



The First Sunday after Pentecost: Trinity Sunday
HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE II

June 15, 2025
5:00P.M.

***Welcome!** Whether you are a first-time visitor, longtime member, or somewhere in-between, welcome to this place where together we sing, read, pray, listen, and break bread in thanksgiving and praise of the living God whose love brings new life for us and for the world. **About the service:** An Episcopal worship service may seem difficult to follow if it is unfamiliar to you; please participate as you are able and ask someone near you for assistance if you need it. We use this leaflet and the red Book of Common Prayer (BCP). **For more information:** Fill out a welcome card, located in the pew rack, and drop it in the offering plate or return it by mail. Call the Parish Office at 225-387-5141 with questions about baptisms, weddings, membership, or any other needs.*

THE WORD OF GOD

The people stand when the ministers of the service enter

Opening Acclamation

BCP 355

Kyrie Eleison

BCP 356

The appointed Collect of the Day and Lessons are found on the next page.

The Sermon

The Rev. R. Lynn Hooks

The Nicene Creed

BCP 358

The Prayers of the People

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The Confession & Absolution

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The Peace

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Welcome & Announcements

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Eucharistic Prayer A

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The Lord's Prayer

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The Breaking of the Bread

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The Postcommunion Prayer

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The Blessing & Dismissal

BCP 366

Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given to us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of your divine Majesty to worship the Unity: Keep us steadfast in this faith and worship, and bring us at last to see you in your one and eternal glory, O Father; who with the Son and the Holy Spirit live and reign, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

A reading from the Book of Proverbs.

Does not wisdom call, and does not understanding raise her voice? On the heights, beside the way, at the crossroads she takes her stand; beside the gates in front of the town, at the entrance of the portals she cries out: "To you, O people, I call, and my cry is to all that live. The Lord created me at the beginning of his work, the first of his acts of long ago. Ages ago I was set up, at the first, before the beginning of the earth. When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no springs abounding with water. Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth— when he had not yet made earth and fields, or the world's first bits of soil. When he established the heavens, I was there, when he drew a circle on the face of the deep, when he made firm the skies above, when he established the fountains of the deep, when he assigned to the sea its limit, so that the waters might not transgress his command, when he marked out the foundations of the earth, then I was beside him, like a master worker; and I was daily his delight, rejoicing before him always, rejoicing in his inhabited world and delighting in the human race."

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Read responsively by half verse.

Psalm 8

- ¹ O Lord our Governor, *
how exalted is your Name in all the world!
- ² Out of the mouths of infants and children *
your majesty is praised above the heavens.
- ³ You have set up a stronghold against your adversaries, *
to quell the enemy and the avenger.
- ⁴ When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, *
the moon and the stars you have set in their courses,
- ⁵ What is man that you should be mindful of him? *
the son of man that you should seek him out?

⁶ You have made him but little lower than the angels; *
 you adorn him with glory and honor;
⁷ You give him mastery over the works of your hands; *
 you put all things under his feet:
⁸ All sheep and oxen, *
 even the wild beasts of the field,
⁹ The birds of the air, the fish of the sea, *
 and whatsoever walks in the paths of the sea.
¹⁰ O Lord our Governor, *
 how exalted is your Name in all the world!

Romans 5:1-5

A reading from Paul's letter to the Romans.

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.

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

All stand.
 John 16:12-15

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

Jesus said to the disciples, "I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you."

Gospeler The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

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The Prayers of the People – Form III

Leader Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;
People **That we all may be one.**

Leader Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;
People **That your Name may be glorified by all people.**

Leader We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons; especially Sean, our Presiding Bishop; Shannon, our Bishop; Chris, Drew, Lynn, and Don, our priests; and John, our seminarian. In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for the clergy and people of St. George's, New Orleans.
People **That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.**

Leader We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world; especially Donald, our president; Jeff, our governor; Sid, our mayor; and our family and friends serving in the military and law enforcement; that they may be led to wise decisions and right actions for the welfare and peace of the world.
People **That there may be justice and peace on the earth.**

Leader Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;
People **That our works may find favor in your sight.**

Leader Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble; especially Merrilee, Hays, Rosalyn, John, Julie, Aimee, Martha, Sarah, Elizabeth, Craig, those on our prayer list, and all those who in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity.
People **That they may be delivered from their distress.**

Leader We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life. We also pray for expectant mothers, especially Caroline, Maddy, Anna Katherine, Olivia, Brooke, Molly, Liz, and Catherine, that they may happily come to the time of birth, and serving you in all things may rejoice in your providence.

We will exalt you, O God our King.
People **And praise your name for ever and ever.**

Leader Give to the departed eternal rest, especially Lucy Bowers, Caroline Perron, Jane Shank, and Bessie Stockton, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.
People **Let light perpetual shine upon them.**

Leader We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;
People **May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.**

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

The People may add their own petitions.
The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.