

Pentecost 17 / Proper 19

Sunday, September 15, 2024 ❖ 8:00 am



Celebrant/Preacher: The Rev. Jason Shelby

Deacon: The Rev. Celeste Stump

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.

Consider making a donation of altar flowers in honor of a special occasion or in memory of someone you love. (The suggested donation is \$50.) Contact Jessica in the church office at 310-375-4617 or jessica.salazar@stfrancispalosverdes.org.

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

Coming Events

Get Connected Sunday – Sun., Sept. 15 after the 8:00 am and 10:00 am services.

Healing & Reconciliation Holy Eucharist – Wednesdays at 10:00 am in the Chapel.

Finance Meeting – Wed., Sept. 17, 6:00 pm

Vestry Meeting – Wed., Sept. 17, 7:00 pm

Blue Bin Sorting – Wed., Sept. 17, 10:00 am

Good Grief Support Group – Wed., Sept. 18, 11:00 am; Wed., Sept. 25, 5:00 pm.

Quilting Group – Thur., Sept. 12, 1:00 pm and Thur., Sept. 19, 1:00 pm.

St. Luke's Breakfast Outreach

- Lunch Prep – Fri., 4:00 pm
- Breakfast served – Sat., Sept. 21, 7:00 am at St. Luke's

Wayfarers Chapel Exchange

- Sept. 22: Wayfarers Chapel to worship with us at the 10:00 am service.
- Sept. 29: We will worship with Wayfarers in the St. Francis Chapel at 10:15 am.
- On both Sundays, we will have our usual 8:00 am worship in the St. Francis Chapel.

Ongoing

Get involved at St. Francis by joining one or more of our ongoing Life Groups.

For a full list, visit our website at:

<https://www.stfrancispalosverdes.org/small-discussion-groups/>

For more events, dates and times, visit our church calendar: <https://bit.ly/stfranciscalendar>

The Processional: Glorious Things of The Are Spoken

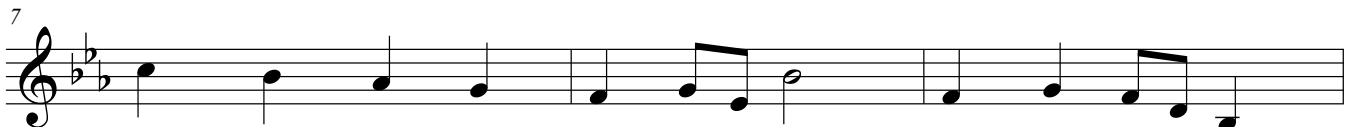
Hymnal #522



Glo - rious things of thee are spo-ken, Zi - on, ci - ty
 See! the streams of liv - ing wa-ters, spring - ing from e -
 Round each ha - bi - ta - tion hov-ering, see the cloud and
 Blest in - ha - bit - ants of Zi - on, washed in the Re -



of our God; he whose word can - not be bro - ken
 ter - nal love, well sup - ply thy sons and daugh-ters
 fire ap - pear for a glo - ry and a cov - ering,
 deem-er's blood! Je - sus, whom their souls re - ly___ on,



formed thee for his own a - bode; on the Rock of
 and all fear of want re - move. Who can faint, when
 show - ing that the Lord is___ near. Thus de - riv - ing
 makes them kings and priests to___ God. 'Tis his love his



A - ges found - ed, what can shake thy sure re - pose?
 such a riv - er ev - er will their thirst as - suage?
 from their ban - ner, light by night, and shade by day,
 peo - ple rais - es o - ver self to reign as kings:



With sal - va - tion's walls sur - round - ed, thou may'st smile at___
 Grace which, like___ the Lord, the giv - er, nev - er___ fails from
 safe they feed up - on the man - na which he gives them
 and as priests, his sol - emn prais - es each for a___ thank -



all thy___ foes.
 age to___ age.
 when they pray.
 of - feringbrings.

Words: John Newton (1725-1808), alt. Music: "Austria," Franz Joseph Haydn (1732-1809);
 desc. Michael E. Young (b. 1939)

The Opening Acclamation	Book of Common Prayer p. 323
The Collect for Purity	Book of Common Prayer p. 323
The Summary of the Law.....	Book of Common Prayer p. 324
The Kyrie.....	Book of Common Prayer p. 324
The Collect of the Day	Book of Common Prayer p. 182
The First Lesson.....	Isaiah 50:4-9a

⁴The Lord GOD has given me
the tongue of a teacher,
that I may know how to sustain
the weary with a word.
Morning by morning he wakens—
wakens my ear
to listen as those who are taught.
⁵The Lord GOD has opened my ear,
and I was not rebellious,
I did not turn backward.
⁶I gave my back to those who struck me,
and my cheeks to those who pulled out the beard;
I did not hide my face
from insult and spitting.
⁷The Lord GOD helps me;
therefore I have not been disgraced;
therefore I have set my face like flint,
and I know that I shall not be put to shame;
⁸he who vindicates me is near.
Who will contend with me?
Let us stand up together.
Who are my adversaries?
Let them confront me.
^{9a}It is the Lord GOD who helps me;
who will declare me guilty?

The Response.....	Psalm 116:1-8 (Book of Common Prayer p. 759)
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The Epistle	James 3:1-12
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¹Not many of you should become teachers, my brothers and sisters, for you know that we who teach will be judged with greater strictness. ²For all of us make many mistakes. Anyone who makes no mistakes in speaking is perfect, able to keep the whole body in check with a bridle. ³If we put bits into the mouths of horses to make them obey us, we guide their whole bodies. ⁴Or look at ships: though they are so large that it takes strong winds to drive them, yet they are guided by a very small rudder wherever the will of the pilot directs. ⁵So also the tongue is a small member, yet it boasts of great exploits.

How great a forest is set ablaze by a small fire! ⁶And the tongue is a fire. The tongue is placed among our members as a world of iniquity; it stains the whole body, sets on fire the cycle of nature, and is itself set on fire by hell. ⁷For every species of beast and bird, of reptile and sea creature, can be tamed and has been tamed by the human species, ⁸but no one can tame the tongue—a restless evil, full of deadly poison. ⁹With it we bless the Lord and Father, and with it we curse those who are made in the likeness of God. ¹⁰From the same mouth come blessing and cursing. My brothers and sisters, this ought not to be so. ¹¹Does a spring pour

forth from the same opening both fresh and brackish water? ¹²Can a fig tree, my brothers and sisters, yield olives, or a grapevine figs? No more can salt water yield fresh.

The Holy GospelMark 8:27-38

²⁷Jesus went on with his disciples to the villages of Caesarea Philippi; and on the way he asked his disciples, "Who do people say that I am?" ²⁸And they answered him, "John the Baptist; and others, Elijah; and still others, one of the prophets." ²⁹He asked them, "But who do you say that I am?" Peter answered him, "You are the Messiah." ³⁰And he sternly ordered them not to tell anyone about him.

³¹Then he began to teach them that the Son of Man must undergo great suffering, and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and be killed, and after three days rise again. ³²He said all this quite openly. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. ³³But turning and looking at his disciples, he rebuked Peter and said, "Get behind me, Satan! For you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things."

³⁴He called the crowd with his disciples, and said to them, "If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. ³⁵For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it. ³⁶For what will it profit them to gain the whole world and forfeit their life? ³⁷Indeed, what can they give in return for their life? ³⁸Those who are ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of them the Son of Man will also be ashamed when he comes in the glory of his Father with the holy angels."

The Sermon.....The Rev. Jason Shelby

The Nicene CreedBook of Common Prayer p. 327

The Prayers of the PeopleBook of Common Prayer p. 328

The ConfessionBook of Common Prayer p. 331

The PeaceBook 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 PrayerBook of Common Prayer p. 339

The Blessing and Sending Forth.....Book of Common Prayer p. 339

The Recessional: The Church's One Foundation

Hymnal #525



The Chu-rch's one foun - da - tion is Je - sus Christ her
 E - lect from ev - ery na - tion, yet one o'er all the
 Though with a scorn-ful won - der men see her sore op -
 Mid toil and tri - bu - la - tion, and tu - mult of her
 Yet she on earth hath un - ion with God, the Three in



Lord; she is his new cre - a - tion by wa - ter and the
 earth, her char - ter of sal - va - tion, one Lord, one faith, one
 pressed, by schi - sms rent a - sun - der, by her - e - sies dis -
 war she waits the con - sum - ma - tion of peace for - ev - er -
 One, and mys - tic sweet com - mun - ion with those whose rest is



word; from heaven he came and sought her to be his ho - ly
 birth; one ho - ly Name she bless - es, par - takes one ho - ly
 tressed; yet saints their watch are keep - ing, their cry goes up, "How
 more; till with the vi - sion glo - rious her long - ing eyes are
 won. O hap - py ones and ho - ly! Lord, give us grace that



bride; with his own blood he bought her, and for her life he
 food, and to one hope she press - es, with ev - ery grace en -
 long?" and soon the night of weep - ing shall be the morn of
 blessed, and the great Church vic - tor - ious shall be the Church at
 we like them, the meek and low - ly, on high may dwell with



died.
 dued.
 song.
 rest.
 thee.

Words: Samuel John Stone (1839-1900). Music: "Aurelia," Samuel Sebastian Wesley (1810-1876).

The Postlude

March and Cortège

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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: Albert, 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, Richard Cantine, 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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