Remembrance Sunday
8 November 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**.

Today the Service will be preceded by an Act of Remembrance.

Presider: We meet in the presence of God.
We commit ourselves to work in penitence and faith
for reconciliation between the nations,
that all people may together live
in freedom, justice and peace.
We pray for all who in bereavement, disability and pain
continue to suffer the consequences of fighting and terror.
We remember with thanksgiving and sorrow
those whose lives, in world wars and conflicts past and present,
have been given and taken away.

You are invited to keep one minute of silence.
This will be followed by a piper's lament 'The Flowers of the Forest'

Presider: They shall grow not old,
as we that are left grow old;
age shall not weary them,
nor the years condemn.

All: **At the going down of the sun and in the morning,**
we will remember them.
We will remember them.

Presider: Ever-living God, we remember those whom you have gathered from the storm of war into the peace of your presence; may that same peace calm our fears, bring justice to all peoples and establish harmony among the nations, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: **Amen.**

Collect of the Day

Presider: Let us pray,

All: O God, You are the Author of peace and Lover of concord,
in knowledge of whom stands our eternal life,
whose service is perfect freedom;
Defend us your humble servants
in all assaults of our enemies;
that we, surely trusting in your defence,
may not fear the power of any adversaries;
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Epistle: 1 Peter 1:3-9

Reader: The Epistle is taken from the First Letter of Peter,

3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy
he has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of
Jesus Christ from the dead, 4 and into an inheritance that is imperishable,
undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, 5 who are being protected by
the power of God through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last
time. 6 In this you rejoice, even if now for a little while you have had to suffer
various trials, 7 so that the genuineness of your faith—being more precious
than gold that, though perishable, is tested by fire—may be found to result in
praise and glory and honour when Jesus Christ is revealed. 8 Although you
have not seen him, you love him; and even though you do not see him now,
you believe in him and rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy, 9 for you
are receiving the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls.

Here endeth the Epistle.

Gradual Psalm:116:1-8 *Dilexi, quoniam.*

1 My delight is in the LORD, /
because he hath heard the voice of my prayer;

2 Because he hath inclined his ear unto me, /
therefore will I call upon him as long as I live.

3 The cords of death compassed me round about, /
and the pains of hell gat hold upon me.

4 I found trouble and heaviness,
and I called upon the Name of the LORD: /
'O LORD, I beseech thee, deliver my soul.'

5 Gracious is the LORD, and righteous; /
yea, our God is merciful.

6 The LORD preserveth the simple: /
I was in misery and he helped me.

7 Turn again then unto thy rest, O my soul; /
for the LORD hath dealt bountifully with thee.

8 For thou hast delivered my soul from death, /
mine eyes from tears, and my feet from falling.

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: John 6:37-40

Presider: The Lord be with you,
All: and with thy Spirit.
Presider: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.
All: Glory be to thee, O Lord.

37 Everything that the Father gives me will come to me, and anyone who comes to me I will never drive away; 38 for I have come down from heaven, not to do my own will, but the will of him who sent me. 39 And this is the will of him who sent me, that I should lose nothing of all that he has given me, but raise it up on the last day. 40 This is indeed the will of my Father, that all who see the Son and believe in him may have eternal life; and I will raise them up on the last day.'

The Gospel of Christ.
All: Praise be to thee, O Christ.

The flowers on the altar this Sunday are offered to the glory of God and in memory of parents Rae and Nancy Kruse by Janet Taylor.

Readings for Pentecost 25, Sunday November 15, 2026:
Judges 4:1-7; Psalm 123; 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11;
Matthew 25:14-30



THIS WEEK AT HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL

NO Wednesday Midweek service on Remembrance Day
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.*

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