



HOLY TRINITY
ANGLICAN CHURCH

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The Fourth Sunday after Easter

May 11, 2025 - 9:00 am

Baptism and Holy Communion

WELCOME

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 HOLY BAPTISM

WELCOME

INTROIT

All things shall perish, Anon

*All things shall perish, thou dost remain; and all those in thee shall live again.
Thou dost remain, thou dost remain; all things shall perish, thou dost remain.
Thou dost remain, thou dost remain; and all those in thee shall live again.*

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

We know that Christ is raised



1 We know that Christ is raised and dies no more. _____
2 We share by wa - ter in his sav - ing death. _____
3 The Fa - ther's splen - dor clothes the Son with life. _____
4 A new cre - a - tion comes to life and grows _____

Em - braced by death he broke its fear - ful hold; _____
Re - born we share with him an Eas - ter life _____
The Spi - rit's pow - er shakes the Church of God. _____
as Christ's new bo - dy takes on flesh and blood. _____

and our de - spair he turned to blaz - ing joy. _____
as liv - ing mem - bers of a liv - ing Christ. _____ Al - le -
Bap - tized we live with God the Three in One. _____ sing: _____
The u - ni - verse re - stored and whole will

Final Ending

lu - ia! — Al - le - lu - ia! A - men.

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Officiant: Alleluia. Christ is risen.

Response: The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

Officiant: There is one Body and one Spirit;

Response: There is one hope in God's call to us.

Officiant: One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;

Response: One God and Father of all.

Officiant: The Lord be with you.

Response: And also with you.

Officiant: Let us pray.

Eternal Father, at the baptism of Jesus you revealed him to be your Son, and your Holy Spirit descended upon him like a dove: Grant that we, who are born again by water and the Spirit, may be faithful as your adopted children; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

PRESENTATION AND EXAMINATION OF THE CANDIDATES FOR BAPTISM

Officiant: The candidates for Holy Baptism will now be presented.

Presenter: We present Margaret Jones Manning to receive the sacrament of Baptism.

We present Hunt Taylor Manning to receive the sacrament of Baptism.

Officiant: Have you already been baptized?

Candidate: No.

Officiant: Do you desire to be baptized?

Candidate: I do.

Officiant: Do you renounce Satan and any spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?

Candidate: I renounce them.

Officiant: Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?

Candidate: I renounce them.

Officiant: Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?

Candidate: I renounce them.

Officiant: Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept Him as your Savior?

Candidate: I do.

Officiant: By the power of the Holy Spirit do you promise to follow and obey Him
as your Lord?

Candidate: I do.

Officiant: Do you put your whole trust in His grace and love?

Candidate: I do.

The Officiant addresses the congregation saying:

Will you who witness these vows do all in your power to support
Maggie and Hunt in their life in Christ?

People: We will.

THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT (*all stand*)

Officiant: Let us together, as the Body of Christ, recommit ourselves to Christ and
renew our own baptismal covenant.

Officiant: Do you believe in God the Father?

People: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Officiant: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People: 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.**

Officiant: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

**People: 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.**

Officiant: Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the
breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

People: I will, with God's help.

Officiant: Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People: I will, with God's help.

Officiant: Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

People: I will, with God's help.

Officiant: Will you seek to serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People: I will, with God's help.

PRAYERS FOR THE CANDIDATES

Officiant: Let us now pray for Maggie and Hunt who will receive the Sacrament of Baptism.

Officiant: Deliver them, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Officiant: Open their hearts to your grace and truth.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Officiant: Fill them with your holy and life-giving Spirit.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Officiant: Keep them in the faith and communion of your holy Church.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Officiant: Teach them to love others in the power of the Spirit.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Officiant: Send them into the world in witness to your love.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Officiant: Bring them to the fullness of your peace and glory.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Officiant: Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of His resurrection and look for Him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns with You now and forever. **Amen.**

(please be seated)

THE BAPTISM

Officiant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

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

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

Officiant: We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over it the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through it you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In it your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life. Bless, O Lord, this water and these your servants baptized in it that they might know you, love you and serve you all their days. **Amen.**

Margaret Jones Manning and Hunt Taylor Manning are baptized by name using the following words: I baptize you in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Maggie and Hunt are anointed with oil using the following words:

May you be sealed by the Holy Spirit and marked as a member of Christ's One, Holy, catholic and Apostolic Church forever. **Amen.**

After the baptism, the Officiant continues: Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon this young woman and young man the gift of baptism. Sustain them, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give them an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works. **Amen.**

WELCOME THE NEWLY BAPTIZED

Officiant: Let us welcome the newly baptized.

Officiant and People:

We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.

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.

SONG OF PRAISE

Grace

*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 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***

**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 LESSONS *(please sit)*

The Old Testament: Ruth 1:1-18
Reader: The Word of the Lord

Red Bible, page 222
People: Thanks be to God.

THE GOSPEL *(please stand)*

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.
People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

John 20:24-31
Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

Red Bible, page 907
People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON

The Rev. Dr. John W. Yates III

THE PEACE & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY MUSIC

Alleluia, Christ is risen, James Kirby

*Alleluia, Alleluia! Hearts to heaven and voices raise:
Sing to God a hymn of gladness, sing to God a hymn of praise.*

*He who on the cross a victim, for the world's salvation bled,
Jesus Christ, the King of glory, now is risen from the dead.*

*Christ is risen, we are risen! Shed upon us heav'nly grace,
rain and dew and gleams of glory from the brightness of thy face.*

*Alleluia, Alleluia! Glory be to God on high;
Alleluia! to the Savior who has gained the victory.*

PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS AND GIFTS (*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! (5x)**

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

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

People: **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

(The people remain standing.)

Heavenly Father, we lift our hearts to you as we gather at your table. You are worthy at all times and in all places to receive glory, honor, thanks and praise, through Jesus Christ our Lord: For He is Your living Word from before time and for all ages; by Him you created all things, and by Him you make all things new.

When we had sinned against you and become subject to evil and death you, in your tender mercy, gave Your Son, Jesus Christ, to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there a full, perfect and sufficient sacrifice, offered once and for all time, for the sins of the whole world. By His death He reconciled us to you, satisfying your just demands. By His rising to new life He has secured eternal deliverance for His people.

We thank You Father, that on the night before He died, Jesus took bread; and when He had given You thanks, He broke it, and gave it to His disciples, saying, "Take, and eat. This is my body given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." After the meal, He took the cup, and again giving You thanks He gave it to His disciples, saying, "Drink from 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. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

Therefore Father, we thank You for these gifts of bread and wine. By the power of your Holy Spirit we pray that all who eat and drink them, believing our Savior's word, may share His body and blood. **Amen.**

(please kneel or sit)

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.**

Friends, at just the right time, when we were weak and unable to help ourselves Christ Jesus died for the ungodly. These are the gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Jesus Christ died for you and feed on Him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

Receiving Communion: The ushers will guide your row either to the front of the church or to the rear via the center aisle. Please extend your hands to receive the wafer, which you will then dip in the chalice. Once you have received Holy Communion, please return to your seat via the side aisle. Gluten-free wafers are available.

During Communion two prayer ministers will be available to pray with anyone who would like prayer for any reason. They will be stationed in the Prayer Corner, which is in the left transept.

COMMUNION MUSIC

I come with joy

*Sung by choir: I come with joy to meet my Lord, forgiven, loved, and free,
In awe and wonder to recall his life laid down for me.*

**Sung by all: I come with Christians far and near to find, as all are fed,
the new community of love in Christ's communion bread.**

**As Christ breaks bread and bids us share, each proud division ends.
That love that made us makes us one, and strangers now are friends.**

**And thus with joy we meet our Lord. His presence, always near.
Is in such friendship better known: we see and praise him here.**

**Together met, together bound, we'll go out different ways,
And as his people in the world we'll live and speak his praise.**

His mercy is more (sung by all)

**Chorus: Praise the Lord, His mercy is more.
Stronger than darkness, new every morn,
Our sins they are many; His mercy is more.**

**What love could remember no wrongs we have done?
Omniscient, all knowing, He counts not their sum.
Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore,
Our sins they are many, His mercy is more. Chorus**

**What patience would wait as we constantly roam?
What Father so tender is calling us home?**

He welcomes the weakest, the vilest, the poor;
Our sins they are many; His mercy is more.

*Chorus: Praise the Lord, His mercy is more.
Stronger than darkness, new every morn,
Our sins they are many; His mercy is more.*

What riches of kindness He lavished on us?
His blood was the payment, His life was the cost.
We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford.
Our sins they are many, His mercy is more. **Chorus x 2**

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Only a Holy God (sung by all)

Who else commands all the hosts of heaven?
Who else could make every king bow down?
Who else can whisper and darkness trembles?
Only a Holy God.

What other beauty demands such praises?
What other splendor outshines the sun?
What other majesty rules with justice?
Only a Holy God.

*Chorus: Come and behold Him, the One and the Only,
Cry out, sing, "Holy! Forever a Holy God!
Come and worship the Holy God!"*

What other glory consumes like fire?
What other power can raise the dead?
What other name remains undefeated?
Only a Holy God. **Chorus**

Who else could rescue me from my failing?
Who else would offer His only Son?
Who else invites me to call Him Father?
Only a Holy God. **Chorus x 2**

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POST COMMUNION PRAYER

(Prayed by all sitting or kneeling)

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.

THE BLESSING

The blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you,
and remain with you always. Amen.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

Be thou my vision

Be thou my vision O Lord of my heart;
naught be all else to me, save that thou art
thou my best thought— by day or by night,
waking or sleeping thy presence my light.

Be thou my battleshield, sword for my fight;
be thou my dignity, thou my delight,
thou my soul's shel—ter, thou my high tow'r:
raise thou me heav'nward, O Pow'r of my pow'r.

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise,
thou mine inheritance, now and always;
thou and thou on—ly, first in my heart,
High King of heaven, my treasure thou art.

High King of heaven, my victory won,
may I reach heaven's joys, O bright heav'n's Sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
still be my vision, O Ruler of all.

THE DISMISSAL

Officiant: Alleluia! Alleluia! Let us go forth rejoicing in the good news of Christ!

People: Thanks be to God! Alleluia! Alleluia!

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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