

Sixth Sunday of Easter *Mother's Day* May 9, 2010

10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II and Sermon

Prelude *Adagio* *Boellman*
Processional Hymn: 409 *The spacious firmament on high*

THE WORD OF GOD

Opening Acclamation BCP p. 355
Collect for Purity BCP p. 355
Gloria in Excelsis S 278
The Collect of the Day: (Bulletin insert)
First Reading: Acts 16:9-15
Psalm 167
The Epistle: Revelation 21:10, 22 – 22:5
Sequence Hymn: 345 *Savior, again to thy dear Name we raise*
The Holy Gospel: John 14:23-29
The Sermon The Very Rev. Michael E. Snider II
The Nicene Creed BCP p. 358
The Prayers of the People V BCP p. 389
The Peace BCP p. 360
Announcements

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory: *The Lord's My Shepherd* Mueller
Presentation of Gifts and Tithes: 193 vs. 5
The Great Thanksgiving, Prayer D BCP p. 372
Sanctus S 130
Memorial Acclamation S 141
The Lord's Prayer BCP p. 364
The Breaking of the Bread BCP p. 364
Fraction Anthem S 154
Communion Hymns: 311, 493, 567
Post Communion Prayer BCP p. 366
The Blessing
Recessional Hymn: 291 *We plow the fields, and scatter*
Dismissal: *Thanks be to God, Alleluia, Alleluia!*
Postlude *Toccata in E Minor* *Pachelbel*

Serving Today

Chalicer/Lector: Don Williams Epistoler: Cameron Clement
Chalicer: Bea Paine

Acolyte Macon Clement

Greeters John Kersey Family & Jim Steorts Family

Altar Guild Mrs. Becky Beckett Mrs. Marla Creasy
Mrs. Chris Justice

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Paine gives the Altar Flowers for Loved Ones.

We welcome all guests to Christ Church in the Name of the Risen Lord, Jesus Christ! Please worship with us again!

COMMUNION: All baptized Christians are welcome and encouraged to receive communion. After the choir has received communion, **the congregation should come forward 12-14 persons at a time to the altar rail.** It is our custom for those who have received communion to *wait* at the altar rail until everyone has received bread and wine before returning to their pew.

Children's Worship: All children – 3 and up – are invited to worship in the Children's Chapel for the beginning of the worship service. Children will process in for the exchange of the Peace

CYCLE OF PRAYER 2010: Diocese of WV - We give thanks for the church and congregation of St. John's, Huntington.

Companion Diocese – We pray for our Companion Diocese in Columbia – Medellin San Lucas.

PRAYER LIST: Members: Dorene Dimes, Helen Goodykoontz, John Beckett, Kitty Graham, Barbara Lilly, Joe Hunnicutt, Helene Krupey, Elise Cooper, The Rev. Griffin Callahan, and Annette Osborne.

Family and Friends of Members: Our Food Pantry Friends, Don Hoback, Ed Thacker, Andrea Proffit, John Spicer, Tim Umberger, Caroline Taylor, Leah Thomas, Midge Ward, Rodger Goins, Ray Meadwell, , Janie Smith, Lane Keffer, and Prema Krishnan.

Birthdays this week: Parker Anderson, Joyce Morgan, Charlie Orrock and Eli Snider.

You may send **Annette Osborne** a card to the following address: Berkshire Health & Rehabilitation Center, Annette Osborne – Patient Room 13, 705 Clearview Drive, Vinton,, VA 24179. Also check on Annette at her website: www.caringbridge.org/visit/annetteosborne. **Copies of latest caring bridge updates are on bulletin board beside office.**

CHURCH CALENDAR

- TODAY** Choir Practice
 Food Pantry Offering
- WEDNESDAY** 7:30 a.m. Holy Communion Service
 Men's Dinner 6 p.m. in Rowley Hall
 Vestry Meeting 7 p.m. in Library
- FRIDAY** Office Closed
 Spring Fling/Food Pantry Spaghetti Dinner
 5-7 p.m. for Food Pantry Friends

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY: 40

Sign-up sheets are also located in Narthex for **Christian Education Commission, Food Pantry, Building & Grounds Commission, Canterbury Club, ECM Men's Dinner, Coffee Hour and Ushers.**

Amazing Bible Race Update: Los Santos has again gained ground and closed the gap. They have 3,959 points while St. Paul's has 4,021 points.

Summer Concert on June 17th: The North Carolina Boys Choir will return for a concert on Thursday, June 17th at 7:30 p.m.

MOTHER'S DAY

Thank you, Lord, for our mothers. We remember today their loving care, and their ceaseless love for us. May we show them by our gifts, our words, and our actions that we love them and care about them too. Father, we thank you for the family of the church. Thank you for those who are true mothers within our Christian family. May they know your blessing and strength as they care for others. Amen

*A warm welcome to our guest organist, **Suzanne Lowry**, on this Sunday morning!*

