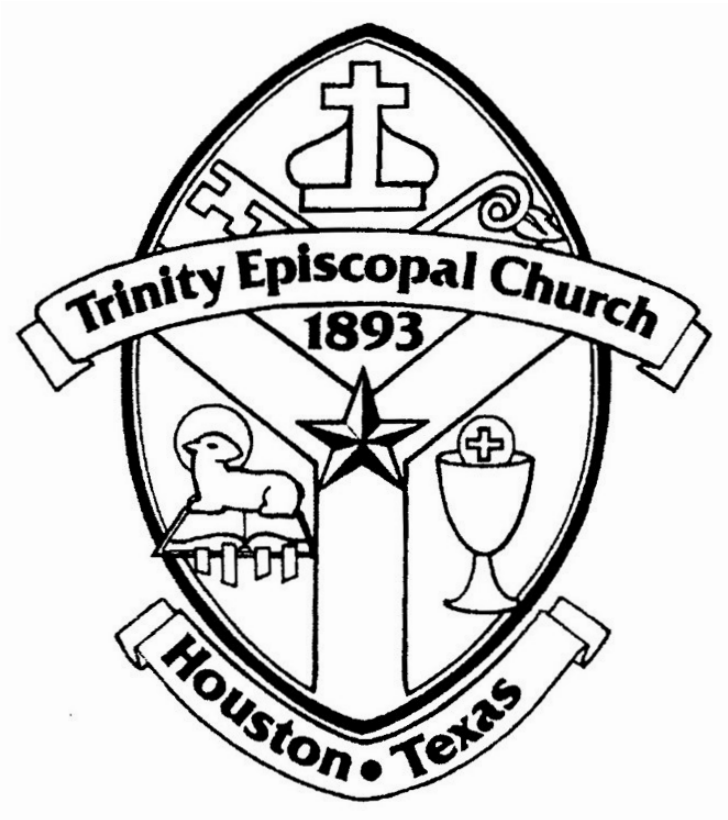
The Fifth Sunday After Pentecost

June 28, 2026
10:30 a.m.



The Reverend Hannah E. Atkins Romero, Rector
The Reverend Maria Teresa Bautista-Berrios, Associate Rector

Tian Qin, Organist
Paul Mortilla, Choirmaster

Making God's Presence Real
By Sharing Christ's Life-Changing Love

WELCOME TO TRINITY CHURCH

Welcome to Trinity Episcopal Church! We're glad you chose to worship with us. We follow the 1979 Book of Common Prayer (BCP) to guide our worship. In this leaflet, you'll find everything you need to follow along printed.

Whether you've been attending Trinity your whole life or this is your first time here, we invite you to participate in the service as fully as you feel comfortable doing.

If you're looking for a new church home, know that the Trinity family welcomes you. We would also appreciate your filling out a virtual visitors card, which can be accessed at this link:

https://www.trinitymidtown.org/contact-card-page/

For more information, please visit our website:
www.trinitymidtown.org

Facebook Live Stream. Please be advised that this service is live streamed through our Trinity Facebook Page and YouTube channels. By participating in the service, you are consenting to the broadcast of your image and voice and to the broadcast of the image and voice of your children who participate.

Children 3yrs through 3rd grade *Catechesis of the Good Shepherd* Meets in room 112 at 9:30 a.m. and the children return to their parents at the passing of the peace.

A SPECIAL WELCOME TO THOSE WITH YOUNG CHILDREN

- Your children are welcome here at Trinity! First, please relax and enjoy your time here. We know that children tend to wiggle and squawk a bit, so please don't feel embarrassed.
- Each Sunday, your child may pick up a pew activity in the back of the church.
- To make things easier for your family, dare to sit closer to the front where your child can see what's going on at the altar. Guide them in the liturgy and be models for them. Help them sing the hymns and encourage them to stand/sit when appropriate, say "Amen" and "Thanks be to God," and generally help them be a part of the service. The liturgy belongs to them too.
- If you have to leave, hurry back! Jesus wants the children here, and we do too. If you need help, just ask. There are many here who are willing to lend you a hand.
- There is a Children's Area in the Historic Church near the Fellowship Hall. It is available to all children up to five years old, all special needs children, and their caregivers during services held in the Historic Church. It features books, puzzles, and other quiet activities.

VESTRY

Elisabeth Tsubai, *Senior Warden*
Eric Beam, *Junior Warden*

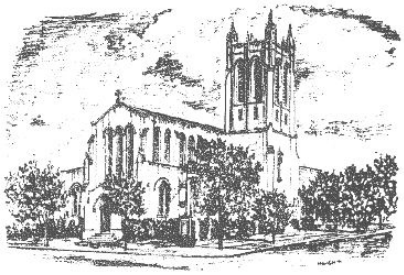
Ben Blanding
Shelby Bradley
Catherine Guthrie
Tony Huffman
Patrick Humphreys
Tim Lawson
Andréa Shiloh
Jeanne Sommerfeld
Amanda Talaat
Ben Tallcott

Teddy Adams, *Chancellor*
Dana Gannon, *Assistant Chancellor*
Larry Laubach, *Treasurer*
Steve Lee, *Assistant Treasurer*
Ben Blanding, *Clerk of the Vestry*

LAY MINISTERS SERVING TODAY

Lector: Ethan Smith
Prayers: Phylliss Chappell
LEMs: Stan Tubbs, Chris Hensman
Acolytes: L. Blanding, S. Chambers, L. Chambers, G. Chambers, O. Humphreys, Z. Hopson, S. Blanding
Ushers: Leah Stasney
Verger: Christian Bearup
Vestry of the Day: Ben Blanding
Altar Guild: Madeline Mauk, Jeanne Sommerfeld, Linda Davenport
Audio Visual: Daniel Romero Atkins

The High Altar flowers are dedicated to the Glory of God
and in appreciation of the Trinity Choir
by Trinity Parish



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HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

10:30 a.m. Historic Church

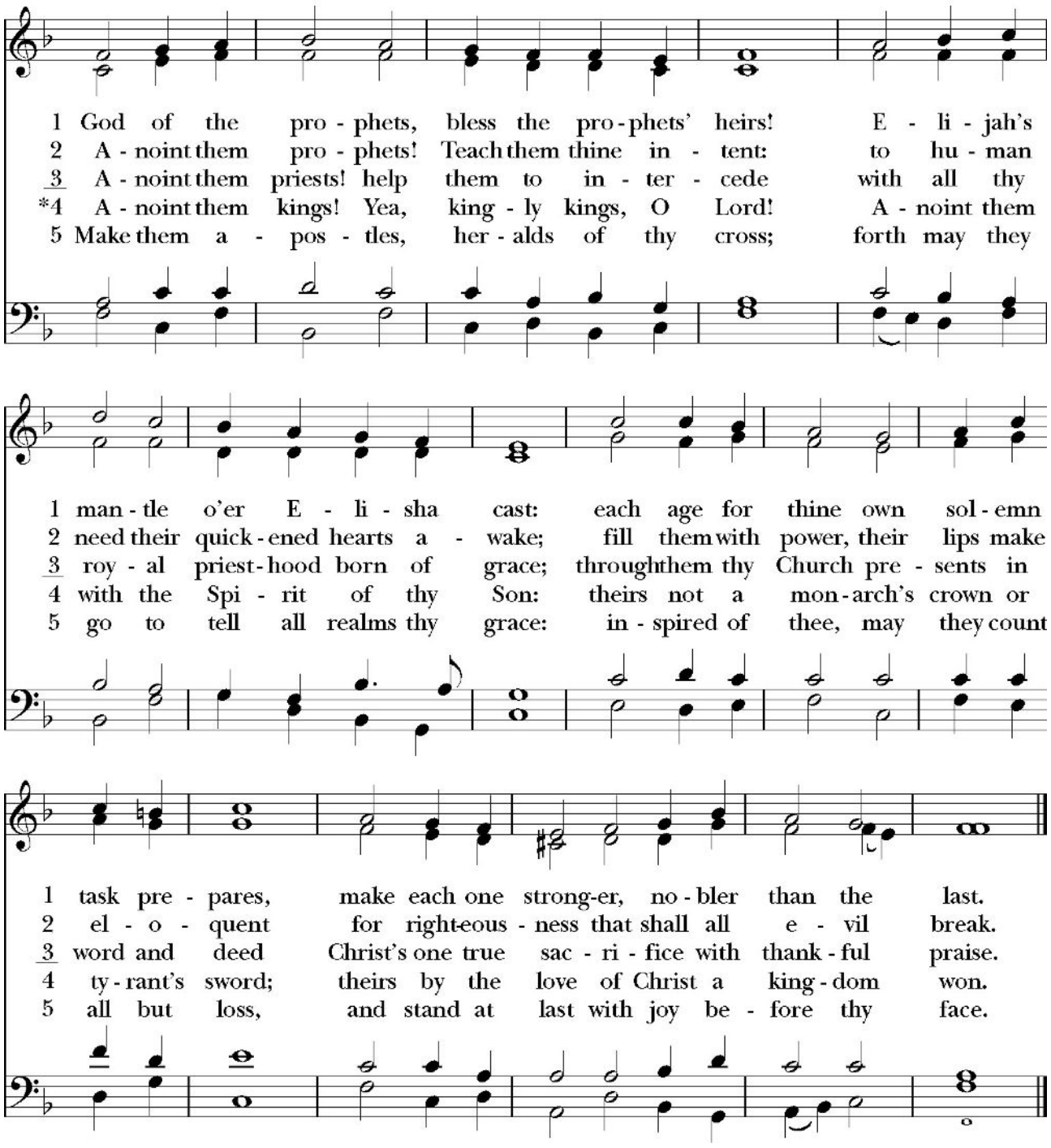
Please enter in a spirit of prayerful contemplation.

PRELUDE The Lord's Prayer Albert Hay Malotte (1895 - 1964)
Harrison Moore, IV, soloist

The Liturgy of the Word

Please stand as able.

HYMN IN PROCESSION 359 *God of the prophets, bless the prophets' heirs* Toulon



THE OPENING ACCLAMATION *BCP,* page 355

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

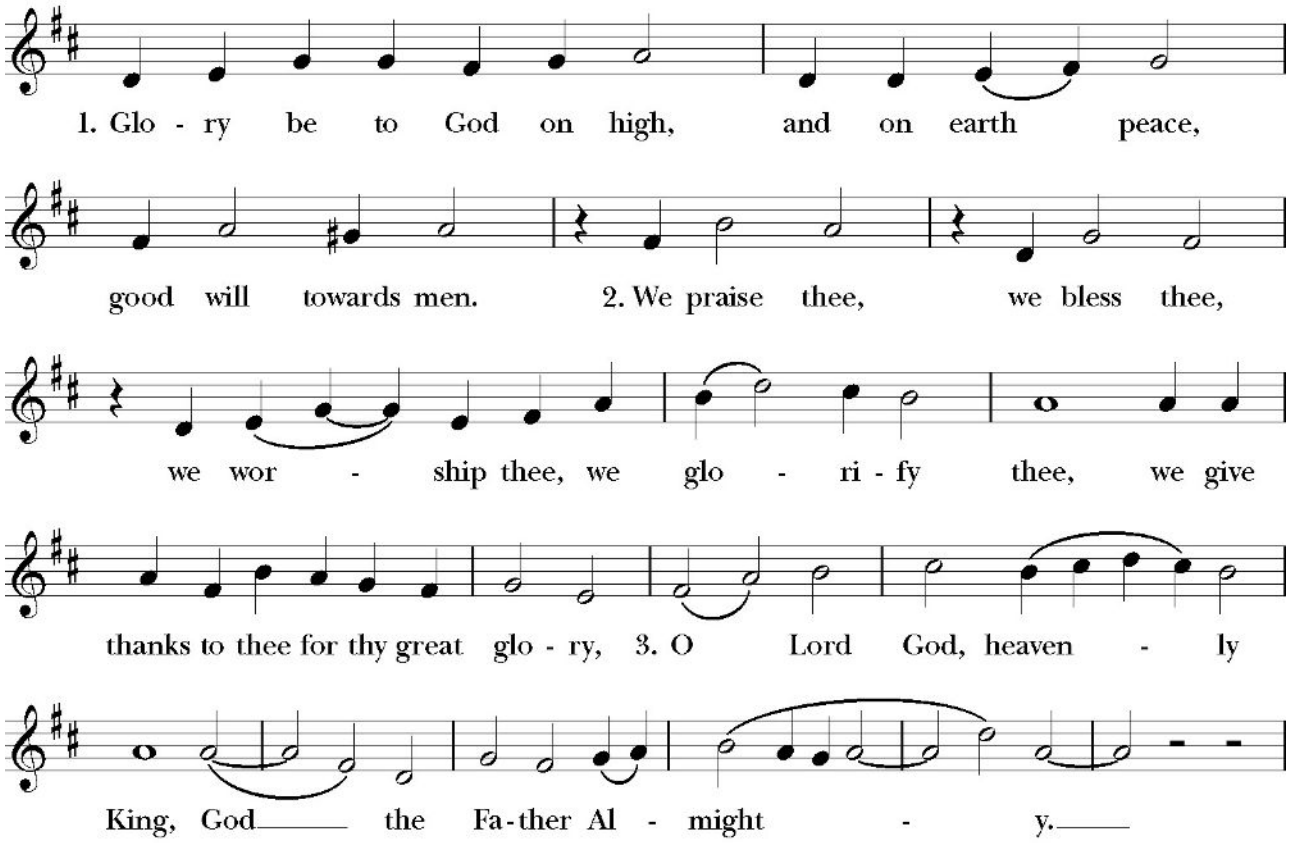
People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.**

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY *BCP,* page 355

Celebrant 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.

People **Amen.**

CANTICLE S202 Gloria in excelsis Healey Willan (1880 - 1968)



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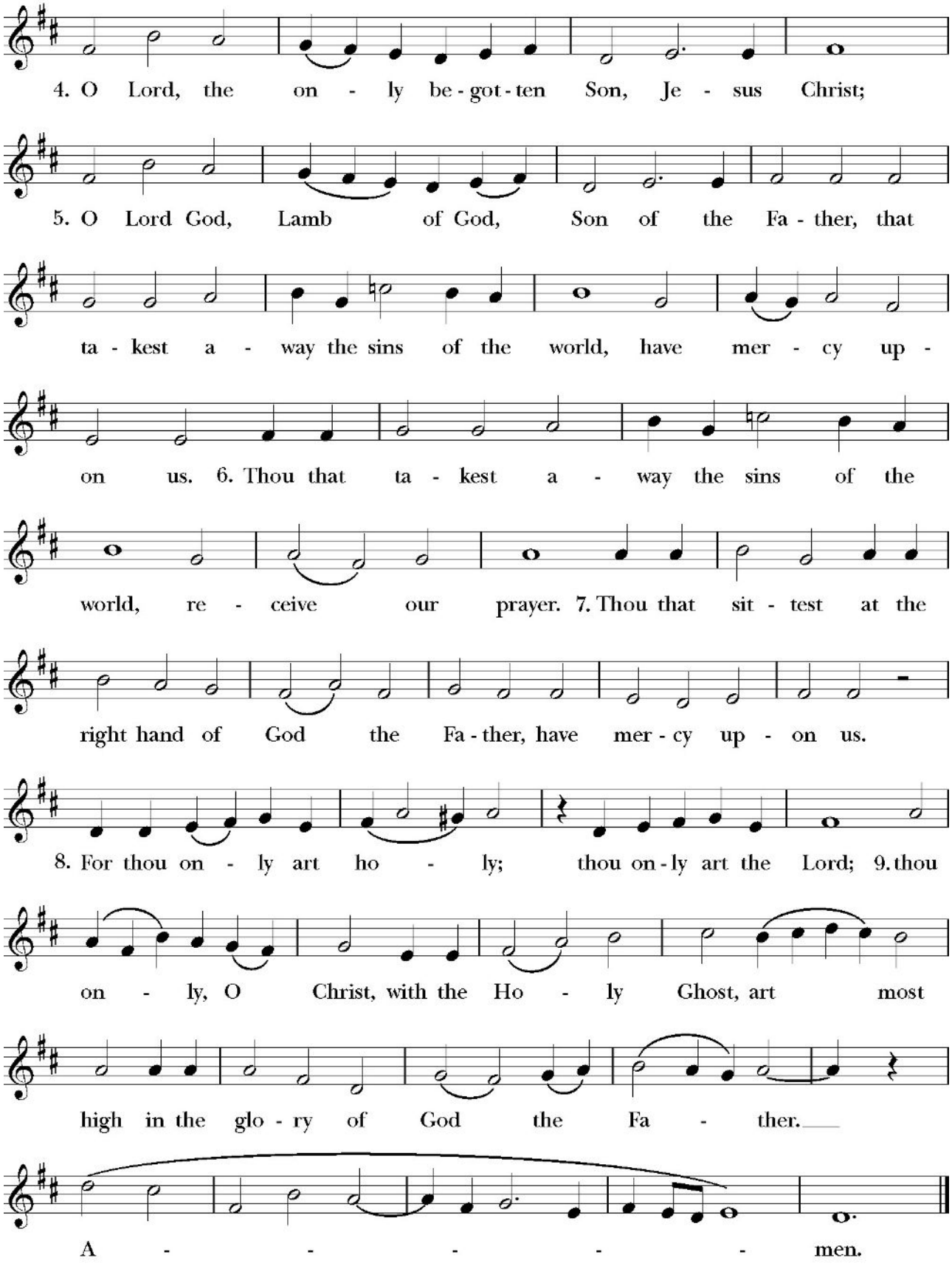

4. O Lord, the on - ly be - got - ten Son, Je - sus Christ;
5. O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Fa - ther, that
ta - kest a - way the sins of the world, have mer - cy up -
on us. 6. Thou that ta - kest a - way the sins of the
world, re - ceive our prayer. 7. Thou that sit - test at the
right hand of God the Fa - ther, have mer - cy up - on us.
8. For thou on - ly art ho - ly; thou on - ly art the Lord; 9. thou
on - ly, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost, art most
high in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther.
A - - - - - men.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone: Grant us so to be joined together in unity of spirit by their teaching, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

People **Amen**.

THE FIRST LESSON Genesis 22: 1-14

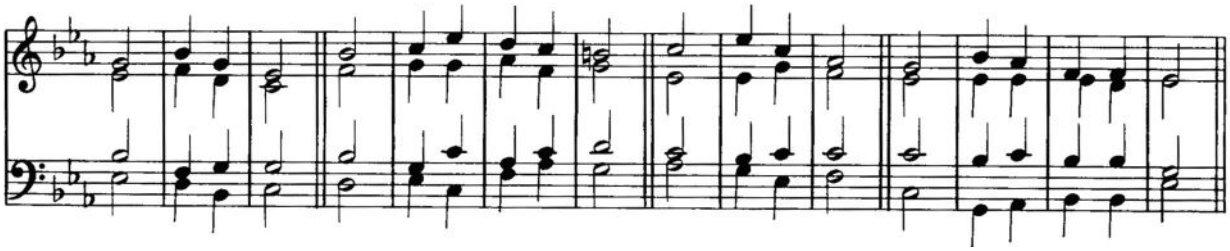
God tested Abraham. He said to him, "Abraham!" And he said, "Here I am." He said, "Take your son, your only son Isaac, whom you love, and go to the land of Moriah, and offer him there as a burnt offering on one of the mountains that I shall show you." So Abraham rose early in the morning, saddled his donkey, and took two of his young men with him, and his son Isaac; he cut the wood for the burnt offering, and set out and went to the place in the distance that God had shown him. On the third day Abraham looked up and saw the place far away. Then Abraham said to his young men, "Stay here with the donkey; the boy and I will go over there; we will worship, and then we will come back to you." Abraham took the wood of the burnt offering and laid it on his son Isaac, and he himself carried the fire and the knife. So the two of them walked on together. Isaac said to his father Abraham, "Father!" And he said, "Here I am, my son." He said, "The fire and the wood are here, but where is the lamb for a burnt offering?" Abraham said, "God himself will provide the lamb for a burnt offering, my son." So the two of them walked on together.

When they came to the place that God had shown him, Abraham built an altar there and laid the wood in order. He bound his son Isaac, and laid him on the altar, on top of the wood. Then Abraham reached out his hand and took the knife to kill his son. But the angel of the Lord called to him from heaven, and said, "Abraham, Abraham!" And he said, "Here I am." He said, "Do not lay your hand on the boy or do anything to him; for now I know that you fear God, since you have not withheld your son, your only son, from me." And Abraham looked up and saw a ram, caught in a thicket by its horns. Abraham went and took the ram and offered it up as a burnt offering instead of his son. So Abraham called that place "The Lord will provide"; as it is said to this day, "On the mount of the Lord it shall be provided."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God**.

PSALM 13 *Usquequo, Domine?* Kellow J. Pye (1812-1901)

Sung by the choir, with the congregation joining the verses in bold.

1 How long, O Lord?
will you for-\ get me for ever? *
how \ long will you hide your face from me?

2 How long shall I have perplexity in my mind,
and grief in my heart, \ day after day? *
how long shall my \ ene-my tri-umph over me?

3 Look upon me and answer me, O \ Lord my God; *
give light to my \ eyes, lest I sleep in death;

4 Lest my enemy say, "I have pre-\ *vailed* over him," *
and my foes re-\ joice that I have fallen.

5 But I put my \ trust in your mercy; *
my heart is joyful be-\ cause of your sav-ing help.

6 I will sing to the Lord, for he has \ dealt with me richly; *
I will praise the \ Name of the Lord Most High.

THE SECOND LESSON Romans 6: 12-23

Do not let sin exercise dominion in your mortal bodies, to make you obey their passions. No longer present your members to sin as instruments of wickedness, but present yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life, and present your members to God as instruments of righteousness. For sin will have no dominion over you, since you are not under law but under grace.

What then? Should we sin because we are not under law but under grace? By no means! Do you not know that if you present yourselves to anyone as obedient slaves, you are slaves of the one whom you obey, either of sin, which leads to death, or of obedience, which leads to righteousness? But thanks be to God that you, having once been slaves of sin, have become obedient from the heart to the form of teaching to which you were entrusted, and that you, having been set free from sin, have become slaves of righteousness. I am speaking in human terms because of your natural limitations. For just as you once presented your members as slaves to impurity and to greater and greater iniquity, so now present your members as slaves to righteousness for sanctification.

When you were slaves of sin, you were free in regard to righteousness. So what advantage did you then get from the things of which you now are ashamed? The end of those things is death. But now that you have been freed from sin and enslaved to

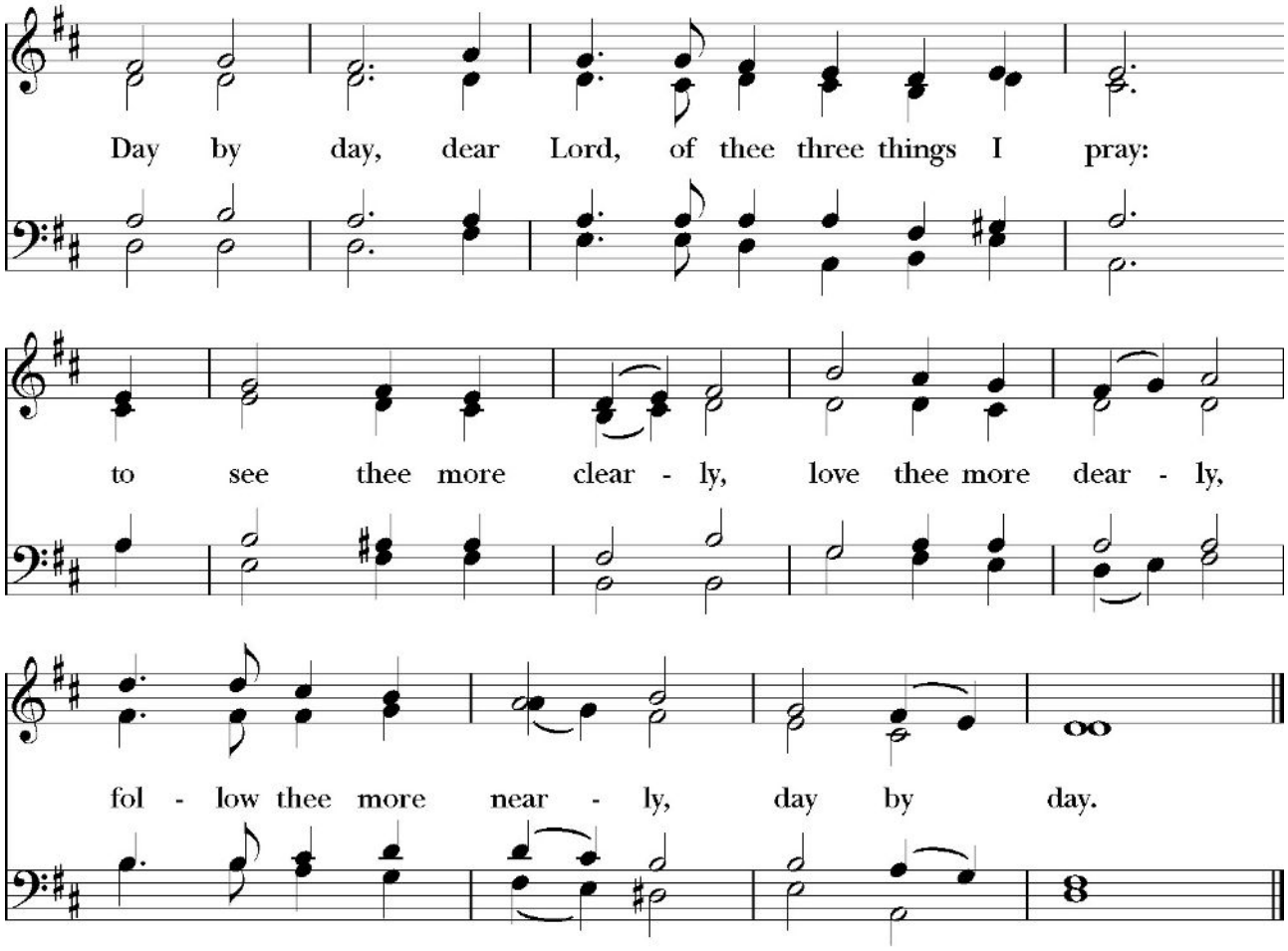
God, the advantage you get is sanctification. The end is eternal life. For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

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

Sunday School will not be meeting over the summer, but the nursery and Children's Chapel will still be available. Children will begin the service with their parents, and the teachers will pick them up before the Gospel reading and return them during the announcements. Nursery is still open throughout the service.

Please stand as able.

HYMN AT THE SEQUENCE 654 *Day by day* Sumner



THE HOLY GOSPEL Matthew 10: 40-42

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

Jesus said, "Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet's reward; and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous; and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple--truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward."

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

Please be seated.

SERMON The Reverend Hannah E. Atkins Romero, Rector

Please stand as able.

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 the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped 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.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, FORM VI *BCP,* page 392
We invite you to offer any prayers you wish to share in the comment section.

Reader In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.
For all people in their daily life and work;
People **For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.**
Reader We pray for Donald, the president; Greg, the governor; Lina, the county judge; John, the mayor, and the legislatures, and courts: For this community, the nation, and the world:
People **For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.**
Reader For the end of systemic racism that divides us; for the just and proper use of your creation;
People **For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.**
Reader For all women and men, boys and girls who are homeless this day, and for all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble**.**
People **For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.**
Reader In the Anglican cycle of prayer, for the Most Reverend Dr. Thabo Makgoba and the Anglican Church of Southern Africa. In the diocesan cycle of prayer for St. Michael's, LaMarque; St. Thomas the Apostle (Nassau Bay), Houston; and Trinity, Galveston. In the ministry cycle of prayer for Elisabeth Tsubai and the Trinity Vestry.
For the peace and unity of the Church of God.

People **For all who proclaim the gospel, and all who seek the Truth.**

Reader For Sarah, the Archbishop of Canterbury; Sean, our Presiding Bishop; Andy, Jeff, Kai (*pronounced "Kaye"*), Hector, and Brian, our Bishops; for Hannah, and Maria Teresa, our clergy; for Barrett, our seminarian; for all who minister in this place; and for all bishops and other ministers.

People **For all who serve God in his Church.**

Reader For the special needs and concerns of this congregation, especially those who are on our prayer list**:** Jonathan, Kathleen, Joyce, Anita, Jane, Gentry, Diane, Katie, Dalia, Garrett, Dave, Vanessa, Franklin, Linda, Darin, Neil, Simón, Leaquina, Linda, and Karen.
Hear us, Lord;

People **For your mercy is great.**

Reader We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life, especially for James, Alex, Oni, Paul, Clementine, April, and Maya, as they celebrate their birthdays. We also give you thanks for the birth of Emiliano Fabian Berrios-Bautista.
We will exalt you, O God our King;

People **And praise your Name for ever and ever.**

Reader We pray for all who have died, especially for the victims of war and famine in Ukraine, Sudan, Lebanon, Iran, and Palestine, and all victims of gun violence, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.
Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

People **Who put their trust in you.**

CONFESSION

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Celebrant We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

People **Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;**
in your compassion forgive us our sins,
known and unknown,
things done and left undone;
and so uphold us by your Spirit
that we may live and serve you in newness of life,
to the honor and glory of your Name;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ABSOLUTION

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Celebrant 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.

People **Amen.**

Please stand as able.

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Then the Ministers and People may greet one another in the Name of the Lord.

Please be seated.

BLESSING OF THE CHILDREN

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please see our complete announcements and the Weekly Window at the end of this bulletin.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Please be seated

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

Let us with gladness present the offerings and oblations of our life and labor to the Lord.

Please participate as able in the collection of an offering to help Trinity Church sustain our mission and ministry. For those who are unable to give monetarily, or have given online, we have made reusable wooden coins available so that all might participate in the spiritual practice of giving and contributing in a visible, inclusive way. A dollar, an offering coin, or more helps ignite the spirit of generosity in children and adults alike.

OFFERING

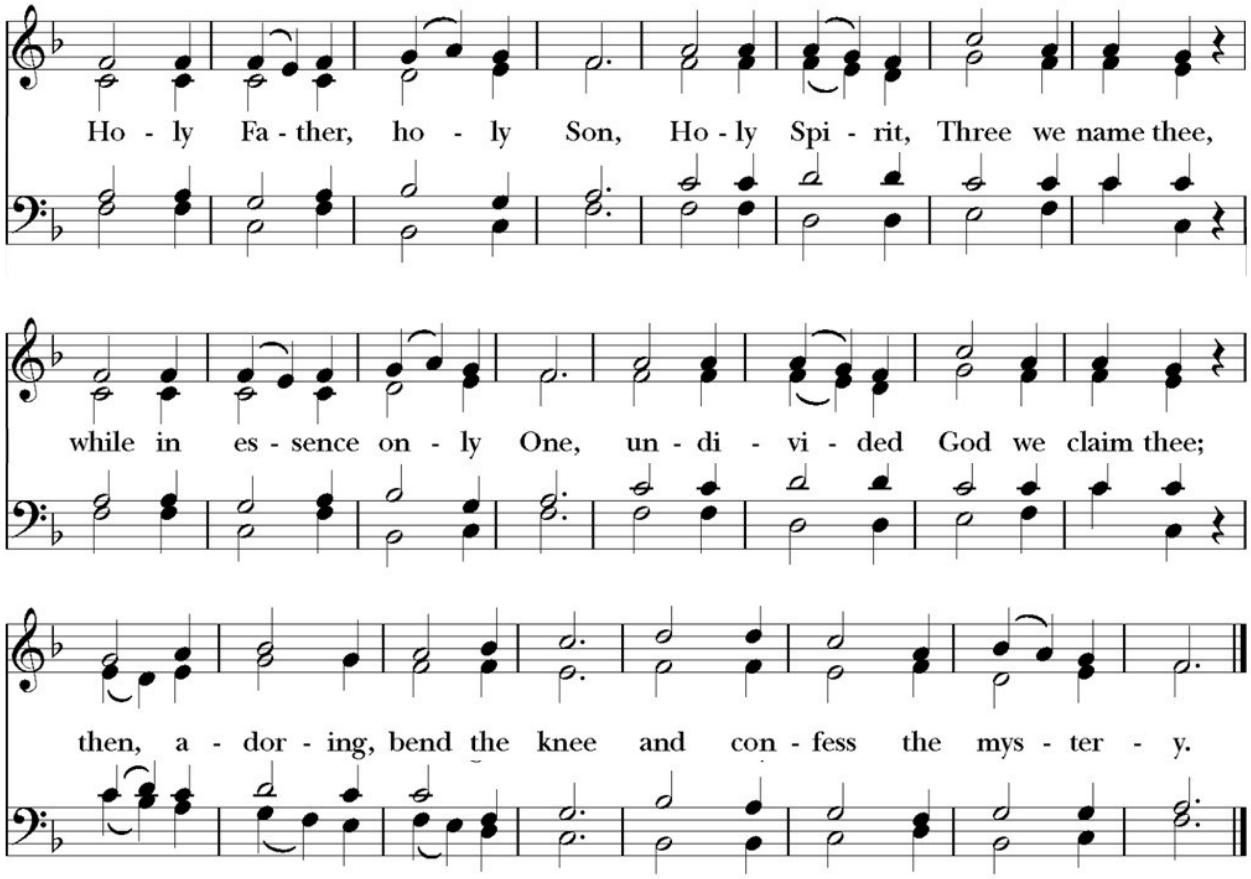
Online Giving is available.
Go to www.trinitymidtown.org and click the "Give" button on the top right, or click:
https://onrealm.org/TrinityMidtown/-/form/give/now or scan this QR code:

Texting. Send the message **heartofmidtown** to **73256**. Be sure to type heartofmidtown with no spaces, or autocorrect may insert information about a different church. The prompt will ask for a credit card number which can be kept on file for future contribution.

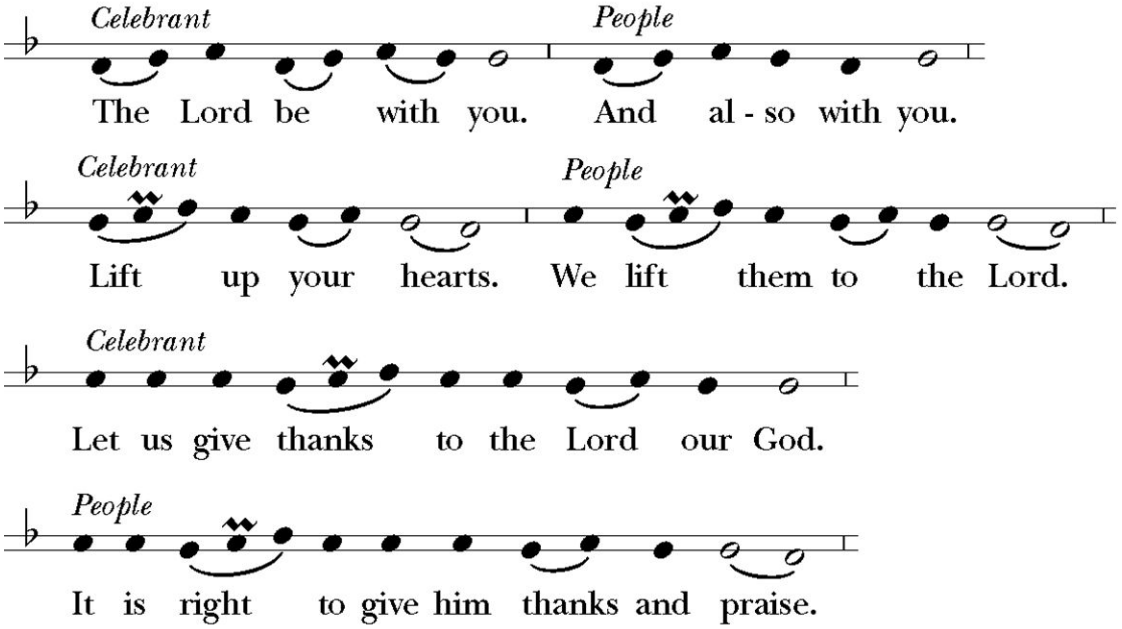
OFFERTORY ANTHEM *O For a Closer Walk* *Charles Villiers Stanford* (1852-1924)

O for a closer walk with God, A calm and heav'nly frame;
A light to shine upon the road That leads me to the Lamb!
Return, O holy Dove, return! Sweet messenger of rest;
I hate the sins that made thee mourn, and drove thee from my breast.
So shall my walk be close with God, Calm and serene my frame;
So purer light shall mark the road that leads me to the Lamb.

Please stand as able.

HYMN AT THE PRESENTATION 366, stanza 4 Grosser Gott

GREAT THANKSGIVING: Eucharistic Prayer B

SURSUM CORDA S120



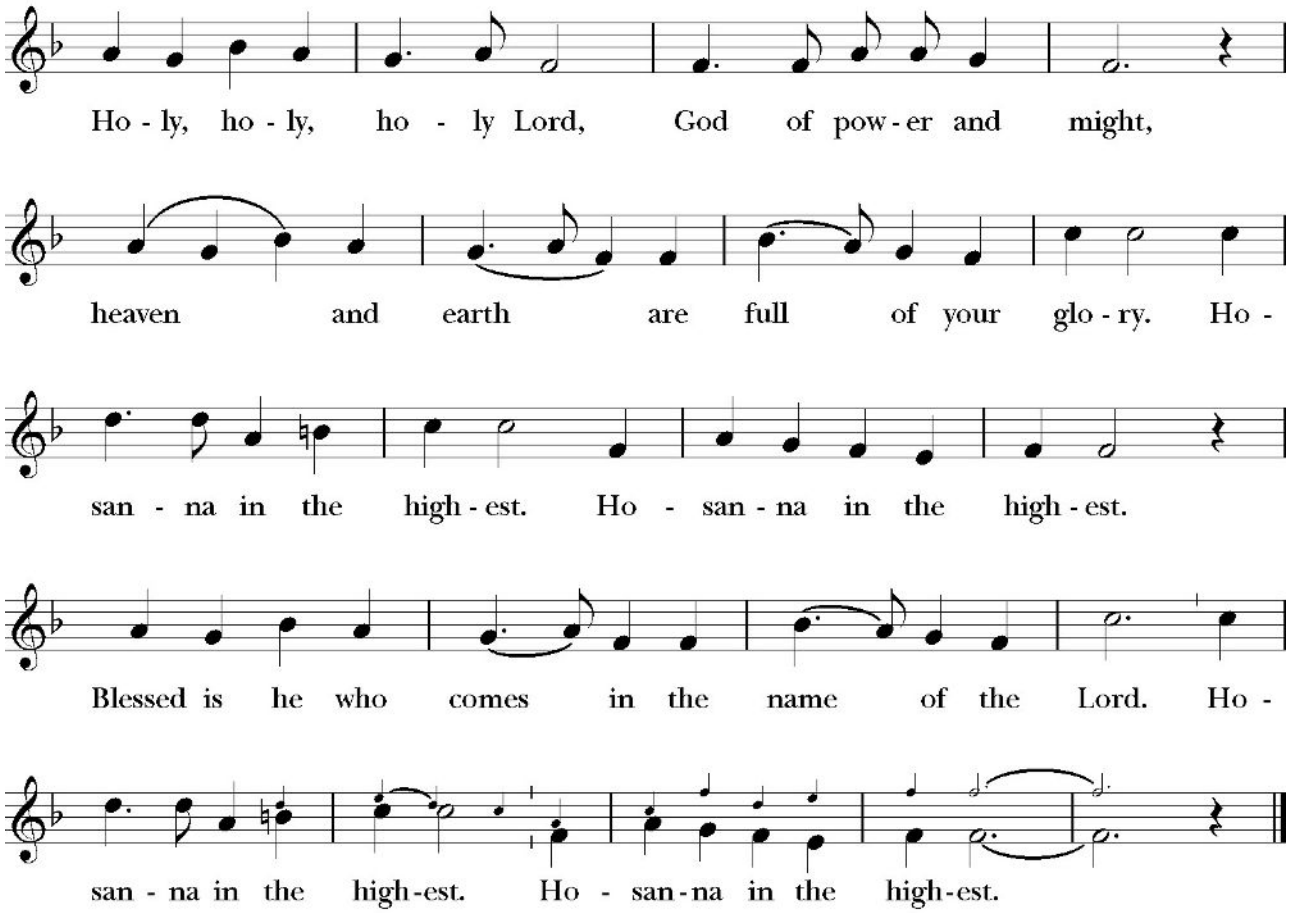
The Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth,

For you are the source of light and life, you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

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 AND BENEDICTUS S125 Richard Proulx (b. 1937)



Please stand or kneel, as able.

The Celebrant continues

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, 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, according to his command, O Father:

We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;

The Celebrant continues

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty God, now and for ever.
AMEN.

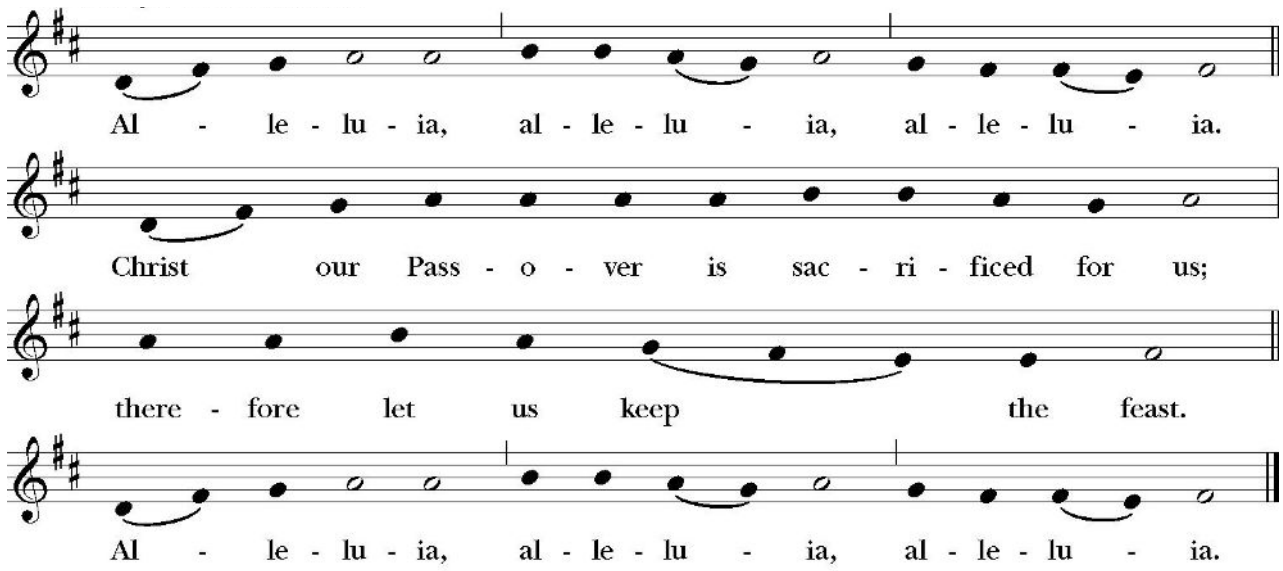
The Celebrant then continues

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Celebrant 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.

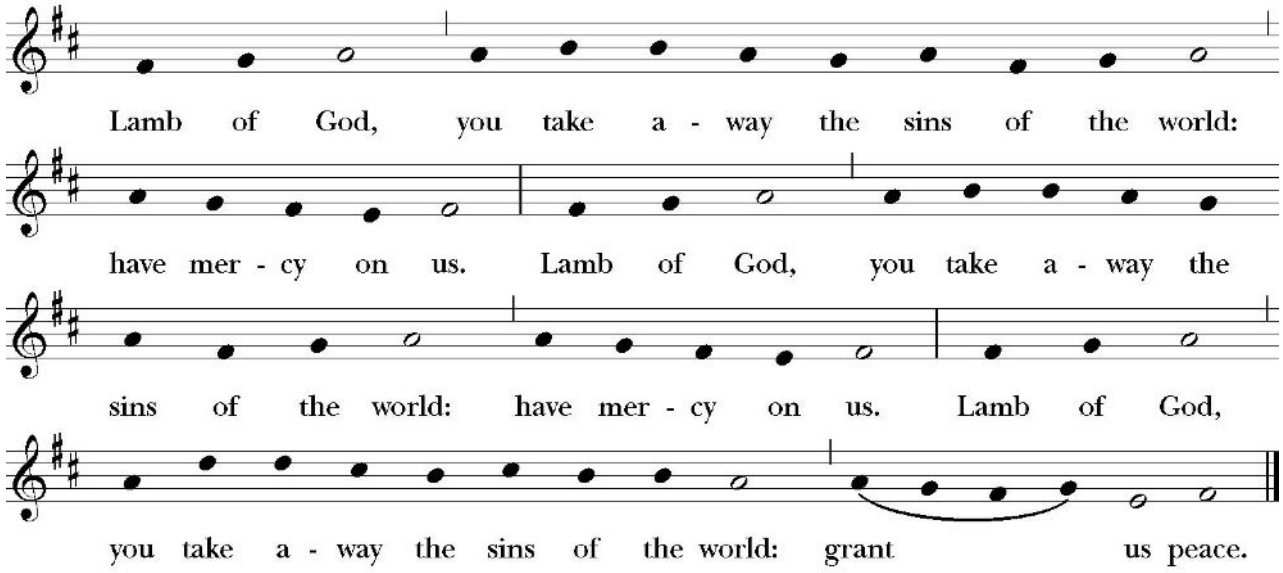
FRACTION ANTHEM S154 David Hurd (b. 1950)



INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION *BCP,* page 338

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

AGNUS DEI S161 David Hurd (b. 1950)



Instructions for Holy Communion

Please come forward to receive communion from a priest in front of the altar. All are welcome to come participate in Holy Communion. If for any reason you prefer not to receive communion, please cross your arms across your chest for a blessing.

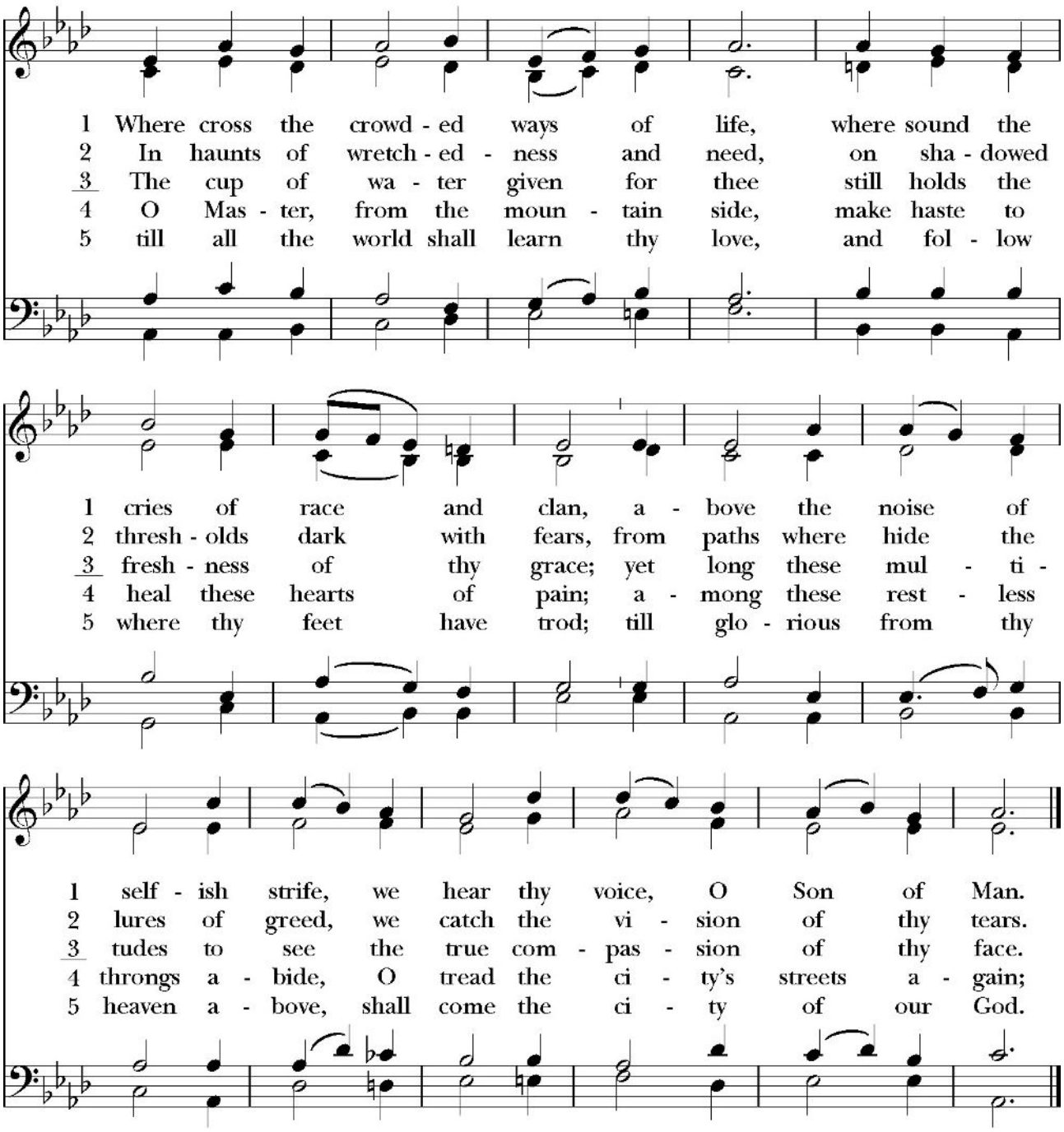
Our tradition is to receive both bread and wine, sharing in the common cup. Please assist the chalice bearer by guiding the cup to your lips, or you may "intinct" by dipping the wafer into the chalice. If you prefer, you may also receive the bread only: After consuming the wafer, simply cross your arms over your chest to indicate that you do not wish to receive the wine.

We offer a gluten-free bread option for those with dietary restrictions who wish to receive communion. To receive a gluten free wafer, please clasp your hands with palms facing each other when the priest administering the bread approaches you.

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

The Prayer for Spiritual Communion is prayed by those at home unable to partake of communion in person

In union, blessed Jesus, with the faithful gathered at every altar of your Church where your blessed Body and Blood are offered this day, we long to offer you praise and thanksgiving, for creation and all the blessings of this life, for the redemption won for us by your life, death, and resurrection, for the means of grace and the hope of glory. We believe that you are truly present in the Holy Sacrament, and, since we cannot at this time receive communion, we pray you to come into our hearts. We unite ourselves with you and embrace you with all our hearts, our souls, and our minds. Let nothing separate us from you; let us serve you in this life until, by your grace, we come to your glorious kingdom and unending peace. Amen.

COMMUNION HYMN 609 *Where cross the crowded ways of life* Gardiner

The Celebrant distributes a communion kit saying,

Celebrant On behalf of God and Trinity Parish, we send forth these holy gifts so that Lillian, and all those who will be visited, may share with us in the communion of Christ's Body and Blood.

People **Amen.**

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Please kneel or stand as able.

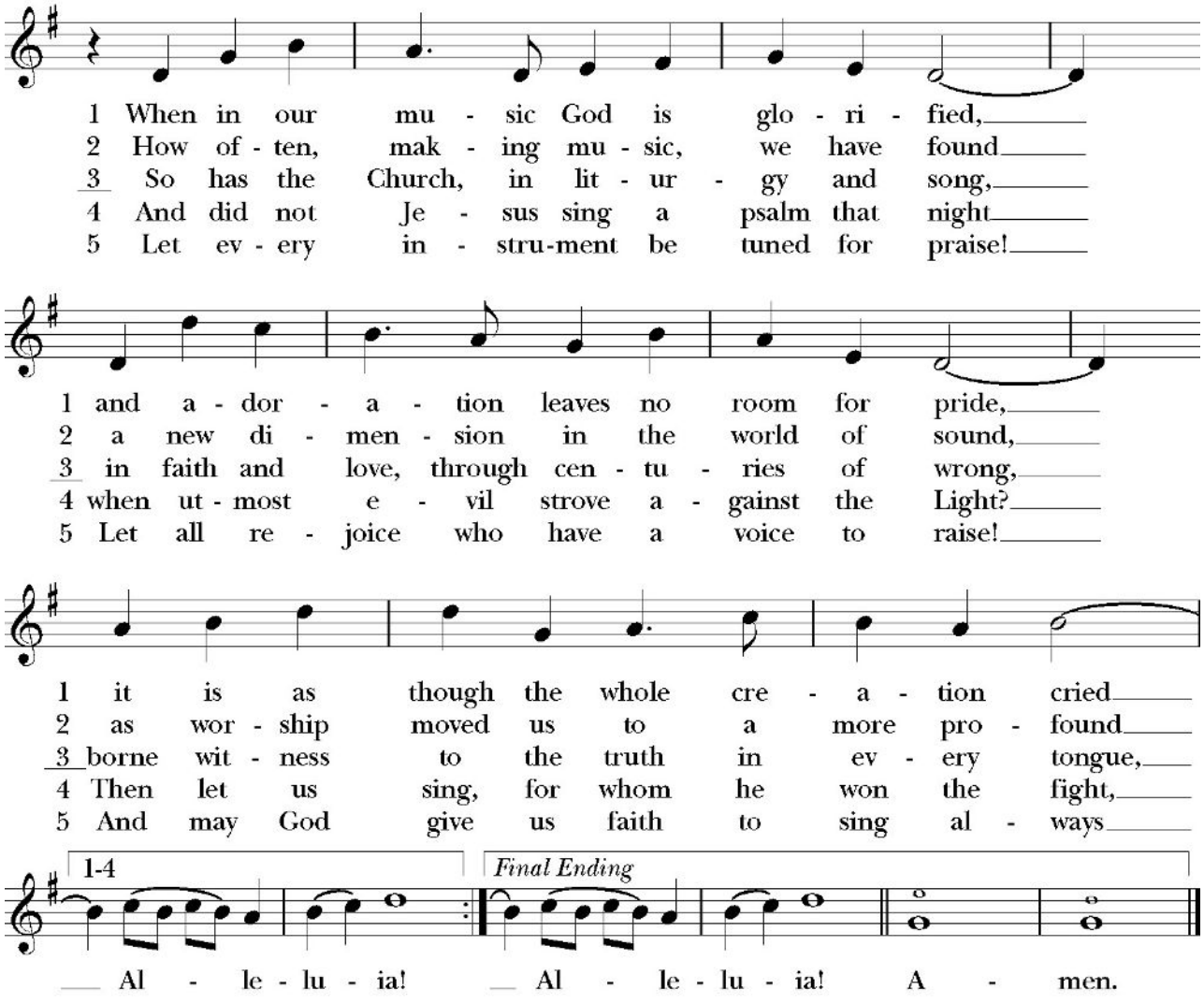
Celebrant and People

Eternal God, heavenly Father,
you have graciously accepted us as living members
of your Son our Savior 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.

THE BLESSING

Celebrant The peace of God which passes all understanding keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord, and the blessing of God our Creator, Redeemer and Giver of life be with you always. **Amen.**

Please stand as able

HYMN IN PROCESSION 420 *When in our music God is glorified* Engelberg

DISMISSAL

Officiant Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE *Komm, Heiliger Geist* Johann Sebastian Bach

Thank you for worshipping with us this morning.

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Please join us for Coffee Hour in Fellowship Hall
immediately following this service.

Flower dedications are available on July 5, 12 and 19
Make your Flower Dedications Online at trinitymidtown.org
or scan this QR code

We want to thank everyone who assisted with coffee hour this morning.

Please note that July 5, 12 and 19 are open
to host (part/all) coffee hour.
To sign up, please scan the QR code or contact Jamie Chambers:
jamielynnchambers@hotmail.com or call/text at 832-370-7155
if you need assistance.
Thank you

THE WEEKLY WINDOW
OF TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH, MIDTOWN
June 28, 2026, Fifth Sunday After Pentecost (Year A)
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Sundays:
Holy Eucharist
Regular Schedule:
8 am, 10:30 am, 12:30 pm
Sundays in July: 10:30 am only
Weekdays: Evening Prayer 5:30 pm

July Schedule

During the month of July, we will have one service of Holy Eucharist on Sundays, at 10:30 am in the Historic Church.
On July 5th and 12th, it will be a traditional service with organ and hymns.
On July 19th and 26th, we will have a jazz/Gospel service with music by the Trinity Jazz Ensemble.
We will return to our regular schedule of 8 am (contemplative), 10:30 am (traditional), and 12:30 pm (jazz/Gospel) on Sunday, August 2nd .

Children's Chapel

Sunday school will not meet over the summer. We will have Children's Chapel for children under the third grade. Children will begin the service with their adults. The teachers will pick them up before the Gospel reading. They will return for the blessing of children after the Peace. The nursery is still open throughout the service for very young children.
Sunday school for all ages resumes on Aloha Sunday, September 13th.

Trinity Choir Season Ends Today

Today is the last Sunday of the Trinity Choir's 2025 – 2026 season. We thank them for their musical leadership throughout the year. There will be no choir in July. In August we will have a quartet of staff singers augmented by volunteers at the 10:30 service. Full choir returns September 6th. If you are interested in joining the Choir, please contact Paul Mortilla at music@trinitymidtown.org .

Juice Box Challenge

Help Trinity help Kids' Meals include juice boxes in their lunch program. In the summer, Kids' Meals delivers over one million free, healthy meals to Houston kids. Please bring 100% juice boxes (no added sugar) to Fellowship Hall **today**, or donate here:

Sandwich Makers – Today

Sandwich Makers will meet today during Coffee Hour in Fellowship Hall.
The demand for sandwiches distributed each weekday by our Evening Prayer ministry has increased. Fifty or more underhoused and/or food insecure persons are fed at Trinity every Monday through Friday. Many hands make light work. Help us to help our neighbors in need.

Breakfast Club – July 4th

The group that has been, the Men's Breakfast is now open to all adults regardless of gender. It next meets on Saturday, July 4th (it will indeed meet on the holiday) at IHOP at 2515 Southwest Freeway, at 8:30 am.

Evening Prayer Volunteers Needed

We are in need of both Greeters and Officiants for our Evening Prayer minsitry. Officiants lead a service, so they must be full members of the parish.
Immediately following the service each weekday, all assist in the distribution of water and sandwiches.
This is a very rewarding ministry. If you are interested, please contact Christian Bearup at christianbearup@gmail.com

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

Sunday, June 28, 2026
7:30 am – 1:30 pm Nursery Open
8:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite I (Chapel)
10:30 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II (Church)
11:45 am Coffee Hour (FH)
11:45 am Sandwich Makers (FH)
12:30 pm Jazz/Gospel Holy Eucharist (Chapel)
8:00 pm Completas (Facebook)

Monday, June 29, 2026
5:30 pm Evening Prayer (Church)

Tuesday, June 30, 2026
1:00 pm Listening Post
5:30 pm Evening Prayer (Church)

Wednesday, July 1, 2026
10:30 am Staff Meeting (Smith)
12:15 pm Good Times AA (Youth Room)
5:30 pm Evening Prayer (Church)
6:00 pm Healing Service (Zoom)

Thursday, July 2, 2026)
5:30 pm Evening Prayer (Church)

Friday, July 3, 2026
Church Offices Closed
Independence Day

Saturday, July 4, 2026
8:30 am Breakfast Club (Offsite)

Adult Forum and Sunday School Resume in September.
Nursery care is available for very young children.
Other children may participate in children's chapel during the 10:30 service.

Prayers

Our custom is to read aloud each week the names of those who request our prayers. We also remember in our Prayer Chain and Bulletin those who desire prayers. Please email to keep us informed. For information or comments about prayer names, please contact the Rector. If you would like to participate as a member of the prayer chain, please contact Norma Cooper.

We pray for: Jonathan, Kathleen, Joyce, Anita, Jane, Gentry, Diane, Katie, Dalia, Garrett, Dave, Vanessa, Franklin, Linda, Darin, Neil, Simón, Leaquina, Linda Allegra, Gareth, Kazi, Aurora, Jimmie, Tom, Patty, Emily, Dick, Barbara, Sylvia, Joyce, David, Robert, Dana, Carolyn, Rick, Harrison, Ric, Daniel, Norma, Margaret, Marcie, Yvonne, Steve, Beryl, Amanda, Mary, Marcy, Aaron, Charles, Mary, Kilmar, Charles, Ed, Susan, Diamond, Kensington, Christina, Juan, Benjamin, Willie, Eugenia, Juana, Winnie, Richard, Toni, Kenneth, Jesse, Jan, John, Carla, Bob, Ken, Brian, Randy, Gabby, Cooper, Marianne,MiMi, Catherine, the Lohmeyer family, Kaydence, Sarah, Scott, Erma, Theresa, Vanessa, Carol, Edith, Jim, Elizabeth, Anadeli, Victoria, Daniel, Irene, Stan, Libby, Carver, Edgar, Theresa, All victims of violence

For the faithful departed: The victims of war and famine in Ukraine, Sudan, Iran, Lebanon, and Palestine, and all victims of gun violence.

For our seminarian: Barrett Hess

Altar Flowers and Coffee Hour

If you would like to make a flower dedication, you can sign up here:
The next available Sundays for dedications will be July 5,12,19
Signups for coffee hour hosts are available, please sign up online to volunteer by scanning this QR code.
For questions or further information please contact Jamie Chambers:
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The next available dates are July 5, 12,19

James Sennewald,
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Clementine Humphreys,
April Sloan-Hubert, Maya Morin

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For those who are unable to give monetarily, or have given online, we have made reusable wooden coins available so that all might participate in the spiritual practice of giving and contributing in a visibly inclusive way

Thank you for making and wearing a name tag every Sunday.

Office Hours:
Monday-Thursday 9 am – 3 pm
Friday 9 am – 1 pm
If you have building concerns please email parishadministrator@trinitymidtown.org.

Thank you to all who have given so generously!
It is never too late.
www.trinitymidtown.org/give.

A Prayer for Migrant Ministries

Gracious God,
we give you thanks and all the glory
for abiding with us and blessing our ministries.
You walk us along paths of purpose;
You open portals of new opportunities before us;

Encourage our hearts,
to ensure a radiant and safe future for our newest neighbors,
who come from afar;

Inspire us
to create a beloved community with all who cross our paths.
We give thanks for the countless stories of small victories
and grand success
which are signs of your love and power working through us.

We thank you for the courage of all those who are compelled to migrate,
who strive to scale not just the high walls of life
but also and especially the higher walls of challenge.

Strengthen us to walk together with them
Be our continuing vision, O God,
Give us the hope of the immigrant,
the resolve of the wanderer,
and soften our hearts to their cries for justice.
We pray in the name of Jesus Christ,
our welcomer, our greeter, our host,
AMEN+

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