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## THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE ANNUNCIATION

Lewisville, Texas

*To grow in Love of God and Neighbor*



NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
HOLY COMMUNION-RITE II  
AUGUST 7, 2022

### For Your Children:

- **Nursery:** Our staffed Nursery is available to children up to four years old at the 8:30 & 11:00 am service.
- **Angel Buddy Bags:** Angel Buddy Bags with activities for children ages 5-7 years are located in the Narthex.

### Receiving Communion in the Episcopal Church:

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive communion at our Lord's table. Please follow the instructions of the ushers to the Altar rail. If you would like a blessing, but not communion, come up, cross your arms, and we will pray for you. If you have trouble kneeling, please remain standing at the altar rail. If you have trouble walking, let an Usher know, and communion will be brought to your seat.

GLUTEN INTOLERANCE - Please let an Usher know if you are gluten intolerant and they will arrange to have a gluten free wafer and wine available to you at the altar rail.

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| • <b>Hearing Assistance</b><br>Hearing assistance devices are available through our Ushers before services. | • <b>Silence Electronic Devices</b><br>Please make sure all electronic devices are on SILENT before the worship service begins. |
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THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Opening Hymn *How Firm a Foundations, Ye Saints of the Lord (vss. 1,4)* No. 637

Opening Sentence Book of Common Prayer, Page 355

*The people standing, the Celebrant says*

*Celebrant* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit  
*People* **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen**

*The Celebrant says*

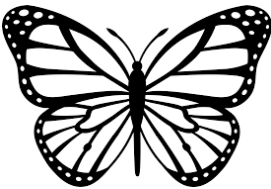
Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Gloria *Glory to God* No. S280

1. Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and  
peace to his peo - ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heaven - ly  
King, al - might - y God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we  
give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus  
Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you  
take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy



Sermon Notes...



## Calling for Choirs – Children, Youth, and Adult!

Calling parishioners who would like to sing, play instruments, or be part of music ministry. Whether you wish to take on featured singing/playing or to be part of the ensemble, all are welcome!

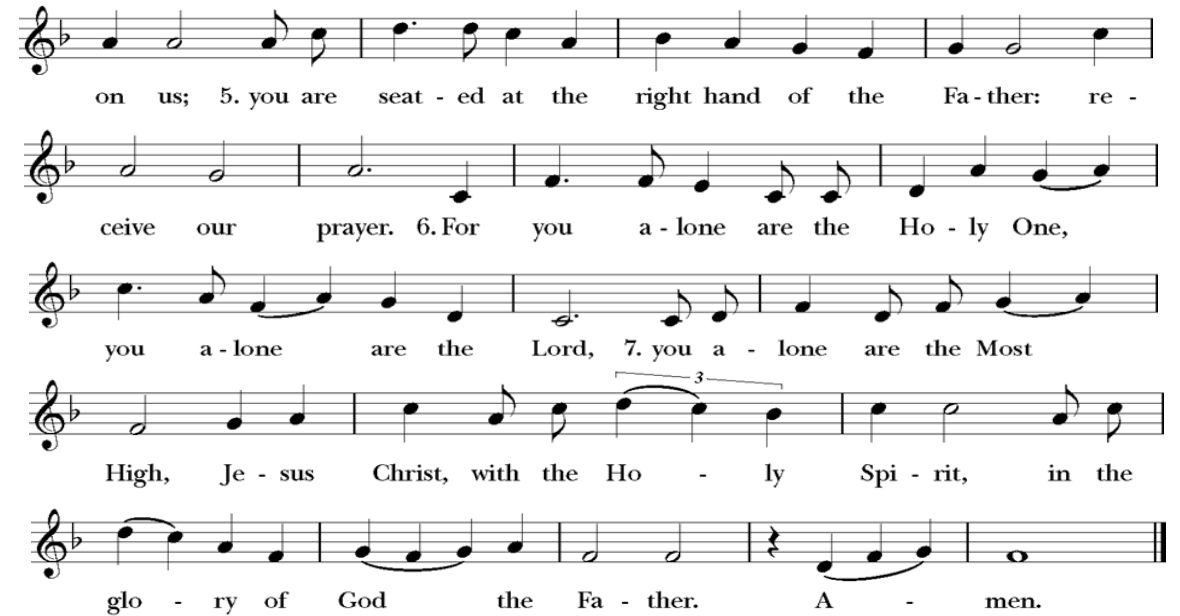
- Cherub Choir (K - Grade 3): rehearse Sunday 9:15 a.m.-9:45 a.m. (MES music room in the parish hall) - **first rehearsal 9/11**
- Choristers (Grades 4 – 12): rehearse Wednesday 5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m. (choir rehearsal room) - **first rehearsal 8/24**
- Annunciation Choir (Adult): rehearse Sunday 9:45 a.m.-10:45 a.m. (choir rehearsal room) & sing at 11 a.m. worship service
- Hymn Choir (Youth and Adult): rehearse **3rd Sunday** of each month, 8:00 a.m.-8:20 a.m. & sing at 8:30 a.m. worship service

Our choir program uses the well-known Royal School of Church Music curriculum, and it is free music education for all. For more information, please contact Dr. JeeYoon 'Elise' Choi at [elisec@annunciationlewisville.org](mailto:elisec@annunciationlewisville.org).

### Emergency Preparedness Training

August 28th

Mother Catherine and Cam Reinhart, Head of the Usher Ministry, will be conducting Emergency Preparedness Training on Sunday, August 28 at 12:30 pm to help everyone become more familiar with Annunciation's emergency procedures and protocols. We will meet in the church, and all who are interested in learning more are welcome to attend.



### Collect of the Day

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you

*People* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

Grant to us, Lord, we pray, the spirit to think and do always those things that are right, that we, who cannot exist without you, may by you be enabled to live according to your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

### The Lessons

#### A Reading from the Book of Genesis

(15:1-6)

The word of the Lord came to Abram in a vision, "Do not be afraid, Abram, I am your shield; your reward shall be very great." But Abram said, "O Lord God, what will you give me, for I continue childless, and the heir of my house is Eliezer of Damascus?" And Abram said, "You have given me no offspring, and so a slave born in my house is to be my heir." But the word of the Lord came to him, "This man shall not be your heir; no one but your very own issue shall be your heir." He brought him outside and said, "Look toward heaven and count the stars, if you are

able to count them." Then he said to him, "So shall your descendants be." And he believed the Lord; and the Lord reckoned it to him as righteousness.

*People*                      The Word of the Lord  
                                    **Thanks be to God**

### **Psalm 33:12-22**

*8:30 a.m. spoken ~ 11:00 a.m. sung by choir*

- 12 Happy is the nation whose God is the LORD! \*  
    **happy the people he has chosen to be his own!**
- 13 The LORD looks down from heaven, \*  
    **and beholds all the people in the world.**
- 14 From where he sits enthroned he turns his gaze \*  
    **on all who dwell on the earth.**
- 15 He fashions all the hearts of them \*  
    **and understands all their works.**
- 16 There is no king that can be saved by a mighty army; \*  
    **a strong man is not delivered by his great strength.**
- 17 The horse is a vain hope for deliverance; \*  
    **for all its strength it cannot save.**
- 18 Behold, the eye of the LORD is upon those who fear him, \*  
    **on those who wait upon his love,**
- 19 To pluck their lives from death, \*  
    **and to feed them in time of famine.**
- 20 Our soul waits for the LORD; \*  
    **he is our help and our shield.**
- 21 Indeed, our heart rejoices in him, \*  
    **for in his holy Name we put our trust.**
- 22 Let your loving-kindness, O LORD, be upon us, \*  
    **as we have put our trust in you.**



**Please Vote!**

**Go to: <https://bestofdentoncounty.com/education/>  
Please go to the Education, Best PreK-K category!**

**You have nominated us in the top 3 once again!!**

**Thank You! Thank You! Thank You!!**

## Holy Healing: The Path to Wholeness and Health

**August 21st**

### **Coping With Stress**

On Sunday, August 21st, at 9:45 am, we are welcoming Danae Crume, of Khesed Wellness, to speak on best practices for families and individuals to cope with the stress of daily life. Having these tools will enable us to weather the storms, knowing that Jesus is with us every step of the way (Mark 4:35-41). Danae will give her presentation in the Oratory Chapel, and all are welcome to attend.

## *Acolyte Training* *August 21, 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm*

Acolytes assist our clergy and enhance our worship services to glorify God. Being an Acolyte is a great opportunity to become more involved in our worship and serve the Lord!

All current acolytes and those interested in joining this ministry should attend our upcoming Acolyte Training on August 21. We will meet in the Parish Hall at 12:30pm for a pizza lunch and then move to the nave of the church for training and to review the parish Acolyte Manual.

If you are interested in serving or have any questions, please contact Michael Anderson at [manderson@annunciationlewisville.org](mailto:manderson@annunciationlewisville.org).

## Pub Theology

### **Save the Date**

to join us for discussion and a pint  
(alcoholic or non-alcoholic).

**August 25th, 7:00 pm.**

More details to follow.

## A Reading from the Book of Hebrews

(11:1-3,8-16)

Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen. Indeed, by faith our ancestors received approval. By faith we understand that the worlds were prepared by the word of God, so that what is seen was made from things that are not visible. By faith Abraham obeyed when he was called to set out for a place that he was to receive as an inheritance; and he set out, not knowing where he was going. By faith he stayed for a time in the land he had been promised, as in a foreign land, living in tents, as did Isaac and Jacob, who were heirs with him of the same promise. For he looked forward to the city that has foundations, whose architect and builder is God. By faith he received power of procreation, even though he was too old-- and Sarah herself was barren-- because he considered him faithful who had promised. Therefore from one person, and this one as good as dead, descendants were born, "as many as the stars of heaven and as the innumerable grains of sand by the seashore." All of these died in faith without having received the promises, but from a distance they saw and greeted them. They confessed that they were strangers and foreigners on the earth, for people who speak in this way make it clear that they are seeking a homeland. If they had been thinking of the land that they had left behind, they would have had opportunity to return. But as it is, they desire a better country, that is, a heavenly one. Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God; indeed, he has prepared a city for them.

The Word of the Lord.

*People*

**Thanks be to God.**

**Sequence Hymn**

*Jesus, All My Gladness (vss.1,2)*

**No. 701**

**The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke**

(12:32-40)

*People*

**Glory to you, Lord Christ**

Jesus said to his disciples, "Do not be afraid, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom. Sell your possessions, and give alms. Make purses for yourselves that do not wear out, an unfailing treasure in heaven, where no thief comes near and no moth destroys. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. "Be dressed for action and have your lamps lit; be like those who are waiting for their master to return from the wedding banquet, so that they may open the door for him as soon as he comes and knocks. Blessed are those slaves whom the master finds alert when he comes; truly I tell you, he will fasten his belt and have



"But know this: if the owner of the house had known at what hour the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into. You also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour."

## The Sermon

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. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He 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 Leader and People pray responsively*

For all people in their daily life and work;  
**For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.**

For this community, the nation, and the world;  
**For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.**

Children's ministries is looking for volunteers to help in the areas of:

If interested, please contact Beth Parker, Director of Children's Ministries @ [bethp@annunciationlewisville.org](mailto:bethp@annunciationlewisville.org)

Please consider volunteering, as there is no higher calling than raising up the next generation of Episcopalians.

Join us Saturday August 20th at 3:30 pm for the  
*"Immersive Monet: Impressionist Art Experience"* in Dallas.

Bring your friends and family for this wonderful exhibit. If you enjoyed the Van Gogh Immersion event, then you'll certainly enjoy this show.

Contact: Paul Jankowski ASAP  
paulsjankow1966@yahoo.com

See you there!

## ANNOUNCEMENTS



### Back to School Blessings!

**Today, August 7th**

8:30 & 11:00 services.

All school aged children  
(Kindergarten-High School)

will receive their Backpack Blessings tags.

Please join us as we wish good luck to all of our students,  
teachers and administrators as they begin their journey  
this year in education!

Boy Scouts will be providing a pancake breakfast  
following all three services.



### *Praying for Students and Teachers*

Today we have a Back to School Prayer Station in the Narthex as a visible and public reminder that as a church we are praying for students, parents, teachers and administrators. Our hope is that this prayer station, in some small way, might be a positive and supportive presence for our community. In addition, students/teachers and administrators can see that their community is praying for them. Our thought is that through the words left on the prayer station, we will learn the concerns of the community, and will be able to shape our own prayers to reflect those concerns.

For the just and proper use of your creation;  
**For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.**

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;  
**For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.**

For the peace and unity of the Church of God;  
**For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.**

For Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, Presiding Bishop; George, our Bishop and for all bishops and other ministers.

**For all who serve God in his Church.**

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

For those in the service of our country, remembering especially **Will, Jacob, Juston, Tony, Laney, Liam, Alton, Andrew, JR, Cody, Houston, Richard, Drew, Nathan, Mario, Jaden, Ethan, Dalton, Shea, Remi, Gabe, Robert**

For all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; remembering especially: **Wayne, Betsy, Kennon, Joe, Vivian, Chris, Betty, Eleanor, Joan, Margaret, MaryAnn, Tutu, Linda, Jan, Cindy, Donna, Steve, The Pamula family, Alan, John, Tate, Connie, Mary-Margaret**

Hear us Lord;

**For your mercy is great.**

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

For those celebrating birthdays: **Hannah Edwards, Blake Wyne, Bill McNichols, Erik Petre, Cindy Rieckhoff, Victoria Beachley, Sandra Plumley and Kyle Cahill**

We give thanks for those celebrating wedding anniversaries: **Rob & Lorie Grant, Chris & Anne Thomson and Eric & Jennifer Luthe**

We will exalt you, O God our King;

**And praise your name for ever and ever.**

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

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

**Who put their trust in you.**

We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

*Silence*

*Celebrant and People*  
**Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;  
In your compassion forgive us our sins,  
Known and unknown,  
Things done and left undone;  
And so uphold us by your Spirit  
That we may live and serve you in newness of life,  
To the honor and glory of your Name;  
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*Celebrant* Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our  
Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the  
Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen**

**The Peace**

*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord always with you.  
*People* **And also with you.**

**Announcements**

**Birthday and Anniversary Blessings**

*The Celebrant and people say together the Birthday Blessing:*  
O, God our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servants as they  
begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their  
trust in your goodness all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**THE LITURGY OF THE SACRAMENT**

**Offertory**

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the amount you'd like to give (example 25) to **972-694-1460**.  
Thank you for your generosity and supporting the work of Annunciation.*

**Anthem** *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* Chisholm/Runyan  
8:30 a.m. David Ward, solo ~ 11:00 a.m. Choir

**Doxology:** *Old 100th*

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heavenly hosts: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen!**

Events and Gatherings for the Coming Week		
Sunday, August 7	Pancake Breakfast	
	Back to School Blessing	
	Holy Eucharist	7:15 a.m.
	Holy Eucharist	8:30 a.m.
	Holy Eucharist	11:00 a.m.
	Salvation Army Lunch	12:30 p.m.
Monday, August 8	KHESED Wellness	8:00 a.m.
	Morning Prayer	8:30 a.m.
	Boy Scouts	7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, August 9	Morning Prayer	8:30 a.m.
	Stitch Club Denton	10:30 a.m.
	Annunciation Book Club	6:30 p.m.
	Cub Scouts	7:00 p.m.
	DOK Evening Prayer (Zoom)	7:30 p.m.
Wednesday, August 10	Morning Prayer	8:30 a.m.
	FaithNet Meeting	2:00 p.m.
	Choristers (grades 4-12)	5:30 p.m.
Thursday, August 11	Morning Prayer	8:30 a.m.
	Gad Abouts	10:30 a.m.
Friday, August 12	KHESED Wellness	8:00 a.m.
	Holy Yoga	10:00 a.m.
	Evening Prayer w/Lee (Zoom)	7:00 p.m.
Saturday, August 13	DOK Meeting	9:30 a.m.



Lay Eucharistic Visitor Prayer

When Lay Eucharistic Visitors are sent from the table to take Communion to those who are home-bound or hospitalized, the following prayer will be said:

Celebrant: In the name of this congregation, I send you forth bearing these holy Gifts, that those to whom you go may share with us in the Communion of Christ’s Body and Blood.

People: We who are many are one body, because we all share one bread and one cup. Amen.

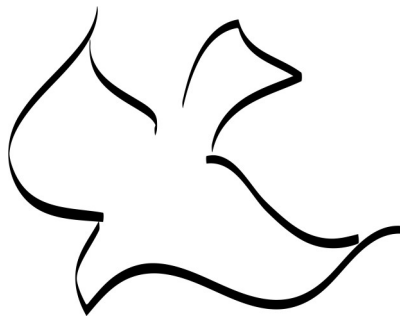
The Blessing

Closing Hymn Rejoice! Rejoice, Believers (vss. 1,4) No. 68

The Dismissal

Celebrant Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.  
People Thanks be to God.

Postlude Postlude in D H. Willan



Eucharistic Prayer A

The people standing, the Celebrant faces them and says

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 him thanks and praise.

Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds

Celebrant It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.  
Here a Proper Preface is sung or said on all Sundays, and on other occasions as appointed.  
Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus Holy, Holy, Holy Lord No. S129

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and

might, hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -

san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who

comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

*The Celebrant continues*

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world. On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, “Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.” After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, 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. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.”

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

*Celebrant and People*

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

*The Celebrant continues*

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom. All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

### The Lord’s Prayer

Book of Common Prayer, page 364

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

*People and Celebrant*

**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 BREAKING OF THE BREAD

#### Fraction Anthem

*Christ our Passover*

No. S154

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Christ our Pass - o - ver is sac - ri - ficed for us;

there - fore let us keep the feast.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

*Facing the people, the Celebrant shall say the following Invitation:*

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

*All baptized Christians are welcome to receive communion at this, our Lord’s table.*

#### Communion Hymn

*This Is The Hour of Banquet and of Song*

No. 316

#### Post Communion Prayer

*Celebrant and People*

**Almighty and ever living God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.**