

SAINT ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Middletown, Delaware



Healing Sunday

Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday November 11, 2018

9:30 AM

Welcome! We are glad you are worshiping with us. Please take this bulletin home with you – Church calendar and announcements are on the back page.

- Ushers are available by the front doors if you have questions or need assistance.
- Child care is available in the classroom located at the foot of the stairs, lower level.
- For more information about Saint Anne's Church, please fill out a blue card, located in the pew, and give it to an usher, or visit our website at:

www.SaintAnnesChurchDE.org

- Following the service, everyone is invited to the Great Hall for refreshments and fellowship. *Sunday School* and *Adult Enrichment* are offered every Sunday, except on the first Sunday of each month, at 10:40.
- To receive our weekly newsletter, *The Messenger*, please contact the Church Office at Office@SaintAnnesChurchDE.org or 302-378-2401.

Prelude

At the sound of the bell, please stand as you are able.

Hymn

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1 God of grace and God of glo - ry, on thy peo - ple pour thy power;
2 Lo! the hosts of e - vil round us scorn thy Christ, as - sail his ways!
3 Cure thy chil - dren's war - ring mad - ness, bend our pride to thy con - trol;
4 Save us from weak res - ig - na - tion to the e - vils we de - plore;

crown thine an - cient Church's sto - ry; bring her bud to glo - rious flower.
From the fears that long have bound us free our hearts to faith and praise:
shame our wan - ton, self - ish glad - ness, rich in things and poor in soul.
let the gift of thy sal - va - tion be our glo - ry ev - er - more.

Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age, for the fac - ing of this
grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age, for the liv - ing of these
Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age, lest we miss thy king - dom's
Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age, serv - ing thee whom we a -

hour, for the fac - ing of this hour.
days, for the liv - ing of these days.
goal, lest we miss thy king - dom's goal.
dore, serv - ing thee whom we a - dore.

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

People And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

The Celebrant says

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.

People Amen.

Gloria

368 v1-3

1 Ho - ly Fa - ther, great Cre - a - tor, source of mer - cy,
2 Ho - ly Je - sus, Lord of glo - ry, whom an - gel - ic
3 Ho - ly Spi - rit, Sanc - ti - fi - er, Come with unc - tion

love, and peace, look up - on the Me - di - a - tor,
hosts pro - claim, while we hear thy won - drous sto - ry,
from a - bove, touch our hearts with sa - cred fire,

clothe us with his right - eous - ness; heaven - ly Fa - ther,
meet and wor - ship in thy Name, dear Re - deem - er,
fill them with the Sa - vior's love. Source of com - fort,

heaven - ly Fa - ther, through the Sa - vior hear and bless.
dear Re - deem - er, in our hearts thy peace pro - claim.
Source of com - fort, cheer us with the Sa - vior's love.

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

The Celebrant says the Collect.

O God, whose blessed Son came into the world that he might destroy the works of the devil and make us children of God and heirs of eternal life: Grant that, having this hope, we may purify ourselves as he is pure; that, when he comes again with power and great glory, we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

People Amen.

Please be seated

The First Lesson

I Kings 17:8-16

The word of the Lord came to Elijah, saying, "Go now to Zarephath, which belongs to Sidon, and live there; for I have commanded a widow there to feed you." So he set out and went to Zarephath. When he came to the gate of the town, a widow was there gathering sticks; he called to her and said, "Bring me a little water in a vessel, so that I may drink." As she was going to bring it, he called to her and said, "Bring me a morsel of bread in your hand." But she said, "As the Lord your God lives, I have nothing baked, only a handful of meal in a jar, and a little oil in a jug; I am now gathering a couple of sticks, so that I may go home and prepare it for myself and my son, that we may eat it, and die." Elijah said to her, "Do not be afraid; go and do as you have said; but first make me a little cake of it and bring it to me, and afterwards make something for yourself and your son. For thus says the Lord the God of Israel: The jar of meal will not be emptied and the jug of oil will not fail until the day that the Lord sends rain on the earth." She went and did as Elijah said, so that she as well as he and her household ate for many days. The jar of meal was not emptied, neither did the jug of oil fail, according to the word of the Lord that he spoke by Elijah.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

The Psalm is read responsively by half verse, breaking at the asterisk. The leader reads the first line and the congregation responds with the next line.

Psalm 146

- 1 Hallelujah! Praise the Lord, O my soul! *
I will praise the Lord as long as I live; I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.
- 2 Put not your trust in rulers, nor in any child of earth, *
for there is no help in them.
- 3 When they breathe their last, they return to earth, *
and in that day their thoughts perish.

- 4 Happy are they who have the God of Jacob for their help! *
whose hope is in the Lord their God;
- 5 Who made heaven and earth, the seas, and all that is in them; *
who keeps his promise for ever;
- 6 Who gives justice to those who are oppressed, *
and food to those who hunger.
- 7 The Lord sets the prisoners free; the Lord opens the eyes of the blind; *
the Lord lifts up those who are bowed down;
- 8 The Lord loves the righteous; the Lord cares for the stranger; *
the Lord sustains the orphan and widow, but frustrates the way of the wicked.
- 9 The Lord shall reign for ever, *
your God, O Zion, throughout all generations. Hallelujah!

The Second Lesson

Hebrews 9:24-28

Christ did not enter a sanctuary made by human hands, a mere copy of the true one, but he entered into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf. Nor was it to offer himself again and again, as the high priest enters the Holy Place year after year with blood that is not his own; for then he would have had to suffer again and again since the foundation of the world. But as it is, he has appeared once for all at the end of the age to remove sin by the sacrifice of himself. And just as it is appointed for mortals to die once, and after that the judgment, so Christ, having been offered once to bear the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to deal with sin, but to save those who are eagerly waiting for him.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Please stand as you are able and turn to face the Gospel Book as it is processed down the aisle.

The Gradual Hymn

LEVAS 115

The musical score is presented in two systems. Each system consists of a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The key signature is one flat (B-flat) and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are: "Spir - it of the Liv - ing God, Fall fresh on me,". The piano part provides harmonic support with chords and single notes.

Melt me, mold me, Fill me, use me.

Spir - it of the Liv - ing God, Fall fresh on me.

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The Holy Gospel

Mark 12:38-44

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

As Jesus taught, he said, “Beware of the scribes, who like to walk around in long robes, and to be greeted with respect in the marketplaces, and to have the best seats in the synagogues and places of honor at banquets! They devour widows’ houses and for the sake of appearance say long prayers. They will receive the greater condemnation.” He sat down opposite the treasury, and watched the crowd putting money into the treasury. Many rich people put in large sums. A poor widow came and put in two small copper coins, which are worth a penny. Then he called his disciples and said to them, “Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all those who are contributing to the treasury. For all of them have contributed out of their abundance; but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on.”

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Please be seated

The Sermon

Russell Bohner

Please stand as you are able. Said all together.

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,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who 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 petitioners gather at the top of the stairs at the end of the Creed.

When the petitioner says, "Lord, in your mercy," the people respond, "Hear our prayer."

The Celebrant adds a concluding collect.

People Amen.

The Peace

The Celebrant says

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

The ministers and people greet each other in the name of the Lord.

Please be seated.

The Offertory

Celebrant says an Offertory Sentence. During the Anthem, the ushers collect the gifts of the people.

Offertory Anthem

Saint Anne's Choir

Please stand as you are able. The ushers process the gifts of the people to the altar.

Presentation Hymn

TCH 105 vv 1&3

1. We will glo - ri - fy the King of kings; We will glo - ri - fy the
3. He is Lord of heav - en, Lord of earth; He is Lord of all who
Lamb. We will glo - ri - fy the Lord of lords, Who is the great I AM.
live. He is Lord a - bove the u - ni - verse; All praise to Him we give.

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The Holy Communion

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 God thanks and praise.

The Celebrant continues

Almighty God, Lord of all creation, we praise you for your goodness and love. When we turned away, you did not reject us. You came to meet us in your Son, welcomed us as your children, and prepared a table where we might feast with you. In Christ you shared our life that we might live in Him and He in us.

People *Jesus opened wide his arms upon the cross and, with love stronger than death, made the perfect sacrifice for sin.*

The Celebrant continues

Lord Jesus Christ, our redeemer, on the night before you died, you came to table with your friends. Taking bread, you gave thanks, broke it and gave it to them saying, 'Take, eat: this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me.'

People *Lord Jesus, we bless you: you are the bread of life.*

The Celebrant continues

At the end of supper, you took the cup of wine, gave thanks, 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; do this in remembrance of me.'

People *Lord Jesus, we bless you: you are the true vine.*

The Celebrant continues

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ: dying, you destroyed our death, rising, you restored our life;

People *Lord Jesus, come in glory!*

The Celebrant continues

Holy Spirit, giver of life, come upon us now and make this bread and wine to be for us the body and blood of our Savior Jesus Christ.

People *As we eat and drink these holy gifts make us, who know our need of grace, one in Christ, our risen Lord.*

The Celebrant continues

Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, Blessed Trinity: with your whole Church throughout the world, we offer you this sacrifice of thanks and praise and lift our voices to join the song of heaven, for ever praising you and singing:

Sanctus

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Ho - ly is the Lord. Ho - ly, ho - ly,

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

ho - ly, Ho - ly is the Lord. Ho - ly is the Fa - ther,

11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20

Ho - ly is the Son, Ho - ly is the Spir - it; Bless - ed

21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29

Three in One. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Ho - ly is the

30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38

Lord. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Ho - ly is the Lord.

39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48

The Celebrant continues

Thanks be to you, our God, for your gift beyond words.

People ***Amen.***

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

Celebrant and People

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.

The Celebrant elevates and breaks the consecrated bread, saying

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

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

Facing the people, the Celebrant elevates the consecrated gifts, saying

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

1. O how He loves you and me.
2. Je - sus to Cal - vary did go,

1. O how He loves you and me;
2. His love for the worlds to show;

1. He gave His life, what more could He give;
2. What He did there brought hope from de - spair;

1. O how He loves you, O how He loves me,
2. O how He loves you, O how He loves me,

1. O how He loves you and me.
2. O how He loves you and me.

*All are welcome to receive Holy Communion. If you prefer to receive a blessing instead, please come forward and cross your arms across your chest.
Gluten-free wafers are available on request.*

This morning, as you come forward for Holy Communion, you may choose to receive a personal prayer for healing. Our priests will stand at the bottom of the stairs. Come forward as you usually do and, if you desire a healing prayer, walk forward to one of the priests. If someone is already praying with the priest, please wait a few feet away to ensure confidentiality. Once you have prayed with the priest, get back in line to receive the Bread and Cup. For those who choose not to receive a healing prayer, please proceed as usual. The Bread will be distributed next to the Cup at both sides of the sanctuary.

Please stand as you are able.

Post-Communion Hymn

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1 My coun - try, 'tis of thee, sweet land of
2 My na - tive coun - try, thee, land of the
3 Let mu - sic swell the breeze, and ring from
4 Our fa - thers' God, to thee, au - thor of

lib - er - ty, of thee I sing; land where my
no - ble free, thy name I love; I love thy
all the trees sweet free - dom's song; let mor - tal
lib - er - ty, to thee we sing; long may our

fa - thers died, land of the pil - grim's pride,
rocks and rills, thy woods and tem - pled hills;
tongues a - wake, let all that breathe par - take,
land be bright with free - dom's ho - ly light;

from ev - ery moun - tain - side let freed - om ring.
my heart with rap - ture thrills like that a - bove.
let rocks their si - lence break, the sound pro - long.
pro - tect us by thy might, great God, our King.

Post-Communion Prayer

Celebrant Let us pray.

Said all together

Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Through him we offer you our souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice. Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen.

The Blessing

The Celebrant says

Let love be genuine, hold fast to what is good, serve the Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit be among you and remain with you always.

People Amen.

Please be seated.

Announcements

Please stand as you are able.

Hymn

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1 O love that casts out fear, O love that casts out sin,
2 True sun - light of the soul, sur - round us as we go;
3 Great love of God, come in! Well - spring of heaven - ly peace;
4 Love of the liv - ing God, of Fa - ther and of Son;

tar - ry no more with - out, but come and dwell with - in.
so shall our way be safe, our feet no stray - ing know.
thou Liv - ing Wa - ter, come! Spring up, and nev - er cease.
love of the Ho - ly Ghost, fill thou each need - y one.

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The Dismissal

The Celebrant says the dismissal.

People Thanks be to God.

Postlude

*Please join us in the Great Hall for refreshments and fellowship
followed by Sunday School and Adult Enrichment!*

WELCOME TO SAINT ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

If you are visiting, please complete the blue card found in the pew and place it in the collection plate or hand it to an usher. Thank you.

Parish Prayers

We pray for Marilyn Cerniglia, Samantha Coleman, William Cosans, Cheryl Harris, and Alan White. **The Altar flowers** are given in loving memory of Lawrence & Florence Jester by Becky & Chip Roberts.

In the Episcopal Church in Delaware, we pray for Saint Anne's and Saint Andrew's Schools and for the Members of the Episcopal Church in Delaware Council.

In the Anglican Communion, we pray for the Episcopal Church of Cuba.

2019 Pledge Campaign To continue our Christ centered worship, ministry, and mission, Saint Anne's Church depends upon the financial contributions of its members, and we ask every member to make a generous financial pledge to support Saint Anne's in 2019. A financial pledge is a promise we make and a sign of our commitment as members of the Church. To determine the amount of your pledge, please reflect on the many ways that—through our worship, fellowship, and service—Saint Anne's is a blessing to you and our community. To make your pledge, please complete a 2019 Pledge Card and mail it to the Church Office or place it in the Sunday collection. You may email your pledge to Office@SaintAnnesChurchDE.org. Pledges of all amounts are welcome, and all pledges are kept strictly confidential. Please contact Fr. Russ if you have any questions. Thank you!

19th Annual Community Thanksgiving Dinner Nov. 22nd, from Noon to 3 p.m. in the Great Hall. If you would like to help or for more information about the event please talk to Jessie Ventura or call the Church Office at 302-378-2401.

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Activities at Saint Anne's Church

Sun	2:00PM	Broadmeadow Service-500 S. Broad St., Middletown
	6:00PM	YES 7th & 8th Grades-Youth Room
	7:00PM	YES High School-Youth Room
Mon	5:30PM	Pack food for distribution-Classroom
Tues	5:30PM	Food distribution
	6:00PM	Centering Prayer-Chapel
Wed	12:10PM	A Service for Healing-Chapel
	12:30PM	Prayer Team Meeting-Great Hall
	6:00PM	Bell Choir Rehearsal-Sanctuary
	7:00PM	Choir Rehearsal-Sanctuary
Thurs	7:30AM	Holy Eucharist-Chapel
	8:00AM	Thursday Morning Bible Study-Great Hall
Fri	11:00AM	Men's Group to serve at Our Daily Bread