

Sundays after Pentecost 2026

Morning Prayer Service Bulletin



THE PRELUDE

At the ringing of the bell, all are invited to stand.

OPENING HYMN

SENTENCE OF SCRIPTURE

I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go to the house of the Lord."

Psalms 122:1

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

Let us confess our sins to God.

**God of all mercy, we confess that we have sinned against you,
opposing your will in our lives.**

**We have denied your goodness in each other,
in ourselves, and in the world you have created.**

**We repent of the evil that enslaves us,
the evil we have done, and the evil done on our behalf.**

**Forgive, restore, and strengthen us through our Savior Jesus Christ,
that we may abide in your love and serve only your will. Amen**

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

THE INVITATORY

O God, let our mouth proclaim your praise.

**And your glory all the day long. Praise to the holy and undivided Trinity, one
God: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.**

THE INVITATORY PSALM *The Venite*

Psalms 95:1-7

Come, let us sing to the Lord; *

let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation.

**Let us come before God's presence with thanksgiving *
and raise to the Lord a shout with psalms.**

For you are a great God; *

you are great above all gods.

In your hand are the caverns of the earth, *
and the heights of the hills are yours also.
The sea is yours, for you made it, *
and your hands have molded the dry land.
Come, let us bow down and bend the knee, *
and kneel before the Lord our Maker.
For you are our God, and we are the people of your pasture and the sheep of
your hand. *
Oh, that today we would hearken to your voice!

Please be seated.

THE PSALM *please see weekly insert*

THE 1ST READING *please see weekly insert*

THE CANTICLE The First Song of Isaiah

- 1 Salvation comes from God the Lord*
 And I will trust him without fear:
 My stronghold and my sure defense,*
 My Savior who is always near.
- 2 Draw water from salvation's springs,*
 And on that day your joy proclaim,
 Give thanks to God, make known his deeds,*
 And call upon his holy Name.
- 3 Exalt God's Name, the Holy One*
 Has done great things for us to tell;
 Zion, ring out your joy and praise,*
 The Holy One of Israel.
- 4 All glory to the Father, Son,*
 And to the Holy Spirit be,
 As from the first it was, is now,*
 And will be for eternity.

THE 2ND READING *please see weekly insert*

THE CANTICLE The Song of Zechariah

- 1 Now bless the God of Israel,
 who comes in love and pow'r.
 Who raises from the royal house deliv'rance in this hour.
- 2 Through holy prophets God has sworn
 to free us from alarm,
 to save us from the heavy hand of all who wish us harm.
- 3 Remembering the covenant, God rescues us from fear
 that we might serve in holiness and peace from year to year.
- 4 And you, my child, shall go before to preach, to prophesy,
 that all may know the tender love, the grace of God most high.
- 5 In tender mercy, God will send
 the dayspring from on high,
 our rising sun, the light of life for those who sit and sigh.
- 6 God comes to guide our way to peace,
 that death shall reign no more.
 Sing praises to the Holy One! O worship and adore!

“Alleluia”

THE GOSPEL READING *please see weekly insert*

DWELLING IN THE WORD

THE APOSTLES' CREED

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.

THE PRAYERS

Hear our cry, O God. **And listen to our prayer.**

Let us 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.**

Help us, O God our Savior;

Deliver us and forgive us our sins.

Look upon your congregation;

Give to your people the blessing of peace.

Declare your glory among the nations;

And your wonders among all peoples.

Do not let the oppressed be shamed and turned away;

Never forget the lives of your poor.

Continue your loving-kindness to those who know you;

And your favor to those who are true of heart.

Satisfy us by your loving-kindness in the morning;

So shall we rejoice and be glad all the days of our life.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY *please see weekly insert*

A COLLECT FOR SUNDAYS

O God, you make us glad with the weekly remembrance of the glorious resurrection of your Son our Lord: Give us this day such blessing through our worship of you, that the week to come may be spent in your favor; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world. Lord, in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

Inspire with your Holy Spirit the leaders of the Church, especially Sean, our Presiding Bishop; Amy, our Bishop; the clergy and lay leaders of our Diocese; and those preparing for ordained ministry. Lord in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good. Lord, in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory. Lord, in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us. Bless those who are celebrating birthdays this week, and those who are celebrating anniversaries. Lord, in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation. Lord, in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

Send your mercy upon this land to end the curse of gun violence that plagues us, comfort all who have been impacted directly by this violence, and give our leaders courage and the will to enact common sense gun reform. Lord in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom. Lord, in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.**

A PRAYER OF ST. CHRYSOSTOM

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

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*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CLOSING HYMN

THE DISMISSAL

Let us bless the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

THE PEACE

The Peace of the Lord be with you.
And also with you.

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as you leave.



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