

Harvest Thanksgiving

11 October 2026

8 am Holy Eucharist

*The Book of Common Prayer Communion service is found in the accompanying seasonal booklet. The Congregation joins in the **bold font**.*

Collect of the Day

Presider: Let us pray,

**All: Gracious One,
you satisfy the need of every living creature.
Fill us with gratitude for the abundance of the earth
and for the bonds of love and care
that unite all creation into one family.
May our thanks be the soil
in which dreams of justice grow and thrive;
through Jesus Christ, the Lord of the harvest. Amen.**

The Epistle: 2 Corinthians 9:6-15

Reader: The Epistle is taken from Paul's second Letter to the Corinthians,

⁶ The point is this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. ⁷ Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. ⁸ 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. ⁹ As it is written,

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

¹⁰ 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.

¹¹ You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us; ¹² for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God.

¹³ Through the testing of this ministry you glorify God by your obedience to the confession of the gospel of Christ and by the generosity of your sharing with them and with all others, ¹⁴ while they long for you and pray for you because of the surpassing grace of God that he has given you. ¹⁵ Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!

Here endeth the Epistle.

Gradual Psalm: 65 *Te decet hymnus.*

¹ Praise is due to thee, O God, in Sion; /
and unto thee shall the vow be performed in Jerusalem.

² Thou that hearest the prayer, /
unto thee shall all flesh come.

³ My misdeeds prevail against me: /
O be thou merciful unto our sins.

⁴ Blessed is the man whom thou choosest and receivest, /
that he may dwell in thy courts.

⁵ We shall be satisfied with the pleasures of thy house, /
even of thy holy temple.

⁶ Thou shalt show us wonderful things in thy righteousness,
O God of our salvation, /
**Thou that art the hope of all the ends of the earth,
and of them that remain in the broad sea;**

⁷ Who in his strength setteth fast the mountains, /
and is girded about with power;

⁸ Who stilleth the raging of the seas, /
The roaring of their waves, and the tumult of the peoples.

⁹ They also that dwell in the uttermost parts of the earth
are afraid at thy tokens, /
**thou that makest the outgoings of the morning and evening
to praise thee.**

¹⁰ Thou visitest the earth and waterest it: /

Thou makest it very plenteous.

¹¹ The river of God is full of water: /

thou preparest their grain, for so thou providest for the earth.

¹² Thou waterest her furrows, smoothing the ridges thereof: /

**thou makest it soft with the drops of rain,
and blessest the increase of it.**

¹³ Thou crownest the year with thy goodness; /

and thy paths drip with fatness.

¹⁴ The pastures of the wilderness drip; /

And the little hills rejoice on every side.

¹⁵ The pastures are clothed with flocks: /

The valleys also stand so thick with grain that they laugh and sing.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost,

**As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen.**

The Gospel: Luke 17:11-19

Presider: The Lord be with you,

All: and with thy Spirit.

Presider: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

All: Glory be to thee, O Lord.

¹¹ On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. ¹² As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, ¹³ they called out, saying, 'Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!' ¹⁴ When he saw them, he said to them, 'Go and show yourselves to the priests.' And as they went, they were made clean. ¹⁵ Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. ¹⁶ He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷ Then Jesus asked, 'Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they?'

¹⁸ Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?' ¹⁹ Then he said to him, 'Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well.'

The Gospel of Christ.

All: Praise be to thee, O Christ.

*The flowers at the altar today are offered to the glory of God
and in celebration of our 32nd wedding anniversary
by the Rev. Stephanie Shepard and Byron Jang.*

Readings for Pentecost 21, Sunday October 18, 2026

Exodus 33:12-23; Psalm 99; 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10;
Matthew 22:15-22



THIS WEEK AT HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL

Tuesday Connect Day, 8:30-11:30 in the Hall

Wednesday Midweek Eucharist, 9:30-10 am*

Wednesday Bible Study, 10:30-11:30 am in the Lounge

Thursdays Vespers, 5:30-6 pm online by Zoom+

Saturday Community Brunch, 11 am-noon in the Hall

Sunday BCP Eucharist, 8-9 am.*

Sunday Choral Eucharist, 10-11:15 am.*

Sunday Ex. Vestry Meeting, 11:30 am - 1 pm in the Upper Hall

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