Holy Eucharist - Rite II 10am

Sunday, November 15, 2026

The Twenty-Fifth Sunday After Pentecost – Year A



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Order of Service

BCP pages on the left hand side are found in the red Book of Common Prayer. Hymns are in the Hymnal 1982.

Prelude:	*Song without words. Op 53 no 3* Felix Mendelssohn (Janie Gould, Piano)	
Hymn #598 BCP 355	*Lord Christ, when first Thou cam'st to earth* Opening Acclamation	
Hymn #S-280	*Gloria in excelsis*	Powell
First Reading Gradual Psalm Second Reading	Proverbs 3:5-13 Psalm 123 2 Corinthians 9:6-12	
Hymn #601 The Gospel Sermon	*O day of God, draw near* Matthew 25:14-30 Father Wes Shields	**v.1-3 only**
BCP 358	The Nicene Creed	
BCP 387 BCP 360 BCP 360	Prayers of the People Confession of Sin The Peace	Form 3
Offertory	*Give Almes of Thy Goods*	C. Tye
BCP 367 *Hymn #S-129*	Eucharistic Prayer "B" *Holy, holy, holy*	Powell
BCP 364 BCP 364 *Hymn # S-161*	Lord's Prayer The Breaking of the Bread *Lamb of God*	Hurd
Hymn #685 *Hymn #602*	*Rock of ages* *Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love*	
BCP 366 *Hymn #302*	Post Communion Prayer *Father, we thank Thee who hast planted*	
Postlude	*"Little" Prelude and Fugue in D Minor* attr. J.S. Bach	

The Collect of the Day

Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: Grant us so to hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. ***Amen.***

First Reading: Proverbs 3:5-18

A Reading from the book of Proverbs

Trust in the Lord with all your heart,
and do not rely on your own insight.
In all your ways acknowledge him,
and he will make straight your paths.
Do not be wise in your own eyes;
fear the Lord and turn away from evil.
It will be a healing for your flesh
and a refreshment for your body.
Honor the Lord with your substance
and with the first fruits of all your produce;
then your barns will be filled with plenty,
and your vats will be bursting with wine.
My child, do not despise the Lord's discipline
or be weary of his reproof,
for the Lord reproves the one he loves,
as a father the son in whom he delights.
Happy are those who find wisdom
and those who get understanding,
for her income is better than silver
and her revenue better than gold.
She is more precious than jewels,
and nothing you desire can compare with her.

Long life is in her right hand;
in her left hand are riches and honor.

Her ways are ways of pleasantness,
and all her paths are peace.

She is a tree of life to those who lay hold of her;
those who hold her fast are called happy.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People ***Thanks be to God.***

P*salm:* Psalm 123

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To you I lift up my eyes, *
to you enthroned in the heavens.

As the eyes of servants look to the hand of their masters, *
and the eyes of a maid to the hand of her mistress,

So our eyes look to the LORD our God, *
until he show us his mercy.

Antiphon

Have mercy upon us, O LORD, have mercy, *
for we have had more than enough of contempt,

Too much of the scorn of the indolent rich, *
and of the derision of the proud.

Antiphon

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 9:6-12

A Reading from the book of Second Corinthians.

The point is this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work.

As it is written,

'He scatters abroad, he gives to the poor;
his righteousness endures for ever.'

He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us; for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People ***Thanks be to God.***

Gospel: Matthew 25:14-30

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People ***Glory to you, Lord Christ.***

Jesus said, "It is as if a man, going on a journey, summoned his slaves and entrusted his property to them; to one he gave five talents, to another two, to another one, to each according to his ability. Then he went away. The one who had received the five

talents went off at once and traded with them, and made five more talents. In the same way, the one who had the two talents made two more talents. But the one who had received the one talent went off and dug a hole in the ground and hid his master's money. After a long time the master of those slaves came and settled accounts with them. Then the one who had received the five talents came forward, bringing five more talents, saying, 'Master, you handed over to me five talents; see, I have made five more talents.' His master said to him, 'Well done, good and trustworthy slave; you have been trustworthy in a few things, I will put you in charge of many things; enter into the joy of your master.' And the one with the two talents also came forward, saying, 'Master, you handed over to me two talents; see, I have made two more talents.' His master said to him, 'Well done, good and trustworthy slave; you have been trustworthy in a few things, I will put you in charge of many things; enter into the joy of your master.' Then the one who had received the one talent also came forward, saying, 'Master, I knew that you were a harsh man, reaping where you did not sow, and gathering where you did not scatter seed; so I was afraid, and I went and hid your talent in the ground. Here you have what is yours.' But his master replied, 'You wicked and lazy slave! You knew, did you, that I reap where I did not sow, and gather where I did not scatter? Then you ought to have invested my money with the bankers, and on my return I would have received what was my own with interest. So take the talent from him, and give it to the one with the ten talents. For to all those who have, more will be given, and they will have an abundance; but from those who have nothing, even what they have will be taken away. As for this worthless slave, throw him into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.'"

The Gospel of the Lord.

People ***Praise to you, Lord Christ.***

Announcements

TODAY	**Stewardship Campaign Kickoff** **Coffee Hour after 8 & 10am services**
Monday	8am **Morning Prayer** by phone: 339-209-4611 1pm **GriefShare Support Group**
Tuesday	9am **Men's Breakfast** CJ Cannon's 9:30am **Connections Bible Study** Parish Hall 1pm **Parish Prayer Shawl Group** Library 6:30pm **Evening Bible Study** Library
Wednesday	10am **Wednesday Healing Eucharist Service** 11am **Bible Study**

Men's Breakfast – **Tuesday, 11/17** 9am, CJ Cannon's (offsite)

ECW Noon Day Prayer Meeting – **Saturday, 11/21**, 11am. Please sign up in the Narthex.

Angel Tree Kickoff – **Sunday, 11/22** all services. Pick tag off tree! Deadline for gifts is Sunday, December 6.

Caregivers Support Group – **Tuesday, 11/24** 11am, Parish Hall.

Thanksgiving Dinner – **Thursday, 11/26** 2pm. Sign up/Narthex.

Feed the Lambs Breakfast Fundraiser **– Saturday, 11/28** Parish Hall from **8-11am**. Tickets are $10 at the door.

SAS at Shining Light Garden – **Saturday, 11/28** 8:30am offsite

Fellowship Book Club – **Wednesday, 12/02** 6:30pm, Library.

Bishop's Visit –**Sunday, 12/06** Join us at the 10am service.

Angel Tree Gift Wrapping Party – **Friday, 12/11** 9:30am Parish Hall. See CT for details. Contact Stephanie Hurtt 772-995-4808

ECW Christmas Tea – **Saturday, 12/12** at 2pm. Sign up in the Narthex and bring a wrapped gift for St. Francis Manor.

Candlelight Remembrance Service – **Sunday, 12/14** at 5pm. Join us for this special service as we light candles and remember our loved ones in prayer, music and reflection.

Salvation Army –Continue to give **pasta, spaghetti sauce and peanut butter** for the **Salvation Army**.

Birthdays

15 – Dee Gaidry
16 – Mary Rianhard
18 – Vicki Tavanello
19 – Diane Vidiri
Elizabeth Stickley
Marta Morris
Beth Weatherstone
20 – Burke Neely

Anniversaries

20 – Olin & Lin Melchionna

Departed

15 – Lillian Edwards (2019)
20 – Beverly Hinkle (2022)

Please Pray For – Martha, Heather, Scott, Jen, Brian, Clare, Linda, Gloria, Paulo, Laura, Samira, Eduardo, Jacira, Mary, Tony, Rob, Carol, Leigh, Patrick, Dakota, Josephine, Jacinth, Al, Ginger, Angie, Joanne, Larry.

10am	**11/15/26 Altar Servers**
Ushers:	Brian & Karen McIntyre, Pam Wehrberger
Lessons/POTP:	Marilyn Black Dussault /Lisa LaRusso
Chalice Bearers:	Carolyn Robinson, Marilyn Black Dussault
Crucifer	Carolyn Robinson
Torches:	Marilyn Black Dussault, Sally Munson