



ST. MICHAEL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, RIDGECREST

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HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

August 21, 2022, 10 a.m.

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost (Proper 16)

PRESIDER	READER	CRUCIFER	ALTAR GUILD
The Rev. Jorge Pallares	Dave Waller	Richard Hendricks	Martha Waller

The service starts on page 355 in the Red Book of Common Prayer (BCP).

The Word of God

Entrance Hymn	<i>Hymnal 8</i>
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Prayers of the People Form V	<i>BCP p. 389 The church's prayer list is on page 4.</i>
Confession of Sin	<i>BCP p. 360</i>
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The Peace	<i>BCP p. 360 Please stay in your pew. Waving, bowing, and peace signs are appropriate. Please be seated.</i>
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The Holy Communion

Offertory Hymn	<i>Hymnal 493</i>
The Great Thanksgiving:	<i>BCP p. 361</i>
Eucharistic Prayer A	
The Lord's Prayer	<i>BCP p. 364</i>
The Breaking of the Bread	<i>BCP p. 364</i>
The Communion	<i>BCP p. 365</i>
All are welcome at God's table.	
<i>Please come up to the altar rail.</i>	
<i>The priest will wear a mask.</i>	
<i>Gluten free wafers are available.</i>	
Post Communion Prayer	<i>BCP p. 365</i>
Blessing	
Closing Hymn	<i>Hymnal 304</i>
Dismissal	<i>BCP p. 366</i>
Please join us in the Parish Hall for Coffee Hour.	
<i>If you are new to St. Michael's, please sign our guest book and we'll be in touch.</i>	

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

PROPER 16

(BCP p. 232)

<i>Presider</i>	God be with you.
<i>People</i>	And also with you.
<i>Presider</i>	Let us pray.

Grant, O merciful God, that your Church, being gathered together in unity by your Holy Spirit, may show forth your power among all peoples, to the glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Please be seated.

THE FIRST READING

JEREMIAH 1:4-10

DAVE WALLER

A READING FROM THE BOOK OF JEREMIAH.

The word of the Lord came to me saying, "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations."

Then I said, "Ah, Lord God! Truly I do not know how to speak, for I am only a boy."

But the Lord said to me, "Do not say, 'I am only a boy'; for you shall go to all to whom I send you, and you shall speak whatever I command you, Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, says the Lord."

Then the Lord put out his hand and touched my mouth; and the Lord said to me, "Now I have put my words in your mouth. See, today I appoint you over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to pull down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant."

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

Thanks be to God.

THE RESPONSE

PSALM 71:1-6

DAVE WALLER

THE PSALM APPOINTED IS A PORTION OF PSALM 71.

In you, O LORD, have I taken refuge; *
let me never be ashamed.

**In your righteousness, deliver me and set me free; *
incline your ear to me and save me.**

Be my strong rock, a castle to keep me safe; *
you are my crag and my stronghold.

**Deliver me, my God, from the hand of the wicked, *
from the clutches of the evildoer and the oppressor.**

For you are my hope, O LORD God, *
my confidence since I was young.

**I have been sustained by you ever since I was born;
from my mother's womb you have been my strength; *
my praise shall be always of you.**

THE SECOND READING

HEBREWS 12:18-29

DAVE WALLER

A READING FROM THE LETTER TO THE HEBREWS.

You have not come to something that can be touched, a blazing fire, and darkness, and gloom, and a tempest, and the sound of a trumpet, and a voice whose words made the hearers beg that not another word be spoken to them. (For they could not endure the order that was given, "If even an animal touches the mountain, it shall be stoned to death." Indeed, so terrifying was the sight that Moses said, "I tremble with fear.") But you have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to innumerable angels in festal gathering, and to the assembly of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven, and to God the judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel.

See that you do not refuse the one who is speaking; for if they did not escape when they refused the one who warned them on earth, how much less will we escape if we reject the one who warns from heaven! At that time his voice shook the earth; but now he has

promised, "Yet once more I will shake not only the earth but also the heaven." This phrase, "Yet once more," indicates the removal of what is shaken-- that is, created things-- so that what cannot be shaken may remain. Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us give thanks, by which we offer to God an acceptable worship with reverence and awe; for indeed our God is a consuming fire.

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Please stand as able for the Sequence Hymn and Gospel Proclamation.

Sequence Hymn

Hymnal 711

THE HOLY GOSPEL

LUKE 13:10-17

THE REV. JORGE PALLARES

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Now Jesus was teaching in one of the synagogues on the sabbath. And just then there appeared a woman with a spirit that had crippled her for eighteen years. She was bent over and was quite unable to stand up straight. When Jesus saw her, he called her over and said, "Woman, you are set free from your ailment." When he laid his hands on her, immediately she stood up straight and began praising God. But the leader of the synagogue, indignant because Jesus had cured on the sabbath, kept saying to the crowd, "There are six days on which work ought to be done; come on those days and be cured, and not on the sabbath day." But the Lord answered him and said, "You hypocrites! Does not each of you on the sabbath untie his ox or his donkey from the manger, and lead it away to give it water? And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan bound for eighteen long years, be set free from this bondage on the sabbath day?" When he said this, all his opponents were put to shame; and the entire crowd was rejoicing at all the wonderful things that he was doing.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON

THE REV. JORGE PALLARES

A period of silence and personal reflection follows the sermon.

The service continues on page 358 in the Red Book of Common Prayer.

CHURCH PRAYER LIST

Pray for Michael our Presiding Bishop and David our Bishop.

Pray for Joseph our President, Gavin our Governor, and Eric our Mayor.

Please remember in your prayers Stan, Rita, Carey, and Diane.

Today we pray for The Episcopal / Anglican Province of Alexandria, and for SJRAISE (San Joaquin Refugee and Immigration Support and Empowerment) – the Immigration Commission.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Coffee Hour and Bible Study in the Parish Hall after service.

St. Michael's Zoom Evening Prayer, Thursdays at 6:30 p.m.

Zoom ID: 928 461 1047, Password: StMichael

CAP-K Senior Box Day: Mon. Aug. 15, 10:30 a.m.

Food Pantry Open: 4th Tuesday of each month, 9-11 a.m.

Formal installation of Padre Jorge as our Priest-in-Charge

Sunday, September 4, 10 a.m. Canon Anna will install and preach.

September is Creation Care Month

The Creation Care Commission has set up four Zoom sessions in September for Creation Care Month. More info at <http://www.stmichaelsridgecrest.org/news>.

Please mail your offerings to the church (at the mailing address below) or give to the church online using tithe.ly (<https://tithe.ly/give?c=2212452>).

For the latest news and information: visit www.stmichaelsridgecrest.org

Birthday Prayer – Prayer 50 or 51, BCP p. 830

Anniversary Prayer – BCP top of p. 431

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OUR MISSION

The people of Saint Michael's welcome all those who seek a deeper understanding of God's love for ALL God's children. Our congregation is "intentionally inclusive," welcoming all persons without regard to age, race, ethnicity, gender identity, sexual orientation, physical or developmental disability.