

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

WELCOME

*We are so glad you
have chosen to
worship with us
today!*

June 7, 2026

OPENING WELCOME

Pastor Gerry Gardner

ACCLAMATION

WORSHIP SONGS

COLLECT PRAYER

FIRST READING

GENESIS 12:1-9

Pew Bible p. 17

The Lord had said to Abram, "Go from your country, your people and your father's household to the land I will show you.

"I will make you into a great nation,
and I will bless you;

I will make your name great,
and you will be a blessing.

I will bless those who bless you,
and whoever curses you I will curse;
and all peoples on earth
will be blessed through you."

So Abram went, as the Lord had told him; and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he set out from Harran. He took his wife Sarai, his nephew Lot, all the possessions they had accumulated and the people they had acquired in Harran, and they set out for the land of Canaan, and they arrived there.

Abram traveled through the land as far as the site of the great tree of Moreh at Shechem. At that time the Canaanites were in the land. The Lord appeared to Abram and said, "To your offspring I will give this land." So he built an altar there to the Lord, who had appeared to him.

From there he went on toward the hills east of Bethel and pitched his tent, with Bethel on the west and Ai on the east. There he built an altar to the Lord and called on the name of the Lord.

Then Abram set out and continued toward the Negev.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM 33:1-12

BCP p. 626

Recited Responsively

SECOND READING

ROMANS 4:13-25

Pew Bible p. 1752

It was not through the law that Abraham and his offspring received the promise that he would be heir of the world, but through the righteousness that comes by faith. For if those who depend on the law are heirs, faith means nothing and the promise is worthless, because the law brings wrath. And where there is no law there is no transgression.



Therefore, the promise comes by faith, so that it may be by grace and may be guaranteed to all Abraham's offspring—not only to those who are of the law but also to those who have the faith of Abraham. He is the father of us all. As it is written: "I have made you a father of many nations." He is our father in the sight of God, in whom he believed—the God who gives life to the dead and calls into being things that were not.

Against all hope, Abraham in hope believed and so became the father of many nations, just as it had been said to him, "So shall your offspring be."

Without weakening in his faith, he faced the fact that his body was as good as dead—since he was about a hundred years old—and that Sarah's womb was also dead. Yet he did not waver through unbelief regarding the promise of God, but was strengthened in his faith and gave glory to God, being fully persuaded that God had power to do what he had promised. This is why "it was credited to him as righteousness." The words "it was credited to him" were written not for him alone, but also for us, to whom God will credit righteousness—for us who believe in him who raised Jesus our Lord from the dead. He was delivered over to death for our sins and was raised to life for our justification.

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL SONG

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Matthew.

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

MATTHEW 9:9-13, 18-26

Pew Bible p. 1509

As Jesus was walking along, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax-collection station, and he said to him, "Follow me." And he got up and followed him.

And as he sat at dinner in the house, many tax collectors and sinners came and were sitting with Jesus and his disciples. When the Pharisees saw this, they said to his disciples, "Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?" But when he heard this, he said, "Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. Go and learn what this means, 'I desire mercy, not sacrifice.' For I have not come to call the righteous but sinners."

While he was saying these things to them, suddenly a leader came in and knelt before him, saying, "My daughter has just died, but come and lay your hand on her, and she will live." And Jesus got up and followed him, with his disciples. Then suddenly a woman who had been suffering from a flow of blood for twelve years came up behind him and touched the fringe of his cloak, for she was saying to herself, "If I only touch his cloak, I will be made well." Jesus turned, and seeing her he said, "Take heart, daughter; your faith has made you well." And the woman was made well from that moment. When Jesus came to the leader's house and saw the flute players and the crowd making a commotion, he said, "Go away, for the girl is not dead but sleeping." And they laughed at him. But when the crowd had been put outside, he went in and took her by the hand, and the girl got up. And the report of this spread through all of that district.

This is Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, Lord Christ.

SERMON

Pastor Gerry Gardner

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BCP p. 358

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

BCP p. 392

CONFESSION OF SIN

BCP p. 359

SHARING PEACE

The peace of the Lord be always with you.
And also with you.

MINISTRY MOMENT

OFFERTORY SONG

THE LORD'S PRAYER

CLOSING PRAYER

FINAL BLESSING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CLOSING WORSHIP SONGS

DISMISSAL

Let us go forth into the world,
rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.
Thanks be to God.

Want Healing Prayer?

A Prayer Team is available During the Prayers of the People

Ministry Moment

The Twig

Join us June 14th as we welcome Nicole Britton from The Twig Cares, Inc!

Come hear about the meaningful services they provide to those in need and discover ways you can make a difference.

The Week Ahead | June 7 - June 14

Sunday 7 Liturgy of the Word | 10:00am | In Person & Online

Tuesday 9 Reunion Group – Cursillo | 6:00pm | Zoom

Wednesday 10 Morning Prayer | 10:00am | In Person & Online
Remnant Café Outreach | 10:30am | Remnant Café

Vestry Meeting | 6:30pm | In Person

Sunday 14 Holy Eucharist | 10:00am | In Person & Online



Summer Travel Plans? Let Us Know!

As we head into summer — and with hurricane season ramping up — please take a moment to let the office know about any upcoming travel plans. We want to make sure we can check in and ensure everyone's safety in case of severe weather or other emergencies.

Thanks for helping us stay prepared and connected!

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CHS TEAMS on MISSION

...new opportunities to serve God's people

"A Moment with God" - every other Thursday, 11:00 AM - Noon at Sarabella ALF in Sarasota with Joanne Bradshaw & CHS.

"Serving Others, Serving Christ" – every other Wednesday at Remnant Café in Sarasota, 10:30 AM – 1:30 PM, serving during lunch and providing fellowship for individuals in need.

For more information, contact Pastor Gerry, Vicki, or Nancy!

YOUR VESTRY IS HERE FOR YOU

SHARE YOUR IDEAS AND CONCERNS WITH US!

- Bob Mongillo, Senior Warden
- Phil Allen, Junior Warden
- Robin Dofflemyer
- Marion Palmatier
- Nancy Garrett
- Christine Palmer

Vestry meetings are open for you to attend. Minutes are posted monthly on the Vestry bulletin board.

The next meeting is June 10 at 6:30pm

Thank You



THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO HELPED CHS CELEBRATE 45 YEARS OF GOD'S FAITHFULNESS IN OSPREY!

We are grateful for all who joined us throughout the week to worship, serve, share memories, and celebrate what God has done in and through our church family.

As we reflect on the past 45 years, we look forward with anticipation to all that God has in store for the future. Here's to 45 more years of sharing His love, serving our community, and following where He leads!

TO GOD BE THE GLORY!

The Church in Prayer – Prayer Requests & Praise Reports

If you have a prayer to be added to this list, visit the website under the Need Prayer tab, call the office, or email admin@chsosprey.com.

- Pray for Niel in the 4th stage of liver cancer and his wife and family.
- Pray for clarity of vision for CHS.
- Pray for CHS, my family in love and heart.
- Pray for continued healing and blessings for Danny he returns to his home.
- Pray for Pastor Dex and Pastor Heidi after multiple hospitalizations for blood pressure issues and stroke-like symptoms.
- Prayers for Pastor Gerry and Scott as they travel to Ireland from June 7-22.
- Prayers for sister Cindy.
- Healing prayers for Robert's son.
- Prayers for CHS leadership structure that places people in their giftings with both joy and accountability.
- Prayers for nephew who is in prison and needs salvation.
- Good health for Deb's sister, Karen.
- Prayers for Annabell's family.
- Prayers for Kathy's family.
- Prayers for Cassie as she battles cancer.
- Prayers that I begin to seek God more each day and not just when I need him, but always.
- Safe travels for John & Susan.
- Prayers for all involved in the conflict in the Middle East.
- Prayers for Kyle, Jennifer and Ian's safety as they navigate through the recent bombings in Dubai.
- Prayers for Linda Alampi.
- Prayers for Lacey who is feeling lost after graduating and needing direction.
- Prayers for Marilynn, Joanne, Karl and Sheri, Donna, Judy and Xenia.
- Prayers for my grandson and his family.
- Pray for an increase of faith for my daughter-in-law.
- Prayers for Lisa & Katrina for a cure from cancer.
- Reconciliation for Rob to God and family.
- Reconciliation of family members.
- Prayers for a friend that needs to realize peace, healing & strength comes from Jesus.
- Safe travels for my granddaughter and her husband who are in New Zealand.
- Prayers for Howard and Bob as they heal from bypass heart surgeries.
- Prayers for salvation for sister.
- Prayers for my son that he may receive Jesus' grace and mercy.
- Prayers for my granddaughters as they face challenges
- Prayers for our country and leaders.
- Prayers for son's marriage.
- Prayers for friends showing signs of dementia and needing clarity of mind and purpose.
- Prayers for Joseph and Carol.
- Prayers for Jason, may he experience peace, clarity and trust in God's plan regardless of the outcome.
- Prayers for friends who are adjusting to life without their loved ones.
- Peace for my sister, Deb.
- Recovery for Cindy, and strength for Nancy.
- Prayers for Liz M. for direction & provision in God opening doors to where she should live and peace & fellowship of good Christian friends.
- Prayers for my nephew, Tyler.
- Prayers for Jodie and Vicki.
- Prayers for Eric, Linda, Kathy, Bob and Darlene.
- Prayers for greater release of Holy Spirit within us.
- Prayers as I accept the loss of my vision.
- Prayers for Julie's sons Dan & John.
- Healing and spiritual guidance for loved ones who are suffering with anxiety, depression and mental illness.
- Prayers for all those overcoming cancer and for their caregivers for strength, encouragement and faith to continue.
- Salvation for those who do not know Jesus: Jonathan, Michael, Amy, Kim, Karen, Todd & Linda.
- Prayers for Jay's sense of taste to return.
- Prayers for grandchildren who have drifted away from going to church.
- A miracle for Julie and each member of her family.
- Healing prayers for Robert, Michelle, Robin, Cindy, Judy, Peter, Audrey, Sue, Joni, Maureen, Tara, Bob, Betty, Erin, Daniel, Lisa, Aaron, Matthew, Evelyn, Art, Al, Donna, Todd, Owen, Haven, Bob, LouAnn, Gus, Ron, Tom, Linda, Sonia, Joyce, Holly, Suzanne, Dona, Judy & Danny.



CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

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The Rev. Linda Morlock, Deacon

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