



ST. BENEDICT'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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We welcome you in the name of Jesus!

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

SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Year B – Revised Common Lectionary / Daily Office Year Two
JULY 7 AND 8, 2018

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

Evening Prayer Daily (Monday-Thursday) – 6:30 PM

If you wish to follow along, please use the Book of Common Prayer (Red Book) in your pews...
Order of Service: 6:00 pm and 10:00 am Rite II (BCP 355) – 8:00 am Rite I (BCP 323)

The Collect

O God, you have taught us to keep all your commandments by loving you and our neighbor: Grant us the grace of your Holy Spirit, that we may be devoted to you with our whole heart, and united to one another with pure affection; 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: 2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10

All the tribes of Israel came to David at Hebron, and said, "Look, we are your bone and flesh. For some time, while Saul was king over us, it was you who led out Israel and brought it in. The LORD said to you: It is you who shall be shepherd of my people Israel, you who shall be ruler over Israel." So all the elders of Israel came to the king at Hebron; and King David made a covenant with them at Hebron before the LORD, and they anointed David king over Israel. David was thirty years old when he began to reign, and he reigned forty years. At Hebron he reigned over Judah seven years and six months; and at Jerusalem he reigned over all Israel and Judah thirty-three years. David occupied the stronghold, and named it the city of David. David built the city all around from the Millo inwards. And David became greater and greater, for the LORD, the God of hosts, was with him.

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

Psalm 48 *Magnus Dominus*

- 1 Great is the LORD, and highly to be praised; *in the city of our God is his holy hill.
- 2 Beautiful and lofty, the joy of all the earth, is the hill of Zion, *
the very center of the world and the city of the great King.
- 3 God is in her citadels; *he is known to be her sure refuge.
- 4 Behold, the kings of the earth assembled *and marched forward together.
- 5 They looked and were astounded; *they retreated and fled in terror.
- 6 Trembling seized them there; *
they writhed like a woman in childbirth, like ships of the sea when the east wind shatters them.
- 7 As we have heard, so have we seen, in the city of the LORD of hosts, in the city of our God; *
God has established her for ever.
- 8 We have waited in silence on your loving-kindness, O God, *in the midst of your temple.
- 9 Your praise, like your Name, O God, reaches to the world's end; *
your right hand is full of justice.
- 10 Let Mount Zion be glad and the cities of Judah rejoice, *because of your judgments.
- 11 Make the circuit of Zion; walk round about her; *count the number of her towers.
- 12 Consider well her bulwarks; examine her strongholds; *that you may tell those who come after.
- 13 This God is our God for ever and ever; *he shall be our guide for evermore.

The Epistle: 2 Corinthians 12:2-10

I know a person in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows. And I know that such a person—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows— was caught up into Paradise and heard things that are not to be told, that no mortal is permitted to repeat. On behalf of such a one I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better of me than what is seen in me or heard from me, even considering the exceptional character of the revelations. Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated. Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, but he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness." So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. Therefore I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong. The Word of the Lord. **THANKS BE TO GOD**

+The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark (6:1-13)

All: GLORY TO YOU, LORD CHRIST

Jesus came to his hometown, and his disciples followed him. On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, "Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?" And they took offense at him. Then Jesus said to them, "Prophets are not without honor, except in their hometown, and among their own kin, and in their own house." And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. And he was amazed at their unbelief. Then he went about among the villages teaching. He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. He said to them, "Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off

the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them." So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

The Gospel of the Lord. **ALL: PRAISE TO YOU, LORD CHRIST**

Sermon/Homily: Saturday 6:00 pm, Sunday 8:00 am and 10:00 am:

Father Albert R. Cutié

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

Families Can Hurt!

Do you suffer with strained relationships within your family? Isn't it true: those whom we love are the ones who can really hurt us. Today's gospel presents a fascinating portrait of Jesus, his family, and their difficult relationships. Jesus returns home, but despite his wisdom and good works, his family does not accept him. Hurt deeply, Jesus remarks sadly, "A prophet is not without honor except...among his own kin and in his own house". Tragically, Mark adds, "He could do no mighty work there". Yes, by not accepting their own, his family damages itself. Before departing for home today, determine how you will heal a stressed relationship in your family. Christ will walk in you and speak for you, for he understands deeply your pain. - *Deacon Norm Carroll* spiritualsummit.net

COMING UP @ ST. BENEDICT'S

NextGen Young Adult Ministry presents A Lip Sync Battle Showdown! We will be hosting a Lip Sync Battle on July 29. For more information, please email us at nextgenyoungadults@gmail.com. You could be the champion and go home with the ultimate prize! It's going to be Epic!

Vacation Bible School – Family Version – This year we are preparing a "family version" Vacation Bible School to be held the week of August 6-10. Every evening a different theme and something that both parents and children can attend. Mark your calendars and join us! More details to follow!

The Bread and Wine this morning is given to the Greater Glory of God and in memory of their loving mother, Retinella Ricketts on the 4th anniversary of her passing from Janet Findlay and Satnarine Ricketts-Weller.

SHOP WITH A PURPOSE! Please stop by the Stella and Dot table in the parish hall to see all the beautiful jewelry. Proceeds from the sale will help our Youth attend PYE, the Youth Mission to Atlanta. Thank you for helping our youth!

ROMANS 8: Romans 8 is one of the most important chapters in the Bible. We invite you to join our discussion Monday at 7:00 pm in the chapel.

Sunday Morning Headlines! Don't miss our probing the disturbed relationship between Jesus and his family which today's gospel details. Join us in the chapel at 9:30 am for amazing discussion

Faith in Music Ministry: We will be listening and studying sacred classical music this Tuesday at 9:30 am.

Wednesday Night Study of the Prophet Isaiah: Please join us as we study the Book of Isaiah on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 pm, following the Healing Service.

Is God Really in Control? Many of today's Christians question God's sovereignty, but if God isn't sovereign and He isn't in control of everything, we are in deep trouble. Join us in our profound and sometimes controversial discussions on the love and sovereignty of God every Friday morning at 9:30 in the Conference Room across from the Church Office.

The next Sandwich Sunday is July 29. Meat, cheese, meat & cheese, peanut butter & jelly sandwiches are appreciated. Please place sandwiches in individual sandwich bags. No condiments please. Thanks for caring!

Brotherhood of St. Andrew: The next upcoming meeting will be on Sunday, July 15th in the St. Elizabeth's Room promptly following the 10:00 am Mass. We invite all men of the church to come and join us for fellowship. See Kevin Walford for more details.

CPC facts: In addition to providing printed or taped books and related material, Miles of Pennies gives grants for shipping cost of recycled children's books. Please continue to support our church penny drive thru August 26th, 2018.

Once again, I am requesting donations of gently used old bath and hand towels. These will be for the shelters of Animal Aid Dog Rescue and Everglades Angels Dog Rescue. Please bring them on Sundays and give to me. Thank you. Peter Furzer

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.

10 Day Cruise on Holland America to Southern Caribbean including ABC Islands and Panama Canal – November 25 – December 5, 2018. Call Fr. Bob at 954-591-6800.

The shelves at the Jubilee Center of South Broward are bare Please bring your donations to church on Saturday evening or Sunday mornings or you can take them to the Jubilee Center, which is located at 2020 Scott Street, Hollywood, FL 33020 Monday through Friday from 7:30 am to 2:00 pm. Telephone 954-920-0106.

St. Laurence Chapel needs your help! St Laurence Chapel is a homeless shelter located in Pompano Beach, Florida. Every Tuesday they need someone to pick up the cook from St. Laurence Chapel (his name is Hectar) and take him to Catered Fit (a catering business) and pick up approximately 30 trays of food and then return to St Laurence Chapel. If you are unable to lift or do any physical work Hectar will do it all. The whole operation takes about 2-2 ½ hours. Please call me at 954-530-0901 or call Lori Herdeen at 954-684-4832 (St Laurence Chapel). Please help. You will be blessed. We surely have been. It's a beautiful ministry -Jerry Mawhinney.

Mission of the Month -Friends of the Good Shepherd International Mission (FOGS International) is a group of volunteers who reside in Florida and commit their time and resources to serve the poor and needy in the United States and internationally. Their mission is to provide financial, physical and moral support, educational and healthcare needs to the disadvantaged. They host fundraisers and solicit corporate and individuals to donate money, time and in-kind donations. It's CHRISTMAS IN JULY as they try to gather small toys, puzzles, books, games, dolls and stuffed animals to help this Mission provide Christmas for their kids. These gifts must be shipped via Food for the Poor in September or early October to ensure Christmas delivery.

IF YOU ARE NOT RECEIVING OUR E-MAIL BLASTS please send us your email address so that we can add you to our email list. Also, if your address or phone number has changed, please let us know. We want to be able to keep in touch, so that everyone knows what is happening at St. Benedict's.

Holy Land Pilgrimage – Last call! If you have never made your pilgrimage to the "Land of Jesus" this is the opportunity to do it. Father Albert is taking a group to see the most impressive places of the Old and New Testament. **Pilgrimage to Canterbury and England** The town of Canterbury is quaint and beautiful. It is also the seat of a grand, historic cathedral, the Mother church of the Anglican Communion. In addition to all the major holy sites, we will visit Leeds Castle and Gardens, Great Dixter House and Gardens, Wilton House, Windsor Castle, Hampton Court Palace and enjoy a Thames Cruise... Call and reserve your spot today: **954-848-4998. www.magnotoursinc.com**

Thought for the Week: *"If it's not about love, it's not about God"* –Bishop Michael Curry (Presiding Bishop and Primate of the Episcopal Church)

Our offerings to God for June 30 and July 1, 2018 – May God bless you for your generosity!

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| Operating: | 11,147.00 |
| Building Fund: | 5,333.00 |
| Total: | 16,480.00 |
| Operational Costs: | 9,900.00 |
| <i>Over Budget for the week:</i> | <i>6,580.00</i> |

Your committed tithing and consistency in giving is a blessing to your church. Thank you!
Give ONLINE by setting it up on our website: www.saintbenedicts.org