

THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

shout

WITH JOY TO THE
LORD, ALL YOU LANDS;
LIFT UP YOUR VOICE,
REJOICE, AND SING.

MAY 5TH, 2024 | 10:30A.M.

Trinity Episcopal Church
GUTHRIE, OK

THE WORD OF GOD

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING HYMN

HYMNAL 191

“Alleluia, Alleluia! Hearts and Voices Heavenward Raise”

OPENING ACCLAMATION

BCP PG. 355

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

HYMNAL S-280

Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. **Amen.**

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Celebrant O God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as surpass our understanding: Pour into our hearts such love towards you, that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

All **Amen.**

FIRST LESSON

ACTS 10:44-48

While Peter was still speaking, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who heard the word. The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astounded that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the Gentiles, for they heard them speaking in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter said, "Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?" So he ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they invited him to stay for several days.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

THE PSALM

PSALM 98

- 1 Sing to the Lord a new song, *
for he has done marvelous things.
- 2 With his right hand and his holy arm *
has he won for himself the victory.
- 3 The Lord has made known his victory; *
his righteousness has he openly shown in the sight of the nations.
- 4 He remembers his mercy and faithfulness to the house of Israel, *
and all the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.

- 5 Shout with joy to the Lord, all you lands; *
lift up your voice, rejoice, and sing.
- 6 Sing to the Lord with the harp, *
with the harp and the voice of song.
- 7 With trumpets and the sound of the horn *
shout with joy before the King, the Lord.
- 8 Let the sea make a noise and all that is in it, *
the lands and those who dwell therein.
- 9 Let the rivers clap their hands, *
**and let the hills ring out with joy before the Lord,
when he comes to judge the earth.**
- 10 In righteousness shall he judge the world *
and the peoples with equity.

THE SECOND LESSON

1 JOHN 5:1-6

Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the parent loves the child. By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. For the love of God is this, that we obey his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, for whatever is born of God conquers the world. And this is the victory that conquers the world, our faith. Who is it that conquers the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

This is the one who came by water and blood, Jesus Christ, not with the water only but with the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one that testifies, for the Spirit is the truth.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

(All stand as they are able)

SEQUENCE HYMN

HYMNAL 482

“Lord of All Hopefulness”

(vs. 1-2 before Gospel, and vs. 3-4 after Gospel)

THE GOSPEL**JOHN 15:9-17**

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

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

Jesus said to his disciples, “As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father’s commandments and abide in his love. I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete.

“This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one’s life for one’s friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.”

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

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

THE SERMON**GEORGE JUSTICE****THE NICENE CREED****BCP. 358**

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:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.**

**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 and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He 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.**

CONFESSION OF SIN

BCP pg. 360

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

People Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought,
word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.

For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Celebrant 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.**

THE PEACE

(All stand. The Celebrant says to the people)

Celebrant The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

(Then the Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.)

THE OFFERTORY

Celebrant Let us with gladness present the offerings and oblations of our life and labor to the Lord.

OFFERTORY HYMN

HYMNAL 705

“As Those of Old Their First Fruits Brought”

PRESENTATION HYMN

HYMNAL 380

“Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow”
(verse 3)

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise
Him, all creatures here below, Praise Him above, ye
heav’nly host, Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING PRAYER D

BCP 372

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Celebrant It is truly right to glorify you, Father, and to give you thanks; for you alone are God, living and true, dwelling in light inaccessible from before time and for ever.

Fountain of life and source of all goodness, you made all things and fill them with your blessing; you created them to rejoice in the splendor of your radiance.

Countless throngs of angels stand before you to serve you night and day; and, beholding the glory of your presence, they offer you unceasing praise. Joining with them, and giving voice to every creature under heaven, we acclaim you, and glorify your Name, as we sing (say),

SANCTUS AND BENEDICTUS

HYMNAL S-129

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and 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.

(The people stand or kneel. Then the Celebrant continues)

Celebrant We acclaim you, holy Lord, glorious in power. Your mighty works reveal your wisdom and love. You formed us in your own image, giving the whole world into our care, so that, in obedience to you, our Creator, we might rule and serve all your creatures. When our disobedience took us far from you, you did not abandon us to the power of death.

In your mercy you came to our help, so that in seeking you we might find you. Again and again you called us into covenant with you, and through the prophets you taught us to hope for salvation.

Father, you loved the world so much that in the fullness of time you sent your only Son to be our Savior. Incarnate by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, he lived as one of us, yet without sin.

To the poor he proclaimed the good news of salvation; to prisoners, freedom; to the sorrowful, joy. To fulfill your purpose he gave himself up to death; and, rising from the grave, destroyed death, and made the whole creation new.

And, that we might live no longer for ourselves, but for him who died and rose for us, he sent the Holy Spirit, his own first gift for those who believe, to complete his work in the world, and to bring to fulfillment the sanctification of all.

When the hour had come for him to be glorified by you, his heavenly Father, having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end; at supper with them he took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: 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 for the remembrance of me."

Father, we now celebrate this memorial of our redemption. Recalling Christ's death and his descent among the dead, proclaiming his resurrection and ascension to your right hand, awaiting his coming in glory; and offering to you, from the gifts you have given us, this bread and this cup, we praise you and we bless you.

All

**We praise you, we bless you,
we give thanks to you,
and we pray to you, Lord our God.**

Celebrant Lord, we pray that in your goodness and mercy your Holy Spirit may descend upon us, and upon these gifts, sanctifying them and showing them to be holy gifts for your holy people, the bread of life and the cup of salvation, the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Grant that all who share this bread and cup may become one body and one spirit, a living sacrifice in Christ, to the praise of your Name.

Reader [Remember, Lord, your one holy catholic and apostolic Church, redeemed by the blood of your Christ. Reveal its unity, guard its faith, and preserve it in peace.]

Reader [Remember Michael, our presiding Bishop, Poulson, our Bishop, and all who minister in your Church.]

Reader [Remember all your people, and those who seek your truth.]

Reader [Remember Sam, Susan, Raymond, Trace, Karen, Louise, John, Clair, Tonya, and (_____).]

Reader [Remember all who have died in the peace of Christ, and those whose faith is known to you alone; especially (_____) bring them into the place of eternal joy and light.]

Celebrant And grant that we may find our inheritance with [the Blessed Virgin Mary, with patriarchs, prophets, apostles, and martyrs, (with _____) and] all the saints who have found favor with you in ages past. We praise you in union with them and give you glory through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, all honor and glory are yours, Almighty God and Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, for ever and ever.

All **Amen.**

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

All **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,
and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

(The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.)

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

Celebrant 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 HYMN

HYMNAL 204

“Now the Green Blade Riseth”

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Celebrant Let us pray.

All **Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord.**

People ***Amen.***

SPECIAL PRAYERS: BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES, OTHER NEEDS

A PRAYER FOR BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

PRAYER 51, BCP 830

All Watch over your children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

(The Celebrant blesses the People.)

EASTER BLESSINGS

Celebrant May Almighty God, who has redeemed us and made us his children through the resurrection of his Son our Lord, bestow upon you the riches of his blessings.

All *Amen.*

Celebrant May God, who through the water of baptism has raised us from sin to newness of life, make you holy and worthy to be united with Christ for ever.

All *Amen*

Celebrant May God, who has brought us out of bondage to sin into true and lasting freedom in the Redeemer, bring you to your eternal inheritance.

All *Amen*

Celebrant And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever.

All *Amen*

CLOSING HYMN

HYMNAL 344

"Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing"

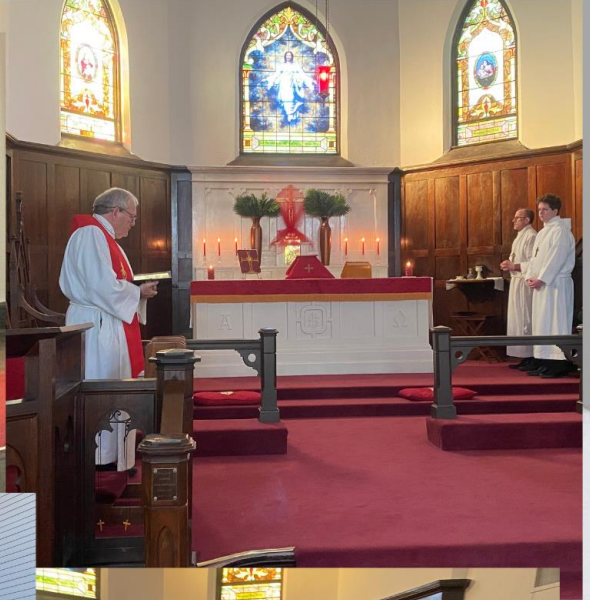
DISMISSAL

Celebrant Let us go forth in the Name of Christ. Alleluia, alleluia.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

Maundy Thursday

MEMORIES



WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

New Ministry Service – This Thursday

New Ministry Service to officially install Fr. Robby Trammell as vicar of Trinity Episcopal Church with the Rt. Rev. Poulson Reed, bishop of The Episcopal Diocese of Oklahoma, officiating at 6:30 p.m. this Thursday (May 9). A reception follows in the parish hall. Everyone is invited to bring guests.

Mother's Day Potluck Sunday

Please join us for potluck next Sunday. In honor of your mother, bring a dish that reminds you of her, or your favorite dish to prepare.

Mid-Week Eucharist and Bible Study

Bible study during Easter Season on the "Resurrection Appearances of Jesus" followed by Holy Communion, 12 noon on Wednesdays in the parish hall.

Catechism Classes on Sundays

Catechism (confirmation/baptism) classes "for everyone" at 9 a.m. on Sundays in the Parish Hall.

Prayer Requests

Please complete the form (located in the hall) to add to the prayer list.

Electronic Giving to the Mission of Trinity Church

<http://www.trinityguthrie.org/home/donate/>

Home Communion Visits

Please call the Church Office to schedule a home communion visit should you need one.

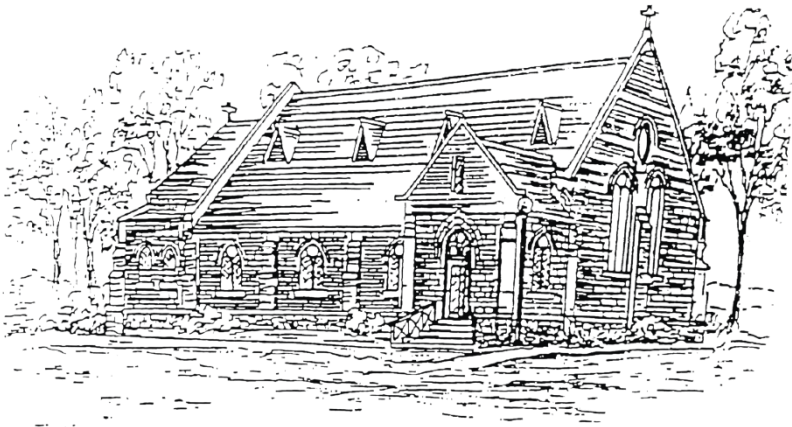
THANKSGIVINGS AND INTERCESSIONS

Happy Birthday: Presley Sears (5/06)

Happy Anniversary:

SERVING TODAY

<i>Celebrant</i>	<i>The Rev. Robby Trammell</i>
<i>Deacon Candidate</i>	<i>George Justice</i>
<i>Readers</i>	<i>Harley Campbell & Linda Pruitt</i>
<i>Altar Guild</i>	<i>Sabreena Burks & Mona Jones</i>
<i>Organist & Music Director</i>	<i>Brenda McCormack</i>
<i>Acolytes</i>	<i>Michael McCormack</i>
<i>Chalice Bearers</i>	<i>Michael McCormack & George Justice</i>
<i>Greeters/Ushers</i>	<i>Buck Adams & Terry Runnels</i>
<i>BC Committee</i>	<i>Buck Adams & Terry Runnels</i>
<i>Counters</i>	<i>Harley Campbell & Jody Noerdlinger</i>
<i>Live Media</i>	<i>Sabreena Burks</i>
<i>Coffee Host</i>	



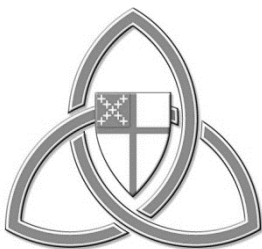
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<i>Readers</i>	<i>Katherine Runnels & Pam Altizer</i>
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<i>Coffee Host</i>	<i>POTLUCK</i>

ABOUT RECEIVING COMMUNION

All Christians are welcome to receive the Holy Communion at our Altar. If you would like to take part in Communion, join the congregation in coming forward and stand or kneel at the altar rail. Hold your hands up, and a wafer of bread will be placed in your hand. When the cup of wine is presented to you, use your hands to guide it to your lips. If you wish to only receive a blessing, cross your arms over your chest when at the altar.

Please note that gluten-free bread is available upon request.



“Seeing God in all people”

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