



The Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost

Holy Eucharist, Rite II
7:30 in the Morning
September 16, 2018

Prelude: Prelude in C Major

Dieterich Buxtehude

Welcome & Announcements

The Word of God

The Opening Acclamation

BCP, p. 323

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

People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

The Collect for Purity

Gloria in excelsis (said in unison)

Glory be to God on high, and on earth peace, good will towards men. We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee, we glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glory, O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For thou only art holy; thou only art the Lord; thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And with thy spirit.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

O God, forasmuch as without thee we are not able to please thee, mercifully grant that thy Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with thee and the same Spirit liveth and reigneth, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

The First Reading: Proverbs 1:20-33

Wisdom cries out in the street; in the squares she raises her voice. At the busiest corner she cries out; at the entrance of the city gates she speaks: "How long, O simple ones, will you love being simple? How long will scoffers delight in their scoffing and fools hate knowledge? Give heed to my reproof; I will pour out my thoughts to you; I will make my words known to you. Because I have called and you refused, have stretched out my hand and no one heeded, and because you have ignored all my counsel and would have none of my reproof, I also will laugh at your calamity; I will mock when panic strikes you, when panic strikes you like a storm, and your calamity comes like a whirlwind, when distress and anguish come upon you. Then they will call upon me, but I will not answer; they will seek me diligently, but will not find me. Because they hated knowledge and did not choose the fear of the LORD, would have none of my counsel, and despised all my reproof, therefore they shall eat the fruit of their way and be sated with their own devices. For waywardness kills the simple, and the complacency of fools destroys them; but those who listen to me will be secure and will live at ease, without dread of disaster."

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 19

- 1 The heavens declare the glory of God, *
and the firmament shows his handiwork.
- 2 One day tells its tale to another, *
and one night imparts knowledge to another.
- 3 Although they have no words or language, *
and their voices are not heard,
- 4 Their sound has gone out into all lands, *
and their message to the ends of the world.
- 5 In the deep has he set a pavilion for the sun; *
it comes forth like a bridegroom out of his chamber;
it rejoices like a champion to run its course.
- 6 It goes forth from the uttermost edge of the heavens
and runs about to the end of it again; *
nothing is hidden from its burning heat.
- 7 The law of the LORD is perfect and revives the soul; *
the testimony of the LORD is sure and gives wisdom to
the innocent.
- 8 The statutes of the LORD are just and rejoice the heart; *
the commandment of the LORD is clear and gives light to the eyes.
- 9 The fear of the LORD is clean and endures for ever; *
the judgments of the LORD are true and righteous altogether.
- 10 More to be desired are they than gold, more than much fine gold, *
sweeter far than honey, than honey in the comb.
- 11 By them also is your servant enlightened, *
and in keeping them there is great reward.
- 12 Who can tell how often he offends? *
cleanse me from my secret faults.
- 13 Above all, keep your servant from presumptuous sins;
let them not get dominion over me; *
then shall I be whole and sound, and innocent of a great offense.
- 14 Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my
heart be acceptable in your sight, *
O LORD, my strength and my redeemer.

The Second Reading: James 3:1-12

Not many of you should become teachers, my brothers and sisters, for you know that we who teach will be judged with greater strictness. For 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. If we put bits into the mouths of horses to make them obey us, we guide their whole bodies. Or 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. So also the tongue is a small member, yet it boasts of great exploits. How great a forest is set ablaze by a small fire! And 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. For every species of beast and bird, of reptile and sea creature, can be tamed and has been tamed by the human species, but no one can tame the tongue - a restless evil, full of deadly poison. With it we bless the Lord and Father, and with it we curse those who are made in the likeness of God. From the same mouth come blessing and cursing. My brothers and sisters, this ought not to be so. Does a spring pour forth from the same opening both fresh and brackish water? Can a fig tree, my brothers and sisters, yield olives, or a grapevine figs? No more can salt water yield fresh.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Hymn 675

Bourbon

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

People: Glory be to thee, O Lord.

The Holy Gospel: Mark 8:27-38

Jesus 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?" And they answered him, "John the Baptist; and others, Elijah; and still others, one of the prophets." He asked them, "But who do you say that I am?" Peter answered him, "You are the

Messiah." And he sternly ordered them not to tell anyone about him. Then 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. He said all this quite openly. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. But 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." He 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. For 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. For what will it profit them to gain the whole world and forfeit their life? Indeed, what can they give in return for their life? Those 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."

Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord.
People: Praise be to thee, O Christ.

The Sermon

The Nicene Creed BCP, p. 326

The Prayers of the People BCP, p. 328

The Confession, The Absolution & The Peace BCP, p. 330

The Holy Communion

All who seek a closer relationship with Christ are invited to His Table. To receive the Bread, stand or kneel and the priest will place the Bread in the palm of your hand. To receive the Wine, guide the Chalice to your lips, or carefully dip the Bread into the Cup. If you do not wish to receive the Cup, simply cross your arms as the Chalice is presented. If it is not your custom to receive Communion, we invite you to come to the altar for a blessing. Please cross your arms over your chest and bow your head for the blessing. For gluten-free communion wafers please make your need known to the clergy at the altar.

Offertory: Jesus, Thy Boundless Love to Me Aaron David Miller

At the Presentation: The Doxology (Hymn 380, v. 3) Old 100th

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer I BCP, p. 333

Sanctus (said in unison)

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts: Heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High. Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The Lord's Prayer BCP, p. 336

The Breaking of the Bread

The Post-Communion Prayer

Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

The Blessing

Hymn 525 Aurelia

The Dismissal

Postlude: Salisbury Fanfare

David Halls

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The Altar Flowers were given to the Glory of God
and in celebration of the birth of Catherine Laine Geddy, born September 5,
daughter of Cole and Kathleen Geddy and granddaughter of Laura
and Vernon Geddy.

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Sunday at Bruton Parish
Coffee Connections in the Custis House at 10:30 am.

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In your prayers this week, please remember: persons for whom our prayers are asked: Ann L., Barbara, Betty, Bill, Bob, Charlotte, Calder, Carol, Chison, Chuck, Clinton, Connie, Darlene, Dick, Frances, Gary, Howard, Jane J, Jane M, Jean, Jim, John A, John L, John M, John M, Jared, Joyce, Laura, Margaret, Marjory, Martha, Mary Ann, Michael, Michael M, Nancy B, Nancy J., Pam, Patricia, Phyllis, Rosemary, Scottie, Shirley, Sue, Susan, Vernon, Wayne, William; all who serve in the armed forces, especially: Billy, Cameron Blount, Matt Bosworth, Michael Boyle, Ned Burgwyn, Matthew Burleson, Willard Burleson, Cameron Butler, Corydon Butler, James Coffey, Hunter Colt, Jeff Colt, Sam Colt, Jake Cooley, Andrew Cox, Charles Cox, Chris Davis, Kyle Defibaugh, Patrick Diehl, Connor Diesing, Duane Diesing, Sean Doherty, Robert Elmore, Daniel Faughnan, Joshua Hays, Rob Hodgson, Eric Holm, Michael Holm, Scott Howe, Jeff Hunter, Chip Huntsberry, Eric Inman, Dane Jansson, Jason Kelly, Michael H. Manson Jr., Courtney Miyamasu, Katherine Miyamasu, Timothy Moffitt, Stephen Mongold, Phillip Morrison, Joshua Mullen, Donald Ernest Perkins III, Edward Petrillo, Tom Plum, Lauren Rogers, Trevor Rogers, Michelle Rose, Danielle Saunders, Sean Garand, Jasper Smith, Carson Strassels, Peter Strassels, Ryan Suders, Henry White, John Wilkes, Andrew Wolgem. We pray for the dearly departed.

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Parish Announcements

Fall Fellowship Festival: Join us for shrimp, clams, oysters, crabs, hotdogs with all the fixings, and kids' activities from 4:30-7pm on Sunday, September 30, in the Parish Hall. Just \$15/person or \$25/family (pay at the door). Please rsvp by Wednesday, September 26, at rsvp@brutonparish.org or 757-229-2891. To volunteer to help set-up, cook, and/or clean-up, visit <http://bit.ly/fallfellowshipfestival2018> or contact Meghan Brewer at 252-347-7078 or mbrewer@brutonparish.org.

The Women to Women Fall Coffee & Outreach Fair: All women of Bruton are invited on Thursday, September 20, to join us in the Parish Hall from 10-11:30am for coffee and light snacks, where we'll also learn about opportunities to serve in our local community, diocese, and the world. Representatives from seven organizations will make short presentations as well as have tables set up with more information. Come and join us as we make new relationships, strengthen old ones, and discover ways we can partner with other women in ministry.

The Women's Evening Potluck will resume at 6:30pm on Tuesday, September 18, hosted by Jo-Anne Hand. Please rsvp and get directions to Jo-Anne's house by calling her at 757-345-6950 or email womenspotluck@brutonparish.org.

Walk a Labyrinth at Eastern State Hospital with us on Thursday, September 20, at 5:30pm. All are welcome to join us for this ancient meditation where we'll gather as a group, say a prayer, walk the labyrinth, and then share our experience. The whole event lasts about an hour. For directions/questions, please contact the Rev'd Lauren McDonald.

Bruton Singles: Meet the group on Saturday, September 22, for the 2pm matinee performance of Shakespeare In Love at Williamsburg Players, followed by a potluck supper at Kathy Rose's house. Call Kathy Rose at 757-259-9037 to rsvp.

Women Under Fortyish will be meeting on Sunday, September 23, from 1:30-3pm in the Coffee, Tea, and Thee Room for conversation about the intersection between spirituality and our lives. We will be discussing the Book of Judith from the Apocrypha as we learn about women in the Bible. Childcare will be provided.

Sweet Discourse: A Visit with Lady Washington: Co-sponsored by the Heritage Center and Guides committees, join us Wednesday, September 26, in the Parish House to visit with our nation's first First Lady as portrayed by Mary Wiseman. Coffee and light dessert will be served at 6:30pm, followed by the program at 7pm. Read more about this program on our website. All are invited, so please bring your friends and neighbors!

Vestry Nominations are due Monday, October 1, in preparation for the upcoming Vestry election at the Annual Meeting in the church following the 9:15am service on Sunday, November 18. Please consider submitting your name or that of someone with whom you have spoken. Forms can be found on our website and in the Parish House.

Bruton Parish Gift Shop purchases support mission and outreach! We have beautiful cloisonné humming birds and butterflies, small jewelry/trinket boxes decorated with a raised pewter cross, wooden prayer boxes, "blessing jars", pewter baby cups, colorful pure plant oil soaps and candy. The Christmas Shop opens on September 24!

Bruton & Habitat for Humanity: Sign up to help build a Habitat house for the Hawkins family in the Grove area of Williamsburg. Go to their volunteer website at <http://bit.ly/HABITAT-BPC> and select the date you'd like to work. They're also having a joint workday on Saturday, October 13, for parishioners from Bruton and LifePointe Church, the church that we joined with to build the house on Richmond Road. Please contact Isabel Burch at habitat@brutonparish.org with questions.

Canterbury: Join us for a night of jazz, reunion, and fellowship during Homecoming. On Friday, October 19th, Canterbury is holding a homecoming reception for current students, alumni, and friends of Canterbury from 5-6:30pm! This event will include some very special announcements regarding the future of the Episcopal Church at William and Mary. Please RSVP online at <http://bit.ly/HC18RSVP>.

The Heritage Center: Just one and a half blocks west of the church, both the Shop and Center are open Monday-Saturday from 10am-5pm and on Sunday from 12pm-5pm and are always free to enter. An introductory video is available in the Center which describes how our two Historic Parish Registers and A Guide to the Memorials of Bruton Parish Church can be accessed on our website from any personal computer.

Children & Youth

Nursery is available for babies to 4-year-olds in the Parish House from 8:30am until after the 11:15am service. Children's Programming has been cancelled today. All will resume next Sunday, including our official Sunday School kickoff.

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Pastoral Care Ministry Office - Wednesdays & Fridays, 10am - 2pm
757-645-2050 or PCM@brutonparish.org

Stephen Ministry - Mary Jean Hurst & John Fogarty, Referrals Coordinators
757-220-2087 (confidential)

Parish Nurse - Sylvia Saba
757-345-6477 (voicemail) or parishnurse@brutonparish.org

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Welcome to Bruton Parish Church

An Episcopal Parish
in the Diocese of Southern Virginia

Newcomers and visitors to our community: please take a moment to complete the form in the blue booklet in your pew and drop it in the offertory plate or visit the Newcomers section on our website.

Church Address: 201 Duke of Gloucester Street, Williamsburg, VA 23185
Parish Mailing Address: P.O. Box 3520, Williamsburg, VA, 23187-3520
Website: www.brutonparish.org
Phone: (757) 229-2891

Schedule

For our service schedule, check our website and the schedule posted on the door.

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Canterbury Association

For information about the College of William and Mary Ministry,
please visit the Canterbury section of our website.

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Concerts

Tuesday, September 18 8:00 pm	Organ Recital at Bruton Parish Church Dr. JanEl Will, Organist at Bruton Parish
Thursday, September 20 8:00 pm	Organ Recital at Bruton Parish Rebecca Davy, Music Director at Bruton Parish Church, joined by her student, Michael Gibson
Saturday, September 22 10:00 am	Historic Organ Recital at the W&M Wren Chapel Rebecca Davy, Music Director at Bruton Parish Church
Saturday, September 22 8:00 pm	Organ Recital at Bruton Parish Church Final Recital on 1955 Aeolian-Skinner Organ Rebecca Davy, Music Director at Bruton Parish Church

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Clergy & Staff

The Rt. Revd Herman Hollerith IV, Bishop
The Revd Christopher L. Epperson, Rector
The Revd Dr. Daniel W. McClain, Canterbury Chaplain & Associate Rector
The Revd Lauren M. McDonald, Associate Rector for Outreach & Women's Ministries
The Revd Joshua P. Stephens, Associate Rector for Family Ministries
The Revd Jan M. Brown, Deacon
Meghan Brewer, Coordinator for Children's & Youth Formation
Rebecca E. Davy, Music Director & Organist
Dr. JanEl B. Will, Organist
Daniel Corneliussen, Canterbury Organist & Virginia Tilley, Choral Scholar
James S. Darling, Choirmaster-Organist Emeritus

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Vestry Members

Douglas Boller, Terri Cordle, Jeanette Cureton-Register, Virginia Elwell,
Alice Erickson, Dick Estes - Junior Warden, Bill Greaf - Senior Warden,
Steve Hibbitts-Treasurer, Marty Jones, Mark Serena, John Snead,
Johanna Thompson, Spence Webster

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