

# HOLY TRINITY ANGLICAN CHURCH

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The Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost October 27, 2024 Morning Prayer

## **NEW TO HOLY TRINITY?**

#### Welcome!

We're so glad you've joined us this morning. Whether you've been following Christ for years or are investigating the Christian faith for the first time you are welcome at Holy Trinity.

As an Anglican church our time together in worship is shaped by ancient liturgies accompanied by old hymns, new choruses and the preaching of God's word. On most Sunday mornings we share Holy Communion together, but on the final Sunday of each month we worship following the service of Morning Prayer. Our services come from the Anglican Church in North America's 2019 Book of Common Prayer. Everything you need to know for our service—like when to sit or stand, song lyrics, corporate prayers and readings can be found here in your bulletin.

Our nursery is open during the whole service for children up to 5 years old. There is a "Little Sanctuary" for nursing moms and young children in between the exit doors on the side closest to the nursery. Kids grades K-5 will be invited to their own time of bible teaching before the sermon. All leaders are vetted and trained folks who will love your kids well! Please make sure you have checked in your son or daughter at the check-in station near the young children's wing.

Want to know more about us? Please complete one of the welcome cards located on the large table in the Courtyard Lobby, or speak with a member of our clergy after worship. Thanks again for visiting with us this morning. I look forward to meeting you!

Yours in Christ,

Rev. Dr. John Yates III

## A SERVICE OF MORNING PRAYER

**PRELUDE** 

WELCOME

INTROIT

Blessing and honor

Blessing and honor and glory and power, wisdom and riches and strength evermore give ye to him who our battle hath won, whose are the kingdom, the crown, and the throne.

#### PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Holy God, we praise thy name

Holy God, we praise your name; Lord of all, we bow before you; All on earth your scepter claim, all in heav'n above adore you. Infinite your vast domain, everlasting is your reign.

Hark, the loud celestial hymn angel choirs above are raising; Cherubim and seraphim in unceasing chorus praising, Fill the heav'ns with sweet accord: "Holy, holy, holy Lord."

Lo! The apostolic train join your sacred name to hallow; Prophets swell the glad refrain, and the white-robed martyrs follow; And from morn to set of sun, through the church the song goes on.

Holy Father, Holy Son, Holy Spirit, Three we name you; While in essence only One, undivided God we claim you, And adoring bend the knee, while we sing this mystery.

### THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Officiant: The hour is coming, and now is, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and in truth, for such the Father seeks to worship him. *John 4:23* 

Officiant: Dearly beloved, the Scriptures teach us to acknowledge our many sins and offenses, not concealing them from our heavenly Father, but confessing them with humble and obedient hearts that we may obtain forgiveness by his infinite goodness

and mercy. We ought at all times humbly to acknowledge our sins before Almighty God, but especially when we come together in his presence to give thanks for the great benefits we have received at his hands, to declare his most worthy praise, to hear his holy Word, and to ask, for ourselves and on behalf of others, those things which are necessary for our life and our salvation. Therefore, draw near with me to the throne of heavenly grace.

(Congregation kneels or sits and begins with a moment of silent confession)

#### CONFESSION OF SIN

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.

#### ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

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

## **INVITATORY** (standing)

Officiant Lord, open our lips.

Officiant

People And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

All Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

The earth is the Lord's for he made it:

All O come, let us adore him.

# THE VENITE Psalm 95:1-7 (sung by all)



## **PSALM 65** Te decet hymnus (spoken responsively)

- You, O God, are to be praised in Zion, \* and unto you shall vows be performed in Jerusalem.
- <sup>2</sup> You who hear our prayer, \* unto you shall all flesh come.
- My misdeeds prevail against me; \*
   O be merciful and blot out our sins.
- Blessed is the man whom you choose and receive unto yourself; \* he shall dwell in your courts, and shall be satisfied with the pleasures of your house, even of your holy temple.
- You shall show us wonderful things in your righteousness, O God of our salvation, \* for you are the hope of all the ends of the earth and of the isles that are far away.
- You in your strength set firm the mountains, \* and are girded about with power.
- You still the raging of the seas, \* the noise of their waves, and the tumult of the peoples.
- Those who dwell in the uttermost parts of the earth shall be in fear of your wonders; \* you make the morning and evening to shout with joy.
- <sup>9</sup> You visit the earth and bless it; \* you make it very plenteous.
- <sup>10</sup> The river of God is full of water; \* you prepare the grain, for so you provide for the earth.
- 11 You water its furrows; you send rain into the little valleys; \*
  you make it soft with the drops of rain and bless the increase of it.
- 12 You crown the year with your goodness, \* and your paths overflow with plenty.
- <sup>13</sup> The fields of the wilderness are rich in pasture, \* and the little hills rejoice on every side.

The folds shall be full of sheep; \* the valleys also shall stand so thick with grain that they shall laugh and sing.

Glory to the Father and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

THE LESSONS (All are invited to be seated for the reading of God's word.)

The New Testament: 2 Corinthians 8:1-7 Red Bible, page 967

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

#### Children's Worship

Children grades K-5 are invited to join the teachers and follow the cross at the front of the sanctuary for their own time of kid's worship. They will return to the sanctuary during the announcements.

## GOSPEL SONG (sung by all)

Grace

Your grace that leads this sinner home, from death to life forever, And sings the song of righteousness by blood and not by merit, Your grace that reaches far and wide to every tribe and nation, Has called my heart to enter in the joy of Your salvation.

Chorus: By grace I am redeemed, by grace I am restored, And now I freely walk into the arms of Christ my Lord.

Your grace that I cannot explain, not by my earthly wisdom, The Prince of life without a stain was traded for this sinner. *Chorus* 

Let praise rise up and overflow, my song resound forever,
For grace will see me welcomed home, to walk beside my Savior Chorus x 2

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#### THE GOSPEL

Officiant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Luke 19:1-9 Red Bible page 878

Officiant The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON

The Rev. Dr. John W. Yates III

THE APOSTLES' CREED (said by all professing Christians)

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

SONG OF PRAISE (sung by all)

O praise the name

Chorus: O praise the Name of the Lord our God!
O praise His Name forevermore!
For endless days we will sing Your praise, O Lord, O Lord our God!

I cast my mind to Calvary, where Jesus bled and died for me. I see His wounds, His hands, His feet, my Savior on that cursed tree. His body bound and drenched in tears, they laid Him down in Joseph's tomb, The entrance sealed by heavy stone; Messiah still and all alone. *Chorus* 

Then on the third at break of dawn, the Son of heaven rose again! O trampled death, where is your sting?
The angels roar for Christ the King! *Chorus* 

He shall return in robes of white, the blazing sun shall pierce the night! And I will rise among the saints, my gaze transfixed on Jesus' face. *Chorus x2* 

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## THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (all are invited to sit or kneel)

Officiant: The Lord be with you. **People:** And also with you.

Officiant: Let us pray.

#### Officiant and People

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.

Officiant: O Lord, show your mercy upon us;

People: And grant us your salvation.

Officiant: O Lord, guide those who govern us;

People: And lead us in the way of justice and truth.

Officiant: Clothe your ministers with righteousness;

People: And let your people sing with joy.

Officiant: O Lord, save your people;
People: And bless your inheritance.

Officiant: Give peace in our time, O Lord;

People: And defend us by your mighty power.

Officiant: Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten; **People:** Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.

Officiant: Create in us clean hearts, O God;

People: And take not your Holy Spirit from us.

Almighty and most merciful God, you have told us not to think of ourselves only, but to remember the needs of others. We pray for all in want or need, for all who have strayed from your way, for the sick in body or mind, for the poor and lonely, for those in distress and despair or any other adversity especially JP Archer; Paul Bock; Larry Crumpler; Emily Best; Woody Eatman; Chuck Hodges; Liz Holzner; Ann Johnson; Ted Keller, on the death of his brother, Ken Keller; Holland McPeake; Statt Moore on the death of his mother, Betty Ralston Moore; Mary B. Raiford; Brittany Swanger; Ed Weems; Warren Williamson and Sally Whitt.

Heavenly Father, we praise you for the birth of John "Jack" Duncan Hamby, Jr., to Shanley and JD Hamby; and we pray for all those expecting the birth of a child, especially Whitney and Stuart Couch, Molly and Luke Dalton, Lane and William Dixon, Duncan and Daniel Flynn, Breanna and Micah Linn; Ida and Hunter Winstead; and Taylor and Bennett Younts.

We pray for our loved ones serving in the military, especially Samuel Bedor, Chase Duncan, Derek Eason, and Brennan Hodges — keep them safe, enfold them with your protection and fill them with courage each day.

Please add your own petitions or thanksgivings silently.

Almighty God, who has given us this good land for our heritage: We humbly beseech you that we may always prove ourselves a people mindful of your favor and glad to do your will. Bless our land with honorable industry, sound learning, and pure conduct. Save us from violence, discord, and confusion; from pride and arrogance, and from every evil way. Defend our liberties, and fashion into one united people the multitudes brought here out of many nations and languages. Endue with the spirit of wisdom those to whom, in thy Name, we entrust the authority of government, that there may be justice and peace at home, and that, through obedience to you, we may show forth your praise

among the nations of the earth. In the time of prosperity, fill our hearts with thankfulness, and in the day of trouble, suffer not our trust in you to fail; all this we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

## The Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, you govern all things both in heaven and on earth: Mercifully hear the supplications of your people, and in our time grant us your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.** 

#### THE PEACE & ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### THE OFFERTORY

2 Corinthians 8:9

Officiant: For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that you by his poverty might become rich.

## **OFFERTORY MUSIC**

Voluntary on Old Hundredth, John Blow

## PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS AND GIFTS (Doxology)

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

## THE GENERAL THANKSGIVING (said by all)

Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks for all your goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all whom you have made.

We bless you for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for your immeasurable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.

And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies,

that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up our selves to your service, and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness all our days; Through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.

## A PRAYER OF ST. CHRYSOSTOM

Officiant: Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. **Amen.** 

#### THE GRACE

Officiant: Let us bless the Lord. **People:** Thanks be to God!

All: "The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the

fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore." Amen.

2 Corinthians 13:14

#### RECESSIONAL HYMN

Our God, our help in ages past

Our God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come, Our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home.

Under the shadow of your throne your saints have dwelt secure; Sufficient is your arm alone, and our defense is sure.

Before the hills in order stood, or earth received her frame, From everlasting you are God, to endless years the same.

The busy tribes of flesh and blood, with all their lives and cares Are carried downward by your flood, and lost in foll'wing years.

Our God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come; O be our guard while troubles last, and our eternal home.

## THE DISMISSAL

Officiant: Alleluia! Alleluia! Let us go forth rejoicing in the good news of Christ! **People: Thanks be to God! Alleluia! Alleluia!** 

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Immediately following the service we invite any who desire confidential prayer for any reason to come to the left transept area to pray with a member of our healing prayer team.

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