



Holy Trinity Parish – Decatur, GA
 Pentecost 5 - June 28, 2026 - 10:30 a.m.



The Word of God (BCP p 355-360)

Voluntary

Procession Hymn 525

The Church's one foundation

Opening Acclamation & Collect for Purity

BCP 355

Gloria

BCP 356 (S-280)

Collect of the Day

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. **Amen.**

Lessons

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Sermon

Nicene Creed

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Prayers of the People, Form II

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The Holy Communion (BCP 361-366)

Offertory

Eucharistic Prayer A

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Sanctus

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Lord's Prayer

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Fraction Anthem

BCP 364 (S-154)

Communion Hymns

Hymn 675 Take up your cross, the Savior said

Hymn 488 Be thou my vision

Postcommunion Prayer

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Blessing & Dismissal

BCP 366

Procession Hymn - Lift Every Voice and Sing 99

My hope is built on nothing less

The Lessons

First Reading

Jeremiah 28:5-9

The prophet Jeremiah spoke to the prophet Hananiah in the presence of the priests and all the people who were standing in the house of the Lord; and the prophet Jeremiah said, "Amen! May the Lord do so; may the Lord fulfill the words that you have prophesied, and bring back to this place from Babylon the vessels of the house of the Lord, and all the exiles. But listen now to this word that I speak in your hearing and in the hearing of all the people. The prophets who preceded you and me from ancient times prophesied war, famine, and pestilence against many countries and great kingdoms. As for the prophet who prophesies peace, when the word of that prophet comes true, then it will be known that the Lord has truly sent the prophet."

Psalm 89:1-4,15-18 *(read responsively by whole verse)*

1 Your love, O Lord, for ever will I sing; *
from age to age my mouth will proclaim your faithfulness.

**2 For I am persuaded that your love is established for ever; *
you have set your faithfulness firmly in the heavens.**

3 "I have made a covenant with my chosen one; *
I have sworn an oath to David my servant:

**4 'I will establish your line for ever, *
and preserve your throne for all generations.'"**

15 Happy are the people who know the festal shout! *
they walk, O Lord, in the light of your presence.

**16 They rejoice daily in your Name; *
they are jubilant in your righteousness.**

17 For you are the glory of their strength, *
and by your favor our might is exalted.

**18 Truly, the Lord is our ruler; *
the Holy One of Israel is our King.**

Epistle

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.

Gospel Refrain

Wonder, Love, and Praise 783

Heleluyan



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Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia: al - le, al - le - lu - ia;



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Gospel

Matthew 10:40-42

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."

The Upcoming Week at HTP

Sun Jun 28, 2026 - Fifth Sunday After Pentecost

8am Holy Eucharist, Chapel

10:30am Holy Eucharist (In Person/Streaming), Nave

12pm Faith and Justice, Gaylord Room

Mon Jun 29, 2026 - The Feast of St Peter and St Paul, Apostles

Camp Peace

Tue Jun 30, 2026

Camp Peace

1pm Yoga, Narthex

Wed Jul 1, 2026

Camp Peace

11am Holy Eucharist and Healing Service, Chapel

1pm Mahjong class, Gaylord Room

2pm Park Springs Eucharist

Thu Jul 2, 2026

Camp Peace

Fri Jul 3, 2026

Camp Peace

Sat Jul 4, 2026 - Independence Day

10am Daughters of the King, Gaylord Room

Sun Jul 5, 2026 - Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

8am Holy Eucharist, Chapel

10:30am Holy Eucharist (In Person/Streaming), Nave

Announcements & Updates

Mahjong Lessons

Susie Williams and Georgia Andrews will be teaching Mahjong at the church in the Gaylord Room on Wednesdays from 1:00-3:30 pm. All are welcome. If you are interested, please let Susie know by calling her at (678) 770-6429.

Stories for All Seasons: Summer 2026

Stories for all Seasons is back for the summer! Running June 7 - August 9, each Sunday a designated member will share their history and relationship with Holy Trinity Parish. Responses and discussion will be invited from class attendees. There's no requirement to sign up as an attendee, and you can participate Sunday to Sunday as it works for your schedule.

Thank you to Julia Gable, Geta Reid, Alicia Phillip, Cindy Stein, Dan Galenkamp, Jack Kelly, Giulia Galvin, and Liv Brantley for sharing more of themselves with us!

We meet during formation hour 9:15 - 10:15 AM in the Gaylord Room.

Combined Summer Coffee Hour

Be sure to stop by Bishop Cafe between the kitchen and parish hall downstairs this summer for one combined Coffee Hour between services. Gather for coffee and snacks from 9-10:15.

HTP Summer Choir

Do you love to sing? Looking for something new, but not ready to commit to a choir all year? Come join us for the Summer Choir!

As our Parish Choir takes a well deserved break after the program year, we make room for the Summer Choir from now through most of August. No musical training required, just a heart for singing. Join us any Sunday at 9:30 a.m. in the choir room to give it a try! We will put together something simple and beautiful for the 10:30 a.m. service, with no weekly commitment. See you there!

Fr. Greg's Sabbatical

When Episcopal priests have served in a parish for 6 years they are eligible for a 3-month sabbatical. Father Greg took his first one after 7 years in the summer of 2019 and he will be taking his second this year from mid-June to mid-September. During his time away the clergy, staff, and vestry will continue to lead the parish ably.

Prayers of the Parish June 28 (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*; Anne Franzen; Philip Smith; Idie Clement, *friend of parishioner Sally Brozdek*; Cynthia and Vivienne Brown; Donna Warfield; Beth; Bill Clark; Gracie Kennedy, *Ginna Evans' friend*

For those who have died: Michael J. Kocurek, *father of Anne Kelly*

Monday

For those who are ill or in need: David Stiefel, *Susan Deaver's brother*; Frank Derrickson; Robert Evans; Kay Holditch, *daughter of Ernie and Blanche Holditch*; Geta Reid; Jane and Berry Skelton, *Leslie King's sister and brother-in-law*; Diane Smarro, *Belinda Watkins' sister*; Greta Betty

Anglican communion cycle of prayer: The Anglican Church of Southern Africa; The Diocese of Algoma – The Anglican Church of Canada; The Diocese of All Saints – The Anglican Church of Kenya; The Diocese of Aluakluak – Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan; The Diocese of Amazônia – Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brazil; The Diocese of Amichi – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion); The Diocese of Amritsar – the Church of North India (United)

Tuesday

For those who are ill or in need: Jamie Jayanna and family; James; James; Debra Kay, *Nana Freret's friend*

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

Diocesan cycle of prayer: The Clergy and people of St. Peter and St. Paul, Marietta; For all congregations seeking new or renewed direction; Bishop Victor and the people of our companion and partner, Diocese of Cape Coast, especially Sts. Peter & Paul Parish, Saltpond; Sts. Peter & Paul Parish, Awutu Beraku

Wednesday

For those who are ill or in need: Judith Jackson; Andrea, *Giulia Galvin's sister*; Bill Williams, *Ed Watkins' brother-in-law*; Charles Berkeley, *Ed Watkins' cousin*; Kathy Garner; Grant Knox

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

Parish birthdays: 6/30 Keith Hege; 7/2 Liam Youngblood; 7/3 Susie Williams; 7/4 Judy Skinner, Jonas Lösel

Thursday

For those who are ill or in need: Tommy, *Lewis Thorp's friend*; Linda; Jim; Nancy Qarmout; Doreen Lewis, *Jeanne Knox's friend*; Katy Pope, *Linda Pope's daughter*

For preschool staff, teachers, students and parents

Parish wedding anniversaries: 6/30 Nancy and Berkeley Boone

Friday

For those who are ill or in need: Paula McPhail, *daughter-in-law of Johnnie and Paul McPhail*; Ed and Belinda Watkins; John and Tara Harrison, *family of Lee Harrison*; Gail McClellan; Sharon, *friend of Lynne Pickens*; Jim; Zack Spratlin, *Chotsy Waites' neighbor*; Chesley, *friend of Heather Horne*

Parish baptism anniversaries: 7/1 Lewis Thorp

Welcome!



All deserve equal access to worship, study, and corporate prayer. All have gifts to contribute. Please speak to an usher or priest if you need assistance.

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.



Our nursery, staffed by trained, caring professionals, serves infants, toddlers, and preschoolers.



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.



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For a listing of clergy, staff, and vestry, and to learn more about the parish, visit our website, holytrinitydecatour.org