

The Holy Eucharist: Rite II
Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost
August 18, 2024
10:00 a.m.

Welcome to Trinity

Prelude: *Organ Concerto in B flat Major, HWV 294* **G.F Handel**

Welcome

Service begins in the Book of Common Prayer **BCP, p. 355**

A Moment of Silent Prayer *(please kneel, as able)*

Processional Hymn *(please stand, as able)*

Come, O Come, Our Voices Raising **Hymn 430**

The Opening Acclamation **BCP, p. 355**

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

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

The Collect for Purity

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 **Hymn S280**

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

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

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have given your only Son to be for us a sacrifice for sin, and also an example of godly life: Give us grace to receive thankfully the fruits of his redeeming work, and to follow daily in the blessed steps of his most holy life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. ***Amen.***

Children's Chapel: Children ages 3-8 come to the front of the church, follow the leader to Children's Worship (located in the Children's Ministry Building) and return at the Peace.

Rise and shine and give God the glory, children of the Lord!

The Liturgy of the Word

A Reading from the Book of Proverbs (9:1-6)

Wisdom has built her house, she has hewn her seven pillars. She has slaughtered her animals, she has mixed her wine, she has also set her table. She has sent out her servant-girls, she calls from the highest places in the town, “You that are simple, turn in here!” To those without sense she says, “Come, eat of my bread and drink of the wine I have mixed. Lay aside immaturity, and live, and walk in the way of insight.”

The Word of the Lord

People ***Thanks be to God***

Psalm 34:9-14

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Jerome Webster Meachen
(b. 1930)



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- 9 Fear the Lord, you that are his saints, *
for those who fear him lack nothing.
- 10 The young lions lack and suffer hunger, *
but those who seek the Lord lack nothing that is good.
- 11 Come, children, and listen to me; *
I will teach you the fear of the Lord.
- 12 Who among you loves life *
and desires long life to enjoy prosperity?
- 13 Keep your tongue from evil-speaking *
and your lips from lying words.
- 14 Turn from evil and do good; *
seek peace and pursue it.

A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Ephesians (5:15-20)

Be careful then how you live, not as unwise people but as wise, making the most of the time, because the days are evil. So do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. Do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery; but be filled with the Spirit, as you sing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs among yourselves, singing and making melody to the Lord in your hearts, giving thanks to God the Father at all times and for everything in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

The Word of the Lord

People ***Thanks be to God***

Sequence (*please stand, as able*)

Eternal Light, Shine In My Heart

Hymn 466

The Gospel

John (6:51-58)

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ**

Jesus said, "I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh." The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, "How can this man give us his flesh to eat?" So Jesus said to them, "Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood have eternal life, and I will raise them up on the last day; for my flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live forever."

The Gospel of the Lord

People **Praise to you Lord Christ**

The Sermon

The Rev. Joanna Unangst

The Nicene Creed *(please stand, as able)*

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Prayers of the People, Form III

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;

That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

That your Name may be glorified by all people.

For Archbishop Justin, for our Presiding Bishop Michael and our Bishops Andrew, Jeff, Kai, and Hector; and for all bishops, priests, and deacons.

That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest;

Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others, praying together for those on our parish prayer list.

Annie, Barry, Bob, Carol, Curt, Deirin, Donna, Joseph, Lindsey, Oliver, Vern

Silence

The People may add their own petitions.

The Deacon and Celebrant may insert their own petitions.

Collect

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

The 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

Absolution

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The Peace *(please stand, as able)*

Announcements

If you are visiting with us, please fill out a Guest Card located in the pew rack in front of you, so we can share with you what God is doing here at Trinity and how you can be a part of it.

Blessing of the Children's Ministry Team and the Youth Ministry Team.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

The Holy Communion

By your Baptism you are welcome to receive communion with us. Gluten free wafers and wine are available at the far end of the Altar Rail on the Gospel side (left side as you face the Altar). These wafers and the wine are separate from the wafers made of wheat. Please let the priest know you wish gluten free by putting your palms face down. When you drink from the chalice at communion, please take the bottom of the chalice and gently assist the LEM (Chalice Bearer). To avoid spillage, please do not grasp the stem or cup of the chalice.

Offertory Sentence

The Offertory

Bread Of the World

Richard Shepherd

*Bread of the world, in mercy broken,
Wine of the soul, in mercy shed,
By Whom the words of life were spoken,
And in Whose death our sins are dead.*

*Look on the heart by sorrow broken,
Look on the tears by sinners shed;
And be Thy feast to us the token,
That by Thy grace our souls are fed.*

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.

As the offerings are presented and placed on the Altar, please stand.

Prayers at Offertory

Celebrant Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation; through your goodness we have this bread to offer, which earth has given and human hands have made. It will become for us the Bread of Heaven.

People ***Blessed be God forever.***

Celebrant Blessed are you, Lord God of all creation; through your goodness we have this wine to offer, fruit of the vine and work of human hands. It will become for us the Cup of Salvation.

People ***Blessed be God forever.***

Celebrant Receive, O Lord, these gifts presented by your people for the work of your Church.

People ***Amen***

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A

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Sanctus

Hymn S129

The Lord's Prayer

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Agnus Dei

Hymn S161

Fraction Anthem

The dis - ci - ples knew the Lord Je - sus
5 in the break - ing of the bread.

The bread which we break, alleluia, is the communion of the body of Christ.

One body are we, alleluia, for though many we share one bread.

Communion Song ***Behold the Lamb***

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Communion Hymns

Let Us Break Bread Together

Hymn 325

'Tis the Gift To Be Simple

Hymn 554

All Who Hunger, Gladly Gather

All who hunger gather gladly;
holy manna is our bread.

Come from wilderness and wand'ring.

Here in truth we will be fed.

You that yearn for days of fullness,
all around us is our food.

Taste and see the grace eternal.

Taste and see that God is good.

All who hunger, never strangers,
seeker, be a welcome guest.
Come from restlessness and roaming.
Here, in joy we keep the feast.
We that once were lost and scattered
in communion's love have stood.
Taste and see the grace eternal.
Taste and see that God is good.

All who hunger, sing together,
Jesus Christ is living bread.
Come from loneliness and longing.
Here, in peace, we have been fed.
Blest are those who from this table
live their days in gratitude.
Taste and see the grace eternal.
Taste and see that God is good.

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Post Communion Prayer

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The Blessing

Recessional Hymn

When In Our Music God Is Glorified

Hymn 420

The Dismissal

Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia.

People ***Thanks be to God. Alleluia.***

Dorian Toccata, BWV 538

J.S Bach

Rector - The Rev. Dr. Gerald Sevick
Associate Rector - The Rev. Frank Samuelson
Associate Rector - The Rev. Joanna Unangst
Deacon - The Rev. Russ Oechsel
Director of Music - Micki Balog
Music Associate and Principal Organist - Jack Balog
Coordinating Verger – Bill Cox
Deacon - The Rev. John Vancamp (Retired)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God by Linda Leger in thanks for the Trinity Staff and Parish

Welcome to Trinity

We are so happy that you chose to worship with us today. Trinity is a wonderful place to be! Please fill out the Guests Card you see in the pews. It's so simple! You can scan the QR code and it will contact Jennifer Davenport for membership information or any questions. We are glad you are here!

TRINITY PARISH RETREAT AT CAMP ALLEN

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN! Everyone is invited to Trinity's Parish Retreat on November 15-17, 2024. Join us for this special weekend of formation, fellowship, and fun! This parish weekend is for people of all ages. Situated on 1,100 acres in the serene piney woods of the Navasota area, Camp Allen provides a place to relax, refresh, and refocus. Go to the website to sign up!

LECTOR AND LAY EUCHARISTIC MINISTER TRAINING

Would you be interested in deepening your experience during Sunday services? One way is to become a Lector (reading the Lessons) or Lay Eucharistic Minister ("LEM"; serving the chalice and reading lessons and prayers as needed). Lectors must be members of Trinity. LEMs must be at least 16 years old, confirmed, and members of Trinity. A training session will be held on Sept. 29th in the Nave after the 10 AM service. Lector trainees will stay for the first 30 minutes and LEM trainees will continue for another 30 minutes (total of 1 hour). If you are interested, please just join the Verger after the 10 AM service on Sept. 29.

ANGEL GIFT MARKET

Looking for people who enjoy sewing or doing bead work. We have a few select items we would like to have made and donated to us to sell at our Angel Gift Market Craft Table this year. Items would be due by November 15th. The Angel Gift Market will be held December 8th and proceeds help fund Trinity's Outreach Ministries for the next year. If you are interested in sewing or bead work and making specific items for us to sell at the AGM please contact Myra Rutigliano for details at myrarutig@yahoo.com.

PRIME TIME LUNCHEON

PTG will meet in the Horner Room on August 19th... 11am for fellowship, 11:30 for noon day prayer. Please bring your own brown bag lunch. There will be no speaker, but great fellowship, faith, and laughter! Come join us! no rsvp required. Any questions then contact Charlie Brown.

LADIES FRIDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

This group meets on Fridays from 9:30am - 11:00am, in the Horner Room. We will be studying N.T. Wright's "Luke for Everyone" 20th Anniversary Edition. This class will start September 6, 2024 with a brunch at 10:00am in the Horner Room. Anyone interested in joining, please come. Lessons will start September 13th.

PAUL'S LETTER TO THE EPHESIANS

The Rector's Bible Study will begin September 5th. We will have (2) two offerings of the same content Thursday's 1:00 p.m. or 7:00 p.m. Father Gerry will lead this class and study The Letter of Paul to the Ephesians. Please sign up on our website (www.trinitywoodlands.org) or in the Narthex.

JOURNEY OF TRANSFORMATION

You are invited to join the Journey of Transformation into Anti-Racism Group Discussion of a new book, My Grandmother's Hands: Racialized Trauma and the Pathway to Mending Our Hearts and Bodies, from October 13 – November 10. We will meet and cover Part I of the book Sundays at 3:00 p.m facilitated by Fr. Frank over Zoom. The author, Resmaa Menakem, MSW, LICSW, is a therapist with decades of experience currently in private practice in Minneapolis, MN, specializing in trauma, body-centered psychotherapy, and violence prevention. My Grandmother's Hands is a call to action for all of us to recognize that racism is not only about the head, but about the body, and introduces an alternative view of what we can do to grow beyond our entrenched racialized divide. Sign up online, the Ministry Fair or in the narthex.

THE FAITH BOOK EXPLORERS

The Faith Explorers Book Club will read, contemplate and discuss the book, Soul Bloom, by Rainn Wilson on September 11th We meet on Wednesdays at 12:30 in the Youth Building. Bring a bagged lunch for social time from 12:30 to 1:00. Discussion will begin at 1:00. Contact Bev Redd at bevredd@gmail.com or 610-304-6630 for more information

BROTHER OF ST. ANDREW GOLF TOURNAMENT

October 8th, the Brotherhood of St. Andrew for our district is hosting its annual golf tournament at Cypresswood Golf Course.. Registration starts at 11am, and tee off time for the scramble tournament is at noon. Light lunch is included, awards ceremony and silent auction. This is the primary fundraising activity for the annual Boys Camp retreat at Camp Allen on Oct. 11th -13th. The retreat is for 40-60 inner city boys to come out and have fun activities like fishing, spiritual and enrichment activities as well. Tournament registration per player is \$125.00, and we plan to put together at least two teams of 4 players. Any age and skill level, men and women, are invited. Retired or active military personnel are invited to play for free! Contact Ken Sturges (ksturges9@gmail.com), Randy Redd (ranredd@gmail.com), or any of the members of the Brotherhood, if you are interested in playing or volunteering at the tournament, or volunteering at the Boys Retreat at Camp Allen.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Healing: Violet, Virlen W., Lindsey S., Curt H., Sarah K., Matt H., Vern K., Andy H., Anthony N., Alan M., Scott C., Bonnie, Marta A., Kate, John, Larry, Sue, Amanda A., Barry, Curt G. and Paula M.

Thanksgiving: Betsy Delaney

Guidance: Ryan, Scott, and Chris

Departed: Don Frank Houston and Linda Lou Woodend

Birth: Jackson Eric Lex and Lukas Briggs Gaxiola