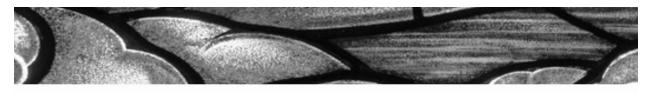


All Saints' Sunday Gathering Hour: Holy Eucharist Rite II (EOW) Sunday, Nov. 2, 2025 at 12 p.m.

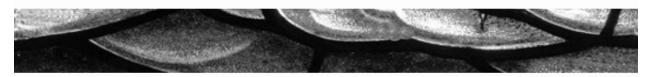


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# WELCOME!

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH EMBODIES CHRIST'S LOVE BY CREATING SACRED COMMUNITY, SHARING GOD'S STORY, AND WELCOMING AND SERVING ALL PEOPLE.

Welcome Visitors!

Thank you for coming! Please pick up a Welcome Bag on the table in the north end of the Parish Hall and fill out the Visitor Card found in the pew and place it in the collection plate. You're especially welcome to join formation and fellowship opportunities at 10:45 a.m. where you can meet others, to learn, and grow in faith.

Infants and Children

We love children in church! Activity bags may be found at the bell tower entrance and library vestibule. Nursery care is available during all services for children from infancy up to 4 years old. Children's Church is offered at the 9:30 service for ages 4 to 10. If you would like your child to participate have them follow the adult leader who will guide them to the Children's Church area after the announcements. Children will return at The Peace.

Fellowship & Education

Enjoy fellowship and coffee in the Parish Hall following each service. In the fall and spring we offer children, youth/teen, and adult Christian formation opportunities at 10:45 a.m.

**Receiving Communion** 

In the Episcopal Church, we welcome all baptized Christians to the Lord's Table to receive the Eucharist, regardless of when and where they were baptized. (And, of course, we'd love to talk to you about baptism if you have not been baptized.) Those not wishing to take Communion may come forward for a blessing and indicate this by crossing their arms across their chest. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.

**Getting Connetcted** 

Are you new to the parish? Want to get better acquainted? Use the QR code at the bottom right to fill out a short contact form.

Office Hours Monday-Thursday 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Closed Friday

Sunday Worship 8 a.m. Rite I 9:30 a.m. Rite II Choral Eucharist 12 p.m. Rite II Gathering Hour

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I'M NEW!

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### Announcements: Nov. 2, 2025

TODAY: Fellowship & Formation at 10:45 a.m. Godly Play (ages 4-10) meets in the upstairs classroom. Youth Group will gather in the Basement. Coffee Hour is in the Parish Hall. We will not have a formal Bible Basics session today, but Sarah Martinez will be in the Library staffing the Bible Nerd Information Booth. Come ask your pressing scripture questions!

TODAY: **El Jardín** will host a Spanish-language Holy Eucharist in the Chapel at 2 p.m. to commemorate All Saints' and All Souls' days. Family-friendly events follow in the Parish Hall. All are welcome.

TODAY: All Souls' **Requiem Concert** is at 7 p.m. in the Nave with a reception to follow in the Parish Hall. All are welcome.

The **Great Thanksgiving Restock** of 4Saints & Friends Episcopal Food Pantry is underway. Let's cram their shelves with Thanksgiving foods and everyday staples. Pick up your shopping list in the Parish Hall, where we will also collect your contributions. We're looking forward to delivering a bounty to the pantry just in time for the holidays, which will be especially hard on so many due to the pause in federal food assistance.

Holy Eucharist with **Healing Prayer** is Wednesday, Nov. 5 at 6 p.m. in the Chapel.

Friends & Family Meetup! Come hang out at Panther Island Brewing on Friday, Nov. 7 from 6 to 8 p.m. Email family@fortworthtrinity.org with questions. Trinity will provide the food; be there to have some fun!

New to Trinity? You're invited to a Newcomer's Reception on Sunday, Nov. 9 at 10:45 a.m. in the Lounge. Come meet with clergy and parish leaders in a relaxed, informal setting. The following Sundays plan to attend Embarking on the Episcopal Way. (Same time; same place) These sessions will prepare you for church membership and reception/confirmation when the bishop visits in 2026. We'll celebrate all of our new members during worship on Sunday, Dec. 14. Questions? Email smartinez@fortworthtrinity.org to learn more.

We will bless the **2026 pledges** on Sunday, Nov. 9 during worship services. Snap the QR code below or complete a pledge card, which may be found in the hymnal racks. Thank you for your support!

Senior Ministry will meet for lunch and a guest speaker in the Parish Hall at 12 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 13. A representative from Dementia Friendly Fort Worth will guide attendees through an interactive presentation called DementiaLive. Email deborahlfinn@verizon.net to RSVP.

Women of Trinity will gather at the Kimbell Art Museum on Thursday, Nov. 20 at 11:30 a.m. for lunch and a docent-led tour of Myth & Marble: Ancient Roman Sculpture. Send your questions and RSVPs to women@fortworthtrinity.org.

The **First Sunday of Advent** is Nov. 30. We will make Advent wreaths and share devotional resources in the Parish Hall at 10:45 a.m.



Snap the QR code (left) for event details and online registration. (Use this code to RSVP for other events and learn more about parish life at Trinity. It's a quick way to access our Linktree!)

# The Word of God Entrance Rite



# OPENING ACCLAMATION (BCP p. 355)

The people standing, the Celebrant says

Celebrant Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.

People Glory to God for ever and ever.

# COLLECT FOR PURITY (BCP p. 355)

The Celebrant may say

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**.

## OPENING ANTHEM OR SONG OF PRAISE



THE COLLECT OF THE DAY (BCP p. 357)

Celebrant God be with you.People And also with you.Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen**.

# The Lessons

FIRST READING: Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18

*The people sit.* 

A Reading from the book of Daniel.

<sup>1</sup>In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream: <sup>2</sup>I, Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, <sup>3</sup>and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another.

<sup>15</sup>As for me, Daniel, my spirit was troubled within me, and the visions of my head terrified me. <sup>16</sup>I approached one of the attendants to ask him the truth concerning all this. So he said that he would disclose to me the interpretation of the matter: <sup>17</sup>"As for these four great beasts, four kings shall arise out of the earth. <sup>18</sup>But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom forever—forever and ever."

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People Thanks be to God.

PSALM: Psalm 149

Remain seated. We will read the Psalm in unison.

<sup>1</sup>Hallelujah!

Sing to the LORD a new song; \*

sing his praise in the congregation of the faithful.

<sup>2</sup>Let Israel rejoice in his Maker; \*

let the children of Zion be joyful in their King.

<sup>3</sup>Let them praise his Name in the dance; \*

let them sing praise to him with timbrel and harp.

<sup>4</sup>For the LORD takes pleasure in his people \*

and adorns the poor with victory.

<sup>5</sup>Let the faithful rejoice in triumph; \*

let them be joyful on their beds.

<sup>6</sup>Let the praises of God be in their throat \*

and a two-edged sword in their hand;

<sup>7</sup>To wreak vengeance on the nations \*

and punishment on the peoples;

<sup>8</sup>To bind their kings in chains \*

and their nobles with links of iron;

<sup>9</sup>To inflict on them the judgment decreed; \* this is glory for all his faithful people.

Hallelujah!

SECOND READING: Ephesians 1:11-23

A Reading from Paul's letter to the Church in Ephesus.

<sup>11</sup>In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, <sup>12</sup>so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. <sup>13</sup>In him you also, when you

had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; <sup>14</sup>this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

<sup>15</sup>I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason <sup>16</sup>I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. <sup>17</sup>I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, <sup>18</sup>so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, <sup>19</sup>and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. <sup>20</sup>God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, <sup>21</sup>far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. <sup>22</sup>And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, <sup>23</sup>which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People Thanks be to God.

SEQUENCE HYMN I sing a song of the saints of God (Grand Isle) (H 293)

I sing a song of the saints of God, patient and brave and true, who toiled and fought and lived and died for the Lord they loved and knew.

And one was a doctor, and one was a queen, and one was a shepherdess on the green: they were all of them saints of God and I mean, God helping, to be one too.

They loved their Lord so dear, so dear, and his love made them strong; and they followed the right, for Jesus' sake, the whole of their good lives long. And one was a soldier, and one was a priest, and one was slain by a fierce wild beast; and there's not any reason no, not the least, why I shouldn't be one too.

They lived not only in ages past, there are hundreds of thousands still, the world is bright with the joyous saints who love to do Jesus' will.

You can meet them in school, or in lanes, or at sea, in church, or in trains, or in shops, or at tea, for the saints of God are just folk like me, and I mean to be one too.

GOSPEL: Luke 6:20-31 All stand.

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

<sup>20</sup>[Jesus] looked up at his disciples and said:

"Blessed are you who are poor,

for yours is the kingdom of God.

<sup>21</sup>"Blessed are you who are hungry now,

for you will be filled.

"Blessed are you who weep now,

for you will laugh.

<sup>22</sup>"Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. <sup>23</sup>Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets.

<sup>24</sup>"But woe to you who are rich,

for you have received your consolation.

<sup>25</sup>"Woe to you who are full now,

for you will be hungry.

"Woe to you who are laughing now,

for you will mourn and weep.

<sup>26</sup>"Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.

<sup>27</sup>"But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, <sup>28</sup>bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. <sup>29</sup>If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. <sup>30</sup>Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. <sup>31</sup>Do to others as you would have them do to you."

The Gospel of our Savior.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

#### THE SERMON

#### RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL VOWS All stand.

Celebrant

Do you reaffirm your renunciation of evil and renew your commitment to Jesus Christ? *People* 

#### I do.

Celebrant

Do you believe in God the Father?

People

# I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Celebrant

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People

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.

Celebrant

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People

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.

Celebrant

Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of the bread, and in the prayers?

People

# I will, with God's help.

Celebrant

Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People

# I will, with God's help.

Celebrant

Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

People

# I will, with God's help.

Celebrant

Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People

# I will, with God's help.

Celebrant

Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

People

# I will, with God's help.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE All remain standing.

Immersed in the loving cloud of witnesses we offer our prayers with joy and hope as we say, Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

May your church pursue its ministry and proclaim the good news with integrity, humility, and courage, that the whole world may come to know the love of Christ. Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

May our nation be a place of peace and opportunity where all people might thrive and be free to pursue their potential, and be blessed with leaders who pursue the common good and work for the health of the whole nation. Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.** 

Kindle hope and courage in the hearts of this assembly that we might continue the good work of those who came before and someday pass on our mission to generations to come, that we might be an unbroken link in the chain of faith. Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Give us courage to face our global challenges with open hearts, open minds, and a willingness to take on new and sustainable ways of living in your creation. Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.** 

Mend what is broken, heal what is amiss, and bring wholeness and peace to all people that we might live the abundant life of Christ. Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.** 

We are surrounded by the love of those who have entered already into your eternal care, grant us to one day join them in that great cloud of witnesses and to be an inspiration today to those who will be your church on earth tomorrow. Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.** 

The Celebrant adds a concluding collect

God, you have cared for us since we first drew breath and walked the earth, continue to be with us and to lead us into an ever-greater awareness of you that our lives may be reflect your loving glory into the world. **Amen.** 

CONFESSION OF SIN (BCP p. 359)

The Deacon or Celebrant says

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.

The Priest stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen**.

THE PEACE (BCP p. 360) All stand.

Celebrant The peace of Christ be always with you.

People And also with you.

### ANNIVERSARY BLESSING

O God, you have so consecrated the covenant of marriage that in it is represented the spiritual unity between Christ and his Church: Send therefore your blessing upon these your servants, that they may so love, honor, and cherish each other in faithfulness and patience, in wisdom and true godliness, that their home may be a haven of blessing and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

#### **BIRTHDAY BLESSING**

O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servants as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### CHILDREN'S BLESSING

God of Creation and Love, surround these your children with your grace, comfort them with your presence, and fill them with your joy. Show them that your Way of Love is what gives them life, and encourage them to have ever-widening circles of friendship. Keep them ever mindful of the beauty and stewardship of your creation. Give them strength to hold their faith in you through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## **OFFERING**

Please remember to continue to support the life and ministries of Trinity Episcopal Church. We need you! Visit fortworthtrinity.org to access the online giving portal. You can also text FTWTrinity to 73256 to make a one-time or recurring gift. (Messages and data rates may apply. Message frequency varies. Text HELP to 73256 for help. Text STOP to 73256 to cancel.) Checks may be mailed to the church: 3401 Bellaire Drive South, Fort Worth, TX 76109.

# The Holy Communion

OFFERTORY SENTENCE & ANTHEM I Will, With God's Help

# The Great Thanksgiving

Please stand as you are able.

CelebrantGod be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.CelebrantLift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

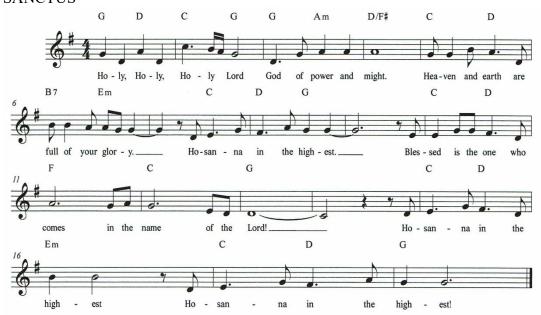
Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give our thanks and praise.

We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant. From before time you made ready the creation. Your Spirit moved over the deep and brought all things into being: sun, moon, and stars; earth, winds, and waters; and every living thing. You made us in your image, and taught us to walk in your ways. But we rebelled against you, and wandered far away; and yet, as a mother cares for her children, you would not forget us. Time and again you called us to live in the fullness of your love.

And so this day we join with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we sing:

# **SANCTUS**



Glory and honor and praise to you, holy and living God. To deliver us from the power of sin and death and to reveal the riches of your grace, you looked with favor upon Mary, your willing servant, that she might conceive and bear a son, Jesus the holy child of God. Living among us, Jesus loved us. He broke bread with outcasts and sinners, healed the sick, and proclaimed good news to the poor. He yearned to draw all the world to himself yet we were heedless of his call to walk in love. Then, the time came for him to complete upon the cross the sacrifice of his life, and to be glorified by you.

On the night before he died for us, Jesus was at table with his friends. He took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it, and gave it to them, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine. Again, he gave thanks to you, gave it to them, and said: "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Now gathered at your table, O God of all creation, and remembering Christ, crucified and risen, who was and is and is to come, we offer to you our gifts of bread and wine, and ourselves, a living sacrifice.

Pour out your Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ. Breathe your Spirit over the whole earth and make us your new creation, the Body of Christ given for the world you have made.

In the fullness of time bring us, with all your saints, from every tribe and language and people and nation, to feast at the banquet prepared from the foundation of the world.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever. *AMEN* 

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,



# The Breaking of the Bread Fraction anthem



# INVITATION (BCP p. 364)

The Celebrant says

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

## COMMUNION HYMN The Baptism Song



# POST-COMMUNION PRAYER (BCP p. 365)

After Communion, the Celebrant says

Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

#### **BLESSING**

POST-COMMUNION HYMN When the Saints Go Marchin' In

#### Chorus:

Oh when the saints go marching in, Oh when the saints go marching in. Lord, I want to be in that number, When the saints go marching in!

## Verse 1:

And when the sun begins to shine, And when the sun begins to shine. Lord, I want to be in that number, When the sun begins to shine. (Chorus)

## Verse 2:

Oh when the trumpet sounds its call, Oh when the trumpet sounds its call. Lord, I want to be in that number, When the trumpet sounds its call. (Chorus)

# DISMISSAL (BCP p. 366)

Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People Thanks be to God.