

Our October **Wednesday night dinner** will be held this Wednesday, October 5, at 6:00pm in the Parish Hall. The menu for the dinner includes spaghetti with meat sauce, rum glazed fruit, tossed salad and French bread. The vegetarian entrée is spaghetti with tomatoes, mushrooms and garlic. As always Peter Fenn will present us with a celebratory birthday cake. We'll provide iced tea and water, please feel free to bring your own wine, if you desire. To cover the cost of the food, we ask a donation of \$5 per adult and \$3 per child under 12. To help us plan, please sign up to attend—the sign-up sheet is posted on the bulletin board outside the Common Room.

Following dinner, Katy Wall will present a program about her mission trip to Haiti, Katy grew up at Holy Cross and is special to all who know her. She now lives, works and attends church in Greenville at Christ Church .

Hospice of the Carolina Foothills is in serious need of volunteers, especially patient care volunteers. There are presently 10 patients without volunteer coverage. Please look into your hearts and consider this form of spreading Christ's love. Contact Cam Lawrence for information. camlawrence@windstream.net

Please sign up to host a coffee after the service. The sign-up sheets are on the bulletin board outside the Common Room. This is a very important welcoming ministry. Tap a friend and co-host if you like! If you have questions about hosting, call Penn Dean, the coffee coordinator, at 864-895-1388.

Please DO NOT send checks to the church street address. Instead, send to PO Box 279, Tryon NC 28782. Thanks!

Holy Cross has helped many, many local residents with financial support for rent, water and utilities this summer. The Outreach Fund is severely depleted. With fall and winter coming we expect the need to increase. If you would like, you may use the Outreach envelope in the pews to make a contribution.

PRACTICE OUTRAGEOUS HOSPITALITY!
Bring a friend to our services and events.

The Episcopal Church of the Holy Cross



Tryon, North Carolina

The Diocese of Western North Carolina

The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost, October 2, 2011

Rector, the Rev. Dr. Michael Doty

150 Melrose Avenue, Tryon, NC 28782 ~ 828-859-9741

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8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Holy Eucharist

Rite Two

The Liturgy of the Word

Organ Voluntary

Suite Liturgique pour orgue – I. Maestoso

Denis Bédard
(b. 1950)

Processional Hymn: #525

The Church's one foundation

Aurelia

The Collect for Purity

BCP 355

The Summary of the Law

BCP 324

A Song of Praise: Gloria (Hymnal S-278)

BCP 356

The Collect of the Day

BCP 234

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray, and to give more than we either desire or deserve: Pour upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid, and giving us those good things for which we are not worthy to ask, except through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ our Savior; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

The First Lesson: Isaiah 5:1-7

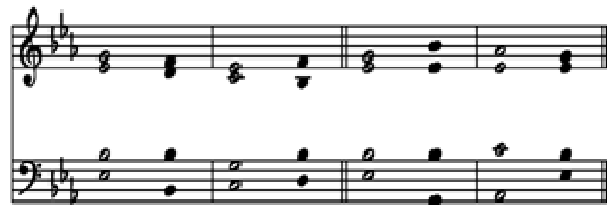
Let me sing for my beloved my love-song concerning his vineyard: My beloved had a vineyard on a very fertile hill. He dug it and cleared it of stones, and planted it with choice vines; he built a watchtower in the midst of it, and hewed out a wine vat in it;

he expected it to yield grapes, but it yielded wild grapes. And now, inhabitants of Jerusalem and people of Judah, judge between me and my vineyard. What more was there to do for my vineyard that I have not done in it? When I expected it to yield grapes, why did it yield wild grapes? And now I will tell you what I will do to my vineyard. I will remove its hedge, and it shall be devoured; I will break down its wall, and it shall be trampled down. I will make it a waste; it shall not be pruned or hoed, and it shall be overgrown with briars and thorns; I will also command the clouds that they rain no rain upon it. For the vineyard of the LORD of hosts is the house of Israel, and the people of Judah are his pleasant planting; he expected justice, but saw bloodshed; righteousness, but heard a cry!

Psalm 80:7-14 Page 703, BCP

Robert Knox Kennedy
(b. 1945)

Qui regis Israel



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7. *Restore us, O God of hosts; *
show the light of your countenance, and we shall be saved.*
8. *You have brought a vine out of Egypt; *
you cast out the nations and planted it.*
9. *You prepared the ground for it; *
it took root and filled the land.*
10. *The mountains were covered by its shadow *
and the towering cedar trees by its boughs.*
11. *You stretched out its tendrils to the Sea *
and its branches to the River.*
12. *Why have you broken down its wall, *
so that all who pass by pluck off its grapes?*

| Serving Sunday, October 2, 2011 | | |
|---------------------------------|--|-------------------|
| | 8:30 | 10:30 |
| Greeter | Claire Carey | Mary Hales |
| Greeter | Karen Johnston | Frances McCain |
| Usher | Caroline Chapman | Harry Sams |
| Usher | Austin Chapman | Ken Rossen |
| Crucifer | Elizabeth Walter | Annie Doar |
| Acolyte | Elizabeth Walter | Joaquin Rossen |
| Acolyte | *** | Alita Rossen |
| Lector | Jean Pettigrew | Geoff Carey |
| Prayers | Jean Pettigrew | Cindy Barnett |
| Chalice | Renee Duvall | Sam Doar |
| Chalice | Ken Johnston | Pam Doty |
| LEV | Ken Johnston | Pam Doty |
| LEV | *** | Ruth Goodson |
| Coffee | The Chapmans | Stone & Zimmerman |
| Sexton | Peter Fenn | |
| Altar Guild | Carmen Preston, Katherine Wall, Jo Key, Lynn Page | |
| Flower Guild | Patsy Hanskat, Gillian Butts | |
| Vestry in Charge | Pat Komorous | |

| Serving Sunday, October 9, 2011 | | |
|---------------------------------|--|-----------------------|
| | 8:30 | 10:30 |
| Greeter | Doris Saunders | Sam Doar |
| Greeter | Gordon Downe | Doug Price |
| Usher | Mike Jordan | Nancy Myrick |
| Usher | Paula Jordan | Madison Alexander |
| Crucifer | Annie Doar | Sara Seagle |
| Acolyte | Annie Doar | *** |
| Acolyte | David Doar | Jean Boggs |
| Lector | Jack Saunders | George May |
| Prayers | Jack Saunders | Wanda May |
| Chalice | Sam Doar | Craig Williams |
| Chalice | Hoppy Long | Craig Williams |
| LEV | Hoppy Long | J. Boggs & H. Sorolla |
| LEV | Doris & Jack Saunders | |
| Coffee | Baker & Hanskat | |
| Sexton | Peter Fenn | |
| Altar Guild | Faith Weathington, Allison, Price, Gay Patton, Lynn Page, | |
| Flower Guild | Patsy Hanskat, Gillian | |
| Vestry in Charge | Ben Davis | |

Announcements for the Week of October 2, 2011

*The Church of the Holy Cross seeks to welcome, love, and
serve all people as we come to know God through Jesus Christ*

Welcome, Visitors! We extend a warm welcome to you. In your pew you will find a visitor's card with a gold cross inside. Please fill out the card and put it in the collection plate. Also, please wear the gold cross on your lapel so that we may greet you. **There is a Nursery available each Sunday.** Just ask the ushers to direct you.

We offer our deepest sympathy to Wanda and George May, at the death of Wanda's father, Richard Keyser. Memorials made be made to Holy Cross Episcopal Church. Thank you.

Adult Sunday Class The group is studying the book "Your Faith." Discussion is led by Todd Walter. Pick up lessons from the table in the hallway and join us in the McGavern Room at 9:40 am on Sunday mornings.

PRAYER LIST October 2, 2011

George Baker
 Marianne Brown
Jack Carey
Gen Choate
Ann Curtis
 Don
Dan Donovan
 Terrance Doyle
 Jenny Drummond
 Dorothy Dunn
 Scott Duvall
 Harry Finch
 Jane Foster
 Matthew & Eleanor
 Greene
Lillie Hilton
 Sean Holston
 Chris Killough
 Anita Knopp
 Janice Leopard-Peace

Robert Linder
Wanda & George May
Jean Marshall
Bill McCown
 Mary Meyers
Ann Miller
Dee Miner
Polly Murray
Lynn Page
 Judy Randall
John Salmon
Harriett Sams
 Tom Schwab
Bernice Shields
 Sandra Springs
Jack Stephenson
 Jim & Sue Trollinger
 Mike & Judy Turner
 Dave Warden
 Caroline Wells

Sue Womack
 Holly Zeese
 Our Friends at
 White Oak
 Laurel Woods
 Autumn Care
 Tryon Estates
 and those who
 minister to them

Deceased:
Ann McAndrews

*Holy Cross Members
 shown in **BOLD***

To place someone on the prayer list, please take a form from the office door, fill it out and put it in Wanda's mailbox. Please use the prayer list for acute or crisis situation. We will leave the name on for a month or so before we remove it. We attempt to review the prayer list periodically in order to stay current.

Birthdays this week

10/02 Jo Key
 10/02 Renee Duvall
 10/03 Gladys Hartranft
 10/03 Doris Saunders
 10/03 Ann Richardson
 10/03 Barbraann Barraud
 10/05 Bertie Phayer
 10/06 Paul Pullen
 10/06 Cogill Burgess
 10/08 Sidney Barnsley

| This Week at Holy Cross | | | |
|-------------------------|-------|----------|--------------------------|
| Sun | 10/02 | 9:40 am | Sunday School |
| Wed | 10/05 | 8:30 am | Morning Prayer in Chapel |
| Wed | 10/05 | 10:00 am | Eucharist and Healing |
| Wed | 10/05 | 5:30 pm | Evening Prayer in Chapel |
| Wed | 10/05 | 5:45 pm | Handbell Rehearsal |
| Wed | 10/05 | 6:00 pm | Wednesday night dinner |
| Wed | 10/05 | 7:00 pm | Choir Rehearsal |
| Thu | 10/06 | 10:00 am | "Crossings" group |
| Thu | 10/06 | 8:00 pm | AA Parish Hall |

Anniversaries this Week

09/29 Jack & Doris Saunders

13. *The wild boar of the forest has ravaged it, *
 and the beasts of the field have grazed up-on it.*

14. *Turn now, O God of hosts, look down from heaven;
 behold and tend this vine; *
 preserve what your right hand has planted.*

The Second Lesson: Philippians 3:4b-14

If anyone else has reason to be confident in the flesh, I have more: circumcised on the eighth day, a member of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew born of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless.

Yet whatever gains I had these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ. More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith. I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead.

Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

The Sequence Hymn: #546 Awake, my soul, stretch every nerve *Siroë*

The Holy Gospel: Matthew 21:33-46

Deacon: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.
Congregation: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said, "Listen to another parable. There was a landowner who planted a vineyard, put a fence around it, dug a wine press in it, and built a watchtower. Then he leased it to tenants and went to another country. When the harvest time had come, he sent his slaves

to the tenants to collect his produce. But the tenants seized his slaves and beat one, killed another, and stoned another. Again he sent other slaves, more than the first; and they treated them in the same way. Finally he sent his son to them, saying, 'They will respect my son.' But when the tenants saw the son, they said to themselves, 'This is the heir; come, let us kill him and get his inheritance.' So they seized him, threw him out of the vineyard, and killed him. Now when the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those tenants?" They said to him, "He will put those wretches to a miserable death, and lease the vineyard to other tenants who will give him the produce at the harvest time."

Jesus said to them, "Have you never read in the scriptures:

'The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; this was the Lord's doing, and it is amazing in our eyes'? Therefore I tell you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people that produces the fruits of the kingdom. The one who falls on this stone will be broken to pieces; and it will crush anyone on whom it falls."

When the chief priests and the Pharisees heard his parables, they realized that he was speaking about them. They wanted to arrest him, but they feared the crowds, because they regarded him as a prophet.

Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord.

Congregation: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Sermon The Reverend Dr. Michael Doty

The Nicene Creed BCP 358

The Prayers of the People, Form II BCP 385

The Confession and Absolution BCP 360

The Peace BCP 360

Announcements and Blessings

The Offertory Anthem Jesus, the very thought of thee Peter Mathews (b. 1944)

The Holy Communion

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A BCP 361

Sanctus (Hymnal #S-130) BCP 362

The Lord's Prayer BCP 364

Fraction Anthem: Christ our Passover (Hymnal S-154) BCP 364

The Holy Communion

Communion Hymn: #170 To mock your reign, O dearest Lord *The Third Tune*

Deacon: In the name of God and of this Congregation I send you forth bearing these holy gifts to _____, that they might share with us in the Body and Blood of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

People: We who are many are one body because we all share in one bread and one cup.

Deacon: May the Lord guard, guide, and bless you in this ministry.

The Post-Communion Prayer BCP 365

The Blessing

Recessional Hymn: #377 All people that on earth do dwell *Old 100th*

The Dismissal BCP 366

Voluntary Prelude on *Old 100th* Johann Christoph Bach (1642-1703)

*The Altar Flowers today are given
To the Glory of God and
In thanksgiving for their anniversary
by
Barbara & John Salmon*