

Service items listed in red can be found in the red Book of Common Prayer. Hymns, listed in blue, can be found in the blue Hymnal.

The Word of God

8:00 AM

The Opening Sentence (*Stand at the bell*)

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever.
Amen.

Hymn 637: *How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord*
(v. 1 & 2)

The Collect for Purity page 323
The Summary of the Law page 324

The Collect of the Day

Grant to us, Lord, we beseech thee, the spirit to think and do always such things as are right, that we, who cannot exist without thee, may by thee be enabled to live according to thy will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

The Reading Romans 10: 8–15
The Psalm Psalm 85: 8–13
The Gospel Matthew 14: 22–23

The Sermon The Rev. Canon Chris Chase

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The Prayers of the People – Form III page 387

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The Peace

The Offertory Sentence & Offertory

The Doxology: *Praise God, from whom all blessings flow*
(Hymn 380, v. 3)

The Great Thanksgiving page 333

Proper Preface

Through Jesus Christ our Lord; who on the first day of the week overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life.

The Sanctus page 334

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The Communion of the People

Post Communion Prayer page 339

Hymn 680: *O God, our help in ages past* (v. 1 & 2)

Postlude: *Toccata*

Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck (1562-1621)

10:30 AM

The Opening Sentence (*Stand at the bell*)

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever.
Amen.

Hymn 637: *How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord*

The Collect for Purity page 355
Hymn of Praise S 280: *Glory to God* (Powell)

The Collect of the Day

Grant to us, Lord, we pray, the spirit to think and do always those things that are right, that we, who cannot exist without you, may by you be enabled to live according to your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

The Reading Romans 10: 8–15
The Psalm Psalm 85: 8–13

Sequence Hymn 699: *Jesus, Lover of my soul*

The Gospel Matthew 14: 22–23

The Sermon The Rev. Canon Chris Chase

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The Peace

Holy Communion

The Offertory Sentence

The Offertory Anthem Ned Rorem (1923–2022)
Mercy and truth are met

The Doxology: *Praise God, from whom all blessings flow*
(Hymn 380, v. 3)

The Great Thanksgiving page 361

Eucharistic Prayer A

Proper Preface

Through Jesus Christ our Lord; who on the first day of the week overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life.

10:30 AM Holy Communion *continued*

The Sanctus: *Holy, holy, holy Lord* (S 125 Proulx)

The Lord's Prayer

The Fraction anthem: (S 154)

The Communion Anthem: Henry Loosemore (1607–1670)
O Lord, increase my faith

Communion Hymn 689: *I sought the Lord*

The Post Communion Prayer page 365

Hymn 680: *O God, our help in ages past*

Postlude: *Toccata*

Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck (1562-1621)

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Altar Flowers & Anthem Dedications

The flowers in the Church are given to the glory of God
and in loving memory of Stephen Christopher Norman
by Julie McClellan

Lay Ministries

8:00 AM

Lay Reader / Chalice Bearer
Crucifer

Will Root
Steve Bailey

10:30 AM

Ushers Tim O'Connor - Lead, Chris Cameron, Brooks Clark,
Lisa Rottmann, Bailey Sharp

Greeters Missy Minkin, Anne Sprouse

Lay Reader / Chalice Bearer Joseph Duncan

Lector / Chalice Bearer Jennifer Tyrell

Chalice Bearer Jarrett Vance

Crucifer Caleb Rogers

Acolytes Caelan McElrath, Graeme McElrath, Henry
McElrath, Natalie Rottmann

Thurifer

Verger Lloyd Terry

Safety Braxton Hunter

Broadcast Team Chip Fuller

Caleb Bales, Mike Bensey, Nick Cassell,

Jim Foust, Christibeth Paul, & Whitney Ross

Altar Guild Linda Morris & Team

Flower Guild Rick Boyd & Team

Announcements

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Today at the Cathedral

9:30 AM Nursery & Childcare Opens - 2nd Floor

10:30 AM SJKids - 2nd Floor

11:30 AM Coffee & Cookies - Ross Hall

11:30 AM Back to School Bash - Ross Hall

Sundays at the 'Shore

9 AM | Lakeshore Park Pavilion

Join us at 9AM at Lakeshore Park. Bring a chair and enjoy this summer, outdoor, bluegrass, dog-friendly, worship experience. Children are invited to Stay & Play following the service. Services continue through Sunday, August 30th.

Back to School Bash Today!

Sunday, August 9th | 11:30 am | Ross Hall

Kids are invited to join us for about an hour of fun as we kick off the new school year together! We'll have a Bounce House, Ice Cream treats, time to play and connect, and a special blessing as we begin another school year. We hope your whole family will stay and celebrate with us!

Pet Blessings at Lakeshore Park

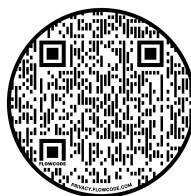
Sunday., August 30th | 9:00 AM

As part of our final Sundays at the 'Shore service for the 2026 season, Pet Blessings will be offered by the priests at the service on Sunday, August 30th. All are welcome to attend.

Treble Choir upcoming Performance

Friday, August 14 | Smokies Game

The Treble Choir will be performing the National Anthem before the Smokies baseball home game this Friday, Aug. 14th.



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The Reading
Romans 10: 8–15

“The word is near you, on your lips and in your heart”; because if you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the mouth and so is saved. The scripture says, “No one who believes in him will be put to shame.” For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all and is generous to all who call on him. For, “Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.”

But how are they to call on one in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in one of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone to proclaim him? And how are they to proclaim him unless they are sent? As it is written, “How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!”

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: THANKS BE TO GOD.

The Psalm
Psalm 85: 8–13

Robert Knox Kennedy
(b. 1945)



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| 8 I will listen to what the Lord God is saying , *
for he is speaking peace to his faithful people
and to those who turn their hearts to him . | 11 Truth shall spring up from the earth , *
and righteousness shall look down from heaven . |
| 9 Truly, his salvation is very near
to those who fear him , *
that his glory may dwell in our land . | 12 The Lord will indeed grant pros- perity , *
and our land will yield its increase . |
| 10 Mercy and truth have met to- gether ; *
righteousness and peace have kissed each other . | 13 Righteousness shall go be- fore him , *
and peace shall be a pathway for his feet. |

The Gospel
Matthew 14: 22–33

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew:

People: GLORY BE TO THEE, O LORD.

People: GLORY TO YOU, LORD CHRIST.

Jesus made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. And after he had dismissed the crowds, he went up the mountain by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, but by this time the boat, battered by the waves, was far from the land, for the wind was against them. And early in the morning he came walking toward them on the sea. But when the disciples saw him walking on the sea, they were terrified, saying, “It is a ghost!” And they cried out in fear. But immediately Jesus spoke to them and said, “Take heart, it is I; do not be afraid.”

Peter answered him, “Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water.” He said, “Come.” So Peter got out of the boat, started walking on the water, and came toward Jesus. But when he noticed the strong wind, he became frightened, and beginning to sink, he cried out, “Lord, save me!” Jesus immediately reached out his hand and caught him, saying to him, “You of little faith, why did you doubt?” When they got into the boat, the wind ceased. And those in the boat worshiped him, saying, “Truly you are the Son of God.”

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: PRAISE BE TO THEE, O CHRIST.

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: PRAISE TO YOU, LORD CHRIST.

Offertory anthem: *Mercy and truth are met*
(Ned Rorem)

Mercy and truth are met together,
righteousness and peace have kissed.
Truth shall spring out of the earth,
and righteousness shall look down from heaven.
Yea, the LORD shall show loving-kindness,
and our land shall yield her increase.
Righteousness shall go before him,
and peace shall be the pathway of his steps.

Psalms 85: 10–13

Communion anthem: *O Lord, increase my faith*
(Henry Loosemore)

O Lord, increase my faith;
strengthen me and confirm me in thy true faith.
Endue me with wisdom, charity, chastity and
patience; in all my adversity, teach me to say Amen.