



Trinity Sunday  
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*The mission of the Episcopal Church of the Cross is to love the Lord our God with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength, and to love our neighbors as ourselves. We are the ECC: Loving God and our Neighbors.*

### Welcome to Church of the Cross!

If you're new and would like to learn more about Church of the Cross, please scan the code below and we'll be in touch later this week. Thank you!



Welcome

Opening Song

### "How Firm a Foundation"

How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord,  
Is laid for your faith in His excellent word!  
What more can He say than to you He hath said,  
To you who for refuge to Jesus have fled?

Fear not, I am with thee, O be not dismayed,  
For I am thy God, and will still give thee aid;  
I'll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand,  
Upheld by My righteous, omnipotent hand.

When through the deep waters I call thee to go,  
The rivers of sorrow shall not overflow;  
For I will be with thee, thy troubles to bless,  
And sanctify to thee thy deepest distress

When through fiery trials thy pathway shall lie,  
My grace, all sufficient, shall be thy supply;  
The flame shall not hurt thee; I only design  
Thy dross to consume, and thy gold to refine.

E'en down to old age all My people shall prove  
My sovereign, eternal, unchangeable love;  
And then, when grey hairs shall their temples adorn,  
Like lambs they shall still in My bosom be borne.

The soul that on Jesus hath leaned for repose,  
I will not, I will not desert to his foes;  
That soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake,  
I'll never, no, never, no, never forsake!

*Celebrant*       Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit!

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

*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.*

1. Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and  
 peace to his peo - ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heaven - ly  
 King, al - mighty God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we  
 give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus  
 Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you  
 take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy  
 on us; 5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re -  
 ceive our prayer. 6. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One,  
 you a - lone are the Lord, 7. you a - lone are the Most  
 High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the  
 glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

*The Celebrant says to the people*

The Lord be with you.

*People* And also with you.

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given to us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of your divine Majesty to worship the Unity: Keep us steadfast in this faith and worship, and bring us at last to see you in your one and eternal glory, O Father; who with the Son and the Holy Spirit live and reign, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

*The people sit.*

### **The Children's Message and Prayer**

*Then one or two Lessons, as appointed, are read, the Reader first saying*

#### **A Reading from the Book of Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31**

Does not wisdom call,  
and does not understanding raise her voice?

On the heights, beside the way,  
at the crossroads she takes her stand;

beside the gates in front of the town,  
at the entrance of the portals she cries out:

"To you, O people, I call,  
and my cry is to all that live.

The Lord created me at the beginning of his work,  
the first of his acts of long ago.

Ages ago I was set up,  
at the first, before the beginning of the earth.

When there were no depths I was brought forth,  
when there were no springs abounding with water.

Before the mountains had been shaped,  
before the hills, I was brought forth~

when he had not yet made earth and fields,  
or the world's first bits of soil.

When he established the heavens, I was there,  
when he drew a circle on the face of the deep,

when he made firm the skies above,  
when he established the fountains of the deep,  
when he assigned to the sea its limit,  
so that the waters might not transgress his command,  
when he marked out the foundations of the earth,  
then I was beside him, like a master worker;  
and I was daily his delight,  
rejoicing before him always,  
rejoicing in his inhabited world  
and delighting in the human race."

The Word of the Lord.

*People* Thanks be to God.

**Song**

**"Let Your Light Shine on Me"**

Let it shine on me, let it shine on  
Oh, let Your light from the lighthouse shine on me.  
Let it shine on me, let it shine on,  
Oh, let Your light from the lighthouse shine on me.

My Lord, He's done just what he said;  
Let Your light from the lighthouse shine on me.  
Healing the sick and raising the dead.  
Let Your light from the lighthouse shine on me.

Oh, let it shine on well, let it shine on,  
Let Your light from the lighthouse shine on me.  
Shine on oh, let it shine on,  
Let Your light from the lighthouse shine on me.

I know I've got religion and I ain't ashamed.  
Let Your light from the lighthouse shine on me.  
Angels in Heaven, done wrote down my name.  
Let Your light from the lighthouse shine on me.

Oh, let it shine on well, let it shine on,  
Let Your light from the lighthouse shine on me.  
Shine on well, let it shine on,  
Let Your light from the lighthouse shine on me.

Oh, let it shine on oh, let it shine on,  
Let Your light from the lighthouse shine on me.  
Shine on well, let shine on,  
Let Your light from the lighthouse shine on me.

Shine on oh, let it shine on,  
Let Your light from the lighthouse shine on me.  
Shine on oh, let it shine on.  
Let Your light from the lighthouse shine on me.

*Then, all standing, the Deacon or a Priest reads the Gospel, first saying*

**The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John 16:12-15**

*People* Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said to the disciples, "I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you."

The Gospel of the Lord.

*People* Praise to you, Lord Christ.

### **The Message**

*On Sundays and other Major Feasts there follows, all standing*

### **The Nicene Creed**

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**

*The Leader and People pray responsively*

*Prayer Leader* Lord, we are your people, gathered in prayer; and we love you. We pray for your holy and Universal Church;

*People* That we all may be one.

*Prayer Leader* Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

*People* That your Name may be glorified by all people.

*Prayer Leader* We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons.

*People* That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

*Prayer Leader* We pray for our Search Committee and the important work they are doing to call our next Vicar.

*People* That they may be guided by the Holy Spirit.

*Prayer Leader* We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

*People* That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

*Prayer Leader* Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake,

*People* That our works may find favor in your sight;

*Prayer Leader* Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

*People* That they may be delivered from their distress.

*Prayer Leader* Give to the departed eternal rest;

*People* Let light perpetual shine upon them.

*Prayer Leader* We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

*People* May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

*Prayer Leader* And now we place before you our own needs and concerns, silently or aloud...

*An open space to offer our own petitions and thanksgivings.*

Hear us, Lord;

*People* For your mercy is great.

*Prayer Leader* We give thanks for calling us together and sending us out into our community, nation, and world:

*People* To love You with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength; and to love our neighbors as ourselves.

*Prayer Leader* O Lord our God, accept the fervent prayers of your people; in the multitude of your mercies, look with compassion upon us and all who turn to you for help; for you are gracious, O lover of souls, and to you we give glory, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and for ever. Amen.

We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

*Silence may be kept.*

*Leader and People*

Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;  
in your compassion forgive us our sins,  
known and unknown,  
things done and left undone;  
and so uphold us by your Spirit  
that we may live and serve you in newness of life,  
to the honor and glory of your Name;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*The Bishop, when present, or the Priest, stands and says*  
Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins  
through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all  
goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in  
eternal life. Amen.

### **The Peace**

*All stand. The Celebrant says to the people*  
The Peace of the Lord be always with you.  
*People* And also with you.

*Then the Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.*

### **Announcements**

### **The Holy Communion**

### **The Offering**



*Offerings in support of the mission and ministry of Church of the Cross may be placed in the offering basket as it comes by you. Offering may also be made electronically by texting ECCLAKETRAVIS with your amount to 73256.*

**Song**

**“Simple Gifts”**

‘Tis the gift to be simple, ‘tis the gift to be free,  
‘tis the gift to come down where we ought to be,  
And when we find ourselves in the place just right,  
‘twill be in the valley of love and delight.  
When true simplicity is gained  
To bow and to bend we shan’t be ashamed,  
To turn, turn, will be our delight  
till by turning, turning we come round right

**The Great Thanksgiving**

*The people remain standing. The Celebrant, whether bishop or priest, faces them and sings or says*

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 God thanks and praise!

*Then the Celebrant proceeds*

It is right to give you thanks and praise, Loving God, at all times and in all places, but particularly at this table; for with your co-eternal Son and Holy Spirit, you are one God, one Lord, in Trinity of Persons and in Unity of Being; and we celebrate the one and equal glory of you, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

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*

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 people stand or kneel.*  
*Then the Celebrant continues*

With grateful hearts, Lord God, we bring you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

With those throughout the ages who have loved you, sought you, and followed you, we pray this ancient story: On the night he was betrayed, Jesus took bread, said the blessing over it, broke it, and gave it to his friends, 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, gave thanks, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many 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*

By this holy bread and cup, we show forth the sacrifice of Jesus' death, and proclaim his resurrection, until he comes again. Gather us by this Holy Communion into one body in your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Make us a living sacrifice of praise that we might show forth Your glory in the world. 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 for ever. AMEN.

And now, as our Savior  
Christ has taught us,  
we are bold to say,

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.*  
*Then may be sung or said*  
Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;  
People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!  
*Facing the people, the Celebrant says the following Invitation*  
The Gifts of God for the People of God.  
*And may add*  
Take them in remembrance that Christ died for  
you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith,  
with thanksgiving.

*You are welcome to come forward to receive communion. The blue chalice contains regular wine. The white chalice contains non-alcoholic wine. Gluten free wafers are also available upon request.*

### **Songs**

#### **“On Eagles’ Wings”**

You who dwell in the shelter of the Lord; who abide in his shadow for life  
Say to the Lord, "My refuge, my rock in whom I trust!"  
And he will raise you up on eagles' wings  
Bear you on the breath of dawn  
Make you to shine like the sun  
And hold you in the palm of his hand

The snare of the fowler will never capture you, and famine will bring you no fear  
Under his wings your refuge, his faithfulness your shield  
And he will raise you up on eagles' wings  
Bear you on the breath of dawn  
Make you to shine like the sun  
And hold you in the palm of his hand

You need not fear the terror of the night, nor the arrow that flies by day  
Though thousands fall about you, near you it shall not come  
And he will raise you up on eagles' wings  
Bear you on the breath of dawn  
Make you to shine like the sun  
And hold you in the palm of his hand

For to his angels he's given a command to guard you in all of your ways  
Upon their hands they will bear you up, lest you dash your foot against a stone  
And he will raise you up on eagles' wings  
Bear you on the breath of dawn  
Make you to shine like the sun  
And hold you in the palm of his hand.

*After Communion, the Celebrant says*

Let us pray.

*Celebrant and People*

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.

### **The Prayer of St. Francis**

Lord, make us instruments of your peace. Where there is hatred, let us sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is discord, union; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy. Grant that we may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; to be understood as to understand; to be loved as to love. For it is in giving that we receive; it is in pardoning that we are pardoned; and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. *Amen.*

*The Bishop, when present, or the Priest, may bless the people.*

**Song**

**“We Are Marching”**

We are marching in the light of God,  
We are marching in the light of God.  
We are marching in the light of God,  
We are marching in the light of God.  
We are marching, we are marching... ooh  
We are marching in the light of God.  
We are marching, we are marching... ooh  
We are marching in the light of God.

Siyahamb' ekukhanyeni kwenkos,  
Siyahamba ekukhanyeni kwenkos'.  
Siyahamb' ekukhanyeni kwenkos',  
Siyahamba ekukhanyeni kwenkos'.  
Siyahamba, Siyahamba... ooh  
Siyahamba ekukhanyeni kwenkos'.  
Siyahamba, Siyahamba... ooh  
Siyahamba ekukhanyeni kwenkos'.

We are marching in the light of God,  
We are marching in the light of God.  
We are marching in the light of God,  
We are marching in the light of God.  
We are marching, we are marching... ooh

We are marching in the light of God.  
We are marching, we are marching... ooh  
We are marching in the light of God.

*Celebrant*    Go in peace, to love and serve the Lord! Alleluia, Alleluia!  
*People*        Thanks be to God! Alleluia, Alleluia!

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