

The CHURCH of the HOLY TRINITY
An Episcopal Church

The Twenty-first Sunday After Pentecost
All Saints Day

November 2, 2025

9:30 am

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GOOD MORNING AND WELCOME TO HOLY TRINITY!

"I was glad when they said to me, let us go to the house of the Lord." Psalm 122:1

"The prelude begins our service. Once it begins, please take a moment for silent prayer/meditation so that we enter into our worship with quieted, prayerful minds. Thank you."

Holy Eucharist Rite II

Prelude

Hymn of Promise

J. Carter

Processional Hymn

For All The Saints, vs. 1-4

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The Word of God

Presider Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

People *And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.*

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.

Gloria

To God be the glo - ry, all glo - ry in the
Lord Je - sus, the on - ly be - got - ten of the
high - est and peace to his peo - ple who dwell here be - low. Our
Fath - er We praise and we bless you, the Son and the Lamb The

hea - ven - ly Fath - er, our Lord and our Sov - reign, to you, the Al -
sin of the world you have ta - ken up - on you, Have mer - cy up -

migh - ty, our prais - es be - stow. We wor - ship and a -
on us, the Great I AM. For ho - ly, you

do - re you, we bow here be - fore you with grate - ful thanks -
meet us, yet low - ly, you greet us The Lord in the

gi - ving, our song let us raise. All glo - ry and
high - est, the Ho - ly One All glo - ry to the

ho - nour and glad a - do - ra - tion to God in the
Fath - er, the Son, and the Spir - it, From a - ges ev - er -

high - est, ho - san - na and praise.
last - ing, the Three in One.

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Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Collect

Almighty and merciful God, it is only by your gift that your faithful people offer you true and laudable service: Grant that we may run without stumbling to obtain your heavenly promises; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Scripture

First Lesson

Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4

The oracle that the prophet Habakkuk saw. O Lord, how long shall I cry for help, and you will not listen? Or cry to you "Violence!" and you will not save? Why do you make me see wrong-doing and look at trouble? Destruction and violence are before me; strife and contention arise. So the law becomes slack and justice never prevails. The wicked surround the righteous--therefore judgment comes forth perverted. I will stand at my watchpost, and station myself on the rampart; I will keep watch to see what he will say to me, and what he will answer concerning my complaint. Then the Lord answered me and said: Write the vision; make it plain on tablets, so that a runner may read it. For there is still a vision for the appointed time; it speaks of the end, and does not lie. If it seems to tarry, wait for it; it will surely come, it will not delay. Look at the proud! Their spirit is not right in them, but the righteous live by their faith.

The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

Psalm 119:137-144

137 You are righteous, O Lord, **and upright are your judgments.*

138 You have issued your decrees **with justice and in perfect faithfulness.*

139 My indignation has consumed me, **because my enemies forget your words.*

140 Your word has been tested to the uttermost, **and your servant holds it dear.*

141 I am small and of little account, **yet I do not forget your commandments.*

142 Your justice is an everlasting justice **and your law is the truth.*

143 Trouble and distress have come upon me, **yet your commandments are my delight.*

144 The righteousness of your decrees is everlasting; **grant me understanding, that I may live.*

Second Lesson

2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-1

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy,

To the church of the Thessalonians in God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. We must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters, as is right, because your faith is growing abundantly, and the love of everyone of you for one another is increasing. Therefore we ourselves boast of you among the churches of God for your steadfastness and faith during all your persecutions and the afflictions that you are enduring. To this end we always pray for you, asking that our God will make you worthy of his call and will fulfill by his power every good resolve and work of faith, so that the name of our Lord Jesus may be glorified in you, and you in him, according to the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn

Hymn of Promise

1. In the bulb there is a flow - er; in the
2. There's a song in ev - 'ry si - lence, seek - ing
3. In our end is our be - gin - ning; in our

seed, an ap - ple tree; in co - coons, a hid - den
word and mel - o - dy; there's a dawn in ev - 'ry
time, in - fin - i - ty; in our doubt there is be -

prom - ise: but - ter - flies will soon be free! In the
dark - ness, bring - ing hope to you and me. From the
liev - ing; in our life, e - ter - ni - ty. In our

cold and snow of win - ter there's a spring that waits to be,
past will come the fu - ture; what it holds, a mys - ter - y,
death, a res - ur - rec - tion; at the last, a vic - to - ry,

un-re-vealed un-til its sea - son, some-thing God a-lone can see.

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Gospel

Luke 19:1-10

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ

Jesus entered Jericho and was passing through it. A man was there named Zacchaeus; he was a chief tax collector and was rich. He was trying to see who Jesus was, but on account of the crowd he could not, because he was short in stature. So he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore tree to see him, because he was going to pass that way. When Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, hurry and come down; for I must stay at your house today." So he

hurried down and was happy to welcome him. All who saw it began to grumble and said, "He has gone to be the guest of one who is a sinner." Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, "Look, half of my possessions, Lord, I will give to the poor; and if I have defrauded anyone of anything, I will pay back four times as much." Then Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, because he too is a son of Abraham. For the Son of Man came to seek out and to save the lost."

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Praise to you, Lord Christ

Sermon

Reverend Kevin Cross

Zacchaeus Song

*Zacchaeus was a wee little man, and a wee little man was he,
He climbed up in a sycamore tree for the Lord he wanted to see.*

And as the Savior passed that way, He looked up in the tree.

And He said, "Zacchaeus, you come down!

*For I'm coming to your house today, for I'm coming to your
house today.*

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Litany of Healing

Lord Jesus, you healed all who came to you in faith and sent forth your disciples to preach the Gospel and heal the sick: *We praise and thank you, O God.*

God of grace, you nurture us with a love deeper than we know, and your will for us is healing and salvation; *We praise and thank you, O God.*

God of love, you enter into our lives, our pain and our brokenness, and you stretch out your healing hands to us wherever we are; *We praise and thank you, O God.*

Touch and heal our hearts burdened by anguish, despair and isolation, and set us free through your love; *Hear us, and make us whole.*

Sustain those who face illness, bearing them up on the wings of faith and courage; *Hear us, and make us whole.*

We pray for those in need of healing this day:

<i>Joel</i>	<i>Ron Fisher</i>	<i>Marty Read</i>
<i>Deborah Barbour</i>	<i>Donna Richards</i>	<i>Gordon Fronk</i>
<i>Brendan Fuller</i>	<i>Carole Pfeiffer</i>	<i>Betty Jo Mackart</i>
<i>Will Straub</i>	<i>Gary Kaufman</i>	<i>Lisa Harrington</i>
<i>Sarah Kadish</i>	<i>Geoffrey Longfellow</i>	<i>Shirley Bruner</i>
<i>Ritzi Miller</i>	<i>Heather Pusey</i>	<i>Elsbeth Ritchie</i>
<i>Rich Wagner</i>	<i>Joseph Knapp</i>	<i>Sue Schulze</i>
<i>Michael Delean</i>	<i>Dana Farnes</i>	<i>Polly Obermeier</i>
<i>Kai Nathan Gunn</i>	<i>Lisa Strang</i>	<i>Zoey Schramm</i>
<i>Connor Frank</i>	<i>Nancy Thompson</i>	
<i>Eleanor Dallam</i>	<i>Owen M.</i>	

Are there others? You may name them aloud or silently in your heart.(pause)... *Lord, hear our prayer*

Give your wisdom in ample measure to doctors and nurses, that with knowledge, skill, and patience they may minister to the sick; *Hear us, and make us whole.*

Break the bonds of our imprisonment to fear, compulsion, and addiction; *Hear us, and make us whole.*

Give us liberty from old hurts and painful memories; *Come with your healing power, O God.*

Fill us with peace in our grief from separation and loss. We remember those who have passed on to eternal life.

We also remember in our prayer those in our military who have fallen. We pray for comfort and solace for their families. *Come with your healing power, O God.*

God of Strength, you fill us with your presence and send us forth in love and healing among those we meet; *We praise and thank you, O God.*

IN MEMORIAM

We remember those who have passed on to eternal life since last All Saints' Day

**James Balderson
Duane Beckhorn
Corrine Bissell
Joe Boyd
Ryan Burden
Gerry Cooper
Nancy Cooper
George Curlin
Susan Deerin
Ed Delaney
Tony Gould
Mary Ann Hensinger
Doris Hughes
John Knud-Hanson
Kristen Jaramillo
Bruce Marchewka
Ed Middleton
Nannette Peterson
George Radcliffe
Barbara Sheridan
Nancy Shuck
Bonnie Balderson Taylor
Tim Wilson**

Lord, hear us. *Lord, graciously hear us.*

In silence, we pray with the saints, to God our loving Father.

The Priest concludes the prayers: Lord almighty, we bring before you all our needs, trusting that you will hear and answer them, as we pray with all the saints. We make this prayer through Christ our Lord. *Amen*

God of peace and justice, we pray for the people in the war torn areas of the world today. We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons. We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them. We pray for those with power over war or peace, for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions. Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear, that you will hold and protect them. We pray in the name of Jesus the Prince of Peace. *Dear God, hear our prayer.*

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others. *Silence*

The Altar Flowers are Given by Connie Greenhawk In Loving Memory of Her Mother, Sophia Berdia Biddle, Birthday 11/4 and By Justine Cooney In Loving Memory of Her Husband James Conney's Birthday

Confession

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

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.

Absolution

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

Presider: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.

The Holy Communion

Offertory

The Light of God's Love

M. Burrows

The Holy Trinity Choir

Doxology *(please stand)*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts, Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Presider: All things come from Thee O Lord.

People: And of thy own we have given Thee.

The Great Thanksgiving

Presider: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Presider: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Preface

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and

Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus

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Ho - ly Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord -

God of pow'r and might. Heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry, Ho -

- san - na in the high - est. Bles - sed is he who comes in the

name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the

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high - est, Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

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

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: 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 for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

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. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

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.*

Let us pray in the words our Savior Christ

The Lord's Prayer

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, the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

Presider: Alleluia, Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People: Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, I reaffirm your presence in my heart. I embrace You and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

Communion

Laudate Dominum

W. A. Mozart

Melissa Wise, Soprano

Let us pray.

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of His Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. AMEN.

Blessing

Recessional Hymn

The Church's One Foundation

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Sending Forth

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

Postlude

I'll Fly Away

Arr. M. Hayes, Gospel Classics

Birthdays

Margaret Munsch, 11/5	
Shirley Bruner, 11/5	

Anniversaries

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Thank you Vestry for hosting Fellowship hour.

Help Make a Happy Thanksgiving

In October, we will be collecting donations to help 100 families have a happy Thanksgiving. The Neighborhood Service Center usually provides 150 Thanksgiving Boxes to families. This year Maryland Food Bank, with all the budget cuts, can only provide enough for 52 families. We at Holy Trinity are going to help provide Thanksgiving boxes to 100 families. The Women of Holy Trinity have already donated \$1600 to purchase the needed turkeys. Ow we need you to put a few extra items in your shopping cart to help others have a happy and delicious Thanksgiving. During the month of October we will be collecting the following NONPERISHABLE items:

CANNED GREEN BEANS/CORN	JEFFY CORNBREAD
CANNED YAMS/SWEET POTATOES	PACKAGED GRAVY MIX - NO JARS
CRANBERRY SAUCE	CAKE/BROWNIE MIX
BOXES OF STUFFING	

Thank you for showing that we are all God's children

Save the Dates! Upcoming Concerts

November 16th 3 p.m. Bob McDonald, *Songs of Gershwin, Broadway, American Songbook, Patriotic*

November 30th 3 p.m. Redd Brothers Early Christmas Concert
Jazz, Favorite Holiday Songs

Worship Service Schedule

Holy Eucharist with Music Sundays at 8:00 am and 10:00 am

First Sunday of the month 9:30 am

<u>Monday - November 3</u> 5:00 pm - Men's Bible Study	<u>Friday - November 7</u> OFFICE CLOSED 10:00 am - Choir Practice
<u>Tuesday - November 4</u> 8:30 am - Intercessory Prayer 9:30 am - Grief Group	<u>Saturday - November 8</u> OFFICE CLOSED
<u>Wednesday - November 5</u> 9:00 am - Women on a Journey <u>Thursday - November 6</u>	<u>Saturday - November 9</u> 8:00 am - Holy Eucharist 10:00 am - Holy Eucharist

Vestry Members

John Dillon, Senior Warden	Connie Greenhawk, Secretary	Margaret Munsch, Registrar
Dick Deerin, Treasurer	Bill Ritchie & Michelle Mactavish, Co-Junior Wardens	Gordon Fronk - Emeritus
GINNY WAGNER	Margot McConnel	Lee Phillips
Martha Callahan	Tom DeMarco	Susan Grauel
Dick Deerin	Art Dent	Trish Malin

Dr. Cora Bruner - Organist and Choir Director

Worship Leaders	9:30 am	
Reader	Susie Dillon	
Acolyte	Barbara Cross & Susan Grauel	
Usher		
Vestry Greeter	Trish Malin	
Altar Guild	Nancy Roberts, Karen Walbridge, Ginny Wagner, Linda Wilson	
Flower Guild	Ingrid Blanton, Victoria Chandler, Pam Dent, Susan Middleton, Sandy Wrightson,	
Healing Ministers	Barbara Cross, Marie Davis	