

St. Christopher by the Sea
Gibson Island, Maryland
September 6, 2026
The Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Ministry of the Word

Settings of Early American Folk Hymns — Wilbur Held

Land of Rest & Simple Gifts

Processional Hymn 400, *All creatures of our god and King* Vs 1-3 & 6

Invitation BCP page 355

Gloria S-280

Collect of the Day Insert

First Reading: Ezekiel 33:7-11 Insert

Psalm 119:33-30 Insert

Second Reading: Romans 13:8-14 Insert

Hymn 554, *'Tis the gift to be simple, 'tis the gift to be free*

Gospel: Matthew 18:15-20 Insert

Sermon The Rev. Alan Mead

Nicene Creed BCP page 358

Prayers of the People — Form III BCP page 387

Confession and Absolution BCP page 360

The Peace BCP page 360

Announcements

The Communion

Offertory sentence and Hymn 342, *O Bread of Life*

Offertory Collection & Hymn 380 v4

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise him all creatures here below;

Praise him above ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Hymn 717, portions of stanzas 1 and 4 — America

My country 'tis of thee, sweet land of liberty, of thee I sing

Long may our land be bright with freedom's holy light;

Protect us by thy might, great God our King.

Eucharistic Prayer A

Sanctus S-130

Lord's Prayer

Breaking of the Bread

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BCP page 364 Distribution of Communion — All are invited to receive

Post Communion Prayer BCP page 365

Blessing

Recessional Hymn 541, *Come, labor on*

Dismissal Alleluia! Alleluia! Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Prelude in the Classic Style — Young