

Psalm 46

Deus noster refugium



- 1 God is our/refuge and/strength, *
a very/present/help in/trouble.
- 2 Therefore we will not fear, though the/earth be/moved, *
and though the mountains be toppled/into the/
depths of the/sea;
- 3 Though its waters/rage and/foam, *
and though the mountains/tremble/at its/tumult.
- 4 The LORD of/hosts is/with us; *
the God of/Jacob/is our/stronghold.
- 5 There is a river whose streams make glad the/city of/God, *
the holy habi/tation of the/Most/High.
- 6 God is in the midst of her;
she shall not be/over/thrown; *
God shall/help her at the/break of/day.
- 7 The nations make much ado, and the/kingdoms
are/shaken; *
God has spoken, and the/earth shall/melt a way.
- 8 The LORD of/hosts is/with us; *
the God of/Jacob/is our/stronghold.
- 9 Come now and look upon the/works of the/LORD, *
what awesome/things he has/done on/earth.
- 10 It is he who makes war to cease in/all the/world; *
he breaks the bow, and shatters the spear,
and/burns the/shields with/fire.
- 11 "Be still, then, and know that/I am/God; *
I will be exalted among the nations;
I will be ex/alted/in the/earth."
- 12 The LORD of/hosts is/with us; *
the God of/Jacob/is our/stronghold.

Glory to the Father, and/to the/Son,*
And/to the/Holy/Spirit:
As it was in the be/ginning, is/now,*
And/will be for/ever. A/men.

The First Lesson

Isaiah 2:1-4

The Song of Mary *Magnificat*

William Byrd

The Second Lesson

Luke 24:13-31

The Song of Simeon *Nunc dimittis*

William Byrd

Officiant and People together, all standing

The Apostles' Creed

BCP, P. 66

The Prayers

BCP, P. 67

The Salutation and the Lord's Prayer S-28

Suffrages A S-22

The Collects

For the Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

BCP, P. 182

For Those We Love

BCP, P. 831

For Quiet Confidence

BCP, P. 832

For the Mission of the Church

BCP, P. 71

The Anthem	“I was glad when they said to me”	C. Hubert H. Parry
The General Thanksgiving		BCP, P. 71
A Prayer of St. Chrysostom		BCP, P. 72
Hymn #367	“Round the Lord in glory”	Rustingham
The Dismissal	S-31	
The Concluding Sentences		BCP, P. 72
Postlude	“No. 8 Little Harmonic Labyrinth”	J. S. Bach
	<i>Introitus, Centrum, Exitus</i>	

A special thank you to David Jones, Debby Hix, and members of the choirs for their musical offerings this evening.

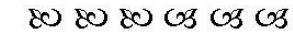
The congregation is invited to a reception in the parish library following Evensong.

Choral Evensong

Evensong, sung Evening Prayer, has its roots in the pre-Reformation monastic and cathedral choir prayer services, sometimes called the daily offices, in the Church in England. The service includes hymns, prayers, Scripture readings, and choral and organ music.

This evening's offering is designated for the music ministry of Christ Episcopal Church, Blacksburg. The offering will be used to support special musical events, guest musicians, larger musical scores, etc., and to enhance the musical offerings of Christ Church; your generosity is greatly appreciated.

FUTURE MUSICAL OFFERINGS AT CHRIST CHURCH



Sunday, November 1, 7:00 p.m.,
Hymn Circle: Singing with the Saints
Sunday, December 13, 5:30 p.m., Advent Evensong
Friday, February 12, 8:00 p.m., Concert: *Duo Firenze*
Sunday, March 14, 5:30 p.m., Lenten Evensong
Monday, March 29, 7:00 p.m., Hymn Circle: Holy Week
Sunday, May 2, 5:30 p.m., Easter Evensong



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