



Weekly E-News from Grace Episcopal Church

August 2, 2019

Spotlight on Grace: Worship Wherever You Roam

The Rev. Lavonne and Dave Seifert enjoyed vacation worship with some long-time friends July 28 at [St. Michael and All Angels](#) in Mission, Kansas.

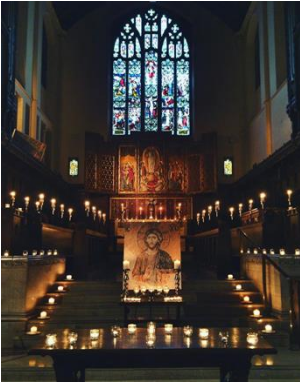
The Seiferts were part of the St. Michael's community for nearly 30 years before moving to New England. It's the largest church in the Diocese of Kansas, and has long had a commitment to excellence in liturgy and music.

The previous Sunday, Lavonne worshiped at [St. Paul's in Clay Center](#), where she served as priest-in-charge for two years.



Wherever you may roam during this summer season, we encourage you to experience worship there. And if you do, please consider snapping a photo and sending us a few words about your experience and the church you've visited. Please e-mail your submissions to admin@gracepvd.org.

Summer Compline



Please join us on Sunday, August 18 at 9 PM for a special summer service of Compline. The Men's Compline Choir will sing sublime chant and polyphony, accompanied by dozens of candles and fragrant incense.

Doors will open at 8:30 PM for meditation. Regular 3rd Sunday Compline will resume September 22 at 8 PM.

2019 Inquirers' Class

The 2019 Inquirers' Class will take place on six consecutive Sunday mornings at 9am in the Chafee Room, August 18 through September 22, in advance of the bishop's annual visitation September 29. The clergy will lead discussions on the Christian faith in the Anglican / Episcopal tradition. Adults interested in the sacraments of baptism, confirmation, reception, or renewal of baptismal vows are encouraged to attend, and absolutely all in the parish are welcome. With questions, please contact the rector: jhuyck@gracepvd.org.



This Week at Grace

Weekly Worship Schedule:

Sunday 8:00am Holy Eucharist

Sunday 10:00am Holy Eucharist
with Music

Wednesday 12:00 Noon Eucharist

Open Doors: Your friendly docents are here to greet you every weekday from 11:00am to 2:00pm. Please encourage your friends or guests to come and visit Grace Church and see the new Pavilion at Grace.

Wheelchair Access and Accessible Parking: Please find convenient accessible in the Grace Church parking lot with access from Snow Street. The new wheelchair ramp connects directly from the lot, and you will enter through the new reception entrance of The Pavilion and into the church at ground level.



Parking for Worship: Free parking for Sunday worship is provided:

- 1.) in the lot diagonally across Westminster Street, on the NW corner of Westminster and Snow; and
 - 2.) In the Grace Church parking lot accessed via Snow Street. We ask your kind cooperation in reserving this lot, to the extent possible, for seniors and those with limited mobility.
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August 4, 2019

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

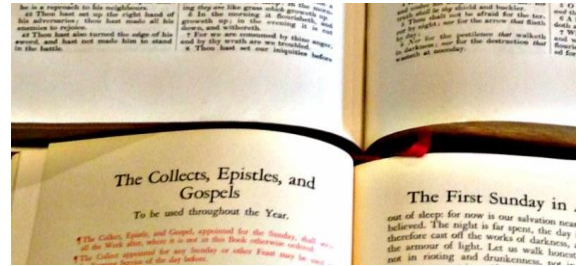
Let your continual mercy, O Lord, cleanse and defend your Church; and, because it cannot continue in safety without your help, protect and govern it always by your goodness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

For the text of this Sunday's readings, [please click here](#).

This week from the Episcopal Church: [Episcopal Service Corps](#).

[Click here](#) for the latest from the Episcopal News Service. And for current news from the Episcopal Diocese of Rhode Island, [please click here](#).

Would you like to add someone to the prayer list? [Please click here](#) to submit a name, or call the church office at (401) 331-3225. Names are kept on the list for a month, and can be renewed at any time. Those received by Wednesday will appear in the same week's bulletin.



Discover This Gem of the Episcopal Diocese

Did you know that in addition to their beloved camps for families, children and teens, the ECC offers occasional programs for adults that provide both respite from the non-stop pace of modern life as well as meaningful opportunities for fellowship, reflection, and spiritual growth? They've just announced [a new adult conference](#) for September 6-8 called *Standing in the Need of Prayer: Connecting with God, one another, and ourselves*. The conference will be led by our own Drake Douglas and The Rev. Meaghan Brower, and [you can register online at this link](#).

