

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Worship Booklet The Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost Holy Eucharist-Rite II

October 26, 2025 10am

Service Live Streamed on YouTube

Trinity Episcopal Church-Belleville, MI

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All Psalms will be read responsively by **whole verse.** The people's response after the Old Testament & Epistle readings after "The Word of the Lord" is: **Thanks be to God**. Following "The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to_____." (Matthew, Mark, Luke or John)

People respond: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

The Gospel reading ends: The Gospel of the Lord People respond: Praise to you, Lord Christ

PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

The Hymnal 1982, Blue Hymn book, #686 (vs. 1 - 3)

The congregation stands

THE WORD OF GOD

ACCLAMATION

The congregation remains standing

Celebrant Blessed be God: most holy, glorious, and undivided Trinity.

People And blessed be God's reign, now and forever. Amen.

COLLECT FOR PURITY

In unison

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.*

GLORIA LEVAS #243

Glory to God

Lift Every Voice and Sing II, #243





THE COLLECT OF THE DAY The

The Book of Common Prayer pg. 235

Celebrant The Lord be with you People And also with you

Celebrant Let us pray...

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

THE LESSONS

Sirach 35:12-17

Give to the Most High as he has given to you, and as generously as you can afford. For the Lord is the one who repays, and he will repay you sevenfold. Do not offer him a bribe, for he will not accept it and do not rely on a dishonest sacrifice; for the Lord is the judge, and with him there is no partiality. He will not show partiality to the poor; but he will listen to the prayer of one who is wronged. He will not ignore the supplication of the orphan, or the widow when she pours out her complaint.

Reader: The Word of the Lord People: Thanks be to God

Psalm 84:1-6

The Book of Common Prayer pg. 707 & 708

How dear to me is your dwelling, O Lord of hosts! My soul has a desire and longing for the courts of the Lord; my heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God.

The sparrow has found her a house and the swallow a nest where she may lay her young; by the side of your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God.

Happy are they who dwell in your house! they will always be praising you.

Happy are the people whose strength is in you! whose hearts are set on the pilgrims' way.

Those who go through the desolate valley will find it a place of springs, for the early rains have covered it with pools of water.

They will climb from height to height, and the God of gods will reveal himself in Zion.

2 Timothy 4:6-8,16-18

I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing.

At my first defense no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever, Amen.

Reader: The Word of the Lord People: Thanks be to God

GOSPEL GRADUAL HYMN

The Hymnal 1982, Blue Hymn book, #656 (vs. 1 - 4)

GOSPEL

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ

Luke 18:9-14

Jesus told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt: "Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, `God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income.' But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, `God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted."

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord People: Praise to you, Lord Christ

THE SERMON

The Rev. Chip Dischinger

THE NICENE CREED

The Nicene Creed is a historical statement agreed upon by the First Council of Nicea that was convened by Constantine in order to seek consensus regarding the core doctrines of Christian faith. It is our unified statement of faith-that's why it begins with "We believe."

Celebrant and People

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

Leader

With all our heart and all our mind, let us pray to the Lord saying, Lord, have mercy

For the peace from above, for the loving kindness of God, for the salvation of our souls, let us pray to the Lord,

Lord, have mercy

For the peace of the world, for the welfare of the Holy Church of God, and for the unity of all people, let us pray to the Lord,

Lord, have mercy

For Sean our Presiding Bishop, Bonnie our bishop, and for all clergy and people, let us pray to the Lord,

Lord, have mercy

For Donald our President, for the leaders of the nations and for all in authority, let us pray to the Lord,

Lord, have mercy

For an end to war and conflict throughout the world; for the innocent who suffer, and for all who are in harms way as a result of violence and unrest. Especially bring an end to the Russian invasion of Ukraine which is in its 4th year; bring an end the Israeli-Palestinian war spanning generations, and for peace in Sudan, let us pray to the Lord,

Lord, have mercy

For the good earth which God has given us, for the wisdom and will to conserve it. For those around the world affected by tropical storms and winds, fire and flood. For courage and hope in their troubles, and for the comfort and peace of God, let us pray to the Lord,

Lord, have mercy

For all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them comfort in your healing power, let us pray to the Lord,

Lord, have mercy

For the poor and the oppressed, for the unemployed and the destitute, for prisoners and captives, and for all who remember and care for them, let us pray to the Lord,

Lord, have mercy

For all refugees and those seeking asylum from violence and persecution, that they may find welcome and dignity and a chance to rebuild their lives, let us pray to the Lord,

Lord, have mercy

For deliverance from all danger, violence, oppression and degradation, let us pray to the Lord, *Lord, have mercy*

For all who have died in the hope of the resurrection, and all the departed, let us pray to the Lord, *Lord, have mercy*

In the communion of all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life, to Christ our Lord

To you, O Lord, our God

Celebrant

Praise to you, abundant God, for when we ask, you give; when we seek you show the way. When we knock, you answer. Praise to you for your unfailing grace. Make us now your faithful people. *Amen*

CONFESSION OF SIN

Celebrant Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept.

Minister and People

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.

THE ABSOLUTION

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

Celebrant The peace of Christ be always with you.

People And also with you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS

Collection plates will be passed

OFERTORY SENTENCE

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

Our Offering (Offertory) is to acknowledge God as the source of all we have and to make a thankful response, trusting that what God provides will be enough. We offer monetary gifts, and we offer ourselves, our souls, and bodies, to serve God here on earth. Please stand and sing the DOXOLOGY when the offerings are brought forward.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

DOXOLOGY LEVAS #105 (vs. 1)

I'm So Glad, Jesus Lifted Me

Lift Every Voice and Sing II, #105



Satan had me bound (Jesus lifted me).
 When I was in sin (Jesus lifted me).
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THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The congregation stands

Eucharistic Prayer A

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift 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.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Almighty Father, 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:

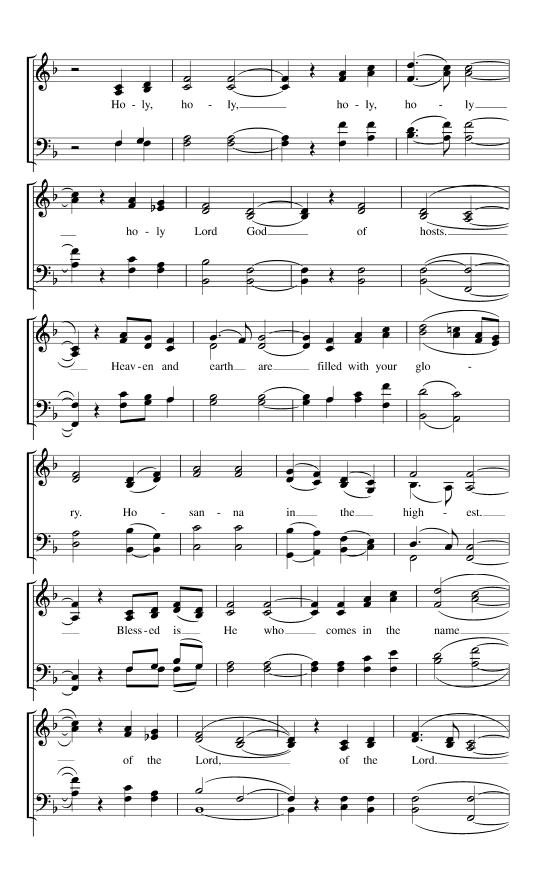
Celebrant and People

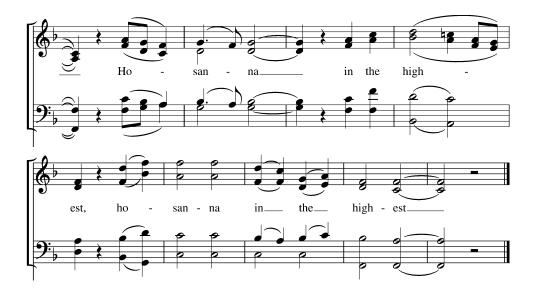
SANCTUS LEVAS #255

Holy, Holy, Holy

Lift Every Voice and Sing II, #255







The congregation may stand or kneel

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, 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 all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever. *AMEN*.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Celebrant And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say, People and Celebrant 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.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.

Celebrant Alleluia, Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People Therefore, let us keep the Feast. Alleluia.

FRACTION LEVAS #151

One bread, one body, one Lord of all, one cup of blessings which we bless. And we, though many, throughout the earth, We are one body in this one Lord.

THE INVITATION

Everyone is welcome to receive Holy Communion at Trinity. People are invited to the altar rail, beginning with the front rows and moving toward the back. Exit the pew on the center aisle and return down the outside aisle. If you wish to have your piece of bread dipped in the cup, keep it on your open palm and the Eucharistic Minister will dip it into the cup of wine and return it to your palm. If you prefer to receive a blessing, come forward to the rail and cross your arms on your chest as the priest approaches.

COMMUNION HYMNS

The Hymnal 1982, Blue Hymn book, #546 (vs. 1 - 4)

The Hymnal 1982, Blue Hymn book, #680 (vs. 1 - 6)

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Please stand as able

Celebrant 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.

THE BLESSING

May God give you the grace to never sell yourself short; Grace to risk something big for something good; and Grace to remember the world is now too dangerous for anything but the truth and too small for anything but love, and the blessing of God Almighty, Creator, Redeemer Christ, and Holy Spirit Sustainer, be among you and remain with you always.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

The Hymnal 1982, Blue Hymn book, #637 (vs. 3)

THE DISMISSAL

Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit, Alleluia, Alleluia.

Thanks be to God, Alleluia, Alleluia.

POSTLUDE

The candles are extinguished.

The service ends.

HAPPENING TODAY

Celebration of All Saints Day is Sunday, November 2. We will be remembering people who have passed, with a brunch to follow. If you'd like someone's name who passed away listed in the bulletin supplement and read out loud during the service that day, please fill out a form located on the back table in the sanctuary by October 26. More details to follow.

Blessing of the Animals, Sunday, October 26, following the Eucharist. Critters are welcome in the sanctuary during the service, and the blessing will take place outside. If you are unable to bring your pet, you can bring in a picture of your pet for a virtual blessing.

Worshipful Team Meeting, October 26, after church

The lively study of Luke's Gospel, skillfully led by Calesta Harrison, which meets on Sundays in room 5 after service. The class plans to conclude on December 14.

There will be an **Ofrenda** ('offering' in English) be set up in the Narthex (entrance to Sanctuary) October 19 - November 9. An Ofrenda is a traditional altar set up to honor, welcome, and remember the spirits of the deceased during Día de los Muertos, (Day of the Dead) a Mexican holiday.

In Mexico and some other countries, a table is decorated and covered with items such as photographs, flowers, trinkets that belonged to a loved one,... and candles for the Ofrenda.

HAPPENING THIS WEEK

LUNCH BUNCH Meets Tuesdays from 11:30 am - 1:30 pm Bring a friend – all are welcome! For more information or if you would like a ride, call Jeanne 734-787-9048.

Tuesdays at 11:30 a.m.

October 28: We will go out to eat at JT's, 41111 E. Huron River Drive, in Van Buren Twp.

Wednesday Night Eucharist Service, 5:45pm

UPCOMING

All Saints Day-In Gathering, November 2

Warm-up those voices!! All are welcome to join the Trinity choir resuming in September. We rehearse at 9:15 am and sing the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month. No experience is necessary. Please share your time and talent with our Trinity community in this uplifting ministry! Scheduled Singing Sundays through 2025: 11/2, 11/9, 11/23, 12/7, 12/14, 12/21

Questions, please see or email Jenifer Dapsi-Morse at music@trinitybell.org

Join Trinity's Bell Choir for children & youth:

Rehearsal dates: Sundays November 2, 9, 16, 30 & Sundays December 7, 14, during the Children's Worship at 10am.

Performance dates: Sunday services November 23, December 7, December 21, at 10am

Nov 9 - Honoring Veterans - mini presentation by Harry Van Gelder

ONLINE GIVING

Fulfill your pledge or support the many other ministries of Trinity using your card or checking account. It's fast and easy. Set up recurring payments for the year all at once. There is a guide sheet. You'll find them on a table in the narthex, or clink on the "Ways to Donate" tab on the website to get started. Contact the office with questions, either by office@trinitybell.org or 734-699-3361.

<u>PRAYERS AND CELEBRATIONS</u> (Please email your prayer requests to <u>office@trinitybell.org</u>. We will remove people from the prayer list monthly, unless otherwise notified by email at office@trinitybell.org).

For those in need of healing:

Gabby Burton Cheryl Miller Ron Wepler
Claire Isabel Kandler Jim Poethke Annette Herrera
Steve Copeland Michael & Betty Julie Gilliam
Bill Demarr Dave Tremper Ike Rednour

Fred Thom Valarie Altizer Fairman and Englert Families

Gary Marshall Jackie Gregory Roger Dick
Kathy Graham's brother Bob Bob Laughlin Lou Downey
Tricia Fairman Riley Abigale Matthew Gladen

Tony and Family Paul Downey Jeff and Ben Schonscheck

Connor SampsonJody GladenCynthiaHaylee MorsePattieTyler MahnkeMatt MenkeMark KuschelSharon McCluskey

Deb Harris

Other:

Flood victims

Gaza/the Middle East, Russia/Ukraine, and all areas worldwide where armed conflict exists

For those in the military:

Ethan Fulton, Alex Miret, Jr., Joshua Muse

For our worshipping communities:

Milford - St. George's

San Cristobal, DR - St. Bartholomew

For those celebrating birthdays/anniversaries this week:

Birthdays

10/26 Eddy Fulton, Jr.

TRINTY VESTRY Please keep the Vestry in your prayers

Sue Carpenter, Sr. Warden Ron Wepler, Jr. Warden

Gabby Burton Hannah Diaz Bonnie Martin Sharon Peters Vance Power Brenda Thom

Appointed: Cyndi Hernandez-Treasurer, Pat Gearns - Secretary

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Rev. Chip's office hours are Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday 9:30am-3:30pm, office phone: 734-699-3361, cell phone: 248-329-2089.

MINISTERS FOR THE SERVICE

Celebrant: Rev. Chip Dischinger Welcomers: Mary Finn, Bonnie Martin

Musician: Juliette Harrison Streaming: Amber Chadwick, Nancy Copeland,

Ed Hernandez, Deb Williams, Daryl Royal

Crucifer/EM: Brenda Thom Altar Guild: Amber Chadwick, Moulda Waldron, On call: Barb Smith

Lector: Maria Conliffe

Flower Guild: Patrice Anderson, Gabby Burton, Brenda Thom