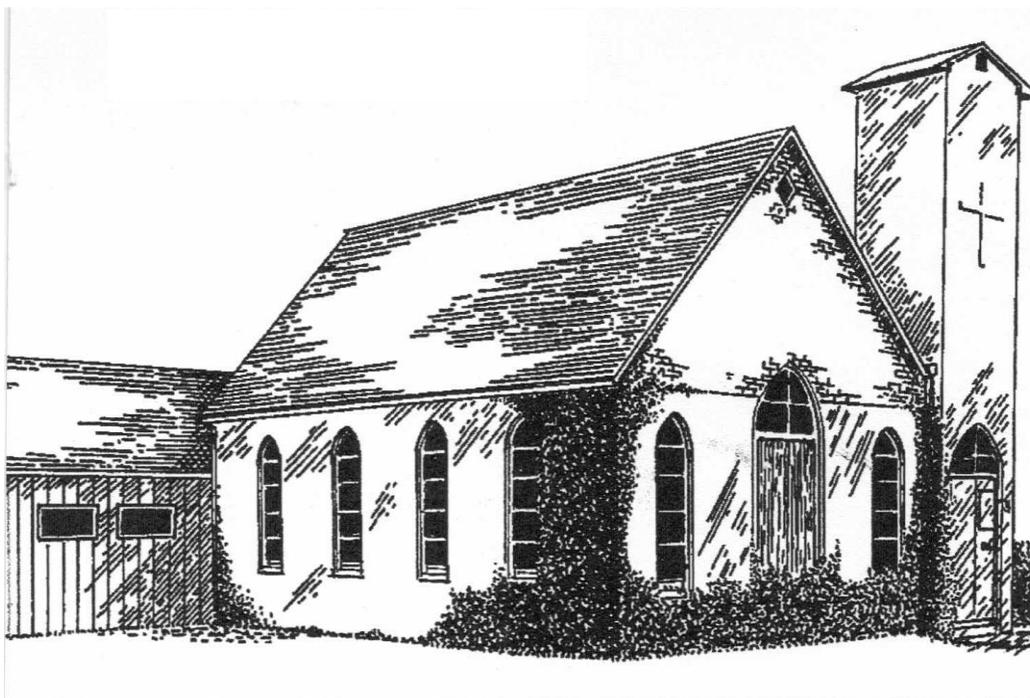


St. John's Episcopal Church

**The Nineteenth Sunday
after Pentecost**
September 29, 2013



The Rev. Rebecca Myers, Priest-in-Charge
PO Box 1512/701 Engineer Street, Corbin, KY 40701
606-528-1659
priest-in-charge@stjohnscorbin.org

A Note on Today's Readings

Proper 21: Sunday closest to September 28—Year C

We invite you to be a part of our celebration of Jesus Christ dying and rising in the midst of His people. In the gospel reading today, we hear his parable of Dives and Lazarus with its warning that failure to respond to the gospel in ministry to others can result in losing our place in his Kingdom. Christian living includes care for the poor, the sick and the helpless, actions fully as holy as worship and prayer.

In today's reading from Jeremiah, Judah has reached the time of its destruction. Jeremiah is told to perform an action that reveals a seed of hope. He is to buy land and have deeds saved and preserved by his assistant, Baruch. This is a sign that even though Judah will be destroyed as a nation, the time will come when it will be revived and people will return to possess the land.

Again, today, we read from the first epistle of Timothy. This book of practical advice for Christian living urges that the Christian man or woman remain faithful to Christ's commandments. Furthermore, the rich within the Christian community are to practice generosity, lest their riches become a barrier to the new life in Christ, which God has given us.

When we celebrate the Eucharist, we gather as one people regardless of our material or social standing. As disciples we respond to God's love in worship and are sent forth to embody that love of God in concrete acts of care for the poor and helpless.

From *The Rite Light: Reflections on the Sunday Readings and Seasons of the Church Year*. Copyright © 2007 by Michael W. Merriman. Church Publishing Incorporated, New York.

Holy Eucharist

Ordinary Time, Proper 21

Sunday, September 29, 2013

Liturgy of the Word

Hymn

Danos un corazón

Estrillo: Da - nos un corazón grande para amar.
Danos un corazón fuerte para luchar.

Pueblos nuevos, creadores de la historia,
constructores de nueva humanidad.
Pueblos nuevos, que viven la existencia
como riesgo de un largo caminar.

Estrillo: Da - nos un corazón grande para amar.
Danos un corazón fuerte para luchar.

Pueblos nuevos, luchando en esperanza,
caminantes, sedientos de verdad.
Pueblos nuevos, sin frenos ni cadenas,
pueblos libres que exigen libertad.

Estrillo: Da - nos un corazón grande para amar.
Danos un corazón fuerte para luchar.

Pueblos nuevos, amando sin fronteras,
por encima de razas y lugar.
Pueblos nuevos, al lado de los pobres,
compartiendo con ellos techo y pan.

Estrillo: Da - nos un corazón grande para amar.
Danos un corazón fuerte para luchar.

Da - nos un corazón grande para amar.
Danos un corazón fuerte para luchar.

All standing, the Celebrant says

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

The Celebrant says

Dios omnipotente, para quien todos los corazones están manifiestos, todos los deseos son conocidos y ningún secreto se halla encubierto: Purifica los pensamientos de nuestros corazones por la inspiración de tu Santo Espíritu, para que perfectamente te amemos y dignamente proclamemos la grandeza de tu santo Nombre; por Cristo nuestro Señor.
Amén.

The following is sung, all standing

Glory to God in the highest,
 and peace to his people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
 we worship you, we give you thanks,
 we praise you for your glory.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
 have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
 receive our prayer.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
 Jesus Christ,
 with the Holy Spirit,
 in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Collect of the Day

Celebrante El Señor sea con ustedes.

Pueblo Y con tu espíritu.

Celebrante Oremos.

Oh Dios, que manifiestas tu infinito poder especialmente mostrando piedad y misericordia: Derrama sobre nosotros la plenitud de tu gracia; a fin de que, esforzándonos para obtener tus promesas, seamos partícipes de tus tesoros celestiales; por Jesucristo nuestro Señor, que vive y reina contigo y el Espíritu Santo, un solo Dios, por los siglos de los siglos. *Amen.*

First Reading

Jeremiah 32:1-3a,6-15

All sit.

Lector Palabra del Señor.

Pueblo Demos gracias a Dios.

Psalm

Remain seated.

Psalm 91:1-6,14-16

BCP p. 719

Second Reading

1 Timothy 6:6-19

Lector Palabra del Señor.

Pueblo Demos gracias a Dios.

Sequence

All stand.

As those of old their first fruits brought

Hymnal 705

Holy Gospel

Luke 16:19-31

All stand.

Lector Santo Evangelio de nuestro Señor Jesucristo, según San Lucas.
Pueblo ¡Gloria a ti, Cristo Señor!

Después del Evangelio el Lector dice:

Lector El Evangelio del Señor.
Pueblo Te alabamos, Cristo Señor.

Sermon

The Rev. Rebecca Myers

Nicene Creed

All stand.

We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary
and became truly human.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father [and the Son],
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People

All remain standing.

In the presence of God, who gives life to all things, and of Christ Jesus, who in his testimony before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, let us offer up our petitions and thanksgivings.

We pray for the church, that we may comfort and serve the poor and the suffering who are waiting at our gates.

Te rogamos, Señor.

We pray for our nation, for our President Barack, our governor, Steve, those serving in the armed forces, especially Sylvestre, and all in positions of leadership and authority, that they may be rich in good works, generous and ready to share.

Te rogamos, Señor.

We pray for peace in the world, particularly in areas torn by violence and instability.

Te rogamos, Señor.

We pray for the city of Corbin and all the cities and towns of this region. May their citizens pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance and gentleness.

Te rogamos, Señor.

We pray for those who suffer in body, soul or spirit, that they may receive comfort, healing and strength. In particular we pray for Diana, Jack, Jim, Sharae, Leroy, Phillip Faye, Jerry, Ruby, Brenda, Kevin, John and Emily.

Te rogamos, Señor.

We pray for those who have died. May they be carried by the angels to be with Abraham, Lazarus and all your saints.

Te rogamos, Señor.

We give thanks in godliness combined with contentment for all the good things we have received. In particular we give thanks for those celebrating birthdays and for St. Francis' Church, Flemingsburg, the Rev. Marvin W. Suit, Vicar. May they continue to fight the good fight and take hold of the eternal life, to which they were called and for which they continue to make the good confession in the presence of many witness.

Te rogamos, Señor.

During the silence at the end of the prayers of the people, please feel free to add your own prayers aloud or in the silence of your heart.

For yours is the majesty, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Confession of Sin

All kneel.

Let us confess our sins to God.

Silence.

Minister and People

God of all mercy,
we confess that we have sinned against you,
opposing your will in our lives.
We have denied your goodness in each other,
in ourselves, and in the world you have created.

We repent of the evil that enslaves us,
the evil we have done,
and the evil done on our behalf.

Forgive, restore, and strengthen us
through our Savior Jesus Christ,
that we may abide in your love
and serve only your will. Amen.

The Priest stands and says

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

Peace

All stand.

Celebrante La paz del Señor sea siempre con ustedes.
Pueblo Y con tu espíritu

Then the Ministers and the People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Announcements

Announcements may be made at this point in the service.

Holy Communion

The Celebrant says

Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving, and make good your vows to the Most High. *Psalm 50:14*

Offertory Hymn

'Tis the gift to be simple, 'tis the gift to be free

Hymnal 554

Representatives of the congregation bring the people's offerings of bread and wine, and money or other gifts, to the deacon or celebrant. The people stand while the offerings are presented and placed on the Altar.

Great Thanksgiving

The people remain standing.

Celebrante El Señor sea con ustedes.
Pueblo Y con tu espíritu.
Celebrante Elevemos los corazones.
Pueblo Los elevamos al Señor.
Celebrante Demos gracias a Dios nuestro Señor.
Pueblo Es justo darle gracias y alabanza.

The Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

For you are the source of light and life; you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus

Celebrant and People

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The people stand or kneel.

The Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.
AMEN.

The Celebrant then continues

And now, as our Savior
Christ has taught us,
we are bold to say,

People and Celebrant

Padre nuestro que estás en el cielo,
santificado sea tu Nombre,
venga tu reino,
hágase tu voluntad,
en la tierra como en el cielo.
Danos hoy nuestro pan de cada día.
Perdona nuestras ofensas,
como también nosotros perdonamos
a los que nos ofenden.
No nos dejes caer en tentación
y líbranos del mal.
Porque tuyo es el reino,
tuyo es el poder,
y tuya es la gloria,
ahora y por siempre. Amén.

Breaking of the Bread

A period of silence is kept.

¡Aleluya! Cristo, nuestra Pascua, se ha sacrificado por nosotros.
¡Celebremos la fiesta! ¡Aleluya!

The Celebrant says

Los Dones de Dios para el Pueblo de Dios.

All baptized persons are welcome to receive Holy Communion.

Communion Hymn

Seek ye first the kingdom of God

Hymnal 711

After Communion, the Celebrant says

Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

God of abundance,
you have fed us with the bread of life
and cup of salvation;
you have united us
with Christ and one another;
and you have made us one
with all your people in heaven and on earth.
Now send us forth
in the power of your Spirit,
that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world
and continue for ever
in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

Blessing

The priest blesses the people, saying

The blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. *Amen.*

Postcommunion Hymn

Alabaré

See music in pew

Dismissal

Celebrante Vayan en paz para amar y servir al Señor.
Pueblo Demos gracias a Dios.

Notes and News

Rebecca's Schedule: Next week, the Rev. Rebecca Myers will be attending the Clergy Conference. Please feel free to contact her any time, however, by calling 859-429-1659 or e-mailing rev.myers2013@gmail.com.

5th Sundays: *Today we celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month, with bi-lingual service and potluck* September 15-October 15 is National Hispanic Heritage Month, so on September 29, much of our service will be bi-lingual, English/Spanish. Hearing familiar words in a language that may be unfamiliar may bring new meaning to us and also reminds us that we are connected to a Worldwide communion.

Hymn Selection Group to meet October 4 – If you would like to choose hymns for services, join this group. You will choose hymns for an upcoming service and then meet with the entire group to confirm the final selections.

Would you like to write Prayers of the People? If you are interested in writing these prayers (there are resources that can help with this task), please let Rebecca know by phone or email priest-in-charge@stjohnscorbin.org.

Adult Forum – *Radical Welcome: Embracing God, The Other and the Spirit of Transformation* by The Rev. Stephanie Spellers is the focus of our Adult Forum October 6 through November 17. Senior Warden Bruce Cory leads the discussion next Sunday defining radical welcome.

Classes are available for children. If you can assist, please let Anne Day and Dura Anne know. *Anne Day cannot be here October 6 and 13, but Dura Anne will have something for the children. Godly Play will begin October 20 and be held every Sunday.*

Daughters of the King meeting: Wednesday, October 16, 4-5pm at the church.

Blessing of the Animals: Sunday, October 6, 3:00-5:00pm, St. John's Park. Bring your furry and feathered friends to the St. John's Park, College Street on Sunday, October 6, 3-5pm for a special blessing. Animals must be leashed or caged and under control of a caretaker at all times. Co-sponsored by: St. John's Episcopal Church, and The Presbyterian Church of Corbin.

Fellowship cookout and games for the kids: Sunday October 13, 6pm at Corbin Presbyterian Church. First Baptist Church will also be there. Bring a side dish if you'd like.

Belk Charity Sale: Saturday November 9, 6am – 10am. Tickets are on sale now for this special event. All ticket sales benefit the church. Tickets are \$5.00 each, which provides admittance to this special sale as well as \$5.00 off your purchase. Buy more than one ticket! They may be used at any Belk store. Also plan to buy an extra clothing item to donate to the residents of the homeless shelter

Diocesan Ministry Fair: Saturday, November 9, 9:30am – 3:00pm at Emmanuel Church, Winchester. Bishop Hahn is inviting all of us to the First Annual Ministry Fair – Toward a More Excellent Way.

ECW Chocolate Fest: Saturday, December 7. Plan now to attend this annual holiday event. Planning meetings and chocolate making and craft making will begin soon.

Follow us on Facebook, Twitter, Pinterest and Subscribe to our Website Feed!

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/StJohnsCorbin>

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/StJohnsCorbin>

Website: http://stjohnscorbin.org/?subscribe=success#blog_subscription-2

Pinterest: <http://www.pinterest.com/stjohnscorbin/>

Prayers for the Week

For those seeking God's healing touch, especially: Diana, Jack, Jim, Sharae, Leroy, Phillip Faye, Jerry, Ruby, Brenda, Kevin, John and Emily.

For the men and women serving in the armed forces, especially: Silvestre.

In accordance with the diocesan cycle of prayer we pray for St. Francis' Church, Flemingsburg, the Rev. Marvin W. Suit, Vicar.