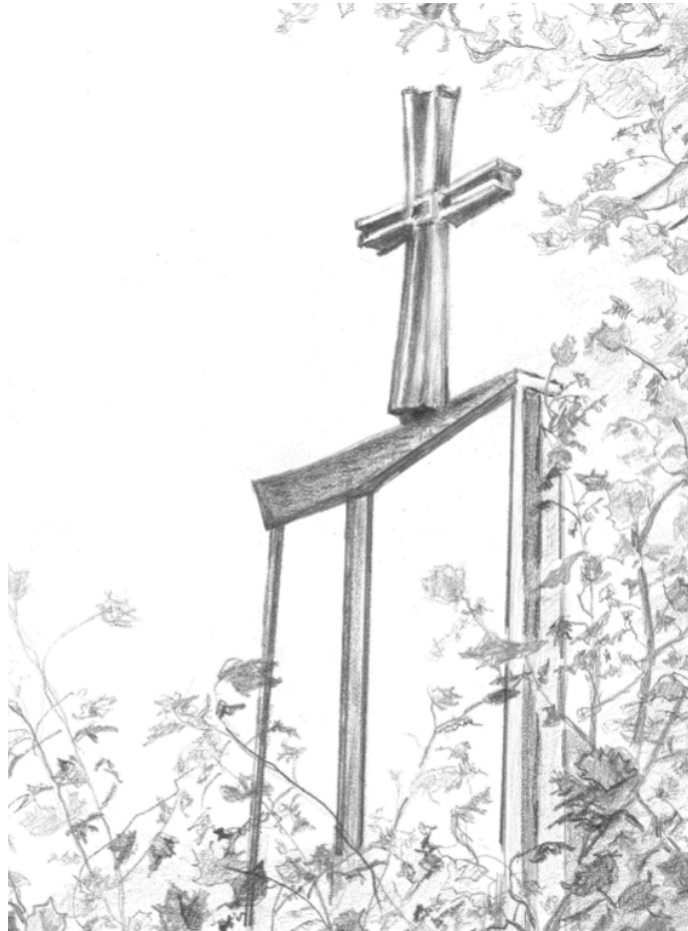


HOLY TRINITY PARISH
DECATUR, GEORGIA
THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST
HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE TWO

OCTOBER 5, 2025 – 10:30 A.M.



Welcome! We are so glad you are here. If you are visiting please use this QR code to fill out a visitor card or use the one in the pew.



Sign language interpreting is offered for our 10:30 service.



Assisted Listening Devices are available for all services in the Nave. An usher is happy to help you with one.



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Our children's worship resources shelf, located in the narthex, includes materials to help children 3-10+ enter into our liturgy. Included parent info sheets explain how to use these items to support children's worship.



Please wear your name tag. If you need one, email parishadmin@htparish.com.

VOLUNTARY

PROCESSIONAL HYMN 535

Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim

1 Ye ser - vants of God, your Mas - ter pro - claim,
 2 God rul - eth on high, al - might - y to save;
 3 Sal - va - tion to God who sits on the throne!
 4 Then let us a - dore, and give him his right:

and pub - lish a - broad his won - der - ful Name;
 and still he is nigh: his pres - ence we have.
 Let all cry a - loud, and hon - or the Son.
 All glo - ry and power, all wis - dom and might,

the Name all - vic - to - rious of Je - sus ex - tol:
 The great con - gre - ga - tion his tri - umph shall sing,
 The prais - es of Je - sus the an - gels pro - claim,
 and hon - or and bless - ing, with an - gels a - bove,

his king - dom is glo - rious; he rules o - ver all.
 as - crib - ing sal - va - tion to Je - sus our King.
 fall down on their fa - ces, and wor - ship the Lamb.
 and thanks nev - er - ceas - ing and in - fi - nite love.

OPENING ACCLAMATION AND COLLECT FOR PURITY

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

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

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.**

VENITE

White

1. Come, let us sing to the
Lord; — let us shout for joy to the Rock of our sal -
va - tion. — 2. Let us come be-fore his pres-ence with thanks - giv - ing —
— and raise a loud shout to him with psalms. — 3. For the
Lord is a great God, — and a great King a - bove all
gods. — 4. In his hand are the cav-erns of the earth, —
— and the heights of the hills are his al - so. — 5. The

sea is his, for he made it, and his hands have

mold - ed the dry land. 6. Come, let us bow down, and bend the

knee, and kneel be-fore the Lord our Ma - ker. 7. For

he is our God, and we are the peo-ple of his

pas - ture and the sheep of his hand.

Oh, that to - day you would heark-en to his voice!

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray, and to give more than we either desire or deserve: Pour upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid, and giving us those good things for which we are not worthy to ask, except through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ our Savior; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.
Amen.

HABAKKUK 1:1-4, 2:1-4

The oracle that the prophet Habakkuk saw.

O Lord, how long shall I cry for help,
and you will not listen?

Or cry to you "Violence!"
and you will not save?

Why do you make me see wrong-doing
and look at trouble?

Destruction and violence are before me;
strife and contention arise.

So the law becomes slack
and justice never prevails.

The wicked surround the righteous--
therefore judgment comes forth perverted.

I will stand at my watchpost,
and station myself on the rampart;

I will keep watch to see what he will say to me,
and what he will answer concerning my complaint.

Then the Lord answered me and said:

Write the vision;
make it plain on tablets,
so that a runner may read it.

For there is still a vision for the appointed time;
it speaks of the end, and does not lie.

If it seems to tarry, wait for it;
it will surely come, it will not delay.

Look at the proud!
Their spirit is not right in them,
but the righteous live by their faith.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

- 1 Do not fret yourself because of evildoers; *
do not be jealous of those who do wrong.
- 2 For they shall soon wither like the grass, *
and like the green grass fade away.
- 3 Put your trust in the Lord and do good; *
dwell in the land and feed on its riches.
- 4 Take delight in the Lord, *
and he shall give you your heart's desire.
- 5 Commit your way to the Lord and put your trust in him, *
and he will bring it to pass.
- 6 He will make your righteousness as clear as the light *
and your just dealing as the noonday.
- 7 Be still before the Lord *
and wait patiently for him.
- 8 Do not fret yourself over the one who prospers, *
the one who succeeds in evil schemes.
- 9 Refrain from anger, leave rage alone; *
do not fret yourself; it leads only to evil.
- 10 For evildoers shall be cut off, *
but those who wait upon the Lord shall possess the land.

2 TIMOTHY 1:1-14

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, for the sake of the promise of life that is in Christ Jesus,

To Timothy, my beloved child:

Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

I am grateful to God — whom I worship with a clear conscience, as my ancestors did — when I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. Recalling your tears, I long to see you so that I may be filled with joy. I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that lived first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, lives in you. For this reason I remind you to rekindle the gift of God that is within you through the laying on of my hands; for God did not give us a spirit of cowardice, but rather a spirit of power and of love and of self-discipline.

Do not be ashamed, then, of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner, but join with me in suffering for the gospel, relying on the power of God, who saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works but according to his own purpose and grace. This grace was given to us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Savior Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. For this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher, and for this reason I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know the one in whom I have put my trust, and I am sure that he is able to guard until that day what I have entrusted to him. Hold to the standard of sound teaching that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

THE SEQUENCE HYMN

Halle, halle, hallelujah!

Caribbean Alleluia

LUKE 17:5-10

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

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

The apostles said to the Lord, "Increase our faith!" The Lord replied, "If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you.

"Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from plowing or tending sheep in the field, 'Come here at once and take your place at the table'? Would you not rather say to him, 'Prepare supper for me, put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink; later you may eat and drink'? Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, 'We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!'"

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

SERMON

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.

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.

We pray for the churches who worship here at Holy Trinity: the Gift of God Eritrean Church and the Hudson Community Fellowship.

We pray especially for Sean, our presiding bishop; Rob, our bishop; Greg, Rhett, and Ellen, our priests; Will, our minister of music; and for our vestry and staff.

Silence

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. This week we pray especially for Donald, our president; Brian, our governor; all judges; and especially the Georgia and U.S. Supreme Court justices.

Silence

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.

Silence

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.

Silence

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. We pray especially for:

Lee Echols, *Ellen Purdum's brother*
Jamie Jayanna and family
James
James

Leslie Funt,
Albert Nim-Dixon's friend
Debra Kay, *Nana Freret's friend*

Silence.

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Please remain in prayer with those who have come forward.

We give you thanks for all those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries this week, especially:

Erika Bravo
Betty Moore
Leah Myers
Mary Beth Wald
Margaret Myers

Henry Kelly
Margaret and Brad Myers
Jim Lee
Kaelyn Carter

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. We pray especially for Cathy Bowers.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect

CONFESSION OF SIN

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

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

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. **Amen.**

PEACE

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you would like to give online, use your phone's camera to scan this QR code.



ANTHEM

O Lord, increase my faith
sung by the choir

Orlando Gibbons

O Lord, increase my faith,
Strengthen me and confirm me in thy true faith;
Endue me with wisdom, charity, and patience;
In all my adversity,
Sweet Jesus, say Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING: EUCHARISTIC PRAYER C

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give him thanks and praise.

God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.

Glory to you for ever and ever.

At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

By your will they were created and have their being.

From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.

Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

By his blood, he reconciled us.

By his wounds, we are healed.

And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

SANCTUS

Schubert

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,___ Ho - ly,

ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,___ hea - ven and earth are

full,___ full___ of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high -

est. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes___

in the name of the Lord._____ Ho - san - na in the

high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends, 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, gave thanks, 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."

Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,

**We celebrate his death and resurrection,
as we await the day of his coming.**

Lord God of our Fathers and Mothers: God of Abraham and Sarah, Isaac and Rebekah, Jacob, Rachel, and Leah; God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.

Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation. **AMEN.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

**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

Schubert

Je-sus, Lamb of God: have mer-cy on us. Je-sus, bear-er of our sins: have

mer - cy on us. Je - sus, re-deem - er, re- deem-er of the

world: give us your peace, give us your peace.

INVITATION

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.

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

The safe and normative method for receiving communion is to eat the consecrated Bread and then drink the consecrated wine from the chalice. Intinction (dipping) is best reserved for the sick and the very young. To receive via intinction allow the minister to dip the bread into the wine and place it in your hands. Please do not dip the bread into the wine yourself.

All baptized Christians of any age and tradition are invited to receive Holy Communion, and no one who comes to the altar will be turned away. To receive a blessing instead of the sacrament cross your arms over your chest.

AT THE ALTAR RAIL - you are welcome to stand or kneel.

AT THE FLOOR STATION - the bread is gluten-free.

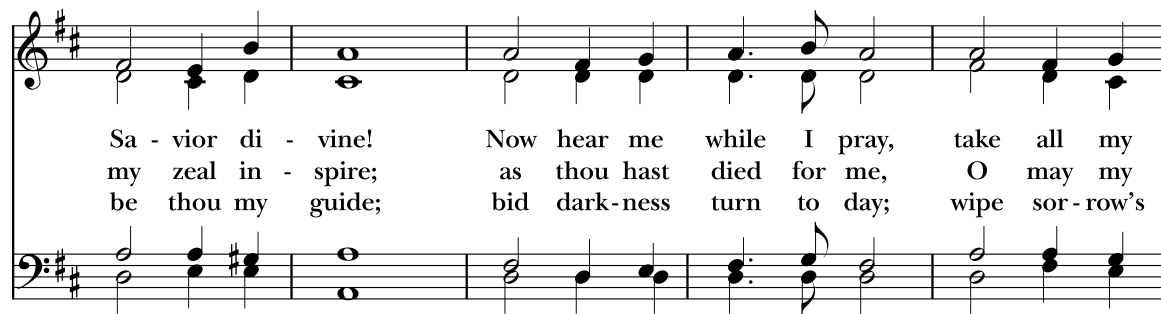
IF YOU NEED COMMUNION BROUGHT TO YOU - please let an usher know.

HYMN 691

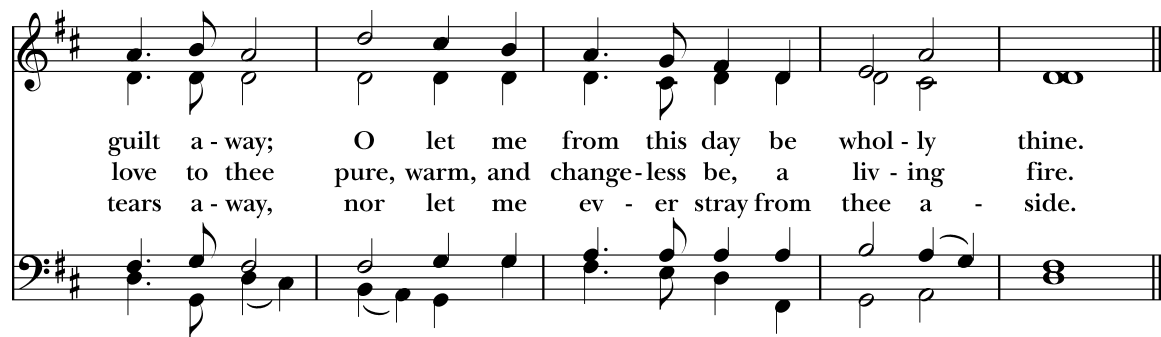
My faith looks up to thee



1 My faith looks up to thee, thou Lamb of Cal - va - ry,
 2 May thy rich grace im - part strength to my faint - ing heart,
 3 While life's dark maze I tread, and griefs a - round me spread,



Sa - vior di - vine! Now hear me while I pray, take all my
 my zeal in - spire; as thou hast died for me, O may my
 be thou my guide; bid dark-ness turn to day; wipe sor - row's



guilt a - way; O let me from this day be whol - ly thine.
 love to thee pure, warm, and change-less be, a liv - ing fire.
 tears a - way, nor let me ev - er stray from thee a - side.

HYMN 671

Amazing grace!



1 A - maz - ing grace! how sweet the sound, that
 2 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and
 3 The Lord has prom - ised good to me, his
 4 Through man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares, I
 * 5 When we've been there ten thou - sand years, bright

1 saved a wretch like me! I once was lost but
 2 grace my fears re - lieved; how pre - cious did that
 3 word my hope se - cures; he will my shield and
 4 have al - rea - dy come; 'tis grace that brought me
 5 shin - ing as the sun, we've no less days to

1 now am found, was blind but now I see.
 2 grace ap - pear the hour I first be - lieved!
 3 por - tion be as long as life en - dures.
 4 safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.
 5 sing God's praise than when we'd first be - gun.

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

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

HYMN 550

Jesus calls us o'er the tumult

Unison or harmony

1 Je - sus calls us; o'er the tu - mult
 2 as, of old, Saint An - drew heard it
 3 Je - sus calls us from the wor - ship
 4 In our joys and in our sor - rows,
 5 Je - sus calls us! By thy mer - cies,

1 of our life's wild, rest - less sea, day by day his
 2 by the Gal - i - le - an lake, turned from home and
 3 of the vain world's gold - en store; from each i - dol
 4 days of toil and hours of ease, still he calls, in
 5 Sa - vior, make us hear thy call, give our hearts to

1 clear voice sound - eth, say - ing, "Chris - tian, fol - low me;"
 2 toil and kin - dred, leav - ing all for his dear sake.
 3 that would keep us, say - ing, "Chris - tian, love me more."
 4 cares and plea - sures, "Chris - tian, love me more than these."
 5 thine o - be - dience, serve and love thee best of all.

DISMISSAL

VOLUNTARY

This Week at HTP

Sun Oct 5, 2025 - Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

8am Holy Eucharist, Chapel
9:15am Christian Formation Classes for All Ages
10:30am Holy Eucharist (In Person/Streaming), Nave
4pm St. Francis Pet Blessing, DEAM Courtyard
5:30pm Choral Evensong, Nave

Mon Oct 6, 2025

6pm Lauda Musicam of Atlanta Rehearsal, Choir Room

Wed Oct 8, 2025

9:15am Preschool Chapel, Chapel
10am Women's Bible Study, Comer Center
11am Holy Eucharist and Healing Service, Chapel
5:30pm Wednesday Night Supper and Formation, Tisdale Hall
6:30pm Men Under 50 Bible Study, Comer Center
7pm Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room

Sun Oct 12, 2025 - Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

8am Holy Eucharist, Chapel
Calendar: Holy Trinity Parish
Created by: Amanda Vaughn
9:15am Christian Formation Classes for All Ages
Stewardship Kick Off
10:30am Holy Eucharist (In Person/Streaming), Nave
3pm PORCH Monthly Food Drive, Tisdale Hall

Announcements & Updates

Newcomers Classes Start Oct 5

This year HTP will offer a three-part series of classes for newcomers during the formation hour on Sunday mornings. Each four-week set of classes will be taught by one of the clergy, focusing on hearing one another's stories of faith, church and vocation; who we are as The Episcopal Church, in theology and liturgy; and the history and practices of being this particular congregation of Holy Trinity Parish. While these classes will be geared towards folks who are new to the parish and/or to The Episcopal Church, anyone is welcome to join us. October 5, 12, 19 and 26: Sharing our Faith Stories, Imagining our Place Here with Mo Ellen.

Blessing of the Animals Sunday, October 5 at 4 p.m.

Bring your furry, scaly, or feathered family members to the Celebration of the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi and the Blessing of the Animals at 4 p.m. in the Lee Courtyard (by DEAM).

Evensong for Pride Week, October 5

The Choir will sing Evensong on Sunday, Oct 5 at 5:30 p.m. in celebration of Atlanta Pride Week. The choir will share music from LGBTQIA+ composers, including David Hogan's *Mt. St. Alban Service*, Craig Phillip's *Keep Watch, Dear Lord*, and music from Calvin Hampton, Daniel Pinkham, as well as organ music by Camille Saint-Saens and Ethel Smyth. Come join us as we explore the Anglican tradition of sung Evening Prayer, our first of four this year.

Wednesdays at Holy Trinity!

10 a.m. Women's Bible Study in Comer Center Commons: All women are welcome. We'll start by introducing ourselves and sharing stories of our "relationship" to the Bible.

11 a.m. Healing Service in the Chapel: Each Wednesday at 11 a.m. we gather in the Chapel for a service of healing and Eucharist. Come join us mid-day and mid-week for a time of prayer and worship.

5:30 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper & Formation in Tisdale Hall: Food, fellowship, formation! Come feast, fellowship, and grow together. We will have adult, youth, and children's formation and fellowship offerings each week evening from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. Food on Oct. 1 will come from Sweet Sweet Syria.

6:30 p.m. Men Under 50 Bible Study in Comer Center: Father Greg is leading a new Bible Study this fall for men under the age of 50. We'll meet right after Wednesday Night Supper from 6:30-7:30 p.m. and in our first year we'll study the stories of significant men in the Old Testament.

Come to the PORCH Oct 12

Our next Porch Collection is Oct. 12 from 3-4:30 p.m. You can leave your donations when you come to church in the morning, in Tisdale Hall on a bench with a note that indicates it is for Porch, or you can bring them during the drop off period in the afternoon. We always welcome volunteers, so if interested, please arrive at 2:45 p.m. The collection is held at the Sycamore Place entrance to Tisdale Hall (through the red doors).

Fall Fest Oct 19

You, your friends, family, neighbors – ALL – are invited to our Fall Festival on October 19 from 5-7 pm. Enjoy dinner from Ford's BBQ (vegetarian options available). We'll have face painting, arts & crafts, music, activities for kids. Free admission, but please bring a canned good for DEAM if possible.

2026 Pilgrimage to Wales

Join us in June 2026 for a Holy Trinity Parish pilgrimage to Wales! This unique journey offers **two tracks**—one for hikers and one for non-hikers—so everyone can participate fully.

The **hiking track** will cover approximately 28 miles over six days. The **non-hiking track** will explore cultural, historic, and scenic highlights by coach. The tentative dates for this trip are June 12 - 20. While all the details have not been worked out, we expect the trip to run about \$3,000 per person (give or take) excluding airfare.

Please contact David Triemer (triemer@htparish.com) for a copy of the tentative itinerary and to indicate your interest. Please let him know whether you prefer the hiking or non-hiking track.

Prayers of the Parish October 5 (feel free to tear off and take home with you)

Sunday

For those who are ill or in need: Lee Echols, *Ellen Purdum's brother*; Jamie Jayanna and family; James; James; Leslie Funt, *Albert Nim-Dixon's friend*; Debra Kay, *Nana Freret's friend*

For those who have died: Cathy Bowers, *daughter of Grant and Jeanne Knox*

Monday

For those who are ill or in need: Tommy, *friend of Lewis Thorp*; Andrea, *Giulia Galvin's sister*; Margaret Hertlein; Ellen Bishop and Family; Sara June McDavid, *friend of Lynne Pickens*; Bill Williams, *Ed Watkins' brother-in-law*; Charles Berkeley, *Ed Watkins' cousin*; Bob Huber, *Katie Johnson's father*; Kathy Garner; Daniel; Grant Knox

Anglican communion cycle of prayer: The Anglican Church of Tanzania; Diocese of Panama – Iglesia Anglicana de la Region Central de America; Diocese of Pankshin – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion); Diocese of Panrieng, Diocese of Panyana – Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan; Diocese of Paraguay – The Anglican Church of South America; Diocese of Paraná – Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil

Tuesday

For those who are ill or in need: The Spence family, *friends of Helen Blier*; Jimmy Pirkle, *Ada Smedley's cousin*; Rosalind and her daughter Rachelle; Jim; Nancy Qarmout; Doreen Lewis, *Jeanne Knox's friend*; Katy Pope, *Linda Pope's daughter*

For the Vestry and Officers: Cindy, David, Ellen, Greg, Hope, Julia, Mollie, Nathan, Stacy

Diocesan cycle of prayer: Clergy and people of St. Francis, Macon; Bishop Victor and the people of our companion and partner, Diocese of Cape Coast, especially Ataabadze Congregation, Elmina; for all congregations seeking new or renewed direction

Wednesday

For those who are ill or in need: Gail McClellan; Aiden, Yanna, Maeve, and Mari Downey, *friends of Anna Ingwersen*; Tyler Dunstan and family, Sharon, *friend of Lynne Pickens*; Carlton, *Anthony Grant's family member*; Jim; Zack Spratlin, *Chotsy Waites' neighbor*

For the Staff: Will, Ellen, Amanda, Christian, Amy, Kate, Mike, Heather, Shaun

Parish birthdays: 10/5 Erika Bravo; 10/6 Betty Moore; 10/8 Leah Myers; 10/9 Mary Beth Wald, Margaret Myers; 10/10 Henry Kelly

Thursday

For those who are ill or in need: Donna Warfield; Beth; Bill Clark; Gail Wasdin, *Chotsy Waites' sister*; Gracie Kennedy, *Ginna Evans' friend*; Carroll Fregosi, *Giulia Galvin's sister-in-law*

For preschool staff, teachers, students and parents

Parish wedding anniversaries: 10/7 Margaret and Brad Myers

Friday

For those who are ill or in need: Lindsay, *friend of Lewis Thorp*; Robert Lee Harrison; Lisa Shore-Staats, *friend of Rosemary Jean-Louis*; Mekia Goodbee, *friend of Rosemary Jean-Louis*; Geta Reid; Sunny; Elaine Barfield; Jane and Berry Skelton, *Leslie King's sister and brother-in-law*; Diane Smarro, *Belinda Watkins' sister*; Greta Betty

Parish baptism anniversaries: 10/9 Jim Lee; 10/10 Kaelyn Carter

Clergy and Staff

The Rt. Rev. Robert C. Wright Bishop
The Rev. Greg Tallant Rector
The Rev. Rhett Solomon Assoc. Rector
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The Word of God

Procession Hymn 535	Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim
Opening Acclamation & Collect for Purity	BCP 355
Hymn of Praise	1982 Hymnal, S-35
Collect of the Day, Proper 20	BCP 234
Lessons	Inside bulletin
Sequence Hymn	Halle, halle, halle
Sermon	
Nicene Creed	BCP 358
Prayers of the People, Form IV	BCP 388
Confession, Absolution, & Peace	BCP 360

The Holy Communion

Offertory Anthem	O Lord, increase my faith
Eucharistic Prayer C	BCP 369
Sanctus	BCP 371 (S-130)
Lord's Prayer	BCP 364
Fraction Anthem	S-164
Communion Music	
Hymn 691	My faith looks up to thee
Hymn 671	Amazing grace!
Postcommunion Prayer	BCP 365
Blessing & Dismissal	BCP 366
Procession Hymn 550	Jesus calls us o'er the tumult