



# Sunday. Every Day.

Christ Church Episcopal



SAINT PETER & SAINT PAUL  
APOSTLES AND MARTYRS (29 JUN 64)

Service of Healing with Holy Eucharist: Rite II

· Wednesday, July 1, 2026 ·    · Chapel · 5:30 p.m. ·

## Prelude

## Opening Hymn

## Opening Sentences

*Celebrant*        The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

**People**            **And also with you.**

*Celebrant*        Let us pray.

## The Collect for Healing

O God of peace, you have taught us that in returning and rest we shall be saved, in quietness and confidence shall be our strength: By the might of your Spirit lift us, we pray, to your presence, where we may be still and know that you are God; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

## The Gospel

*Gospeler*        The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John    21:15-19

**People**            **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, “Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?” He said to him, “Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.” Jesus said to him, “Feed my lambs.” A second time he said to him, “Simon son of John, do you love me?” He said to him, “Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.” Jesus said to him, “Tend my sheep.” He said to him the third time, “Simon son of John, do you love me?” Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, “Do you love me?” And he said to him, “Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.” Jesus said to him, “Feed my sheep. Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and to go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go.” (He said this to indicate the kind of death by which he would glorify God.) After this he said to him, “Follow me.”

*Gospeler*        The Gospel of the Lord.

**People**            **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

*Please be seated.*

## **Reflection**

*You may kneel or sit.*

## **Litany of Healing**

Page 148, *The Book of Occasional Services*

*Leader*

Let us name before God those for whom we offer our prayers.  
God the Father, your will for all people is health and salvation;

**People**

**We praise you and thank you, O Lord.**

God the Son, you came that we might have life, and might have it more abundantly;

**We praise you and thank you, O Lord.**

God the Holy Spirit, you make our bodies the temple of your presence;

**We praise you and thank you, O Lord.**

Holy Trinity, one God, in you we live and move and have our being;

**We praise you and thank you, O Lord.**

Lord, grant your healing grace to all who are sick, injured, or disabled, that they may be made whole;

**Hear us, O Lord of life.**

Grant to all who seek your guidance, and to all who are lonely, anxious, or despondent, a knowledge of your will and an awareness of your presence;

**Hear us, O Lord of life.**

Mend broken relationships, and restore those in emotional distress to soundness of mind and serenity of spirit;

**Hear us, O Lord of life.**

Bless physicians, nurses, and all others who minister to the suffering, granting them wisdom and skill, sympathy and patience;

**Hear us, O Lord of life.**

Grant to the dying peace and a holy death, and uphold by the grace and consolation of your Holy Spirit those who are bereaved;

**Hear us, O Lord of life.**

Restore to wholeness whatever is broken by human sin, in our lives, in our nation, and in the world;

**Hear us, O Lord of life.**

You are the Lord who does wonders:

**You have declared your power among the peoples.**

With you, O Lord, is the well of life:

**And in your light we see light.**

Hear us, O Lord of life:

**Heal us, and make us whole.**

*Celebrant*

Almighty God, giver of life and health: Send your blessing on all who are sick, and upon those who minister to them, that all weakness may be vanquished by the triumph of the risen Christ; who lives and reigns for ever and ever. **Amen.**

## **The Confession**

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Silence may be kept.*

**All**

**Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart, we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen.**

*Celebrant*

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

## **Candle Lighting and Healing Prayers**

*We continue our prayers through the lighting of votive candles as a symbol of our love and care for others. You are welcome to light a candle as a sign of your prayers.*

*Healing prayers will be offered by the clergy.*

*All who desire prayer for themselves or for others are invited to come to the altar rail for healing prayer.*

## Laying on of Hands and Anointing

N., I lay my hands upon you [and anoint you] in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, praying that our Savior Jesus Christ will sustain you, drive away sickness of body and mind and spirit, and give you that victory of life and peace which will enable you to serve and rejoice in God both now and evermore. **Amen.**

## Concluding Prayer

May the God who goes before you through desert places by night and by day be your companion and guide; may your journey be with the saints; may the Holy Spirit be your strength, and Christ your clothing of light, in whose name we pray. **Amen.**

*Please stand.*

## The Peace

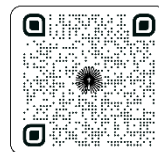
Page 360, *The Book of Common Prayer*

*Please be seated.*

## Announcements

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# THE HOLY COMMUNION

## Offertory

*Please stand.*

## Eucharistic Prayer

## The Lord's Prayer

Page 364, *The Book of Common Prayer*

## The Breaking of the Bread

Page 364, *The Book of Common Prayer*

*Please be seated.*

## Distribution of Communion

***Please join us at God's table.***

*All people, including children, are invited to receive Communion. Gluten-free wafers are also available. If you would prefer not to take Communion but would like a blessing, please fold your arms across your chest.*

## Communion Music

*You may kneel or sit.*

**Postcommunion Prayer**      Page 365, *The Book of Common Prayer*

## The Blessing

*Celebrant*      May God the Father bless you, God the Son heal you, God the Holy Spirit give you strength. May God the holy and undivided Trinity guard your body, save your soul, and bring you safely to his heavenly country; where he lives and reigns for ever and ever. **Amen.**

*Please stand.*

## Final Hymn

## Dismissal

*Celebrant*      Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia, Alleluia.

**People**      **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.**

## PETER AND PAUL APOSTLES AND MARTYRS (29 JUN 64)

The Confession of Peter ("Thou art the Christ, the Son of the Living God") is commemorated on 18 January, and the Conversion of Paul (on the approach to Damascus) a week later on 25 January. On 29 June we commemorate the martyrdoms of both apostles. The date is the anniversary of a day around 258, under the Valerian persecution, when what were believed to be the remains of the two apostles were both moved temporarily to prevent them from falling into the hands of the persecutors.

The Scriptures do not record the deaths of Peter or Paul, or indeed any of the Apostles except for James the son of Zebedee (Acts 12:2), but they are clearly anticipated (see the readings below), and from an early date it has been said that they were martyred at Rome at the command of the Emperor Nero, and buried there. As a Roman citizen, Paul would probably have been beheaded with a sword. It is said of Peter that he was crucified head downward. The present Church of St Peter in Rome replaces earlier churches built on the same site going back to the time of the Emperor Constantine, in whose reign a church was built there on what was believed to be the burial site of Peter. Excavations under the church suggest that the belief is older than Constantine.

St. Augustine writes (Sermon 295):  
Both apostles share the same feast day, for these two were one; and even though they suffered on different days, they were as one. Peter went first, and Paul followed. And so we celebrate this day made holy for us by the apostles' blood. Let us embrace what they believed, their life, their labors, their sufferings, their preaching, and their confession of faith.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Bulletins for BEAM at the Local**

Beginning June 7 through the end of July, our neighborhood Local (in the Winn Dixie shopping center) will be donating 10% of sales on Sunday from 9-4 to BEAM! All you have to do is bring in your Sunday bulletin from that week. Support a local restaurant and our friends at BEAM all while enjoying a delicious meal!

### **Volunteers are needed for Meals on Wheels.**

Please contact Pam Gordon at 904-250-5693

### **JUST JULY: A Summer Book Study**

Wednesdays in July | 10:00-11:00 AM | F106  
Father Eric will host a midsummer book study on  
With: Reimagining the Way You Relate to God  
written by Skye Jethani. Visit [ccpvb.org](http://ccpvb.org)

**For a complete list of events,**  
ministry activities, and more  
please visit our website.



## Worship Services

7:30 a.m.	Church Sanctuary	Holy Eucharist, Rite I
9:00 a.m.	Church Sanctuary	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
9:00 a.m.	Cooper Chapel	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
9:00 a.m.	Parish Center, 2nd floor	Jordan Service
9:00 a.m.	NSIA Community Center	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
11:15 a.m.	Church Sanctuary	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
11:15 a.m.	Parish Center, 2nd floor	Jordan Service
12:45 p.m.	Cooper Chapel	Spanish-language Service
5:00 p.m.	Church Sanctuary	Contemplative Service
5:30 p.m. (Wed)	Cooper Chapel	Holy Eucharist, Rite II

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