

# July 13, 2025 – Livestream Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

GATHERING

**ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

\*SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

PRELUDE

Rimbalzo Moderato

*lerato* B. Bower John Reed and Cheri Brightman, tenor saxophones

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Come, troubling Spirit: **People: lead us into a deeper faith.** Leader: Come, tenacious Spirit: **People: lead us into a higher hope.** Leader: Come, tender Spirit: **People: lead us into a greater love.** 

\*OPENING HYMN #61

Come, Thou Almighty King

Come, thou almighty King, help us thy name to sing, help us to praise! Father all glorious, o'er all victorious, come and reign over us, Ancient of Days!

*Come, thou incarnate Word, gird on thy mighty sword, our prayer attend! Come, and thy people bless, and give thy word success; Spirit of holiness, on us descend!* 

*Come, holy Comforter, thy sacred witness bear in this glad hour. Thou who almighty art, now rule in every heart, and ne'er from us depart, Spirit of power!* 

To thee, great One in Three, eternal praises be, hence, evermore. Thy sovereign majesty may we in glory see, and to eternity love and adore!

## **OPENING PRAYER**

O God, the strength of all who put their trust in you, in your mercy, accept our prayers. Because we are too weak to do any good thing without you, graciously help us keep your commandments so that we can please you with our intentions and our actions; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. Jill Moffett

O for a thousand tongues to sing my great Redeemer's praise, the glories of my God and King, the triumphs of his grace!

My gracious Master and my God, assist me to proclaim, To spread through all the earth abroad the honors of thy name. *Refrain* 

Jesus! the name that charms our fears, that bids our sorrows cease; 'tis music in the sinner's ears, 'tis life, and health, and peace.

Hear him, ye deaf; his praise, ye mute, your loosened tongues employ; Ye blind, behold your Savior come, and leap, ye lame for joy. *Refrain* 

\*CANTICLE OF PRAISE #756

Psalm 25:1-10

Leader: To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul.

People: O my God, in you I trust;

- let me not be put to shame;
- let not my enemies exult over me.
- Leader: let none that wait for you be put to shame;
- People: let them be ashamed who are clothed with treachery.
- Leader: Make me to know your ways, O Lord;
- People: teach me your paths.
- Leader: Lead me in your truth, and teach me,
- People: for you are the God of my salvation; for you I wait all day long.
- Leader: Be mindful of your mercy, O Lord, and of your steadfast love, for they have been from of old.
- People: Remember not the sins of my youth, or my transgressions; according to your steadfast love remember me, for the sake of your goodness, O Lord!
- Leader: Good and upright is the Lord; therefore the Lord instructs sinners in the way, and leads the humble in what is right and teaches them their way.

People: All the paths of the Lord are steadfast love and faithfulness, for those who keep the Lord's covenant and testimonies.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Kevin Malley

FIRST LESSON

#### Deuteronomy 30:9-14

<sup>9</sup> "The Lord your God will then make you successful in everything you do. God will give you many children and numerous livestock, and will cause your fields to produce abundant harvests, for the Lord will again delight in being good to you as he was to your ancestors. <sup>10</sup> The Lord your God will delight in you if you obey God's voice and keep the commands and decrees written in this Book of Instruction, and if you turn to the Lord your God with all your heart and soul.

<sup>11</sup> "This command I am giving you today is not too difficult for you, and it is not beyond your reach. <sup>12</sup> It is not kept in heaven, so distant that you must ask, 'Who will go up to heaven and bring it down so we can hear it and obey?' <sup>13</sup> It is not kept beyond the sea, so far away that you must ask, 'Who will cross the sea to bring it to us so we can hear it and obey?' <sup>14</sup> No, the message is very close at hand; it is on your lips and in your heart so that you can obey it.

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God. **People: Thanks be to God.** 

HYMN OF PRAYER #430 O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee O Master, let me walk with thee in lowly paths of service free; tell me thy secret; help me bear the strain of toil, the fret of care.

Help me the slow of heart to move by some clear, winning word of love; teach me the wayward feet to stay, and guide them in the homeward way.

Teach me thy patience; still with thee in closer, dearer company, in work that keeps faith sweet and strong, in trust that triumphs over wrong;

In hope that sends a shining ray far down the future's broadening way, in peace that only thou canst give, with thee, O Master, let me live.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER #895

MUSICAL RESPONSE #2157

*Come and Fill Our Hearts* 

Come and fill our hearts with your peace. You alone, O Lord, are holy. Come and fill our hearts with your peace, Alleluia!

OFFERTORY PRAYER

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Douze Duos

J. Sellner John Reed and Cheri Brightman, tenor saxophones

\*DOXOLOGY #94 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

SECOND LESSON

Colossians 1:1-3, 9b-14

<sup>1</sup> From Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by God's will, and Timothy our brother. <sup>2</sup> To the holy and faithful siblings in Christ in Colossae. Grace and peace to you from God our Father. <sup>3</sup>We always give thanks to God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, when we pray for you.

<sup>9b</sup> We have not stopped praying for you and asking for you to be filled with the knowledge of God's will, with all wisdom and spiritual understanding. <sup>10</sup> We are praying this so that you can walk in a manner worthy of the Lord and pleasing to God in every way: by producing fruit in every good work and growing in the knowledge of God; <sup>11</sup> by being strengthened through God's glorious might so that you endure everything and have patience; <sup>12</sup> and by giving thanks with joy to the Father, who made it so you could take part in the inheritance, in light granted to God's holy people. <sup>13</sup> The Lord rescued us from the control of darkness and transferred us into the Realm of the beloved Son. <sup>14</sup> God set us free through the Son and forgave our sins.

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

Haven Emery

\*HYMN OF DEDICATION #467

When we walk with the Lord in the light of his word, what a glory he sheds on our way! While we do his good will, he abides with us still, and with all who will trust and obey.

Refrain: Trust and obey, for there's no other way to be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.

Not a burden we bear, not a sorrow we share, but our toil he doth richly repay; not a grief or a loss, not a frown or a cross, but is blest if we trust and obey. [Refrain]

But we never can prove the delights of his love until all on the altar we lay; for the favor he shows, for the joy he bestows, are for them who will trust and obey. [Refrain]

Then in fellowship sweet we will sit at his feet, or we'll walk by his side in the way; what he says we will do, where he sends we will go; never fear, only trust and obey. [Refrain]

\*THE CHARGE AND BLESSING

POSTLUDE

Finale in B Flat

A. Moore

The flowers on the altar are given for the glory of God and in memory of Alice Shoemaker by her family.

Upcoming Events: Summer Choir, July 13 – August 31, 10:15am, Chapel Becoming a Storyteller: Study of Jesus' Parables, led by Haven Emery Tuesday Nights (5:30-7:30) (Still space) Location: 6055 N Keystone Ave Wednesday Nights (5:30-7:30) (Full) Location: Panera 9235 N Michigan Rd Suite A RSVP intern@northchurchindy.com

> Farmer's Market Season July 24, August 7, 21, September 4, 4:00-6:00pm

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# Today's worship leaders:

Darren Cushman Wood Senior Pastor Jill Moffett Pastor of Community Formation Haven Emery Pastoral Intern Eric Russell James Horton Allen McCormack Audio Visual Mark Gilgallon Director of Music Heather Hinton Organist

### SERMON

Trust and Obey

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Cathedral Ringers are looking for two or more people to join our group for the 2025-2026 season.

- You don't have to be able to read music!
- You do have to be dedicated and keep the director aware of dates you will miss.
- We rehearse Sundays, 12:00-1:15 pm in Room 004.
- Our season will run from August 2025-June 2026.
- We attempt to perform one Sunday per month for both services.
- We wear black tops and black bottoms.
- We accept any age from 13-99.

If you might be interested, please contact Kelley Warbinton at <u>warbintons@comcast.net</u> or 317-442-2769.