July 14, 2019 • 5 p.m.
The Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Grace and Holy Trinity Cathedral
A Servant Church in the Heart of the City
The Holy Eucharist: Rite Two

Please rise, as able, for portions of the service marked with an asterisk (*).

* **OPENING ACCLAMATION**

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**Cantor**

Light and peace, in Jesus Christ our Lord.

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**People**

Thanks be to God.

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* **PRAYER FOR LIGHT**

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**Presider**

Look down, O Lord, from your heavenly throne, and illumine this night with your celestial brightness; that by night as by day your people may glorify your holy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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* **RESPONSORY**

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**Cantor; then People**

Come and save us, O Lord God of hosts.

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**Cantor**

Show the light of your countenance, and we shall be saved:

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**People**

O Lord God of hosts. Glory to the Father,

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**Cantor**

and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

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**People**

Come and save us, O Lord God of hosts.

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V. Show us your mercy, O Lord:

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R. And grant us your salvation.

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The Word of God

* The Collect of the Day

Presider  The Lord be with you.
People    And also with you.
Presider  Let us pray. O Lord, mercifully receive the prayers of your people who call upon you, and grant that they may know and understand what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to accomplish them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Lesson: Colossians 1:1–14

Lector  Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother,
To the saints and faithful brothers and sisters in Christ in Colossae:

Grace to you and peace from God our Father.

In our prayers for you we always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, for we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. You have heard of this hope before in the word of the truth, the gospel that has come to you. Just as it is bearing fruit and growing in the whole world, so it has been bearing fruit among yourselves from the day you heard it and truly comprehended the grace of God. This you learned from Epaphras, our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf, and he has made known to us your love in the Spirit.

For this reason, since the day we heard it, we have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of God’s will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so that you may lead lives worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, as you bear fruit in every good work and as you grow in the knowledge of God. May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God’s people.

People  Thanks be to God.
Psalm 25:1–9

Cantor  To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul;  

my God, I put my trust in you; *  

let me not be humiliated,  

nor let my enemies triumph over me.

All  Let none who look to you be put to shame; *  

let the treacherous be disappointed in their schemes.

Show me your ways, O Lord, *  

and teach me your paths.

Lead me in your truth and teach me, *  

for you are the God of my salvation;  

in you have I trusted all the day long.

Remember, O Lord, your compassion and love, *  

for they are from everlasting.

Remember not the sins of my youth and my transgressions; *  

remember me according to your love  

and for the sake of your goodness, O Lord.

Gracious and upright is the Lord; *  

therefore he teaches sinners in his way.

He guides the humble in doing right *  

and teaches his way to the lowly.

All the paths of the Lord are love and faithfulness *  

to those who keep his covenant and his testimonies.

* Alleluia Verse Cantor; then People

Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.
"You, O God, are praised in Zion;* to you shall vows be performed in Jerusalem."


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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Gospeller Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he said, "what must I do to inherit eternal life?" He said to him, "What is written in the law? What do you read there?" He answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself." And he said to him, "You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live."

But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while traveling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, 'Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend.' Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?" He said, "The one who showed him mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Meditation
* **Nicene Creed**

All 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,  
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary  
and became truly human.
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,  
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,  
who 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**

**Presider**  In peace, let us pray to the Lord, saying, “Lord, have mercy”.

**Intercessor**  For the holy Church of God, that it may be filled with truth and love, and be found without fault at the day of your coming, we pray to you, O Lord.

**People**  Lord, have mercy.

**Intercessor**  For Michael our Presiding Bishop, for Martin our own Bishop, for all bishops and other ministers, and for all the holy people of God, we pray to you, O Lord.

**People**  Lord, have mercy.

**Intercessor**  For all who fear God and believe in you, Lord Christ, that our divisions may cease, and that all may be one as you and the Father are one, we pray to you, O Lord.

**People**  Lord, have mercy.

**Intercessor**  For the mission of the Church, that in faithful witness it may preach the Gospel to the ends of the earth, we pray to you, O Lord.

**People**  Lord, have mercy.

**Intercessor**  For those who do not yet believe, and for those who have lost their faith, that they may receive the light of the Gospel, we pray to you, O Lord.

**People**  Lord, have mercy.

**Intercessor**  For the peace of the world, that a spirit of respect and forbearance may grow among nations and peoples, we pray to you, O Lord.

**People**  Lord, have mercy.

**Intercessor**  For those in positions of public trust, that they may serve justice, and promote the dignity and freedom of every person, we pray to you, O Lord.

**People**  Lord, have mercy.

**Intercessor**  For all who live and work in this community, we pray to you, O Lord.

**People**  Lord, have mercy.

**Intercessor**  For a blessing upon all human labor, and for the right use of the riches of creation, that the world may be freed from poverty, famine, and disaster, we pray to you, O Lord.

**People**  Lord, have mercy.
Intercessor For the poor, the persecuted, the sick, and all who suffer; for refugees, prisoners, and all who are in danger; that they may be relieved and protected, we pray to you, O Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For this congregation, for those who are present, and for those who are absent, that we may be delivered from hardness of heart, and show forth your glory in all that we do, we pray to you, O Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For our enemies and those who wish us harm; and for all whom we have injured or offended, we pray to you, O Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For all who have commended themselves to our prayers; for our families, friends, and neighbors; that being freed from anxiety, they may live in joy, peace, and health, we pray to you, O Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For ___________ , we pray to you, O Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For all who have died in the communion of your Church, and those whose faith is known to you alone, that, with all the saints, they may have rest in that place where there is no pain or grief, but life eternal, we pray to you, O Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor Rejoicing in the fellowship of all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life to Christ our God.

People To you, O Lord our God.

Silence

Presider For yours is the majesty, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, now and for ever. Amen.
Confession and Absolution

Presider Let us confess our sins to God.

All 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.

Presider 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

Presider The peace of Christ be always with you.

People And also with you.

Announcements
The Holy Communion

Offertory Hymn #304: “I come with joy to meet my Lord”

Words: Brian A. Wren (b. 1936), alt. 
**Dean Search Prayer**

All

Come, Holy Spirit. Open the hearts and minds of all who are part of our Cathedral Dean search, that we may hear and follow your Word. Open the hearts of the priests who feel called to serve here, that they may discern their gifts for ministry in this place. May we all trust in your guidance and vision for us, through the love and mercy of your blessed son Jesus Christ. Come, Holy Spirit. Amen.

**The Great Thanksgiving**

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:
Presider

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 your 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:

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

All  Blessed are you now and for ever. Amen. 

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

* **BREAKING OF THE BREAD**

**Fraction Anthem**

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Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
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Christ our Pas - so - ver is sac - ri - fied for us;
there - fore let us keep the feast.
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Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
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Presider  The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

**COMMUNION**

- All are welcome to receive communion or a blessing.
- For gluten-free bread, cross your hands palms down.
- For a blessing, cross your hands over your chest.

* **POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER**

**All**

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**

Presider  The Wisdom of God
the Love of God
and the Grace of God
strengthen you
to be Christ’s hands and heart in this world,
in the name of the Holy Trinity. Amen.

* SENDING HYMN #376: “Joyful, joyful we adore thee”

1 Joyful, joyful, we adore thee, God of glory, Lord of love;
hearts unfold like flowers before thee, praising thee, their sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness; drive the dark of doubt away;
giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day.

2 All thy works with joy surround thee, earth and heaven reflect thy rays,
estars and angels sing around thee, center of unbroken praise.
Field and forest, vale and mountain, blooming meadow, flashing sea,
chanting bird and flowing fountain, call us to rejoice in thee.

3 Thou art giving and forgiving, ever blessing, ever blest,
well-spring of the joy of living, ocean-depth of happy rest!
thou our Father, Christ our Brother: all who live in love are thine;
teach us how to love each other, lift us to the joy divine.

* Dismissal

Presider Let us go forth in the name of Christ.
People Thanks be to God.

Vaughn Scarcliff joins us this evening as our guest organist.

The liturgy today is from Enriching Our Worship, a liturgical supplement to The Book of Common Prayer.

The Very Reverend Evelyn Hornaday, Presider & Preacher
Vaughn Scarcliff, Guest Organist
George Helmkamp, Lector & Eucharistic Minister
Katherine Crawford, Cantor
Stan Dibble, Acolyte

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