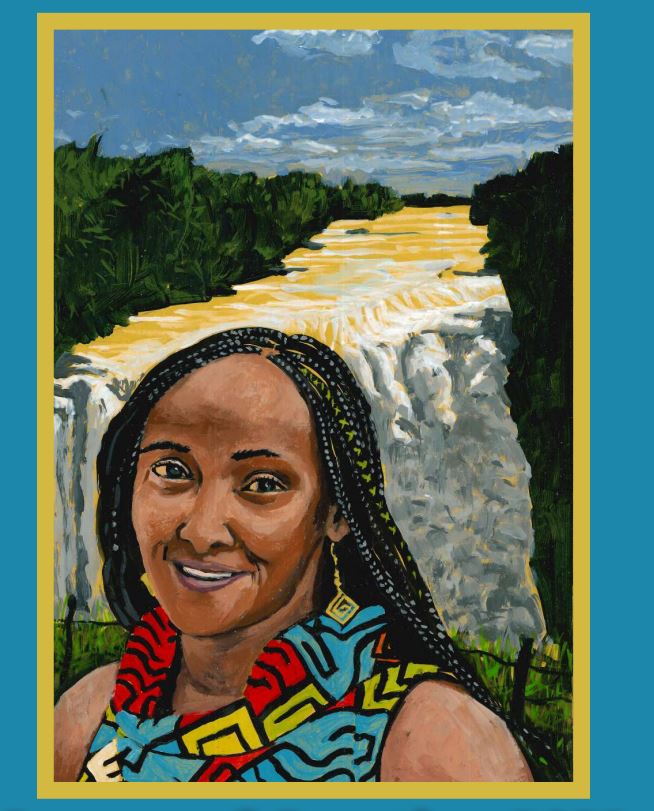


**Sunday, September 10, 2023**

**Season of Creation**

**8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist BCP**



**WELCOME**

**TERRITORIAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

**COLLECT FOR PURITY *pg 6*7**

**THE GREAT COMMANDMENTS *pg. 69-70***

**Collect of the Day**

Celebrant: Let us pray

**All:**  **God of the prophets you shame the strong through the weakness of love and turn upside down the wisdom of the world: may your blessing dwell with the poor and hungry, the grieving and abused; may your peaceful revolution be our joy and our reward; through Jesus Christ, the power of God. Amen**

**The Proclamation of the Word**

**Old Testament Exodus 12.1-14**

The Lord said to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt, “This month shall mark for you the beginning of months; it shall be the first month of the year for you. Tell the whole congregation of Israel that on the tenth of this month they are to take a lamb for each family, a lamb for each household. If a household is too small for a whole lamb, it shall join its closest neighbor in obtaining one; the lamb shall be divided in proportion to the number of people who eat of it. Your lamb shall be without blemish, a year-old male; you may take it from the sheep or from the goats. You shall keep it until the fourteenth day of this month; then the whole assembled congregation of Israel shall slaughter it at twilight. They shall take some of the blood and put it on the two doorposts and the lintel of the houses in which they eat it. They shall eat the lamb that same night; they shall eat it roasted over the fire with unleavened bread and bitter herbs. Do not eat any of it raw or boiled in water but roasted over the fire, with its head, legs, and inner organs. You shall let none of it remain until the morning; anything that remains until the morning you shall burn with fire. This is how you shall eat it: your loins girded, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand, and you shall eat it hurriedly. It is the Passover of the Lord. I will pass through the land of Egypt that night, and I will strike down every firstborn in the land of Egypt, from human to animal, and on all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgments: I am the Lord. The blood shall be a sign for you on the houses where you live: when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and no plague shall destroy you when I strike the land of Egypt.

“This day shall be a day of remembrance for you. You shall celebrate it as a festival to the Lord; throughout your generations you shall observe it as a perpetual ordinance.

**Reader:** Hear what the Spirit is saying to God’s people.

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

**PSALM 1****49**

Hallelujah!

Sing to the Lord a new song; \* **sing the praises of God in the congregation of the faithful.**

Let Israel rejoice in their maker; \* **let the children of Zion be joyful in their sovereign.**

Let them praise the name of the Lord in the dance; \* **let them sing praise to God with timbrel and harp.**

For the Lord takes pleasure in this people \* **and adorns the poor with victory.**

Let the faithful rejoice in triumph; \* **let them be joyful on their beds.**

Let the praises of God be in their throat \* **and a two-edged sword in their hand;**

to wreak vengeance on the nations \* **and punishment on the peoples;**

to bind their rulers in chains \* **and their nobles with links of iron;**

to inflict on them the judgement decreed; \* **this is glory for all God’s faithful people.**

Hallelujah!

**Gospel Reading Matthew 8.15-20**

*Please stand as you are able*

Reader: The Lord be with you

**People: And also be with you**

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mathew

**People: Glory be to thee, O Lord**

“If your brother or sister sins against you, go and point out the fault when the two of you are alone. If you are listened to, you have regained that one. But if you are not listened to, take one or two others along with you, so that every word may be confirmed by the evidence of two or three witnesses. If that person refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church, and if the offender refuses to listen even to the church, let such a one be to you as a gentile and a tax collector. Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven. Again, truly I tell you, if two of you agree on earth about anything you ask, it will be done for you by my Father in heaven. For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.”

Reader: The Gospel of Christ

**People: Praise be to thee, O Christ**

**THE CREED pg. 71**

**Sermon by** **REVEREND DENISE DOERKSEN**

**Offertory**

**OFFERTORY PRAYER pg. 74**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

*The prayers will be led by a member of the congregation.*

**BIDDING PRAYER *pg. 76***

**comfortable words**

**Thanksgiving and Consecration *pg. 78-83***

**Peace *pg. 83***

**Prayer of Humble Access *pg.* 83**

**HOLY COMMUNION**

*Please Note: You are welcome to drink from the common cup, but if you do not want to, just touch the cup. You must not dip the bread into the cup.: We have gluten free wafers and will gladly extend the platter to you for you to take one from it. Please just let us know if you need one.*

**THE LORD’S PRAYER pg. 85**

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION pg. 85**

**BLESSING**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**DISMISSAL**

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| **September Outreach** |
| Sidney Food Bank |
| **Flowers on the Altar** |
| The flowers are to the glory of God in memoryof my parents  **Ron and Janet Billinghurst** |
| **Notices** |
| * Contact givings@holytrinityns.org to sign up for automatic monthly withdrawal of your contribution. *(Forms re available at the back of the church).* |
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