

Proper 7

Sunday, June 22, 2025 ❖ 8:00 am

Celebrant: The Rev. Jason Shelby

Deacon: The Rev. Celeste Stump



We warmly welcome you if you are here with us for the first time today. We joyfully welcome all people into our community without exception. Whoever you are, and whatever the status of your relationship with God, you will find fellow travelers here. Please join us for coffee and fellowship after the service.

St. Francis Episcopal Church welcomes all people to receive Holy Communion. If you have not been baptized but would like to be, please talk to Father Jason after the service.

Consider making a donation of altar flowers in honor of a special occasion or in memory of someone you love. (The suggested donation is \$50.) Contact Gina in the church office at 310-375-4617 or Gina.McQueen@stfrancispalosverdes.org.

Please take a moment to silence your cellphone. Thank you.

Coming Events

Sunday, June 22

- 8:00 am Holy Eucharist (Rite I, Chapel)
- 10:00 am Holy Eucharist (Rite II)

Monday, June 23

- 6:00 pm St. Anne's Meeting
- 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Tuesday, June 24

- 7:00 pm Taizé (Chapel)

Wednesday, June 25

- 11:00 am Good Grief Meeting

Thursday, June 26

- 1:00 pm Quilting and Knitting Group

Sunday, June 29

- 8:00 am Morning Prayer (Rite I, Chapel)
 - 10:00 am Morning Prayer (Rite II)
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Note: Fr. Jason will be on vacation this week.

The Processional Hymn: All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

Hymnal #450



All hail the pow'r of Je - sus' name, let an - gels pros - trate fall; bring
Crown him ye mar - tyrs of our God, who from his al - tar call: praise
Hail him, the Heir of Dav - id's line, whom Da - vid Lord did call, the
Let ev - 'ry kin - dred, ev - 'ry tribe on this cel - es - tial ball to



forth the roy - al di - a - dem, and crown him Lord of ___ all! Bring
him whose way of pain ye ___ trod, and crown him Lord of ___ all! Praise
God in - car - nate, Man di - vine, and crown him Lord of ___ all! The
him all maj - es - ty ___ as - crite, and crown him Lord of ___ all! To



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him whose way of pain ye ___ trod, and crown him Lord ___ of all!
God in - car - nate, Man di - vine, and crown him Lord ___ of all.
him all maj - es - ty ___ as - crite, and crown him Lord ___ of all.

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The Opening AcclamationBook of Common Prayer p. 323
 The Collect for PurityBook of Common Prayer p. 323
 The Summary of the Law.....Book of Common Prayer p. 324
 The Kyrie.....Book of Common Prayer p. 324
 The Collect of the DayBook of Common Prayer p. 325
 The First Lesson.....Isaiah 65:1-9

¶ I was ready to be sought out by those who did not ask,
to be found by those who did not seek me.

I said, "Here I am, here I am,"
to a nation that did not call on my name.

¶ I held out my hands all day long
to a rebellious people,
who walk in a way that is not good,
following their own devices;

¶ a people who provoke me
to my face continually,
sacrificing in gardens
and offering incense on bricks;

¶ who sit inside tombs,
and spend the night in secret places;
who eat swine's flesh,
with broth of abominable things in their vessels;

⁵who say, "Keep to yourself,
do not come near me, for I am too holy for you."

These are a smoke in my nostrils,
a fire that burns all day long.

⁶See, it is written before me:

I will not keep silent, but I will repay;
I will indeed repay into their laps
⁷their iniquities and their ancestors' iniquities together,
says the LORD;
because they offered incense on the mountains
and reviled me on the hills,
I will measure into their laps
full payment for their actions.

⁸Thus says the LORD:

As the wine is found in the cluster,
and they say, "Do not destroy it,
for there is a blessing in it,"
so I will do for my servants' sake,
and not destroy them all.

⁹I will bring forth descendants from Jacob,
and from Judah inheritors of my mountains;
my chosen shall inherit it,
and my servants shall settle there.

The Response..... Psalm 22:18-27 (Book of Common Prayer p. 611)

The Epistle Galatians 3:23-29

²³Now before faith came, we were imprisoned and guarded under the law until faith would be revealed. ²⁴Therefore the law was our disciplinarian until Christ came, so that we might be justified by faith. ²⁵But now that faith has come, we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian, ²⁶for in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith. ²⁷As many of you as were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. ²⁸There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. ²⁹And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise.

The Holy Gospel..... Luke 8:26-39

²⁶Jesus and his disciples arrived at the country of the Gerasenes, which is opposite Galilee. ²⁷As he stepped out on land, a man of the city who had demons met him. For a long time he had worn no clothes, and he did not live in a house but in the tombs. ²⁸When he saw Jesus, he fell down before him and shouted at the top of his voice, "What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, do not torment me" — ²⁹for Jesus had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many times it had seized him; he was kept under guard and bound with chains and shackles, but he would break the bonds and be driven by the demon into the wilds.) ³⁰Jesus then asked him, "What is your name?" He said, "Legion"; for many demons had entered him. ³¹They begged him not to order them to go back into the abyss.

³²Now there on the hillside a large herd of swine was feeding; and the demons begged Jesus to let them enter these. So he gave them permission. ³³Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned.

³⁴When the swineherds saw what had happened, they ran off and told it in the city and in the country. ³⁵Then people came out to see what had happened, and when they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind. And they were afraid. ³⁶Those who had seen it told them how the one who had been possessed by demons had been healed. ³⁷Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them; for they were seized with great fear. So he got into the boat and returned. ³⁸The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with him; but Jesus sent him away, saying, ³⁹“Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you.” So he went away, proclaiming throughout the city how much Jesus had done for him.

The Sermon.....	The Rev. Jason Shelby
The Nicene Creed	Book of Common Prayer p. 327
The Prayers of the People.....	Book of Common Prayer p. 328
The Confession	Book of Common Prayer p. 331
The Peace	Book of Common Prayer p. 332
The Welcome and Announcements	

Anyone who has a birthday or anniversary in the next week is invited to come forward for a blessing:

Watch over your child(ren), O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may the peace which passes all understanding abide all the days of their life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving	Book of Common Prayer p. 333
The Post-Communion Prayer.....	Book of Common Prayer p. 339
The Blessing and Sending Forth.....	Book of Common Prayer p. 339

The Recessional Hymn: Praise the Spirit in Creation

Hymnal #506

Praise the Spi - rit in cre - a - tion,
 Praise the Spi - rit, close com - pan - ion
 Praise the Spi - rit, who en - light - ened
 Praise, O praise the Ho - ly Spi - rit,
 breath of God, life's or - i - gin:
 of our in - most thoughts and ways;
 priests and pro - phets with the word;
 praise the Fa - ther, praise the Word,
 Spi - rit, mov - ing on the wa - ters,
 who, in show - ing us God's won - ders,
 his the truth be - hind the wis - doms
 Source, and Truth, and In - spi - ra - tion,
 quick - ening worlds to life with - in,
 is him - self the power to gaze;
 which as yet know not our Lord;
 Trin - i - ty in deep ac - cord:
 source of breath to all things breath - ing,
 and God's will, to those who lis - ten,
 by whose love and power, in Je - sus
 through your voice which speaks with - in us
 life in whom all lives be - gin.
 by a still small voice con - veys.
 God him - self was seen and heard.
 we, your crea - tures, call you Lord.

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Prayers this Week

We pray for all those who serve in the armed and foreign services, and for their families, especially Alyssa Capellino Baxter, Barry Witt, Drew Deley, Jonathan Zimmerman, Joseph Leahy, Mark Kappelmann, Michael Heredia, Michael Strong, Scott Ruston, Steve, Thomas Dawson, TJ Malzahn, and Will Piepenbring.

Those who are ill, recovering from surgery, or in any other kind of need or trouble: Andrea, Barbara Shelby, Billy Whelan, Brad, Bruce Schaefer, Carlos, Celeste Stump, Ceri Falk, Charlotte Baker, Chris, Colette Furbush, Daniel Drayling, Elizabeth Beadle, Erica, Gail Winters, George Ginis, Hector Gutierrez, Jane Sharp, The Johnson Family, Judy Morgan, Kathy Falk, Kristen, Krystal, Loren, Miguel Diaz, Patt Parker, Richard Cantine, Roxanne Wall, Roz Hadley, Sally Hill, Tommy, Tony Deley, the people of the Middle East, victims of violence everywhere, and for all those who have been impacted by the wildfires, especially the people of St. Matthew's and St. Mark's.

We pray for all who have died that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

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