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***TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST***

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## THE WORD OF GOD

**THE PRELUDE:** *Fugue in G Major - Johann L. Krebs (1713-1780)*

### THE OPENING HYMN

**HYMNAL 370**

*"I bind unto myself this day"*

*This great hymn was written by St. Patrick (372-466). Notice that the tune changes with stanza 6. Then it returns to the previous tune for the final stanza on the next page.*

### THE GREETING

**BCP 299**

### THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

### THE LESSON: Job 42:1-6

Job answered the LORD:

"I know that you can do all things,  
and that no purpose of yours can be thwarted.

'Who is this that hides counsel without  
knowledge?'

Therefore I have uttered what I did not  
understand,

things too wonderful for me, which I did not know.

'Hear, and I will speak;

I will question you, and you declare to me.'

I had heard of you by the hearing of the ear,

but now my eye sees you;

therefore I despise myself,

and repent in dust and ashes."

### THE RESPONSE: PSALM 34:1-8

*The Lector reads the first half of the verse and  
the congregation responds with the second half.*

1 I will bless the Lord at all times; \*

***his praise shall ever be in my mouth.***

2 I will glory in the Lord; \*

***let the humble hear and rejoice.***

3 Proclaim with me the greatness of the Lord; \*

***let us exalt his Name together.***

4 I sought the Lord, and he answered me \*

***and delivered me out of all my terror.***

5 Look upon him and be radiant, \*

***and let not your faces be ashamed.***

6 I called in my affliction and the Lord heard me \*

***and saved me from all my troubles.***

7 The angel of the Lord encompasses those who  
fear him, \*

***and he will deliver them.***

8 Taste and see that the Lord is good; \*

***happy are they who trust in him!***

### THE EPISTLE: Hebrews 7:23-28

The former priests were many in number, because they were prevented by death from continuing in office; but Jesus holds his priesthood permanently, because he continues forever. Consequently, he is able for all time to save those who approach God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them. For it was fitting that we should have such a high priest, holy, blameless, undefiled, separated from sinners, and exalted above the heavens. Unlike the other high priests, he has no need to offer sacrifices day after day, first for his own sins, and then for those of the people; this he did once for all when he offered himself. For the law appoints as high priests those who are subject to weakness, but the word of the oath, which came later than the law, appoints a Son who has been made perfect forever.

### The SEQUENCE

**HYMNAL488**

"Be thou my vision"

*Stanzas 1,2 before the reading; stanza 3  
afterward*

### THE GOSPEL: Mark 10:46-52

Jesus and his disciples came to Jericho. As he and his disciples and a large crowd were leaving Jericho, Bartimaeus son of Timaeus, a blind beggar, was sitting by the roadside. When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" Many sternly ordered him to be quiet, but he cried out even more loudly, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" Jesus stood still and said, "Call him here." And they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take heart; get up, he is calling you." So throwing off his cloak, he sprang

up and came to Jesus. Then Jesus said to him, "What do you want me to do for you?" The blind man said to him, "My teacher, let me see again." Jesus said to him, "Go; your faith has made you well." Immediately he regained his sight and followed him on the way.

## THE INTERGENERATIONAL MESSAGE

**The Very Rev. Stephen Brehe**

*The children come to the chancel steps for a special message. They will assist the preacher in teaching the congregation about baptism.*

## HOLY BAPTISM

### THE PRESENTATION AND EXAMINATION

**BCP 301**

### THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT

**BCP 304**

### THE PRAYERS FOR THE CANDIDATE

**BCP 305**

*Young children gather at the Font with the priest and baptismal family.*

### THE THANKSGIVING OVER THE WATER

**BCP 306**

### THE BAPTISM

**BCP 307**

### THE WELCOMING OF THE NEWLY BAPTIZED

**BCP 308**

*The Officiant sprinkles the congregation to remind them of their baptism. The children return to their families in the pew.*

## THE PEACE

### The SEQUENCE

**HYMNAL 488**

"Be thou my vision"

*Stanzas 1,2 before the reading; stanza 3 afterward*

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

### THE OFFERTORY

**HYMNAL 518**

"Christ is made the sure foundation"

*The congregation's gifts are brought to the altar.*

### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (A)

**BCP 361**

## THE SANCTUS AND BENEDICTUS

**HYMNAL S-128**

## THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

**BCP 364**

## THE PRAYER OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

*For those live streaming the liturgy, the priest offers a prayer of spiritual communion.*

## THE COMMUNION

*All members of God's family may receive Holy Communion. Those who prefer a blessing may come forward and cross their arms on their chest to receive a Blessing.*

*Gluten-free Communion is available upon asking.*

## THE MUSIC AT COMMUNION

Ann Swisher, organ meditations

## THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING FOR HOLY COMMUNION

**BCP 365**

## THE BLESSING

## THE CLOSING HYMN

**HYMNAL 398**

*"I sing the almighty power of God"*

## THE DISMISSAL

**BCP 366**

## THE POSTLUDE: *Festival Postlude - Domenico*

*Zipoli (1688-1726)*

*We welcome into the Household of God, Oliver James Dellwo, the infant son of Derek Dellwo and Hannah (Hunt) Dellwo. Please join us downstairs after church for a celebration.*

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as Presiding Bishop and Primate  
of The Episcopal Church

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