



Holy Cross EPISCOPAL CHURCH



The Twenty-sixth Sunday after Pentecost
November 17, 2024

The Service of the Word

Prelude: *Isabelle Areola (piano)*

Opening Hymn:

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

People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever! Amen.**

The Collect for Purity

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

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL *** (Ages 4 – 10 years)

During the following hymn, children process with the leader to the Chapel for a lesson and singing; they return at The Peace.

Song of Praise:

The Collect of the Day - *prayed by the Celebrant*

The First Reading: *Daniel 12:1-3*

The Lord spoke to Daniel in a vision and said, "At that time Michael, the great prince, the protector of your people, shall arise. There shall be a time of anguish, such as has never occurred since nations first came into existence. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone who is found written in the book. Many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. Those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky, and those who lead many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm: 16 (read responsively by half verse)

1 Protect me, O God, for I take refuge in you;
I have said to the LORD, "You are my Lord, my good above all other."

2 All my delight is upon the godly that are in the land,
upon those who are noble among the people.

3 But those who run after other gods
shall have their troubles multiplied.

4 Their libations of blood I will not offer,
nor take the names of their gods upon my lips.

5 O LORD, you are my portion and my cup;
it is you who uphold my lot.

6 My boundaries enclose a pleasant land;
indeed, I have a goodly heritage.

7 I will bless the LORD who gives me counsel;
my heart teaches me, night after night.

8 I have set the LORD always before me;
because he is at my right hand I shall not fall.

9 My heart, therefore, is glad, and my spirit rejoices;
my body also shall rest in hope.

10 For you will not abandon me to the grave,
nor let your holy one see the Pit.

11 You will show me the path of life;
in your presence there is fullness of joy, and in your right hand are pleasures for evermore.

Sequence Hymn:

The Gospel Reading: *Mark 13:1-8*

Reader The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

People **Glory to you Lord Christ.**

As Jesus came out of the temple, one of his disciples said to him, "Look, Teacher, what large stones and what large buildings!" Then Jesus asked him, "Do you see these great buildings? Not one stone will be left here upon another; all will be thrown down."

When he was sitting on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter, James, John, and Andrew asked him privately, "Tell us, when will this be, and what will be the sign that all these things are about to be accomplished?" Then Jesus began to say to them, "Beware that no one leads you astray. Many will come in my name and say, 'I am he!' and they will lead many astray. When you hear of wars and rumors of wars, do not be alarmed; this must take place, but the end is still to come. For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will

be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. This is but the beginning of the birthpangs.”

Reader The Gospel of the Lord.
People **Praise to you Lord Christ.**

Message:

The Rev. Walt Kindergan

The Nicene Creed (p. 358 BCP)

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 & 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.*

(*“catholic” means universal)

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. – *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 stand strong
and courageously for your truth. – *Silence* – Lord, in
your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

Renew in us a sense of reverent bewilderment for the
earth as your creation and for life itself as a precious gift.
Lead us, Lord, so that we may use the resources of this
life rightly in the service of others and to your honor and
glory. – *Silence* – Lord, in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

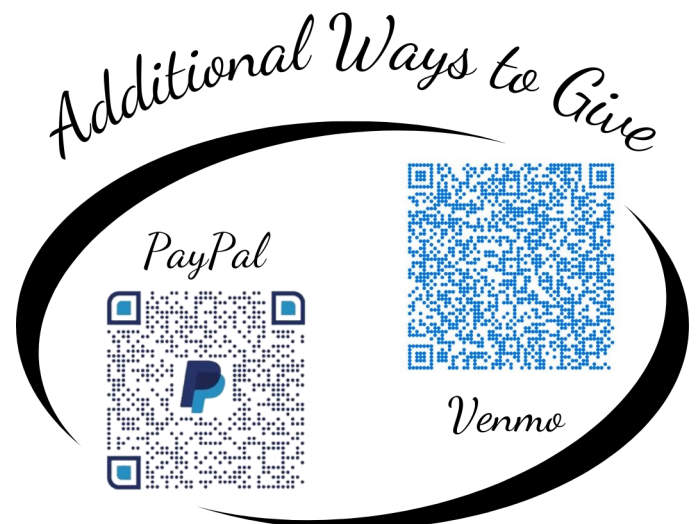
Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours; grant
that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another
as you love us. – *Silence* – Lord, in your mercy.
Hear our prayer.

Shine your perpetual light, O Lord, upon all who have
died, and rest your sustaining grace upon all who mourn
– *Silence* – Lord, in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

The Confession (p. 360 BCP)

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: Welcome & Announcements





The Holy Communion

This portion of the service begins on p. 370 in the BCP however, you are encouraged to give your attention to the altar.

The Communion. *All seeking God through Jesus are invited and welcome to receive Communion. Anyone who does not wish to receive communion is invited come forward, cross their arms over their chest, and receive a blessing. If you would like the clergy to bring communion to someone in the pews, please notify the ushers at the door of the church. For bread only, no wine, put one arm across your chest. Gluten Free available.*

Offertory: *(see insert)*

The Doxology 380: (v. 3)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Eucharistic Prayer (p. 370 BCP)

For this portion of the service, please open your BCP (red book in pews).

The Great Thanksgiving

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.
People *It is right to give him thanks and praise.*

Sanctus S-129

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The Lord's Prayer (p. 336 BCP)

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.

Communion Hymn: *(see insert)*

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Post Communion Prayer (p. 365 BCP)

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.*

Closing Hymn:

Serving Today

8:00am

DOD: Pam Walker
Chalice Bearers: D'Anna Entrekin
Readers: Lorrie Wilkinson, Hunter Walker
Ushers: Tam Lee, John Briscione

10:30am

DOD: Kathy Meloche
Ambassadors:
Acolytes: Stella Dixon, Bella Rider
Chalice Bearers: Miya Mae, Eden Ridgeway
Readers: Rachel Holder, Wanda Reed
Ushers:

Flower Dedications

Your Sermon Notes

Prayer List

Requested Prayer

Alec, Angel, Ann D., Anne M., Arlie, Art H., Barbara C., Barbara S., Becky H., Bob G., Brandon, Brenna, Brooks, Carlos, Carole, CC, Chloe, Clare, Connie, Corey, Crystal, Curt, Dale, Daniel, Darlene, David P., Diane P., Don, Doug M., Elaine G, Emily C., Erica R., Evelyn, Fay, Fr. Chris Coats, Francis, Gary, Gretchen, Herman, Ian, Ivy, Jack, Jennifer, Jessie, Jim W., Joe, John C., John T., Jonathan U., Joshua, Judy, Kaleb, Karen, Kari, Kathy B., Kathy M., Keith, Kelli, Kenneth, Kenny, Kim, Leslie, Linda, Lisa, Lorraine, Mabel, Manuel L., Manuel S., Marguerite, Marilyn, Mark, Martha, Mary C., Mary La., Mary Le, Melissa, Michelle, Nancy G., Nancy S., Pamela, Phyllis, Rachel, Ralph, Richard, Robert G., Ron B., Sally, Serge, Seth, Sherry Jo, Stanley, Stephanie, Susan, Tonya, The Deuber Family, The Rev. Trisha Spencer, Terri, Victor, Virginia, Wade, Wanda, William B., William Z., Williamae

Military

Adam Thomas, Adam Zigler, Alexander Logan, Anthony Robbins, Asa Ramsey, Ben Boyer, Benjamin Merriweather, Cale Eggart, Chase Coleman, Christian Clark, Corbin Czeck, Daniel Payden, Donovan Chau, Doug Wiessman, Dylan Hoewt, Grant Hungerford, Hunter Bailey, Jackie Neville, James Madden, Jeremy Rice, Jose Hernandez, Kathryn Rubio, Kevin Kahl, Kyle McChesney, Landen Haskins, Laz Bailiff, Marc Ruiz, Mike Darrah, Nicholas Pinkston, Shaun Southall, Stephen del Risco, Taylor Knueven, Tyler Post

Repose of the Soul

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Cindy Bratkovic (Friend of Sherry Jo Tilman)

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