

Ritual



The Holy Eucharist is at 10:00 am
Our 7:00 pm. service resumes August 19th.

Child Care at the 10:00 am service



Our friend, The Rev Dr Charles Allen, Chaplain at Grace Unlimited, Butler University and IUPUI, will lead our Sunday services these next two weeks while Peter and Katy are on vacation in Eagle Harbor, MI (Peter takes the services there at St. Peter's Church.)

Community



WELCOME to GOOD SHEPHERD !

There are newcomer "Welcome Bags" available in the Foyer !
Free "Hot Box" Pizza!



New Here?

Please take a moment to fill out a registration form !



"Friday School" - Resumes August 17th @12:40 for all grades.
This will be our reorganizational meeting.



Boiler "Be Involved Fair" August 18th. 1-5pm Intramural Fields
Volunteers needed! (Purdue classes begin August 20th.)



"OUTFEST" August 18th. 4:00 pm - ? Volunteer

FREE FOOD

Thanks to Larry Oates at "Kitchen Art" for our tasty coffee!

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8 July 2018
Proper 9 - 7 Pentecost



Prophet Ezekiel
Michelangelo Buonarroti - 1510
Sistine Chapel

The 79th General Convention of
The Episcopal Church



July 5th - 13th, 2018
Austin, Texas

Loitering with Intent

The Anglican approach to membership is that, while no one is going to compel you to do anything, we aim to create the kind of local Christian community in which you will want to do more, because you are known and valued, and your gifts recognized. Once you have decided to jump in with both feet, you have real scope for effective Christian service and for influencing the Church's way ahead. The possibilities are endless in a Church which has open access to (almost all!) its corridors of power.

Animal-lovers we may be, but nevertheless we recognize the limitations of the parrot as a model of the thinking, praying and practicing Christian. We love joining things, and we want others to join us in this great adventure of life together in the Church, but in our easy-going, and self-effacing and low-key way we would nevertheless want membership to mean something, and to move us further forward in a "journey of continual discovery," our horizons constantly changing as we go.

At the end of the day, however, there is a growing hunch that joining an institution is not what it is all about, and that's why we should not take all the rules and regulations too seriously. The Church is absolutely essential, not as a divinely appointed institution but as a place to be. And the place is not a building, but the assembly of faith, gathered every Sunday, where you hang out with Jesus and his crowd, catching onto ideas and visions which are liable to get you into trouble.

This makes everything a lot less neat and tidy, and most of our certainties get shaken up in the process, but you know how it is with Jesus: When you think you are in, you are out, and when you think you've blown it, you are invited to sit next to him at the party. But that's not such a bad picture of the Kingdom of God.

ALWAYS OPEN p.110-111
Richard Giles

Proper 9 - 7 Pentecost

"How Firm A Foundation"
Opening Sentence
Gloria
Collect
First Lesson
Psalm 123
Second Lesson
"Hail To The Lord's Anointed"
The Holy Gospel



Hymnal #637
BCP p 355
BCP p 356
See insert
Ezekiel 2:1-7
See insert
II Corinthians 12:2-10
Hymnal #616
Mark 6:1-6

A period of silence is kept . . .

The Sermon
The Nicene Creed
Prayers of the People (Form III)
Confession of Sin

The Rev. Dr. Charles Allen
BCP p 358
BCP p 387
BCP p 360

*PRAY for The Church of Pakistan (United)
The Most Revd Humphrey Peters Bishop of Peshawar
Moderator of the Church of Pakistan
PRAY for St. Andrew's, Greencastle, The Rev. Dr. John Rumble
PRAY for The Most. Rev. Mauricio Andrade, Bishop of Brasilia,
and for the people and Diocese of Haiti and St. Andre's in Mithon.*

The Peace
Announcements
"Amazing Grace"
Eucharistic Prayer A



BCP p 360

Hymnal #671
BCP p 361

The Episcopal Church enjoys a policy of open communion.

Thanksgiving
"Love Divine All Love Excelling"
Blessing and Dismissal

BCP p 366
Hymnal #657
BCP p 366

What Is General Convention?

The top legislative and program planning body of the Episcopal Church. It is required by canon to meet every three years. The General Convention is in structure something like the British Parliament. It sits in two Houses: the House of Bishops, which resembles the House of Lords in that its members do not run for election, and the House of Deputies, whose members are chosen for single terms. This latter House is comparable to the House of Commons. No action of any kind can be passed without the approval of both Houses.

pg.74 The Episcopalians Dictionary
Howard Harper