

TRINITY 6 July 2025

About Trinity

Trinity is a growing Anglican Church in Lafayette. Our mission is to live the gospel through worship, friendship, and scholarship.

FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN

We welcome children in the sanctuary – their sounds are the sign of a growing church!

Weekdays	Day & Time	Location
Women's Bible Reading Group	Tuesday @ 10 AM	Library
Men's ZOOM Bible Study	On summer break	
Morning Prayer	Friday @ 11 AM	Sanctuary
Prayer Group	Friday @ 3 PM	Library
Sundays		
Communion Service	Sunday @ 10 AM	Sanctuary

"Pack The Backpack" Project

Trinity is partnering with Gifting Grace again this year to provide backpacks filled with school supplies to homeless students throughout Acadiana. Pick up a supply list and information card from the display in the narthex. You can drop your donations in the designated box anytime during the month of July.

Monday Game Night!

Come join us on Monday, July 14 at 6 pm for an evening of fun and friendly competition! Assorted games will be available to play and snacks will be provided.

Food & Friendship

Join us following morning service for lunch in the Family Center! Food and drinks are provided.

	Old Testament	Responsive Psalm	New Testament
This Week	Pat Briney	Diane Bartlett	Riley George
Next Week	David Brammer	Donna Guillory	Steve Aguillard

All stand and sing the **THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN** Morning has broken like the first morning, Blackbird has spoken like the first bird Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning! Praise for them, springing fresh from the Word!

Sweet the rain's new fall sunlit from heaven, Like the first dewfall on the first grass. Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden, Sprung in completeness where his feet pass.

Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning, Born of the one light Eden saw play! Praise with elation, praise every morning, God's recreation of the new day!

THE ACCLAMATION

Priest The time is fulfilled, and the Kingdom of God is at hand.

People We will repent and believe the good news.

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

All kneel or sit for THE PRAYERS

Deacon We pray to thee, Lord Christ. People Lord, hear our prayer.

For our bishops and clergy, and all congregations of the faithful, that they may preach the pure Word of God and duly minister the sacraments, we pray to thee, O Lord. *Lord, bear our prayer.*

For our elected officials and all public institutions, that they may govern according to thy truth, we pray to thee, O Lord. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

For all who suffer in body, mind, or spirit, that they may know the peace of God, we pray to thee, O Lord. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

For those who do not believe, that they may receive the light of the Gospel, and be born again to new life, we pray to thee, O Lord. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

For those requesting prayer: ______, and others we now name silently or aloud ______, we pray to thee, O Lord. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

For ourselves and all who have died, that by faith in Christ we may be delivered on the Day of Judgment, we pray to thee, O Lord. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION OF SIN

Deacon Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

We take a moment of silence for repentance.

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against thee, by thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved thee with our whole hearts. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of thy Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in thy will, and walk in thy ways, to the glory of thy name. Amen.

Priest 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.**

All stand for THE APOSTLE'S CREED

Deacon Let us confess our faith in the words of the Apostle's Creed.

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

America the Beautiful

Oh, beautiful for spacious skies, for amber waves of grain, For purple mountain majesties above the fruited plain! America! America! God shed his grace on thee, And crown thy good with brotherhood from sea to shining sea.

Oh, beautiful for pilgrim feet, whose stern, impassioned stress A thoroughfare of freedom beat across the wilderness! America! America! God mend thine ev'ry flaw, Confirm thy soul in self-control, thy liberty in law.

Oh, beautiful for heroes proved in liberating strife, Who more than self their country loved, and mercy more than life! America! America! May God thy gold refine, Till all success be nobleness, and ev'ry gain divine.

Oh, beautiful for patriot dream that sees beyond the years Thine alabaster cities gleam, undimmed by human tears! America! America! God shed his grace on thee, And crown thy good with brotherhood from sea to shining sea.

All sit for THE WELCOME

Collect of the Week

Grant us, O Lord, we pray, the spirit to think and do always those things that are right, that we, who can do no good thing apart from you, may by you be enabled to live according to your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

THE OLD TESTAMENT

Genesis 1:26-31

Then God said, "Let us make man in our image, after our likeness. And let them have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over the livestock and over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth."

So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them.

And God blessed them. And God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth and subdue it, and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over every living thing that moves on the earth." And God said, "Behold, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is on the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit. You shall have them for food. And to every beast of the earth and to every bird of the heavens and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food." And it was so. And God saw everything that he had made, and behold, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.

Lector The Word of the Lord.*People* Thanks be to God.

PSALM 133

Behold, how good and pleasant it is when brothers dwell in unity!

It is like the precious oil on the head, running down on the beard, on the beard of Aaron, running down on the collar of his robes! It is like the dew of Hermon,

which falls on the mountains of Zion!

For there the Lord has commanded the blessing, life forevermore.

The New Testament

1 Timothy 4:1-10

Now the Spirit expressly says that in later times some will depart from the faith by devoting themselves to deceitful spirits and teachings of demons, through the insincerity of liars whose consciences are seared, who forbid marriage and require abstinence from foods that God created to be received with thanksgiving by those who believe and know the truth. For everything created by God is good, and nothing is to be rejected if it is received with thanksgiving, for it is made holy by the word of God and prayer.

If you put these things before the brothers, you will be a good servant of Christ Jesus, being trained in the words of the faith and of the good doctrine that you have followed. Have nothing to do with irreverent, silly myths. Rather train yourself for godliness; for while bodily training is of some value, godliness is of value in every way, as it holds promise for the present life and also for the life to come. The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance. For to this end we toil and strive, because we have our hope set on the living God, who is the Savior of all people, especially of those who believe.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

All stand for **THE SEQUENCE HYMN** He is exalted, the King is exalted on High, I will praise Him. He is exalted, forever exalted, and I will praise His name! He is the Lord, forever His truth shall reign. Heaven and Earth rejoice in His holy name. He is exalted, the King is exalted on high!

The Gospel

Mark 7:14-23

Priest The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Mark.*People* Glory be to thee, Lord Christ.

And he called the people to him again and said to them, "Hear me, all of you, and understand: There is nothing outside a person that by going into him can defile him, but the things that come out of a person are what defile him." And when he had entered the house and left the people, his disciples asked him about the parable. And he said to them, "Then are you also without understanding? Do you not see that whatever goes into a person from outside cannot defile him, since it enters not his heart but his stomach, and is expelled?" (Thus he declared all foods clean.) And he said, "What comes out of a person is what defiles him. For from within, out of the heart of man, come evil thoughts, sexual immorality, theft, murder, adultery, coveting, wickedness, deceit, sensuality, envy, slander, pride, foolishness. All these evil things come from within, and they defile a person."

Priest The Gospel of the Lord.*People* Praise be to thee, Lord Christ.

The SermonThe Rev'd Dr. Peter Johnston

THE OFFERTORY AND DOXOLOGY



- + "Where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." (Matthew 6:21) + Use this QR Code to give from your phone.
- + Visitors should feel no obligation to give.

All stand to sing

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.

THE COMMUNION PRAYERS

- Priest The Lord be with you
- People And with thy spirit
- Priest Lift up your hearts
- People We lift them up unto the Lord
- Priest Let us give thanks unto our Lord God
- People It is meet and right so to do

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God. Therefore, with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious name, forever praising thee and singing

> Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power, God of 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. Hosanna in the highest.

All sit or kneel

All glory be to thee, Almighty God, our heavenly Father, for that thou did give thine only son, Jesus Christ, to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there, by his one oblation of himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation, and satisfaction for the sins of the whole world, and did institute, and in his holy gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

Here the Priest circles the altar and faces the people

On the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my Body which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me." Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for 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 in remembrance of me."

Therefore, Lord Jesus, according to thy commandment, we with these gifts make that memorial; remembering thy blessed passion and precious death, thy mighty resurrection and glorious ascension.

Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us. Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

Come thou, Holy Spirit, descend upon us and fill this place, that we who in faith receive these gifts of bread and wine may partake of the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Here we present unto thee ourselves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy, and living sacrifice, that dying to ourselves, we might live in Christ.

By Him, with Him, and in Him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory be thine, Father Almighty, world without end. **Amen.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER AND THE RECEPTION OF COMMUNION

Priest In the words that Christ has taught us, we are bold to say:

- People 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, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.
- *Priest* 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.
- People We do not presume to come to this thy table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy table. But thou art the same Lord, whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.
- + All baptized Christians are welcome to receive communion.
- + Wine is distributed, grape juice is on the pedestal.
- + To receive a blessing instead of communion, cross hands in front of chest.

Speak, O Lord

Speak, O Lord, as we come to You To receive the food of Your Holy Word. Take Your truth, plant it deep in us; Shape and fashion us in Your likeness, That the light of Christ might be seen today In our acts of love and our deeds of faith. Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us All Your purposes for Your glory.

Teach us, Lord, full obedience, Holy reverence, true humility; Test our thoughts and our attitudes In the radiance of Your purity. Cause our faith to rise; cause our eyes to see Your majestic love and authority. Words of pow'r that can never fail— Let their truth prevail over unbelief.

Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds; Help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us— Truths unchanged from the dawn of time That will echo down through eternity. And by grace we'll stand on Your promises, And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us. Speak, O Lord, till Your church is built And the earth is filled with Your glory. O TASTE AND SEE I sought the Lord and He answered me, And delivered me from every fear. Those who look on Him are radiant; They'll never be ashamed, they'll never be ashamed.

This poor man cried and the Lord heard me, And saved me from my enemies. The Son of God surrounds His saints; He will deliver them, He will deliver them.

Chorus: Magnify the Lord with me, Come exalt His name together. Glorify the Lord with me, Come exalt His name forever.

O taste and see that the Lord is good, Oh blessed is he who hides in Him. Oh fear the Lord, oh all you saints; He'll give you everything, He'll give you everything.

Chorus

Let us bless the Lord, every day and night, Never ending praise, may our incense rise. (Repeat)

Chorus

THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Priest Let us pray.

Almighty and everliving God, we thank thee for feeding us with the spiritual food, of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of thy Son, and heirs of thine eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work thou hast given us to do, to love and serve thee as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to thee, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

All stand to sing **THE CHURCH'S ONE FOUNDATION** The Church's one foundation is Jesus Christ, her Lord. She is His new creation by water and the Word From heav'n He came and sought her to be His holy Bride With His own blood He bought her, and for her life He died.

Elect from every nation, yet one o'er all the earth Her charter of salvation, One Lord, one faith, one birth One holy Name she blesses, partakes one holy food And to one hope she presses, with every grace endued

'Mid toil and tribulation, and tumult of her war She waits the consummation of peace for evermore Till with the vision glorious, her longing eyes are blest And the great Church victorious shall be the church at rest

Yet she on earth hath union with God the Three in One And mystic sweet communion with those whose rest is won O happy ones and holy! Lord, give us grace that we Like them, the meek and lowly, in love may dwell with Thee.

THE PEACE AND THE BENEDICTION

Priest The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And with your Spirit.

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

- People Thanks be to God.
- Priest And the peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord: and the Blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be amongst you, and remain with you always. Amen.

As we go, we share with one another a sign of Christ's peace.

TRINITY ANGLICAN CHURCH

Worship | Friendship | Scholarship

The Ven. Dr. Peter Johnston, Rector The Rev'd Scotty Weeks, Deacon Mr. Riley George, College & Young Adults Ms. Lisa Frugé, Communications

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