

**THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**CHORAL EVENSONG  
5:30 IN THE EVENING - AUGUST 16, 2020**

Prelude: The Golden Sequence, "Come Holy, Spirit" Margaret Vardell Sandresky  
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*Hymn 590*

*Charterhouse*

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**O Jesus Christ, may grateful hymns be rising,  
in every city for your love and care;  
inspire our worship, grant the glad surprising  
that your blest Spirit rouses everywhere.**

**Grant us new courage, sacrificial, humble,  
strong in your strength to venture and to dare;  
to lift the fallen, guide the feet that stumble,  
seek out the lonely and God's mercy share.**

**Show us your Spirit, brooding o'er each city,  
as you once wept above Jerusalem,  
seeking to gather all in love and pity,  
and healing those who touch your garment's hem.**

Opening Sentences

*BCP, p. 115-116*

**THE INVITATORY AND PSALTER**

Preces and Responses

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Officiant: O God, make speed to save us.

**Choir: O Lord, make haste to help us.**

**All: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,  
and to the Holy Ghost:**

**As it was in the beginning, is now,  
and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

**Alleluia.**

Phos hilaron: Hymn 26

*Conditor alme siderum*

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**O gracious Light, Lord Jesus Christ,  
in you the Father's glory shone.  
Immortal, holy, blest is he,  
and blest are you, his holy Son.**

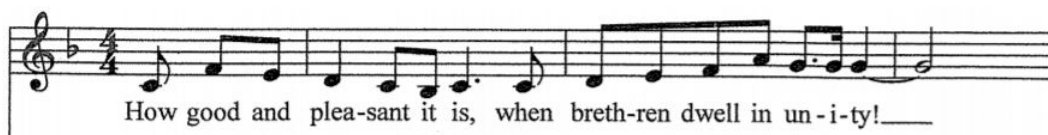
**Now sunset comes, but light shines forth,  
the lamps are lit to pierce the night.  
Praise Father, Son, and Spirit:  
God who dwells in the eternal light.**

**Worthy are you of endless praise,  
O Son of God, Life-giving Lord;  
wherefore you are through all the earth  
and in the highest heaven adored.**

Psalm 145

David York

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- 1 I will exalt you, O God my King, \*  
and bless your Name for ever and ever.
- 2 Every day will I bless you \*  
and praise your Name for ever and ever. **Antiphon**
- 3 Great is the LORD and greatly to be praised; \*  
there is no end to his greatness.
- 4 One generation shall praise your works to another \*  
and shall declare your power. **Antiphon**
- 5 I will ponder the glorious splendor of your majesty \*  
and all your marvelous works.
- 6 They shall speak of the might of your wondrous acts, \*  
and I will tell of your greatness. **Antiphon**
- 7 They shall publish the remembrance of your great goodness; \*  
they shall sing of your righteous deeds.
- 8 The LORD is gracious and full of compassion, \*  
slow to anger and of great kindness. **Antiphon**

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. **Antiphon**

## **THE LESSONS**

The First Reading: 2 Cor. 13:1-11

Reader: A Reading from the Second Letter of Paul to the Corinthians.

This is the third time I am coming to you. 'Any charge must be sustained by the evidence of two or three witnesses.' I warned those who sinned previously and all the others, and I warn them now while absent, as I did when present on my second visit, that if I come again, I will not be lenient—since you desire proof that Christ is speaking in me. He is not weak in dealing with you, but is powerful in you. For he was crucified in weakness, but lives by the power of God. For we are weak in him, but in dealing with you we will

live with him by the power of God. Examine yourselves to see whether you are living in the faith. Test yourselves. Do you not realize that Jesus Christ is in you?—unless, indeed, you fail to pass the test! I hope you will find out that we have not failed. But we pray to God that you may not do anything wrong—not that we may appear to have passed the test, but that you may do what is right, though we may seem to have failed. For we cannot do anything against the truth, but only for the truth. For we rejoice when we are weak and you are strong. This is what we pray for, that you may become perfect. So I write these things while I am away from you, so that when I come, I may not have to be severe in using the authority that the Lord has given me for building up and not for tearing down. Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you.

Reader: Here ends the reading.

The Song of Mary: *Magnificat*, from "Christiana Canticles"

John Rutter

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The Second Reading: Mark 5:25-34

Reader: A Reading from the Gospel according to Mark.

There was a woman who had been suffering from hemorrhages for twelve years. She had endured much under many physicians, and had spent all that she had; and she was no better, but rather grew worse. She had heard about Jesus, and came up behind him in the crowd and touched his cloak, for she said, "If I but touch his clothes, I will be made well." Immediately her hemorrhage stopped; and she felt in her body that she was healed of her disease. Immediately aware that power had gone forth from him, Jesus turned about in the crowd and said, "Who touched my clothes?" And his disciples said to him, "You see the crowd pressing in on you; how can you say, 'Who touched me?'" He looked all around to see who had done it. But the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came in fear and trembling, fell down before him, and told him the whole truth. He said to her, "Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed of your disease."

Reader: Here ends the reading.

The Song of Simeon: *Nunc dimittis*, from "Christiana Canticles"

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The Apostles' Creed

*BCP*, p. 120

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth;  
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;  
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, dead, and buried.**

**He descended into hell.**

**The third day he rose again from the dead.**

**He ascended into heaven,**

**and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty.**

**From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost,**

**the holy catholic Church,**

**the communion of saints,**

**the forgiveness of sins,**

**the resurrection of the body,**

**and the life everlasting. Amen.**

## **THE PRAYERS**

Salutation & The Lord's Prayer

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*Hymnal S 21*

Officiant: The Lord be with you.

**Choir: And with thy spirit.**

Officiant: Let us pray.

**All: 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.**

Suffrages

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*Hymnal S 22*

Officiant: O Lord, show thy mercy upon us;

**Choir: And grant us thy salvation.**

Officiant: Endue thy ministers with righteousness;

**Choir: And make thy chosen people joyful.**

Officiant: Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;

**Choir: For only in thee can we live in safety.**

Officiant: Lord, keep this nation under thy care;

**Choir: And guide us in the way of justice and truth.**

Officiant: Let your way be known upon earth;

**Choir: Your saving health among all nations.**

Officiant: Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;

**Choir: Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.**

Officiant: Create in us a clean heart, O God;

**Choir: And sustain us with Thy Holy Spirit.**

The Collects

*BCP*, p. 122-124

Choral Anthem: Source of All Healing

John Michael Trotta

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A Prayer of St. Chrysostom

*BCP*, p. 126

Almighty God, who hast given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication unto thee, and hast promised through thy well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name thou wilt be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, the desires and petitions of thy servants as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of thy truth, and in the world to come life everlasting. **Amen.**

Concluding Versicle and Response

*Hymnal S 24*

Officiant: Let us bless the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

The Grace

*BCP*, p. 126

*Hymn 662*

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*Eventide*

**Abide with me: fast falls the eventide;  
the darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide:  
when other helpers fail and comforts flee,  
help of the helpless, O abide with me.**

**I need thy presence every passing hour;  
what but thy grace can foil the tempter's power:  
Who, like thyself, my guide and stay can be?  
Through cloud and sunshine, Lord, abide with me.**

**I fear no foe, with thee at hand to bless;  
ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness.  
Where is death's sting? where, grave, thy victory?  
I triumph still, if thou abide with me.**

**Hold thou thy cross before my closing eyes;  
shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies;  
heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee;  
in life, in death, O Lord, abide with me.**

Postlude: Come, Holy Ghost, Our Hearts Inspire

Lani Smith

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**The Altar Flowers** are given to the Glory of God and in thanksgiving for the leadership and faithfulness of the Vestry of Bruton Parish Church, given by Chris, Laura, Zaven, Nell and Esmé Epperson.

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**In your prayers this week, please remember:** persons for whom our prayers are asked: Al, Alexander, Alice, Barbara, Beth, Betty, Bill, Bryan, Carol, Chison, Chuck, Cliff, Cynthia, David, Darlene, Debbie, Derek, Elaine, Emily, Erica, Eugene, Faye, Howard, Hugh, Jean, Jim, Joan Judith, Karleen, Larry, Latané, Laura, Linda, Madeline, Marjory, Mark, Mary, Mary Ann, Matthew, Michael, Nancy B., Nancy J., Nancy M., Pattee, Phyllis, Rachel, Reginald, Roger, Rosemary, Ruth, Shirley, Steve, Sue, Susan, Tricia, Vaiden, Vernon, William, for all those waiting for test results, for all caregivers, students and teachers adapting to online learning; **all who serve in the armed forces**, especially: John Atwell, Billy, Cameron Blount, Matt Bosworth, Michael Boyle, Ned Burgwyn, Matthew Burleson, Willard Burleson, Cameron Butler, Corydon Butler, Dane Butler, Justin Chalkley, 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, Eli Forbes, John Gaston, Joshua Hays, Rob Hodgson, Michael Holm, Scott Howe, Jeff Hunter, Chip Huntsberry, Eric Inman, Dane Jansson, Jason Kelly, Michael H. Manson Jr., Kirby Martin, Courtney Miyamasu, Daniel Miyamasu, Katherine Miyamasu, Timothy Moffitt, Stephen Mongold, Jordan Morgan, Phillip Morrison, Joshua Mullen, Steven Paul Pearce, Donald Ernest Perkins III, Tom Pluim, Jeremy Provencher, Lauren Rogers, Trevor Rogers, Michelle Rose, Mike Rose, Conner S., Danielle Saunders, Sean Garand, Jasper Smith, Carson Strassels, Peter Strassels, Ryan Suders, Henry White, John Wilkes, Andrew Wolgemuth; and **we pray for the dearly departed**, especially Ruth McGrath.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Virtual Children's Church** is held at 9:15 a.m. on Sundays on our YouTube Channel at [www.youtube.com/user/BrutonParish](http://www.youtube.com/user/BrutonParish). **Virtual Sunday School** resumes this Sunday, via zoom at 9:30am for children K-5 and at 10:15am for middle/high schoolers. **Youth Group 4:00-6:00 p.m.** Youth will meet in front of the Bruton Parish Shop at 4:00 to hike the Bassett Trace Nature Trail and have a picnic dinner together. Wear walking shoes and bring a backpack with packed dinner, water, mask and a towel to sit on.

**A Music Minute:** Our octet will sing John Rutter's wonderful "Christiana Canticles," which are his only setting of the Evensong canticles. They were commissioned for and premiered by Christ Church in Christiana Hundred, Delaware in 2012. The anthem will be one we commissioned and premiered from American composer John Michael Trotta with text by Angier Brock, "Source of Healing." Brock's words and Trotta's music beautifully communicate the blessing and hope of Christ's ministry of healing that continues in our lives today.

**UTO Giving Resumes TODAY:** The UTO (United Thank Offering) invites every Episcopalian to: **Notice** the good things that happen each day; **Give** thanks to God for your blessings; **Make** an offering for each blessing; Through UTO, **your blessings become blessings for others.** Please think of giving to the **2020 United Thank Offering.** The full 2020 UTO Ingathering will provide Grants for Covid-19 relief to ministries here and across the globe.

**There are Four Ways to Contribute to UTO:**

- **By Check:** Payable to **Bruton Parish Church**, noting **UTO 2020** in Memo line & **mailed to** Bruton Parish Church, Finance Dept., PO Box 3520, Williamsburg, VA 23185-3520.
- **By Downloading the free Blue Box APP** and donating to **UTOBLUEBOXAPP.ORG.**
- **By Texting:** "INGATHERING" to 41444 to donate to the 2020 UTO Ingathering.
- **Attending Bruton's Outdoor Sunday Service** on August 16, 23 or 30th; simply drop your contribution (i.e., check, dollar bills, UTO Blue Box or UTO Envelope) in the UTO Basket as you exit after the service.

**Women Under Fortyish** will have its next meeting via Zoom on Sunday, August 23, from 2-3:30. For more information or to receive the Zoom link, please contact the Rev. Lauren McDonald Even if you haven't attended the group before, you are welcome to join us.

**Virtual Vestry Office Hour** will continue on Thursday, August 27, from 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. Please contact the parish house for an updated zoom link.

**William & Mary Campus Food Pantry:** Though it's summer, there are students, staff, and dependent family members on campus who are experiencing food insecurity. Please consider bringing non-perishables and hygiene products to Wesley Campus Ministry, 526 Jamestown Road. Come to the back door on the lower level, the Pantry access point, which is open from 1:00- 3:00 p.m. on Mondays and Saturdays and 4:30 - 6:30 p.m. on Thursdays. You can also call or text Max at 757-634-7406.

**Bruton Churchyard** will be open for two hours on Wednesday mornings. The Ven. Jan Brown will be on-hand from 9:30-11:30a.m. for those who have loved ones interred in the churchyard, weather permitting.

**Memorial Altar Flowers:** Contact Dianne Spence at [flowers@brutonparish.org](mailto:flowers@brutonparish.org) if you'd like to give altar flowers (\$125).

**The Bruton Parish Shop & Heritage Center** is open for business, daily from 11:00a.m. to 4:00p.m. We are ready to help customers follow our COVID Commandment: sanitize hands, wear a mask, and social distance! A limited number of people are permitted inside at one time; only credit/debit cards are being

accepted at this time. If you need a gift for an occasion, call the Shop at 757-220-1489 to arrange a purchase and curbside service!

**Friends of Bruton:** The purpose of Friends of Bruton is to provide a means whereby individuals and families, who may live throughout the United States and indeed around the world, may participate in the preservation and promotion of the unique history and spiritual legacy of Bruton Parish Church. Friends of Bruton is open to all who share this vision. Visit [bit.ly/BPCFRIENDS](http://bit.ly/BPCFRIENDS) and become a Cornerstone Circle Member!

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