

*The CHURCH of the HOLY TRINITY*  
*An Episcopal Church*

*Third Sunday After Pentecost*

June 14, 2026

8:00 & 10:00 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

8 am *Arioso*

JS Bach

10 am *It Is Well With My Soul*

P. Bliss

### Processional Hymn

*Praise to the Lord the Almighty*



1. Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of
2. Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is won - drous .
3. Praise to the Lord, who will pros - per your work and
4. Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me



a - tion! O my soul, praise him, fo  
reign - ing And, as on wings of ar  
fend you; Sure - ly his good - ness an  
dore him! All that has life and brea



he is your health and sal - va - tion!  
ea - gle, up - lift - ing, sus - tain - ing.  
mer - cy shall dai - ly at - tend you.  
come now with prais - es be - fore him!



All you who hear, Now to his tem - ple draw near.  
Have you not seen All you have need - ed has been  
Pon - der a - new What the Al - might - y can do,  
Let the "A - men" Sound from his peo - ple a - gain!



Praise him in glad ad - o - ra - tion!  
Met by his gra - cious or - dain - ing?  
Who with his love does be - friend you.  
Glad - ly with praise we a - dore him!

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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



Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost; as it was in the be-  
ginning, is now, and ev-er shall be, world without end. A - men. A - men.

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**Celebrant:** The Lord be with you.

**People:** *And also with you.*

**Celebrant:** Let us pray.

## Collect

*Keep, O Lord, your household the Church in your steadfast faith and love, that through your grace we may proclaim your truth with boldness, and minister your justice with compassion; for the sake of our Savior Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.*

## Scripture

### First Lesson

*Genesis 18:1-15*

The LORD appeared to Abraham by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the entrance of his tent in the heat of the day. He looked up and saw three men standing near him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent entrance to meet them, and bowed down to the ground. He said, "My lord, if I find favor with you, do not pass by your servant. Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree. Let me bring a little bread, that

you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on—since you have come to your servant.” So they said, “Do as you have said.” And Abraham hastened into the tent to Sarah, and said, “Make ready quickly three measures of choice flour, knead it, and make cakes.” Abraham ran to the herd, and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to the servant, who hastened to prepare it. Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared, and set it before them; and he stood by them under the tree while they ate. They said to him, “Where is your wife Sarah?” And he said, “There, in the tent.” Then one said, “I will surely return to you in due season, and your wife Sarah shall have a son.” And Sarah was listening at the tent entrance behind him. Now Abraham and Sarah were old, advanced in age; it had ceased to be with Sarah after the manner of women. So Sarah laughed to herself, saying, “After I have grown old, and my husband is old, shall I have pleasure?” The LORD said to Abraham, “Why did Sarah laugh, and say, ‘Shall I indeed bear a child, now that I am old?’ Is anything too wonderful for the LORD? At the set time I will return to you, in due season, and Sarah shall have a son.” But Sarah denied, saying, “I did not laugh”; for she was afraid. He said, “Oh yes, you did laugh.”

The Word of the Lord  
*People: Thanks be to God*

## Psalm 116:1,10-17

- <sup>1</sup> I love the Lord, because he has heard the voice of my supplication, *\* because he has inclined his ear to me whenever I called upon him.*
- <sup>10</sup> How shall I repay the Lord *\*for all the good things he has done for me?*
- <sup>11</sup> I will lift up the cup of salvation *\*and call upon the Name of the Lord.*
- <sup>12</sup> I will fulfill my vows to the Lord *\*in the presence of all his people.*
- <sup>13</sup> Precious in the sight of the Lord *\*is the death of his servants.*
- <sup>14</sup> O Lord, I am your servant; *\*I am your servant and the child of your handmaid; you have freed me from my bonds.*
- <sup>15</sup> I will offer you the sacrifice of thanksgiving *\*and call upon the Name of the Lord.*
- <sup>16</sup> I will fulfill my vows to the Lord *\*in the presence of all his people,*
- <sup>17</sup> In the courts of the Lord's house, *\*in the midst of you, O Jerusalem. Hallelujah!*

## Second Lesson

Romans 5:1-8

Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering

produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us. For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person-- though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.

The Word of the Lord  
*People: Thanks be to God*

## Gradual Hymn

### *Amazing Grace*



1. A - maz - ing grace! how sweet the sound, That saved a wretch like me!
2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And grace my fears re - lieved;
5. When we've been there ten thousand years, Bright shin - ing as the sun,



I once was lost, but now am found, Was blind, but now I see.  
How pre - cious did that grace ap - pear The hour I first be - lieved!  
We've no less days to sing God's praise Than when we first be - gun.

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## Gospel

*Matthew 9:35-10:8*

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew  
*People: Glory to you, Lord Christ*

Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.” Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him. These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: “Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, proclaim the good news, ‘The kingdom of heaven has come near.’ Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment.

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ.

*Praise to you, Lord Christ*

**Sermon**

*The Reverend Kevin Cross*

## Nicene Creed

*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: by the power of the Holy Spirit, he became incarnate from 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 Son. With the Father and the Son, he is worshipped and glorified. He 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

### Diocese of Easton Discernment Prayer

*O God our Comforter, who guides us in the ways of justice and truth and holds us close in times of uncertainty: Inspire us with your grace and wisdom, that we might do everything according to your will and ground ourselves in your love.*

*Give us a sense of openness about the future ministries and mission of the Diocese of Easton. Help us remember that we do not hold all of the answers, nor do we need to. Encourage us when we are anxious about change, reminding us that all things are in your hands: through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit forever and ever. Amen.*

As faithful members of the body of Christ, let us now pray for the Church, the nation and the world. Saying, *“Lord, hear our prayer.”*

Almighty God, we acknowledge you with grateful hearts and the One in whom we live and move and have our being. Thank you, O Lord, for your love, your goodness and your mercy. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles,

and bring them the joy of your salvation. In our weekly prayer intentions we pray for: (*read the names on the prayer list*)...

<i>Deborah Barbour</i>	<i>Betty Jo Mackart</i>	<i>Leslie Howells</i>
<i>Brendan Fuller</i>	<i>Betty Mackart</i>	<i>Jackson Beaumont</i>
<i>Ritzi Miller</i>	<i>Elsbeth Ritchie</i>	<i>Courtney</i>
<i>Rich Wagner</i>	<i>Owen M.</i>	<i>Carey Miller</i>
<i>Connor Frank</i>	<i>Shaun</i>	<i>Peter Zukowski</i>
<i>Eleanor Dallam</i>	<i>Fr. Ambrose Boyd</i>	<i>Polly Obermeier</i>
<i>Michael Delean</i>	<i>Lisbeth Drake</i>	<i>Mike Fisher</i>
<i>Carole Pfeiffer</i>	<i>David Harrell</i>	<i>Everett Kimball</i>
<i>Donna Richards</i>	<i>James Turrell</i>	<i>John Stovall</i>
<i>Gary Kaufman</i>	<i>Dick Barnes</i>	
<i>Andy Coleman</i>	<i>Dan O'Neill</i>	

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

We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom. We remember especially the members of our military who died in service to our country and we pray for comfort and solace for their families.

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

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.*

*A period for personal meditation is observed*

*All: God who in Jesus stills the storm and soothes the frantic heart; bring hope and courage to all who wait or work in uncertainty. Bring hope that you will make them the equal of whatever lies ahead. Bring them courage to endure what cannot be avoided for your will is health and wholeness; you're God and we need you. Amen.*

*A period for personal meditation is observed*

*The Altar Flowers Are Given By Mike And Margot McConnel  
In Honor of Flag Day and Holy Trinity Volunteers*

## **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.*

## **Peace**

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

*People: And also, with you.*

## **The Holy Communion**

### **Offertory**

*8 am O Master Let Me Walk With Thee*

V. Taranto

*10 am The Water Is Wide*

J. Dempsey

### **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

Arr. Malcolm Archer

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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  
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 forever. **AMEN.**

### **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** *(Prayed with those joining us from home and hospital bed)*

*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**

8 am Meditation

10 am MEDITATION – “Ave Maria”

M. Bonis

Arr. L. Rhodes

## Post Communion Prayer

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.*

## Birthdays

George Wadleton, 6/17	Teddy Cross, 6/20
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## Anniversaries

Worth & Elizabeth Hobbs, 6/14	Susie & Bill Dial, 6/14
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## Blessing

## Recessional Hymn

8:00 & 10:00 am

## Love Divine All Loves Excelling



1. Love di - vine, all loves ex - cell-ing, joy of heaven, to earth come down;
2. Breathe, O breathe thy lov - ing Spir - it in - to ev - ery trou - bled breast!
4. Fin - ish, then, thy new cre - a - tion; pure and spot - less let us be.



fix in us thy hum - ble dwell - ing; all thy faith - ful mer - cies crown!  
Let us all in thee in - her - it; let us find that sec - ond rest.  
Let us see thy great sal - va - tion per - fect - ly re - stored in thee;



Je - sus, thou art all com - pas - sion, pure, un - bound - ed love thou art;  
Take a - way our bent to sin - ning; Al - pha and O - me - ga be;  
changed from glo - ry in - to glo - ry, till in heaven we take our place,



vis - it us with thy sal - va - tion; en - ter ev - ery trem - bling heart.  
end of faith, as its be - gin - ning, set our hearts at lib - er - ty.  
till we cast our crowns be - fore thee, lost in won - der, love, and praise.

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## Sending Forth

Go in laughter; go in grace. Keep the Lord in your heart and a smile on your face. The world needs our joy, Alleluia, Alleluia  
**Let us go to share it. Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia.**

## Postlude

*Thank you for Victoria Chandler & Sandy Wrightson for  
hosting Fellowship hour.*

*Thank you Denise Nathanson, Cellist, Ashley Watkins,  
Flutist and Dan Wright, Tenor for sharing your  
wonderful music with us.*

### *Summer Concerts with Additions*

**July 5 4 p.m. The Music of the American Revolution with  
Ginger & David Hildebrand**

**July 26 3 p.m. Summer International Child Prodigy  
Concert from The Leon Fleischer Academy**

**August 30 4 p.m. Hymn Sing with Monte Maxwell, SNA**

### *Summer Choir*

**Everyone is welcome to come sing with us this Summer!  
Easy to sing anthems with familiar melodies.  
All ages welcome!**

**June 21 10 a.m. Service (come at 9:30 a.m.)**

**July 5 9:30 a.m. Service (come at 9 a.m.)**

**August 9:30 a.m. Service (come at 9 a.m.)**

## Worship Service Schedule

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

*First Sunday of the month 9:30 am*

<p><b><u>Monday - June 15</u></b> 9:30 - Grief Group</p> <p><b><u>Tuesday June 16</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Wednesday - June 17</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Thursday - June 18</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Friday - June 19</u> <span style="color: red;">HOLIDAY</span></b> OFFICE CLOSED 8:30 am - Vestry Meeting 10:00 am - Choir Practice</p>	<p><b><u>Saturday - June 20</u></b> OFFICE CLOSED</p> <p><b><u>Sunday - June 21</u></b> 8:00 am -Holy Eucharist 10:00 am -Holy Eucharist</p>

### Vestry Members

Margot McConnel Sr. Warden	Connie Greenhawk, Secretary	Margaret Munsch, Registrar
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Martha Callahan	Tom DeMarco	Susan Grauel
Dick Deerin	Art Dent	Trish Malin
Laura Cassidy	Walda Roseman	Al Sikes

Dr. Cora Bruner - Organist and Choir Director

Worship Leaders	8:00 am	10:00 am
Reader	Barbara Cross	Dan Wright
Acolyte	Kathy Becker	Mickey Terrone
Usher	Marty Sikes	Rene Van Erven
Vestry Greeter	Al Sikes	Walda Roseman
Altar Guild	Kathy Becker, Susan Grauel, Suze Segal, Margaret Munsch, Maxine Millar	
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