Trinity Episcopal Church



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2nd Sunday after Pentecost

The Holy Eucharist: Rite II June 22, 2025

Welcome to Trinity Episcopal Church

We are delighted to have you with us today. Everything that you need for the liturgy can be found in this bulletin. If you have questions, please don't hesitate to ask someone around you. Children are always welcome in the church.

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The Word of God

Prelude: As the Deer

Martin Nustrom/setting Douglas Wagner

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Please stand as you are able for the procession.

Processional Hymn: Praise to the living God

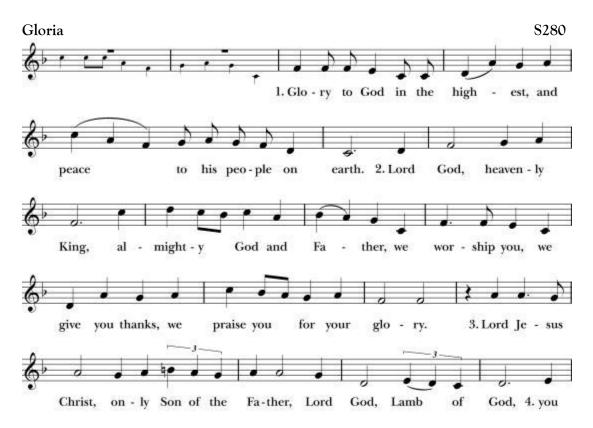


The Opening Acclamation:

Presider:Blessed be our God.People:For ever and ever. Amen.

Collect for Purity:

Presider: 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.





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The Collect of the Day:

Presider: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Presider: Let us pray.

O Lord, make us have perpetual love and reverence for your holy Name, for you never fail to help and govern those whom you have set upon the sure foundation of your lovingkindness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

The First Lesson:

1 Kings 19:1-4, (5-7), 8-15a

Lector: A reading from the book of Kings

Ahab told Jezebel all that Elijah had done, and how he had killed all the prophets with the sword. Then Jezebel sent a messenger to Elijah, saying, "So may the gods do to me, and more also, if I do not make your life like the life of one of them by this time tomorrow." Then he was afraid; he got up and fled for his life, and came to Beer-sheba, which belongs to Judah; he left his servant there.

But he himself went a day's journey into the wilderness, and came and sat down under a solitary broom tree. He asked that he might die: "It is enough; now, O Lord, take away my life, for I am no better than my ancestors." [Then he lay down under the broom tree and fell asleep. Suddenly an angel touched him and said to him, "Get up and eat." He looked, and there at his head was a cake baked on hot stones, and a jar of water. He ate and drank, and lay down again. The angel of the Lord came a second time, touched him, and said, "Get up and eat, otherwise the journey will be too much for you."] He got up, and ate and drank; then he went in the strength of that food forty days and forty nights to Horeb the mount of God. At that place he came to a cave, and spent the night there.

Then the word of the Lord came to him, saying, "What are you doing here, Elijah?" He answered, "I have been very zealous for the Lord, the God of hosts; for the Israelites have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword. I alone am left, and they are seeking my life, to take it away."

He said, "Go out and stand on the mountain before the Lord, for the Lord is about to pass by." Now there was a great wind, so strong that it was splitting mountains and breaking rocks in pieces before the Lord, but the Lord was not in the wind; and after the wind an earthquake, but the Lord was not in the earthquake; and after the earthquake a fire, but the Lord was not in the fire; and after the fire a sound of sheer silence. When Elijah heard it, he wrapped his face in his mantle and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave. Then there came a voice to him that said, "What are you doing here, Elijah?" He answered, "I have been very zealous for the Lord, the God of hosts; for the Israelites have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword. I alone am left, and they are seeking my life, to take it away." Then the Lord said to him, "Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus."

Lector: People:	Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people. Thanks be to God.
The Psalm:	 Psalm 42 1 As the deer longs for the water-brooks, * so longs my soul for you, O God. 2 My soul is athirst for God, athirst for the living God; * when shall I come to appear before the presence of God? 3 My tears have been my food day and night, * while all day long they say to me, "Where now is your God?" 4 I pour out my soul when I think on these things: * how I went with the multitude and led them into the house of God, 5 With the voice of praise and thanksgiving, * among those who keep holy-day. 6 Why are you so full of heaviness, O my soul? * and why are you so disquieted within me? 7 Put your trust in God; * for I will yet give thanks to him, who is the help of my countenance, and my God. 8 My soul is heavy within me; * therefore I will remember you from the land of Jordan, and from the peak of Mizar among the heights of Hermon. 9 One deep calls to another in the noise of your cataracts; * all your rapids and floods have gone over me. 10 The Lord grants his loving-kindness in the daytime; * in the night season his song is with me, a prayer to the God of my life.

11 I will say to the God of my strength, "Why have you forgotten me? * and why do I go so heavily while the enemy oppresses me?"
12 While my bones are being broken, * my enemies mock me to my face;
13 All day long they mock me * and say to me, "Where now is your God?"
14 Why are you so full of heaviness, O my soul? * and why are you so disquieted within me?
15 Put your trust in God; * for I will yet give thanks to him,

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The Second Lesson:

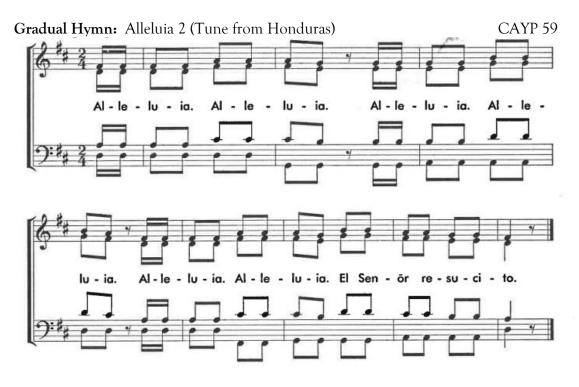
Galatians 3:23-29

Lector: A reading from the book of Galatians

Now before faith came, we were imprisoned and guarded under the law until faith would be revealed. Therefore the law was our disciplinarian until Christ came, so that we might be justified by faith. But now that faith has come, we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian, for in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith. As many of you as were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to the promise.

Lector:Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.People:Thanks be to God.

Please stand as you are able.



The Gospel:

Luke 8:26-39

Presider:The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to JohnPeople:Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus and his disciples arrived at the country of the Gerasenes, which is opposite Galilee. As he stepped out on land, a man of the city who had demons met him. For a long time he had worn no clothes, and he did not live in a house but in the tombs. When he saw Jesus, he fell down before him and shouted at the top of his voice, "What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, do not torment me" ~ for Jesus had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many times it had seized him; he was kept under guard and bound with chains and shackles, but he would break the bonds and be driven by the demon into the wilds.) Jesus then asked him, "What is your name?" He said, "Legion"; for many demons had entered him. They begged him not to order them to go back into the abyss. Now there on the hillside a large herd of swine was feeding; and the demons begged Jesus to let them enter these. So he gave them permission. Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned.

When the swineherds saw what had happened, they ran off and told it in the city and in the country. Then people came out to see what had happened, and when they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind. And they were afraid. Those who had seen it told them how the one who had been possessed by demons had been healed. Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them; for they were seized with great fear. So he got into the boat and returned. The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with him; but Jesus sent him away, saying, "Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you." So he went away, proclaiming throughout the city how much Jesus had done for him.

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

Please be seated.

Children's Sermon: All children are welcome to front of church for a gathering with Mother Alane.

Sermon

Mtr. Alane Osborne

Please stand as you are able.

The Nicene Creed

Presider: Let us confess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed. **Presider 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.

The Prayers of the People:

Presider:	As children of God, led by the Spirit, let us pray for the needs, hopes, and concerns of the world.
Lector: People:	For peace from on high and for our salvation. We Praise you, Almighty God. Alleluia! Amen!
Lector:	For the peace of the whole world, for the welfare of the holy churches of God, and for the unity of all.
People:	We Praise you, Almighty God. Alleluia! Amen!
Lector:	For Sean our Presiding Bishop, Kristin our bishop, for all priests and deacons, for all who minister in Christ, and for all the holy people of God. For those on our diocesan prayer list St. Philip, Columbus and our priests.
People:	We Praise you, Almighty God. Alleluia! Amen!
Lector: People:	For the world and its leaders, our nation and its people. We Praise you, Almighty God. Alleluia! Amen!
Lector:	For those seeking healing, especially Jo Stull, Becky Daffner and Charles Begovich and all those in need, those who are suffering and all who are oppressed; we pray for travelers, prisoners, the dying and the dead.
People:	We Praise you, Almighty God. Alleluia! Amen!
Lector: People:	For ourselves, our families, and those we love. We Praise you, Almighty God. Alleluia! Amen!
Lector:	Remembering the blessed Virgin Mary and all the saints, let us offer ourselves and one another to the living God through Christ.
People:	Glory and praise to you, O living God.
Presider:	Blessed are you, O Lord out God, who so loved the world that you gave us your only Son. Hear the prayers we offer this day and lead us into your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Confession

Presider: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Presider 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 Peace

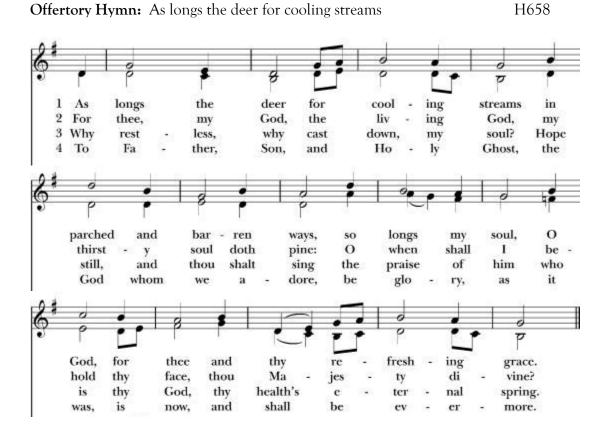
Presider: The peace of the Lord be always with you. **People:** And also with you.

You are welcome to share the sign of the peace with the people around you.

Announcements

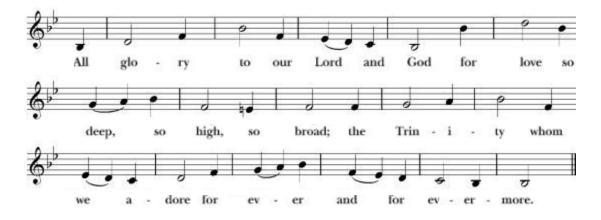
The Holy Communion

Offertory Sentence: There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female., for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. (Galatians 3:28)



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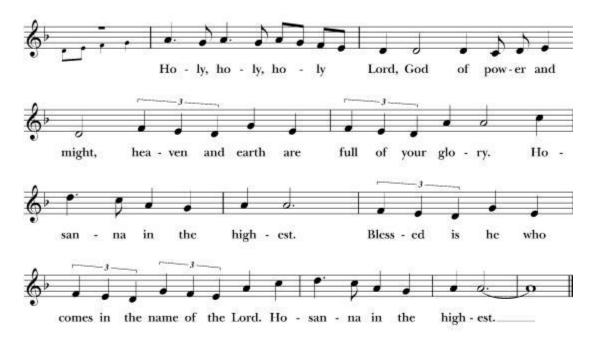


The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer 3

Presider:	The Lord be with you.
People:	And also with you.
Presider:	Lift up your hearts.
People:	We lift them to the Lord.
Presider:	Let us give thanks to the Lord our God
People:	It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Presider: All thanks and praise are yours at all times and in all places, our true and loving God; through Jesus Christ, your eternal Word, the Wisdom from on high by whom you created all things. You laid the foundations of the world and enclosed the sea when it burst out from the womb; You brought forth all creatures of the earth and gave breath to humankind.

Wondrous are you, Holy one of Blessing, all you create is a sign of hope for our journey; and so as the morning stars sing your praises we join the heavenly beings and all creation as we shout with joy; Sanctus: Holy, holy, holy



The Presider continues:

Glory and honor are yours, Creator of all, your Word has never been silent; you called a people to yourself, as a light to the nations, you delivered them from bondage and led them to a land of promise. Of your grace, you gave Jesus to be human, to share our life, to proclaim the coming of your holy reign and give himself for us, a fragrant offering.

Through Jesus Christ our Redeemer, you have freed us from sin, brought us into our life, reconciled us to you, and restored us to the glory you intend for us.

We thank you that on the night before he died for us Jesus took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, gave it to his friends and said: "Take, eat, this is my Body, broken for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper Jesus took the cup of wine, said the blessing, gave it to his friends and said: "Drink this, all of you: this cup is the new Covenant in my Blood, poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me"

And so, remembering all that was done for us: the cross, the tomb, the resurrection and ascension, longing for Christ's coming in glory, and presenting to you these gifts your earth has formed and human hands have made, we acclaim you, O Christ:

Presider and People:	Dying, you destroyed our death.
	Rising, you restored our life.
	Christ Jesus, come in glory!

Send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these gifts of bread and wine that they may be to us the Body and Blood of your Christ. Grant that we, burning with your Spirit's power, may be a people of hope, justice and love.

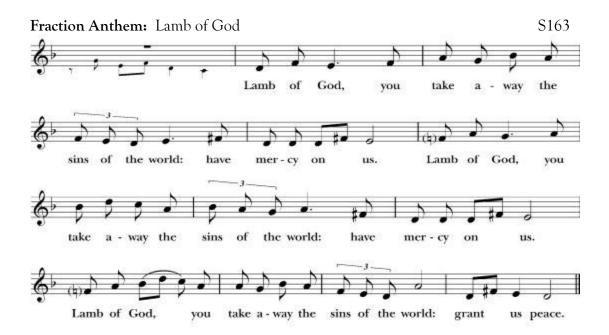
Giver of Life, draw us together in the Body of Christ, and in the fullness of time gather us with all your people into the joy of our true eternal home.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, we worship you our God and Creator in voices of unending praise.

Presider and People: Blessed are you now and for ever. AMEN.

Presider and People: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed by 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



Presider: This is the table, not of the church, but of the Lord. It is made ready for those who love God and for those who want to love God more.

So come you who have much faith. And you who have little; You who have been here often and you who have not been here long; You who have tried to follow and you who have failed. Come because it is the Lord who invites you.

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Holy Gifts for Holy People.

You are welcome to join us at communion. Please come forward to the rail when indicated by an usher. You may drink from the common cup, or intinct (dip) the bread in the second cup. Cross your arms over your chest if you prefer a blessing. Please let the presider know if you need a gluten free wafer.

Music During Communion:



Taize 40 (singing the English translation)

The Prayer after Communion

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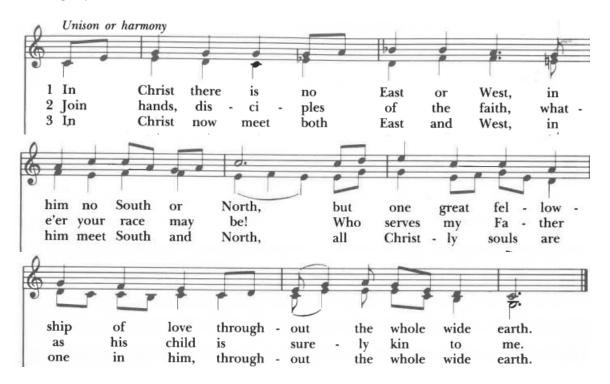
Presider: Let us pray.

Presider and People:	Loving God, we give you thanks for restoring us in your image and nourishing us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood.
	Now send us forth a people, forgiven, healed, renewed; that we may proclaim your love to the world and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen

The Blessing:

Presider: The Wisdom of God the Love of God and the Grace of God strengthen you to be Christ's hand and heart in this world, in the name of the Holy Trinity. **Amen.** Sending Hymn: In Christ there is no East or West

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The Dismissal:

Presider:Let us go forth in the world.People:Thanks be to God.

Postlude: Majestic Postlude in G Minor

Garrett Parker

Please join us in the Parish Hall following the service for a time of coffee and fellowship.

Those Serving Today

Presider:	Mtr. Alane Osborne
Organist	Joel Hootman
Acolytes:	Clive Osborne
Lectors:	Leslie Schwartz and Jerry Knapke
Usher:	Pat Marchal
Camera:	Carole Cobb
Altar Guild:	Pat Marchal and Carole Van Osdol
Little Library Steward:	Joanie Gutermuth

This Week at Trinity: June 22-28

Monday	6/23	9:15am	Contemplative Prayer
			Zoom ID: 386 343 8215
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Monday	6/23	1:00m	Crochet, Knit and Fiber Arts
Wednesday	5/14	7:00 pm	Celtic Compline

Announcements

From the Community: We understand what you're going through. Are you a caregiver for a family member? Do you feel like you need someone to talk to? Brookdale Troy AL/MC caregiver support group invites you to our complimentary meetings to share experiences, gain tips and suggestions. **Tuesday, June 24 2:00pm – 3:00pm** For reservation or more information, call (937) 335-5900

Parish Cycle of Prayer

O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servants **Pfeiler family, Roberts family, Linda and Bill Ryan** that they may grow in wisdom and grace and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their lives, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer For Those Celebrating Birthdays and Anniversaries O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servants **Harrison Sheipline and Kevin Kirsch** 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 lives, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer For Those in the Armed Forces

Almighty God, we commend to your gracious care and keeping all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad, especially **Kevin Kirsch (son of Kevin and Kathleen Kirsch); Aaron Griggs, Seth Glenn, and Eean Glenn (grandchildren of Diana Bodenmiller**). Defend them day by day with your heavenly grace; strengthen them in their trials and temptations; give them courage to face the perils which beset them; and grant them a sense of your abiding presence wherever they may be, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



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