



# ST. BENEDICT'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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*We welcome you in the name of the Lord!*

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*The mission of St. Benedict's Church is to "know Christ's love and to make His love known"*

## **TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**Year C – Revised Common Lectionary / Daily Office Year Two  
July 23 and 24, 2016**

### **Weekend Schedule**

**Saturday:** Holy Eucharist Rite II – 6:00 pm

**Sunday:** Morning Prayer - 7:45 am

Holy Eucharist Rite I – 8:00 am

Eucharist Rite II – 10:00 am

*(With Sunday school for Children and Youth of all ages)*

### **Weekday Eucharist/Prayer in Community**

Tuesday: Intercessory Prayer Group – 8:00 am

Tuesday: Holy Eucharist - 8:30 am

Wednesday: Holy Eucharist/Healing Service – 7:00 pm

Thursday: Holy Eucharist – 8:30 am

**Order of Service - Holy Eucharist: 6:00 pm and 10:00 am (BCP 355) – 8:00 am (BCP 323)**

### **The Collect**

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: Increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that, with you as our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal, that we lose not the things eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

### **The First Lesson: Hosea 1:2-10**

When the LORD first spoke through Hosea, the LORD said to Hosea, "Go, take for yourself a wife of whoredom and have children of whoredom, for the land commits great whoredom by forsaking the LORD." So he went and took Gomer daughter of Diblaim, and she conceived and bore him a son. And the Lord said to him, "Name him Jezreel; for in a little while I will punish the house of Jehu for the blood of Jezreel, and I will put an end to the kingdom of the house of Israel. On that day I will break the bow of Israel in the valley of Jezreel." She conceived again and bore a daughter. Then the Lord said to him, "Name her Lo-ruhamah, for I will no longer have pity on the house of Israel or forgive them. But I will have pity on the house of Judah, and I will save them by the Lord their God; I will not save them by bow, or by sword, or by war, or by horses, or by horsemen." When she had

weaned Lo-ruhamah, she conceived and bore a son. Then the Lord said, "Name him Lo-ammi, for you are not my people and I am not your God." Yet the number of the people of Israel shall be like the sand of the sea, which can be neither measured nor numbered; and in the place where it was said to them, "You are not my people," it shall be said to them, "Children of the living God."

The Word of the Lord. **THANKS BE TO GOD**

### **Psalm 85 *Benedixisti, Domine***

1 You have been gracious to your land, O LORD, \*you have restored the good fortune of Jacob.

2 You have forgiven the iniquity of your people \*and blotted out all their sins.

3 You have withdrawn all your fury \*and turned yourself from your wrathful indignation.

4 Restore us then, O God our Savior; \*let your anger depart from us.

5 Will you be displeased with us for ever? \*will you prolong your anger from age to age?

6 Will you not give us life again, \*that your people may rejoice in you?

7 Show us your mercy, O LORD, \*and grant us your salvation.

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.

9 Truly, his salvation is very near to those who fear him, \*that his glory may dwell in our land.

10 Mercy and truth have met together; \*righteousness and peace have kissed each other.

11 Truth shall spring up from the earth, \*and righteousness shall look down from heaven.

12 The LORD will indeed grant prosperity, \*and our land will yield its increase.

13 Righteousness shall go before him, \*and peace shall be a pathway for his feet.

### **The Epistle: Colossians 2:6-15**

As you have received Christ Jesus the Lord, continue to live your lives in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving. See to it that no one takes you captive through philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the universe, and not according to Christ. For in him the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily, and you have come to fullness in him, who is the head of every ruler and authority. In him also you were circumcised with a spiritual circumcision, by putting off the body of the flesh in the circumcision of Christ; when you were buried with him in baptism, you were also raised with him through faith in the power of God, who raised him from the dead. And when you were dead in trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you alive together with him, when he forgave us all our trespasses, erasing the record that stood against us with its legal demands. He set this aside, nailing it to the cross. He disarmed the rulers and authorities and made a public example of them, triumphing over them in it.

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### **+The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke (11:1-13)**

**All: GLORY TO YOU, LORD CHRIST**

Jesus was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples." He said to them, "When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. Give us each day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial." And he said to them, "Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set before him.' And he answers from within, 'Do not bother me; the door has already

been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything.' I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, at least because of his persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs. "So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for a fish, will give a snake instead of a fish? Or if the child asks for an egg, will give a scorpion? If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!" The Gospel of the Lord.

## **ALL: PRAISE TO YOU, LORD CHRIST**

**Sermon/Homily: 6:00 pm Saturday, 8:00 am and 10:00 am Sunday:** Fr. Bob Deshaies

**Prayers of the People: 6:00 pm & 10:00 am: Form I; 8:00 am** (BCP 328)

**Blessings for anniversaries and birthdays and the laying on of hands for healing**

**The Great Thanksgiving:** 6:00 pm and 10:00 am (BCP 361); 8:00 am (BCP 333)

*All baptized Christians who affirm the Real Presence of Jesus in the*

*Holy Sacrament are welcome to receive communion in the Episcopal Church.*

**Post Communion Prayer:** BCP, 365 (8:00 am BCP, 339)

### **Sending out the Lay Eucharistic Visitors**

**Celebrant:** N. (and N.) we send you out to share Communion this week with (names).

**People: *May you carry the prayers of all of us as you take this sacrament of Christ's body and blood.***

**Celebrant:** May those who receive it from you be strengthened and encouraged in the community we have together in our Lord Jesus Christ. **People: *Amen.***

## **THIS WEEK AT ST. BENEDICT'S**

**SPREAD THE WORD! Vacation Bible School:** Join us August 8th through 13th for "Deep Sea Discovery" and learn how God is with us wherever we go. Half day from 9 am to 12 pm is only \$30/week and includes a shirt, backpack, music CD and five days of worship, crafts, snacks, and fun. Full day is 8:30 am to 5:00 pm for \$90/week and includes lunch, the morning worship, working on the new community garden, movies, and additional crafts, science, and games. Ask us about sibling discounts. Currently, we are recruiting middle school, high school and adults to help. Contact Marilyn Benting to register or for more information (954) 643-2169.

**\*Adult Ed and Theological Reflection:** Because Deacon Norm will be out of town, Adult Formation will not meet Monday July 25. All of us will return Monday August 1, and you are welcome to join us in the chapel at 7 PM for an amazing discussion: Our Living Liturgy.

**\*Faith in Music Ministry:** Tuesdays 9:30 AM. We will be studying Bach's Cantatas 40, 41 and 42.

**\*Bible Study on Fridays at 9:30 am:** *The kind of Christians who actually live the Beatitudes are salt and light to the world. Genuine Christians will have an influence on people around them. D. L. Moody once said, "A holy life will make the deepest impression. Lighthouses blow no horns, they just shine." Please call 954-530-0901 if interested.*

**The Sacramental Candle** is given to the greater glory of God and in loving memory of Danny Giorello on the anniversary of his 100<sup>th</sup> Birthday on July 16<sup>th</sup>, from John and Nickie Quinn and family.

**The Mission of the Month is Saint Laurence Chapel:** Saint Laurence Chapel is a shelter for the homeless located in Pompano Beach. It is a day shelter, providing breakfast and lunch; showers, computer access, ID cards; nurse on duty; food stamps and movies. They also provide canned goods and clothing to help the homeless. There are positions for volunteers to help in chopping vegetables or other duties around the center. We are collecting **GENTLY USED OR NEW MEN'S T-SHIRTS AND NEW WHITE ATHLETIC SOCKS.** Contact Mary Moran or Anita Pluta for more information 954-748-1683.

**Anyone interested in the ministry of Sunday School for the coming 2016--2017 school year** please contact Sharon Beck at 305-283-0111. We will have a kick-off planning luncheon on Saturday, July 30th. Please consider working with our children just one Sunday a month! Our children need great teachers as they learn the word of God! We look forward to your help.

**In fulfilling our vow of The Rule of Service,** The Daughters of the King are having The Traveling Bassinet at St. Benedict's during the month of July. Each Daughter is being asked to donate new baby items, such as clothing, towels, bibs, diapers, shampoo, blankets, lotions, baby bottles or toys, etc. **Donations from the congregation will be greatly appreciated.** All items donated will benefit the clients of "Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies." Please contact Jennifer Chang or Norma Tate if there are any questions.

**ECW, Church Periodical Club,** would appreciate your donations of pennies, for the Miles of Pennies Fund; the grants serve the needs of children preschool to Grade 12 all over the world, where there is a need to buy books, printed material, videos etc. Donations accepted from May 15<sup>th</sup> 2016 to August 15<sup>th</sup> 2016.

**HELP US FILL THE NAME TAG BOARD:** Our goal is to have every member of St. Benedict's be the owner of a Church name tag. You can see Connie after 6 p.m. service, Muriel after 8 a.m. and Tim after 10 a.m. Envelopes are at the greeters table for you to print your name and phone number and deposit just \$5.00. What a wonderful way to greet each person of our congregation by using their name.

**Pledge Statements** for January - June 2016 are available on the table in the narthex arranged in alphabetical order. If there are any errors, please contact the office and they will be immediately clarified. Thanks to all who have kept up with their pledges. Your love and support of your church is a blessing to all!

**Spiritual Thought for the Week:** *"It is better to light a candle, than to curse the darkness"* –Chinese Proverb

**Our offerings to God for July 8 and 9, 2016**

Operating Fund: \$5,751.27  
Building Fund: \$1,832.00  
Total: \$7,583.27

**Our offerings to God for July 16 and 17, 2016**

Operating Fund: \$6,197.00  
Building Fund: \$2,695.00  
Total: \$8,892.00

**Please remember that the summer is here and we count on your consistent weekly support...  
May God bless you for your generosity!**

**Our website and our presence on the Internet...**

[www.saintbenedicts.org](http://www.saintbenedicts.org) is being UPDATED and RENEWED! Please take a moment to visit our website, "Like" us on FACEBOOK and Send a TWEET or RETWEET about our church... @SBPlantation

***Social media and evangelism***

*Social media evangelism is the new frontline of evangelism, based on Christ's method to mingle with people where they are, sympathize with them, meet their needs, and invite them to follow Jesus. Jesus' method of spreading the gospel was through discipleship. We want to embody this method at all times in our Internet ministry. Digital missionaries should see the contacts they make as potential discipleship opportunities and we must certainly treat every visitor as a disciple in the making.*

***Digital missionaries***

*Who can be a digital missionary (DM)? Anyone. The main requirement for any DM is their excitement about using the Internet as a way to reach out to unchurched people in their language, in local communities, and around the world. DMs are perhaps the most important players in this effort—without them, this project would be unable to move forward. How many Digital Missionaries do we have at our church?*

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