

**Calvary Episcopal Church**

Indian Rocks Beach, FL

*"To know Christ and to make Him known"*

**The Day of Pentecost**

June 8, 2025



*The Pentecost* by Antonio Gonzalez Velazquez, 1723-1793

**10:00AM**

**Holy Eucharist Rite II**



# The Rector's Welcome

We are so glad to have you worship with us today. Your presence is a blessing to us.

Since 1962, our congregation has been worshipping in Indian Rocks Beach. By joining us this day, you become part of this vibrant tradition of prayer, praise, and fellowship.

The purpose of Christian worship is to proclaim the redeeming works of God through the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ our Lord. We do this by proclaiming God's Word through Holy Scripture, praying for the world and ourselves, and, most importantly, gathering around the altar to celebrate the real presence of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. Our prayer is that you will come to know Christ and, in turn, help make Him known, joining our growing Parish family in this mission.

We are grateful to be in the Sanctuary, worshipping together once more after being displaced by the flooding caused by the hurricane. While the restoration of our space is still in progress, we ask you to look past the unfinished areas, as we continue rebuilding after the damage sustained last September. We celebrate not only God's goodness but also the opportunity to be restored and renewed by the love of Jesus Christ.

May God bless your time with us, and may you feel the power of His redeeming love and embrace.

Yours in Christ,

The Rev. Jon Roberts  
Rector, Calvary Episcopal Church

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SUNDAY  
DONATIONS



**The Sunday Customary**  
Order of Service  
**The Holy Eucharist: Rite II - 10:00 AM**

Supplemental Resources you may use today:  
**Book of Common Prayer** (BCP - Red Book) & **Hymnal** (Blue Book)

**Prelude**

*Allemande, Sarabande BWV 816*  
*A Joyful Peal*

**J. S. Bach**  
**Michael Bedford**

**Processional Hymn**

*Hail thee, festival day!*

**Hymn #225**

*Refrain:*

Hail thee, festival day!  
blest day that art hallowed forever,  
day when the Holy Ghost  
shone in the world with God's grace.

1. Lo, in the likeness of fire,  
on those who await his appearing,  
he whom the Lord foretold  
suddenly, swiftly descends: *[Refrain]*

2. Forth from the Father he comes  
with sevenfold mystical offering,  
pouring on all human souls  
infinite riches of God: *[Refrain]*

3. Hark! for in myriad tongues  
Christ's own, his chosen apostles,  
preach to the ends of the earth  
Christ and his wonderful works: *[Refrain]*

4. Praise to the Spirit of Life,  
all praise to the fount of our being,  
light that dost lighten all,  
life that in all dost abide: *[Refrain]*

**The Word of God**

**Opening Acclamation**

*Celebrant:* Alleluia. Christ is risen.

*People:* **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

**The Collect for Purity**

*Celebrant:* 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 in excelsis (Sung in unison)*

**Hymn S-280**

**G**LORY to God in the highest and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, We worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; You are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. ✠ *Amen.*

## The Collect of the Day

*Celebrant:* The Lord be with you.

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

*Celebrant:* Let us pray.

**A**Lmighty God, on this day you opened the way of eternal life to every race and nation by the promised gift of your Holy Spirit: Shed abroad this gift throughout the world by the preaching of the Gospel, that it may reach to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

## THE LESSONS - *The people sit.*

### The First Lesson (Acts 2:1-21)

*Reader:* A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

**W**HEN the day of Pentecost had come, the disciples were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine." But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: 'In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.' "

*Reader:* The Word of the Lord.

*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

### **Psalm 104:25-35, 37** *Benedic, anima mea*

25 O Lord, how manifold are your **works!** \*

in wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your **creatures.**

26 Yonder is the great and wide sea with its living things too many to **number,** \*  
creatures both small and **great.**

27 There move the ships, and there is that **Leviathan**, \*  
 which you have made for the sport of **it**.

28 All of them look to **you** \*  
 to give them their food in due **season**.

29 You give it to them; they gather **it**; \*  
 you open your hand, and they are filled with good **things**.

30 You hide your face, and they are **terrified**; \*  
 you take away their breath, and they die and return to their **dust**.

31 You send forth your Spirit, and they are **created**; \*  
 and so you renew the face of the **earth**.

32 May the glory of the Lord endure for **ever**; \*  
 may the Lord rejoice in all his **works**.

33 He looks at the earth and it **trembles**; \*  
 he touches the mountains and they **smoke**.

34 I will sing to the Lord as long as I **live**; \*  
 I will praise my God while I have my **being**.

35 May these words of mine please **him**; \*  
 I will rejoice in the **Lord**.

37 Bless the Lord, O my **soul**. \*  
**Hallelujah!**

### **The Epistle (Romans 8:14-17)**

*Reader:* A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Romans

**A**LL who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ—if in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

*Reader:* The Word of the Lord.  
*People:* **Thanks be to God.**

### **Sequence Hymn**

*Come down, O Lord divine*

**Hymn # 516 (vss. 1-2)**

1 Come down, O Love divine,  
 seek thou this soul of mine,  
 and visit it with thine own ardor glowing;  
 O Comforter, draw near,  
 within my heart appear,  
 and kindle it, thy holy flame bestowing.

2 O let it freely burn,  
 till earthly passions turn  
 to dust and ashes in its heat consuming;  
 and let thy glorious light  
 shine ever on my sight,  
 and clothe me round, the while my path illuming.

## **The Holy Gospel (John 14:8-17 [25-27])**

*Celebrant:* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. John.✠

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

**P**HILIP said to Jesus, "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied." Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it. "If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you." ["I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid."]

*Celebrant:* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People:* **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

### **Sequence Hymn**

*Come down, O Lord divine*

**Hymn # 516 (vs. 3)**

3 And so the yearning strong,  
with which the soul will long,  
shall far outpass the power of human telling;  
for none can guess its grace,  
till Love create a place  
wherein the Holy Spirit makes a dwelling.

### **The Sermon**

**The Rev. Jon Roberts**

*After the sermon, the people remain seated and observe a brief time of silence.*

### **Nicene Creed (All stand, if able)**

**BCP pgs. 358**

**W**E 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.

### **Prayers of the People (Form III)**

**BCP p. 387**

*Deacon:* Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;

*People:* **That we all may be one.**

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

**That your Name may be glorified by all people.**

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;

**That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.**

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

**That there may be justice and peace on the earth.**

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

**That our works may find favor in your sight.**

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

**That they may be delivered from their distress.**

Give to the departed eternal rest.

**Let light perpetual shine upon them.**

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

**May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.**

### ***Celebrant:***

We pray for all those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries, especially, Jimmy Robbins, Susan Koester, Robert Krupitza, Bob Angelo, Christopher Gorman, Mary K. Beals, Elaine Urbina, Lisa & Bruce Westall, Lisa & Gary Kingston. Let us pray for our own needs and those of others. (*we invite you to share your intercessions*)

*Celebrant:* Lord, hear the prayers of your people; and what we have asked faithfully, grant that we may obtain effectually, to the glory of your name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen*

### **The General Confession**

**BCP p. 359**

*Deacon:* Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.  
Most merciful God, . . .

*All: (Stand or kneel, if able):* . . . we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. 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**

*Deacon:* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

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

*All stand, if able. The Ministers and People greet one another in the name of the Lord.*

### **Announcements**

## **The Holy Communion**

### **The Offertory Sentence**

*Celebrant:* Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God. *Ephesians 5:2*

*The Oblations are brought forward in silence. They represent the offering of bread and wine. Please stand. When presented at the Altar, please sit.*

### **Offertory Anthem**

*O Taste and See*

**Ralph Vaughan Williams**

*The Sunday donations/offertings are collected during this time by the Ushers. A plate will be circulated for all forms of giving. The Church needs your generosity in order to provide the message of Christ to the world.*

### **Doxology**

*Old 100<sup>th</sup> – Isaac Watts*

**Hymn #380 (vs.3)**

*All: Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;*

*Praise him, all creatures here below;*

*Praise him above, ye heavenly host:*

*Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen*

### **The Great Thanksgiving**

*Eucharistic Prayer B*

**The Book of Common Prayer p. 367**

*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 him thanks and praise.**



*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. (*The Proper Preface*)

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

***Sanctus***

**Hymn S-125**

*All: Holy, holy, holy Lord God of power and might,  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. ✠  
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.*

*Celebrant:* We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life. ✠

On the night before he died for us, 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, according to his command, O Father,

*All: We remember his death,  
We proclaim his resurrection,  
We await his coming in glory;*

*Celebrant:* And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine. We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation. 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 forever. **AMEN.**

**The Lord's Prayer**

*Celebrant:* And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say, [All]

**O**UR 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, forever and ever. *Amen.*

### The Fraction Anthem

*Celebrant:*



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



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

*People:*



there - fore let us keep the feast.



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

*Celebrant:* The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

*All Baptized Christians may receive Holy Communion and others are encouraged to receive a Blessing from the priest, especially young children who have not yet made their first Communion or those who have not been baptized.*

### Communion Hymn

*Let all mortal flesh keep silence*

**Hymn #324**

1 Let all mortal flesh keep silence,  
and with fear and trembling stand;  
ponder nothing earthly minded,  
for with blessing in his hand  
Christ our God to earth descendeth,  
our full homage to demand.

2 King of kings, yet born of Mary,  
as of old on earth he stood,  
Lord of lords, in human vesture,  
in the Body and the Blood  
he will give to all the faithful  
his own self for heavenly food.

### Post Communion Prayer

*Celebrant:* Let us pray. Eternal God, . . .

3 Rank on rank the host of heaven  
spreads its vanguard on the way,  
as the Light of Light descendeth  
from the realms of endless day,  
that the powers of hell may vanish  
as the darkness clears away.

4 At his feet the six-winged seraph;  
cherubim, with sleepless eye  
veil their faces to the Presence,  
as with ceaseless voice they cry,  
"Alleluia, alleluia!  
Alleluia, Lord Most High!"

*All:* . . . heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

### **The Blessing & Dismissal**

*Celebrant:* The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

*Deacon:* Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia, Alleluia.

*People:* **Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

### **Processional Hymn**

*Crown him with many crowns*

**Hymn #494**

1 Crown him with many crowns,  
the Lamb upon his throne;  
Hark! how the heavenly anthem drowns  
all music but its own;  
awake, my soul, and sing  
of him who died for thee,  
and hail him as thy matchless King  
through all eternity.

2 Crown him the Son of God  
before the worlds began,  
and ye, who tread where he hath trod,  
crown him the Son of man;  
who every grief hath known  
that wrings the human breast,  
and takes and bears them for his own,  
that all in him may rest.

3 Crown him the Lord of life,  
who triumphed over the grave,  
and rose victorious in the strife  
for those he came to save;  
his glories now we sing  
who died, and rose on high,  
who died, eternal life to bring,  
and lives that death may die.

4 Crown him of lords the Lord,  
who over all doth reign,  
who once on earth, the incarnate Word,  
for ransomed sinners slain,  
now lives in realms of light,  
where saints with angels sing  
their songs before him day and night,  
their God, Redeemer, King

5 Crown him the Lord of heaven,  
enthroned in worlds above;  
crown him the King, to whom is given,  
the wondrous name of Love.  
Crown him with many crowns,  
as thrones before him fall,  
crown him, ye kings, with many crowns,  
for he is King of all.

### **Postlude**

*Toccata*

**Gabriel Johnston**

*Our practice is to remain seated and to listen to God through the hearing of the postlude. Allow God's Word & Sacrament to transform your being. This is an active way to worship. Please resist applause as it does not conform appropriate worship.*

## Those Serving Today

Celebrant: Fr. Jon Roberts  
Subdeacon: Chris Capsambelis

Deacon: Chad Olson  
Reader: Lynne Roberts

Music: Gabriel Johnston, Choir and  
Bell Choir

### Prayers For Healing, Comfort & Strength

*Prayers are maintained on a weekly basis.*

*Please notify the Office if prayers are requested for members or friends of the Parish.*

**Members:** Rich Deary, Connie Curran, Cynthia Laitinen, Dodie Spahr, Sally Donnor, Steve Hein, Martha Kelley, Kate Veeder, Joy & Sam Sawmiller, Kathy Cummings, Michelle & Kali Stegeby, Betty Cole, Lisa Galish, Melissa Willbee, Patty & Jerry Call & Kacey Wankowski, Molly Angelo.

**Friends of the Parish:** Kathy Deary, Diane Spahr, Dean Spahr, John Robb, Sgt. Billy Gudzak U.S. Army-Ret., Rachel Ballard, Hudson Getreu, Paisley Blaskovich, Ray Traver, Kathleen Powers, Lauren & Chris Gudzak, Gerry Heshelman, Joanne Zahn, Bonnie Colletti, Walter Morris, Ann Rocke & Sarah, Kirk Levi, Roiann Chabot, Justin Ballard, Marilyn Clark, Charlie Donnor, Susan Boilore, Hayden Goodyear.

**For those serving in the Military (Active):** Thomas Blaskovich & Amanda Rigby (Beals family)

**Birthdays & Anniversaries:** Jimmy Robbins (8), Susan Koester (9), Robert Krupitza (11), Bob Angelo (11), Christopher Gorman (11), Mary K. Beals (14), Elaine Urbina (14), Lisa & Bruce Westall (12), Lisa & Gary Kingston (12).

*If your birthday or anniversary was inadvertently left out, please let us know so we may correct.*

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