

WELCOME TO TRINITY CATHEDRAL

Celebration Eucharist - EOW

October 26, 2025 - 9:00 am

The Twentieth Sunday After the Pentecost

Presider: The Rev. James Richardson, Priest Associate

Preacher: The Very Rev. Matthew Woodward, Dean

IG Homilist: The Rev. Alex Leach, Formation Director

This Sunday's flowers are given to the glory of God and by David and Lexis Allen in thanksgiving to God for the lives of Harry and Ruth MacFadden.

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

"Berceuse" (24 Pieces en Style Libre) Louis Vierne

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

All may join in singing

T.148 Music and Incense

**Music and incense, dancing and laughter,
Welcome each sinner now to love's feast;
Come to the party, clothed in the finest,
Freely provided for every guest!**

**Shame and discomfort, fear of rejection,
Horror of dying, panic and pain:**

**These will be banished by Christ our Savior, for he in glory ever
will reign.**

**So enter, singing, circled by angels,
Knowing Christ's kingdom none can destroy;
Greeted by loved ones eagerly waiting,
Come, pardoned people, into his joy!**

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THE OPENING ACCLAMATION

The people stand in body or in spirit.

Presider Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.

People **Glory to God for ever and ever.**

The Presider welcomes the people and introduces the Eucharist.

GLORY TO GOD

GC.177

Steven R. Janco

All may join in singing the refrain! The choir sings the verses.

Glory to God in the highest and peace to His people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,

We worship you, we give you thanks,

We praise you for your glory. **(refrain)**

Lord Jesus Christ, only son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God,

You take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us,

You are seated at the right hand of the Father;

Receive our prayer. **(refrain)**

For you alone are the Holy One, You alone are the Lord,

You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in
the glory of the Father. **(refrain) Amen.**

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THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider God with you.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

THE INTERGENERATIONAL HOMILY

The Rev. Alex Leach

Formation Director

THE FIRST LESSON

Sirach 35:12-17

The first lesson will not be read aloud today.

Give to the Most High as he has given to you,

and as generously as you can afford.

For the Lord is the one who repays,

and he will repay you sevenfold.

Do not offer him a bribe, for he will not accept it

and do not rely on a dishonest sacrifice;

for the Lord is the judge,

and with him there is no partiality.

He will not show partiality to the poor;

but he will listen to the prayer of one who is wronged.

He will not ignore the supplication of the orphan,

or the widow when she pours out her complaint.

THE PSALM

Psalm 84:1-6 Quam dilecta!

How dear to me is your dwelling, O Lord of hosts! *

**My soul has a desire and longing for the courts of the Lord;
my heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God.**

The sparrow has found her a house

and the swallow a nest where she may lay her young; *

by the side of your altars, O Lord of hosts,

my King and my God.

Happy are they who dwell in your house! *

they will always be praising you.

Happy are the people whose strength is in you! *

whose hearts are set on the pilgrims' way.

**Those who go through the desolate valley will find it a place of
springs, ***

for the early rains have covered it with pools of water.

They will climb from height to height, *

and the God of gods will reveal himself in Zion.

THE SECOND LESSON

2 Timothy 4:6-8,16-18

I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

At my first defense no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Lector Hear what the Spirit is saying to all God's Creation.

People **Thanks be to God.**

SEQUENCE HYMN

HP.35 God Be in My Head

God be in my head,
God be in my heart,
God be in my mind,
God be in my soul,
God be in my eyes,
So that I may see your face;
God be on my lips,
God be in my life.

God be in my work,
God be in my play,
God be in my home,
God be in my prayer,
God be in my song,
So that I may sing your praise;
God be in my night,
God be in my day.

Words: Grayson Warren Brown, b. 1948.

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THE HOLY GOSPEL

Luke 18:9-14

Clergy The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People **Glory to you, O Christ.**

Jesus told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt: "Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, 'God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income.' But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted."

Clergy The Gospel of our Savior.

People **Praise to you, O Christ.**

THE SERMON

The Very Rev. Matthew Woodward, Cathedral Dean

THE NICENE CREED

Enriching Our Worship I

All stand in body or in spirit

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only 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 of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. 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, 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.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Clergy Gracious God, we offer our prayers, responding to God of Love with Hear our Prayer.

Intercess. We pray for strength, guidance, and unity of purpose for all those who serve your church at home and around the world, especially Sean Rowe, our Presiding Bishop, Megan Traquair, our Bishop, Matthew Woodward, our Dean, and all our Cathedral clergy and laity. We pray also for the Missionary Diocese of Navajoland and the Diocese of Jerusalem.

In our Diocesan family we pray for Jerry Lamb and Barry Beisner, our former Bishops, and the congregation of St. James in Lincoln. We pray also for those preparing for Holy Orders: Candidate Rosemary MacLaughlin, and Postulants Lisa Harmon and Kenny Pierce.

God of love,

At the conclusion of each petition the people respond:

Hear our prayer..

Presider Gracious God, please accept the prayers of your people and strengthen us to do your will. **Amen.**

THE CONFESSION

Clergy Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.
People **God of all mercy, we confess that we have sinned against you, opposing your will in our lives. We have denied your goodness in each other, in ourselves, and in the world you have created. We repent of the evil that enslaves us, the evil we have done, and the evil done on our behalf. Forgive, restore, and strengthen us through our Savior Jesus Christ, that we may abide in your love and serve only your will. Amen.**

Presider Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. Amen.

THE PEACE

All stand in body or in spirit.

Presider The peace of Christ be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Ministers and people may greet one another in the name of Christ.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HOLY COMMUNION

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

Ephesians 5:2

Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Teach me your ways, O Lord Richard Cheri & Yolanda Robertson
Sung by the Celebration Choir

Teach me, teach me your way, O Lord,
that I may be faithful in your sight, teach me your way, O Lord.

Incline your ear, O Lord; answer me, for I'm afflicted and poor.
Keep my life, for I'm devoted to you; save your servant who trusts in you.
You are my God, O Lord, have mercy on me, for to you I call all the day.
Gladden the soul of your servant, for to you, O Lord, I lift up my soul.
For you, O Lord, are good and forgiving, a bound in kindness
to all who call upon you. Hearken, O Lord, to my prayer
and attend to the sound of my pleading. *Psalm 86*

THE HYMN AT THE PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

WLP.820 *The eyes of all, wait upon you* Carol Doran
The eyes of all wait upon you, O Lord,
And you give them their food in due season.
You open wide your gracious hand
And satisfy the needs of every living creature.
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THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The People remain standing in body or in spirit.

Presider God be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Presider Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them to the Holy One.**
Presider Let us give thanks to the Holy One, our God.
People **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

All thanks and praise are yours at all times and in all places...

SANCTUS/BENEDICTUS

GC.182 *Holy, holy, holy Lord* Steven R. Janco

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
Heav'n and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

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Glory and honor are yours, Creator of all...
...we acclaim you, O Christ:
Dying, you destroyed our death. Rising, you restored our life.
Christ Jesus, come in glory!

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, by the inspiration
of your Holy Spirit, we worship you our God and Creator in
voices of unending praise.
Blessed are you now and for ever. AMEN.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,
**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name, your kingdom
come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today
our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin
against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from
evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now
and forever. Amen.**

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

The Presider breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.

FRACTION ANTHEMS

WLP.873 *Alleluia! Those who eat my flesh*

Alleluia, alleluia.
**Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood
abide in me and I in them.**
Alleluia, alleluia.

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GC.188 Agnus Dei

**Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:
have mercy on us. Have mercy on us.**
**Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:
grant us peace. Grant us peace.**

Music: *Mass of the Angels and Saints*, Steven R. Janco, @ 1966 GIA

THE INVITATION

Presider The Gifts of God for the People of God.

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

You are welcome to receive communion. Baptism from any Christian tradition is anticipated for those regularly receiving. Please feel free to talk with any of our clergy if you seek baptism. Communion is offered with bread (which is gluten free) and wine, (and, at the West Transept, both grape juice and wine). Please take communion by eating the bread and sipping from the cup. It will help the communion minister if you guide the cup to your mouth. If you do not feel able to sip from the cup, please allow it to pass by. We believe that, if you have received communion with only bread, you have received full communion. Cross your arms over your heart if you wish to receive a blessing in place of consuming. Let an usher know if you need to receive at your pew.

COMMUNION SONG

L.154 *Taste and See*

Taste and see.
Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.
O Taste and see.
Taste and see the goodness of the Lord, of the Lord.

I will bless the Lord at all times.
His praise shall always be on my lips;
my soul shall glory in the Lord;
for He has been so good to me.

Glorify the Lord with me.
Together let us all praise His name.
I called the Lord and He answered me;
from all my troubles He set me free.

Worship the Lord all you people.
You'll want for nothing if you ask.
Taste and see that God is good;
in Him we need put all our trust.

Words: Psalm 34

Music: James Moore, Jr. @ 1992 GIA Publications

COMMENDATION OF EUCHARISTIC VISITORS

Clergy Beloved community we send: N. out to N., so that they may share this Holy Communion with these members of Trinity Cathedral.

People **May you carry the prayers of all of us as you take this sacrament of Christ's presence.**

Clergy May they who receive it from you be strengthened and encouraged in this community we have together in our Savior Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

After Communion, all stand or kneel in body or spirit.

Presider Let us pray.

God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue forever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

THE BLESSING

The Presider blesses the people. The people respond with, Amen.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

#686 Come, thou fount of every blessing

All may join in singing

**Come, thou fount of every blessing,
tune my heart to sing thy grace!
Streams of mercy never ceasing,
call for songs of loudest praise.
Teach me some melodious sonnet,
sung by flaming tongues above.
Praise the mount! Oh, fix me on it,
mount of God's unchanging love.**

**Here I find my greatest treasure;
hither, by thy help, I've come;
and I hope, by thy good pleasure,
safely to arrive at home.
Jesus sought me when a stranger
wandering from the fold of God;
he, to rescue me from danger,
interposed his precious blood.**

**Oh, to grace how great a debtor
daily I'm constrained to be!
Let thy goodness, like a fetter,
bind my wandering heart to thee:
prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,
prone to leave the God I love;
here's my heart, oh, take and seal it,
seal it for thy courts above.**

Words: Robert Robinson (1735-1790), alt.

Music: Nettleton, melody from *A Repository of Sacred Music*, Part II, 1813

THE DISMISSAL

The Clergy dismisses the people. The people respond with:

Thanks be to God.

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

“Marche-Sortie” Theodore Dubois

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