelby
The Nicene Creed	Book of Common Prayer p. 327
The Prayers of the People.....	Book of Common Prayer p. 328
The Confession	Book of Common Prayer p. 331
The Peace	Book of Common Prayer p. 332
The Welcome and Announcements	

Anyone who has a birthday or anniversary in the next week is invited to come forward for a blessing: Watch over your child(ren), O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may the peace which passes all understanding abide all the days of their life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Great ThanksgivingBook of Common Prayer p. 333
 The Post-Communion Prayer.....Book of Common Prayer p. 339
 The Blessing and Sending Forth.....Book of Common Prayer p. 339

The Recessional: God Is Love, Let Heaven Adore Him

Hymnal #379



God is Love, let heaven a - dore him; God is Love, let earth re - joice;
 God is Love; and love en - folds us, all the world in one em - brace:
 God is Love; and though with blind-ness sin af - flicts all hu - man life,



let cre - a - tion sing be - fore him and ex - alt him with one voice.
 with un - fail - ing grasp God holds us, ev - ery child of ev - ery race.
 God's e - ter - nal lov - ing - kind - ness guides us through our earth - ly strife.



God who laid the earth's foun - da - tion, God who spread the heavens a - bove,
 And when hu - man hearts are break - ing un - der sor - row's i - ron rod,
 Sin and death and hell shall nev - er o'er us fi - nal tri - umph gain;



God who breathes through all cre - a - tion: God is Love, e - ter - nal Love.
 then we find that self - same ach - ing deep with - in the heart of God.
 God is Love, so Love for ev - er o'er the u - ni - verse must reign.

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The Postlude

Tuba Tune

C. S. Lang

You serve the best doing what you love most

Fr. Jason has invited the Vestry to host a series of small group meetings with our parish family. This is an opportunity for us to come together and explore what we love that brings us joy in church and our daily lives and to understand how it can further the Kingdom of God in our community.



The gatherings will be in July and August for 8-10 members per group. Sessions will be held in the church library following the 8 am and 10 am Sunday services or at other times in the home of a Vestry member. (See the list of dates, times, and places below). Sessions will last approximately one hour or as long as needed so that everyone is able to participate.

You are invited to talk with any Vestry person to ask questions. These discussions are intended to help deepen our relationship with God and each other as we share our experiences, joy, and love.

Please don't miss out on this chance to grow together. Select a date and time that works for you. Call the church office at 310-375-4617 to reserve your spot or email Jessica Salazar at jessica.salazar@stfrancispalosverdes.org.

We will also have a signup sheet after the 8 am and 10 am services for the next several weeks.

Meeting times:

- Sunday, August 11 - 9:00 am and 11:30 am church boardroom
- Wednesday, August 15 - 6:00 pm Cronin Residence (PVE between La Venta and Malaga Library)

Prayers this Week

We pray for all those who serve in the armed and foreign services, and for their families, especially Thomas, Drew Deley, Michael Heredia, Mark Kappelmann, Joseph Leahy, TJ Malzahn, Will Piepenbring, Scott Ruston, Michael Strong, Barry Witt, Jonathan Zimmerman and Steve.

Those who are ill, recovering from surgery, or in any other kind of need or trouble: Andrea, Bruce Schaefer, Ceri Falk, Chris, Chris Goldsmith, Colette Furbush, Daniel Drayling, Erica, Gail Winters, George Ginis, Hector Gutierrez, Jane Sharp, Jean Dicus, Judy Morgan, Kristen, Loren, Patt Parker, Roxanne Wall, Russell, Sally Hill, Sandy, Stephen, Tommy, Tony Lowe, and William Zak Sr., and for the people of the Middle East, and victims of violence everywhere.

We pray for all who have died that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

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