

ST. JOHN THE DIVINE ANGLICAN CHURCH

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Holy Eucharist
Sunday June 7th, 2026

Pentecost 2



*We are a church in the Anglican Diocese of Islands and Inlets,
following Christ with renewed hearts, renewed spirits,
and as a renewed people.*

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The Lord has anointed me to preach good news to the poor and release to the captives. Luke 4.18

Processional Hymn:

Welcome & Acknowledgment of Land

Call to Worship:

God is everywhere present and that every living thing is sacred.

Creation itself witnesses to a God who refuses abandonment and continues to call people into healing and wholeness.

We are here to recover the sacredness of life. **Amen**

-(Alice Walker, "Anything We Love Can Be Saved")

(We prepare our hearts for worship in silence)

The Gathering of the Community (Service begins on p. 185)

Gloria p.186

Kyrie Eleison p. 186

Collect: O God, you have assured the human family of eternal life through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Deliver us from the death of sin and raise us to new life in him, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen

The Proclamation of the Word (Led by Marj Aitken)

First Reading: GENESIS 12:1-9

PSALM 33:1-12 **R: By the word of the Lord were the heavens made**

Second Reading: ROMANS 4:13-25

Gradual Hymn:

The Gospel: MATTHEW 9:9-13, 18-2

Gradual Hymn:

Homily: "The Church as Field Hospital: A Gospel Reflection"

The Apostles' Creed (*please stand as able*) p.189

Prayers of the People (Led by Patrick Warden)

The Peace p. 192

Offertory Hymn:

Prayer over the Gifts: God of reconciliation and forgiveness, the saving work of Christ has made our peace with you. May that work grow toward its perfection in all we offer you this day. We ask this in his name. **Amen**

The Celebration of the Eucharist

The Great Thanksgiving Eucharist prayer #1 p.193

The Lord's Prayer p. 211 (sung)

The Breaking of the Bread (prayer # 2) p. 212

The Communion (*all welcome to receive communion, or a blessing at the altar*)

Communion Hymn: (*parish remains seated*)

Prayer after Communion: O God, we have shared in the mysteries of the body and blood of Christ. Nourish us by this feast, that we may live the risen life and serve you faithfully in the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen**

Doxology (*please stand as able*): **Glory to God whose power working in us can do infinitely more than we could ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church, and in Christ Jesus. Amen**

The Blessing

Closing Hymn: #

The Dismissal p. 215

*All are welcome to join us in the hall after the service
for a fellowship & refreshments*

Announcements:

- June Outreach Focus: Sonshine Soup Kitchen
- New Exploring Celtic Christianity, 3rd Sunday/month, 4pm, church – starts June 21
- Sounds Good...Acapella Harmonies, Sat. June 13, 3-4:30pm, Church, \$15 at door, Benefit Concert for Kitchen Reno
- Special Vestry Meeting, Sunday June 14, 11:30, hall, elect 2nd Synod rep
- June Lunny's 95th Birthday, Sat. June 20, 3pm, hall, signup sheet Nathex
- Chair Yoga, Tues & Wed, 11:30am – 12:15pm, hall, \$5
- Blessing Boutique: Mondays, 9am-1pm, hall, need men's/women's clothing
- DONATIONS NEEDED Blessing Box, non-perishable food items

SJD Sunday Quote:

“The Church is not a museum for saints, but a hospital for sinners.”

-Attributed to St. Augustine of Hippo

Notes about the Service:

- Offering plate at the greeters table in the Narthex. (Red Hat offerings for monthly outreach focus)
- Hymns are found in the Common Praise (blue hymn book in the pews); if the lyrics not printed in bulletin.
- Our liturgy (prayers) are mostly taken from the Book of Alternative Service (BAS- green book in pews) To follow along with the service, refer to page numbers OR for simplified version see small blue booklet (The Holy Eucharist) beginning on page 3.
- All are welcome to take communion (we practice an open table)
- Children's area is at the back of the church. We welcome the sound of children in this space. If you have any questions about the service, the greeters would be happy to help.