

CHRIST CHURCH

VERO BEACH

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The Sunday after Ascension Day Mother's Day May 12, 2024

O go your way into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise! (Psalm 100:3a)

Voluntary

Tuba Tune

Douglas Major

(in honor of Elizabeth M. "Libby" Ross)

Processional Hymn

- 1. Crown him with many crowns, the Lamb upon his throne; Hark! how the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its own; awake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee, and hail him as thy matchless King through all eternity.
- **4.** Crown him of lords the Lord, who over all doth reign, who once on earth, the incarnate Word,

for ransomed sinners slain, now lives in realms of light, where saints with angels sing their songs before him day and night, their God, Redeemer, King.

5. Crown him the Lord of heaven, enthroned in worlds above;
Crown him the King, to whom is given the wondrous name of Love.
Crown him with many crowns, as thrones before him fall, crown him, ye kings, with many crowns, for he is King of all.

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Acclamation

All standing, the Celebrant says

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

The Lord is risen indeed!

People The Lord is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Collect of Purity (said by all)

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you,

and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Summary of the Law

Jesus said: You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets. (Matthew 22:37-40)

Kyrie eleison

Celebrant Lord, have mercy upon us.

People Christ, have mercy upon us.

Celebrant Lord, have mercy upon us.

Song of Praise

- 1. Glory to you, Lord God of our fathers; you are worthy of praise; glory to you. Glory to you for the radiance of your holy Name; we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.
- 2. Glory to you in the splendor of your temple; on the throne of your majesty, glory to you. Glory to you, seated between the Cherubim; we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.
- **3.** Glory to you, beholding the depths;

in the high vault of heaven, glory to you. Glory to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; we will praise you and highly exalt you for ever.

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Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And with your spirit.

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: Do not leave us comfortless, but send us your Holy Spirit to strengthen us, and exalt us to that place where our Savior Christ has gone before; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting Amen.

Acts 1:15-26 First Reading

15. In those days Peter stood up among the brothers (the company of persons was in all about 120) and said, 16. "Brothers, the Scripture had to be fulfilled, which the Holy Spirit spoke beforehand by the mouth of David concerning Judas, who became a guide to those who arrested Jesus. 17. For he was numbered among us and was allotted his share in this ministry." 18. (Now this man acquired a field with the reward of his wickedness, and falling headlong he burst open in the middle and all his bowels gushed out. 19. And it became known to all the inhabitants of Jerusalem, so that the field was called in their own language Akeldama, that is, Field of Blood.) 20. "For it is written in the Book of Psalms,

"May his camp become desolate, and let there be no one to dwell in it'; and "Let another take his office.'

21. So one of the men who have accompanied us during all the time that the Lord Jesus went in and out among us, 22. beginning from the baptism of John until the day when he was taken up from us—one of these men must become with us a witness to his resurrection." 23. And they put forward two, Joseph called Barsabbas, who was also called Justus, and Matthias. 24. And they prayed and said, "You, Lord, who know the hearts of all, show which one of these two you have chosen 25. to take the place in this ministry and apostleship from which Judas turned aside to go to his own place." 26. And they cast lots for them, and the lot fell on Matthias, and he was numbered with the eleven apostles. (ESV)

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 47

1 O clap your hands together, all you / peoples; * O cry aloud unto God with / shouts of joy.

- 2 For the LORD Most High is to be / feared; * he is the great King over all the / earth.
 - 3 He shall subdue the peoples / under us, * and the nations under our / feet.
 - 4 He shall choose our inheritance / for us, * the pride of Jacob whom he / loved.

5 God has gone up with a shout of / triumph, *
the LORD with the sound of the / trumpet.
6 O sing praises, sing praises unto our / God; *
O sing praises, sing praises unto our / King.
7 For God is the King of all the / earth; *
think upon his mighty acts and praise him with a / song.
8 God reigns over the / nations; *
God sits on his holy / throne.
9 The princes of the peoples are / gathered
with the people of the God of / Abraham; *
for the mighty upon earth have become the servants of the / Lord, and
he is very highly ex / alted.

Epistle 1 John 5:6-15

6. This is he who came by water and blood—Jesus Christ; not by the water only but by the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one who testifies, because the Spirit is the truth. 7. For there are three that testify: 8. the Spirit and the water and the blood; and these three agree. 9. If we receive the testimony of men, the testimony of God is greater, for this is the testimony of God that he has borne concerning his Son. 10. Whoever believes in the Son of God has the testimony in himself. Whoever does not believe God has made him a liar, because he has not believed in the testimony that God has borne concerning his Son. 11. And this is the testimony, that God gave us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. 12. Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life. 13. I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, that you may know that you have eternal life. 14. And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us. 15. And if we know that he hears us in

whatever we ask, we know that we have the requests that we have asked of him. (ESV)

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Sequence Hymn (sung by all, standing)

1. Christ triumphant, ever reigning, Savior, Master, King! Lord of heav'n, our lives sustaining hear us as we sing:

Refrain: Yours the glory and the crown, the high renown, the eternal Name.

- **2.** Word incarnate, truth revealing, Son of Man on earth! Pow'r and majesty concealing by Your humble birth: *(refrain)*
- **3.** Suffring servant, scorned, ill treated victim crucified! Death is through the cross defeated, sinners justified: *(refrain)*

Holy Gospel

John 17:11b-19

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

11b. Holy Father, keep them in your name, which you have given me, that they may be one, even as we are one. 12. While I was with them, I kept them in your name, which you have given me. I have guarded them, and not one of them has been lost except the son of destruction, that the Scripture might be fulfilled. 13. But now I am coming to you, and these things I speak in the world, that they may have my joy fulfilled in themselves. 14. I have given them your word, and the world has hated them because they are not of the world, just as I am not of the world. 15. I do not ask that you take them out of the world, but that you keep them from the evil one. 16. They are not of the world, just as I am not of the world. 17. Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth. 18. As you sent me into the world, so I have sent them into the world. 19. And for their sake I consecrate myself, that they also may be sanctified in truth. (ESV)

After the Gospel is read, the people respond as follows:

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The sequence hymn resumes.

- **4.** Priestly King, enthroned forever high in heav'n above! Sin and death and hell shall never stifle hymns of love: (refrain)
- 5. So, our hearts and voices raising through the ages long, ceaselessly upon You gazing, this shall be our song: (refrain)

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Sermon Fr. Keith Allen

Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, visible and invisible.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. *Amen*.

Prayers of the People

Following each petition:

Litanist Lord, in your mercy,

People hear our prayer.

Concluding Prayer

Celebrant

Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for the sake of Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Confession and Absolution

Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God. (Silence)

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

The Celebrant pronounces the Absolution over the People

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen*.

Comfortable Words

Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And with your spirit.

Then the Ministers and the People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Announcements

Offertory

How shall I sing that majesty

J.R. Daniels

Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise him above, ye heavenly host:

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Great Thanksgiving (Remain standing)

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And with your spirit.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them up to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

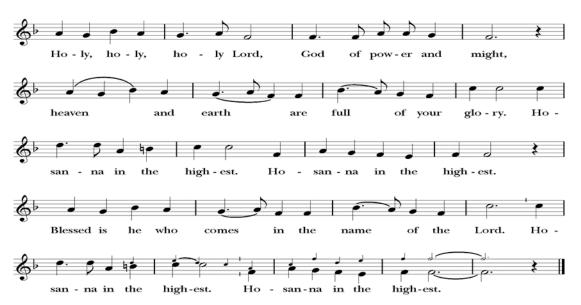
People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

The Celebrant continues

It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Through your dearly beloved Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who after his most glorious resurrection appeared to his Apostles and in their sight ascended into heaven to prepare a place for us, that where he is, there we might also ascend, and reign with him in glory.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Celebrant and People sing



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The Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and when we had sinned against you and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent your only Son Jesus Christ into the world for our salvation. By the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary he became flesh and dwelt among us. In obedience to your will, he stretched out his arms upon the Cross and offered himself once for all, that by his suffering and death we might be saved. By his resurrection he broke the bonds of death, trampling Hell and Satan under his feet.

As our great high priest, he ascended to your right hand in glory, that we might come with confidence before the throne of grace.

On the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my Body, which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the forgiveness of sins: Whenever you drink it, do this in remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, and we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Word and Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Sanctify us also, that we may worthily receive this holy Sacrament, and be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us and we in him. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us with all your saints into the joy of your heavenly kingdom, where we shall see our Lord face to face.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *Amen*.

And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Fraction

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

The Prayer of Humble Access

We do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your abundant and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table; but you are the same Lord whose character is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

Agnus Dei

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.

O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant us Thy peace.

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The Ministration of Communion

All baptized persons are welcome to receive Holy Communion.

The gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Communion Music

1.

Fairest Lord Jesus, ruler of all nature, O thou of God and man the Son; thee will I cherish, thee will I honor, thou, my soul's glory, joy, and crown.

Fair are the meadows, fairer still the woodlands, robed in the blooming garb of spring: Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer, who makes the woeful heart to sing.

Fair is the sunshine, fairer still the moonlight, and all the twinkling, starry host: Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer, than all the angels heaven can boast.

words: German composite; tr. Pub., New York, 1850, alt. Music: *St. Elizabeth*, melody from <u>Schlesische Volkslieder</u>, 1842; harm. Thomas Tertius Noble (1867-1953)

2.

Refrain: Alleluia! Alleluia! Opening our hearts to Him, Singing Alleluia! Alleluia! Jesus is our King!

Create in us, O God, a humble heart that sets us free to proclaim the wond'rous majesty of our Father in heaven. (refrain)

We bear the name of Christ, justified we meet Him. His words and presence calm our fear, revealing God, our Father here. *(refrain)*

Let kindred voices join, honoring the Lamb of God who teaches us by bread and wine the myst'ry of His Body. (refrain)

Pour out your Spirit, on us. Empowering us to live as one, to carry Your redeeming love to a world enslaved by sin. (refrain)

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The Post-Communion Prayer

Celebrant Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, We thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal Kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ

our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

Blessing

The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. *Amen*.

Closing Hymn

- 1. All hail the power of Jesus' Name! Let angels prostrate fall; bring forth the royal diadem, and crown him Lord of all!
- 2. Crown him, ye martyrs of our God, who from his altar call: praise him whose way of pain ye trod, and crown him Lord of all!
- 3. Hail him, the Heir of David's line, whom David Lord did call, the God incarnate, Man divine, and crown him Lord of all!

6. Let every kindred, every tribe, on this terrestrial ball, to him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all!

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Dismissal

Celebrant Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the

Holy Spirit. Alleluia, alleluia.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

Voluntary

Toccata in F

D. Buxtehude

Worship Team

Ushers: Mickey Conway, Bill Blomberg, Fred Malik, Sr., Matt Gordon

Lector: John Campani

EMs: Deb Allik, George Watson

Organist: Brady Johnson

Choir: Eleanor Dixon, (section leader), Mary Earman, Roxane Edwards, Julia Glunt (section

leader), Charles Hansen, Rudolf Radocy, Wanda Lathom-Radocy, Andrea Royce,

Paul Skaggs, Harriet Yemm

Audio - Visual: John Allen, Earle Boyter, Anthony Hiller, Noah Howard, Noah Woodrow

CHURCH LEADERSHIP

Lord, Savior and Chief Shepherd Jesus Christ

Ministers Every Member of Christ Church

Clergy and Staff

The Rev'd Cn. Dr. Keith Allen, Rector
The Right Rev'd John Miller, Bishop in Residence
The Rev'd Hunter Van Wagenen, Assoc. Priest
The Rev'd Kim Allen, Deacon
The Rev'd Debra Gordon, Deacon
Brady Johnson, Organist/Choirmaster
Eleanor Dixon, Financial Administrator
Amy Miller, Assistant to Rector
Shari von Liebler, Parish Secretary
Stephenie Van Wagenen, Lead Catechist
Noah Woodrow, Audio Visual

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Barbara Sclafani, Kindergarten Readiness Teacher
Debra Watkins, Music Teacher

Announcements and Information May 12 - May 18, 2024

CONNECT WITH CHRIST CHURCH

Use the Connect and RSVP cards to provide updates and sign up for events, request information, or contact the clergy. Please place them in the offering plate or leave them with an usher. The Communicator is our parish newsletter sent via email; let us know if you wish to subscribe. For other ways to connect with our parish family and find a place to belong, contact Deacon Deb at 'DGordon@christchurchvero.org.

To Jun 12: Ladies Summer Book Study: "Hearing God". Six weeks; Wed's. at 9:30am. Book by Dallas

Willard (IVP June 12: series edition). Led by Dcn. Kim Allen.

To May 29: Connections Class: Come seek a deeper connection to God, our mission, and with one

another. Wed's. at 5:30pm. The second of four prep classes needed for membership/

confirmation when the Bishop visits on Sept. 29, 2024.

May 19: The next Parish Lunch is Sunday, May 19 in the Community Center. The theme is It's a Fiesta.

Lunch is being hosted by the Vestry of Christ Church and features a well-stocked taco bar. Please RSVP by May 16 to attend the lunch using a Connect Card or the sign-up sheet in the Narthex.

May 27: Memorial Day. Offices and CCA will be closed Monday, May 27, 2024.

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT CLASS

Fr. Keith Allen is teaching a series between April 14 – May 19 on the ministry and gifts of the Holy Spirit. Each class will be held on Sundays at 9 a.m. in the Community Center. Come discover the dynamic aspects of how the Holy Spirit empowers and informs our discipleship journey with Jesus.

2024 ALTAR FLOWERS DEDICATIONS:

To donate altar flowers as a dedication, please contact Shari in the Church Office, including the date, honoree, and any flower preferences (subject to availability). People may sponsor the altar flower arrangements on specific Sundays for a suggested donation of \$35. The funds are used by the Flower Guild to purchase the supplies and flowers needed each week. To make your donation, dedication, and payment, or for more information, contact Shari.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY:

The Children's Ministry area is open at 9:00 a.m. on Sunday mornings for nursery care. During the 10:30 a.m. Sunday service, we offer Catechesis of the Good Shepherd for ages 3-6 years in addition to nursery care for the first part of the service, after which the children may join their families in the Nave for Holy Communion. Please see Fr. Hunter or Stephie Van Wagenen for more information. Children age 7 and older are encouraged to worship with their family.

ANGLICANS FOR LIFE:

Anglicans for Life at Christ Church wants you to know there is support available for you, or someone you know, who is pregnant and needs help. CareNet, a local pregnancy resource center, can be reached at 772-569-7939. Help 24/7 nationwide is also available at Optionline.org, or 800-712-4357 or by sending a text message to 313131.

RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION:

All baptized Christians are welcome to the Table of Christ to receive Holy Communion. Ushers will guide your row to the altar rail, and a wafer will be placed in your hand; you may intinct (dip) the edge of the wafer into the wine chalice, or sip from the common cup, or abstain. Anyone wishing to not receive the sacrament is welcome to come forward for a spoken blessing only, signified by crossing your arms over your chest.

CONTACT US:

The parish office hours are 8:00 am to 5:00 pm, Monday through Friday. Please visit us or call 772-562-8670 during these hours if we may help you. Staff and clergy email information may be found at ChristChurchVero.org under the "What We Do" tab, or via the Church Center app directory.

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

10:30 a.m., Eucharist Service

BAPTISMS AND MARRIAGES

Contact the Parish Secretary 60 days in advance of the Baptism to set up an appointment with the Rector and at least four months in advance of your proposed wedding date to set up an appointment with a Priest.

Prayers Needs

Christ Church continues to pray for all those that are sick and hurting and ask that through the week, you continue to pray by saying: We humbly ask you, gracious Lord, to comfort and strengthen all those who, in this earthly life are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially:

Sue Ann Fritz
Mary Hansen
Ed & Barbara Jeffreys
Bill & Judith Lund
Bp. John Miller
Paul Miller
Wanda Lathom-Radocy
Jimi Regan
Ronda Rosch
Ashley Stock

Prayers for Missionaries

Christ Church actively sponsors the following International Missionaries. We invite your continuing prayers in support of their faithful ministry in our Lord's name:

Loren and Linda Fox, Global TEAM, Thailand and China Matt and Katie Riley, Alongside Ministries International, France Fr. Chris Royer, Anglican Frontier Ministries, Middle East Etzer Thomas, Foundation Mom Prince Thomas, Haiti Luke and Abby, Our brother and sister serving in North Africa

Christ Church prays for the safety of the men and women serving on active duty to protect and defend our nation against terrorism. We have listed below the names of those persons known to us who are serving in this role. We ask for your special prayers for them and for their families, both at our Sunday services and throughout the week. Because the list is lengthy, we will not pray for each person by name out loud during the services, but they and their families are included in our prayers:

David Rosanes Daniel Ames Joseph Guthmann Iessica Ames Brian Hart Bryce Saint-Vincent Chris Boltz Regan Jones Eric Schneider Matthew Buehrig Martha Kester David Segalla ***Dale Kridlo Marin Sentence Michael Buehrig Garrett Kulczycki Melinda Sentence Tim Buehrig Kendra Cagniart Rodger Lemon Dylan Sjogren Pierre Cagniart Jeremy McCall Robert Skevington ****Jonathan Clement Richmond McCloud Aaron Spera Vetson Derisse *Trane McCloud Ben Spera Wyatt Dillon Hunter McDaniel Caleb Valentin Doug Fritz **Andrew McNair, Jr. G Ioshua White Michael Gallahue Evan Mustapick George Voyles Brianna Gomez Alexander Wise John Pitta Gracie Gordon Erika Wise Justine Iacono Proctor Caleb Guthmann Mike Proctor Keith Zeuner David Guthmann Alex Zook Ryan Raffensburger Christina P. Remmert John Guthmann

*Died in the war zone in Iraq, December, 2006.

**Died in the war zone in Afghanistan, 2008.

***Died in the war zone in Afghanistan, November, 2010.

****Died in training, July 2018

