The 23rd Sunday after Pentecost

All Saints ~ Pledge Sunday

(Day of the Dead ~ All Souls)



"Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven."

November 1, 2026 ~ 10:30 AM
Trinity Episcopal Church
310 E. Noble Ave., Guthrie, OK

LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

(At this time, you are invited to find your seat and be thoughtful, silent, and reverent.)

PRELUDE LINDA TRAMMELL

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Word of God

OPENING ACCLAMATION **BCP 355**

(At the sound of the bell, please stand if able, turn, and face the Baptismal Font.)

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. *Amen.***

Celebrant: Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. ***Amen.***

SONG OF PRAISE **"***THE GLORIA* **"** **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 Chrsitr,
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: Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. ***Amen.***

CHILDREN'S MOMENT **THE REV. ROCIO LOPEZ**

(Children are invited to come forward for a brief scripture reflection.)

FIRST READING: **Revelation 7:9-17**

(The people sit.)
Lector A reading from the Book of Revelation.

After this I, John, looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing,

> "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor
> and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

"For this reason they are before the throne of God, and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them. They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat; for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

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

THE PSALM **Psalm 34:1-10,22**

Lector The psalm is read responsively by half verse.

1 I will bless the LORD at all times; *
his praise shall ever be in my mouth.

2 I will glory in the LORD; *
let the humble hear and rejoice.

3 Proclaim with me the greatness of the LORD; *
let us exalt his Name together.

4 I sought the LORD, and he answered me *
and delivered me out of all my terror.

5 Look upon him and be radiant, *
and let not your faces be ashamed.

6 I called in my affliction and the LORD heard me *
and saved me from all my troubles.

7 The angel of the LORD encompasses those who fear him, *
and he will deliver them.

8 Taste and see that the LORD is good; *
happy are they who trust in him!

9 Fear the LORD, you that are his saints, *
for those who fear him lack nothing.

10 The young lions lack and suffer hunger, *
but those who seek the LORD lack nothing that is good.

22 The LORD ransoms the life of his servants, *
and none will be punished who trust in him.

SECOND READING: **1 John 3:1-3**

(The people sit.)

Lector A reading from 1st John.

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

(All stand, if able.)

SEQUENCE HYMN **HYMNAL 293**

"I Sing a Song of the Saints of God"
(verse 1 before Gospel; verses 2-3 after Gospel)

THE GOSPEL **Matthew 5:1-12**

(All stand if able, turn, and face the Gospel)

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

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

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.
"Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.
"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.
"Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.
"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.
"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.
"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
"Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

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

THE SERMON **THE REV. ROBBY TRAMMELL**

(Silence may follow)

THE RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL VOWS **BCP 292**

(After the sermon, please follow the Ministers of the Liturgy to gather around the baptismal font.)

Celebrant: Dear People of God: In Holy Baptism we have become part of that great fellowship of believers in all times and places: the Communion of Saints. In baptism, God has adopted us as children and made us members of Christ's body and inheritors of God's kingdom with the Saints in the light. Let us now renew the vows of our baptism by which God has made us a holy people.

Celebrant Do you affirm your renunciation of evil and your commitment to Jesus Christ?

People **I do.**

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Father?

People **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Celebrant Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

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

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People **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.

Celebrant Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of the bread, and in the prayers?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

People **I will, with God's help.**

(The congregation is sprinkled with Holy Water as a sign of cleansing and renewal)

Celebrant May Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and bestowed upon us the forgiveness of sins, keep us in eternal life by his grace, in Christ Jesus our Lord. ***Amen.***

THE PEACE **BCP 360**

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

(Then the ministers and the people may greet one another in the name of the Lord. Greetings, special prayers, birthday and anniversary blessings follow.)

SPECIAL PRAYERS: BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES, OTHER PETITIONS

All **O God, our days are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on those who begin another year. Grant that your wisdom, grace, love, and strength may continue to be with them all the days of their lives, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Birthdays: Linden Lissy (11/1) Jody Noerdlinger (11/2)
Anniversaries:

The Holy Communion

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

(*After instructions are given, the congregation will be directed to come forward and place their 2027 Pledge Cards in the gold offering plate located in front of the Altar.)*

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

OFFERTORY HYMN **HYMNAL 287**

"For All the Saints, Who from Their Labors Rest"
(verses 1-4)

PRESENTATION HYMN **HYMNAL 380**

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.*
(verse 3)

DEDICATION OF PLEDGES

Celebrant All things come of thee, O Lord;

People **And of thine own we have given thee.**

Celebrant Blessed are you O Lord our God, for you bring forth all good things for our use and delight, and honor us with the stewardship of all creation.

People **Accept these expressions of our gratitude and faith, offered to your glory and in fulfillment of our call to be stewards of your bounty and partners with you in generosity.**

Celebrant Let the covenant which we affirm here on earth be ratified in heaven and sealed in the sharing of this Holy Eucharist.

(The Pledges, Photos of Beloved Family and Friends, Altar, and Congregation are blessed with incense.)

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING **Eucharistic Prayer D, BCP 372**

(The people remain standing, if able.)

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,

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, if able)

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. 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 Sean, our presiding Bishop; Poulson, our Bishop; Rocio, our deacon; Diane, our diaconal intern; Robby, our priest; and on the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Seminarians, the Iona School of Formation and Aspirancy Program, the Anglican Church in Central America, and all who minister in your Church.

Remember all your people, and those who seek your truth: Lauren, Kennedy, Cricket, Linda, Sara, Ronny, Kitty, Keith, Joe, Max, Dan, Gwendolyn, Jeanie, Susan, Kathy, Claire, Harbor Home, and Hope House.
Remember all who have died in the peace of Christ, and those whose faith is known to you alone; 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. ***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.

Celebrant. In the Communion of Saints, as the names are read, let us remember before God those who have departed this life and those whom we love but see no longer. May their souls, and the souls of all the departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

The ministers receive the Sacrament in both kinds and then immediately deliver it to the people. All baptized, regardless of denomination, are welcome to receive wine and bread – the real presence of Christ -- from the Lord's table at the altar rail or the standing station near the pulpit.

(Cross your arms over your chest at the altar if you prefer not to receive the sacrament but would like to receive a blessing. Gluten-free bread is available upon request. Please let an usher know if you need communion brought to where you are seated.)

PRAYER CANDLE LIGHTING

After receiving communion, the congregation is invited to say a silent prayer of need or thanksgiving while lighting a candle and then placing it in the sand container at the front.

COMMUNION HYMN **Brenda McCormack**

"Instrumental Piano Music"

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. *Amen.***

(The Celebrant blesses the people.)

THE BLESSING

Celebrant: May God give you grace to follow his saints in faith and hope and love; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you always. ***Amen.***

Welcome, Aztec dancers, performing in celebration of the Hispanic "Day of the Dead."

DISMISSAL

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

(Everyone invited into Brooke Hall for food and fellowship.)

Weekly Announcements

All Saints ~ Pledge Sunday ~ November 1st

You are invited to bring photographs of your beloved family members, now in the nearer presence of God, for display on All Saints Sunday as we jointly celebrate the "Communion of Saints" and the Hispanic Day of the Dead. Our friends, the Aztec Dance Troupe, will again perform as part of the celebration service. Trinity's annual Pledge Sunday is also observed on Nov. 1st. You are asked to sign a pledge card estimating what you hope to donate to the church in 2027 so our new budget can be prepared. Cards will be brought to the altar and blessed, along with the photos of loved ones. Food and fellowship will follow the service in Brooke Hall. Everyone welcome!

Women's Prayer Study ~ Begins November 10th

Women are invited to a Prayer Study on Tuesdays, November 10 through December 1, from 5:00 to 6:30 p.m. at Trinity Episcopal Church. As we prepare for Advent, we will learn about and explore a variety of prayer practices together. Leader Diane Fosmire says, "All you need to bring is an open heart and a willingness to spend time with God in community." All women welcome!

SERVING TODAY ~ NOVEMBER 1

Celebrant	*The Rev. Robby Trammell*
Deacon	*The Rev. Rocio Lopez*
Diaconal Intern	*Diane Fosmire*
Lectors	*Eve Cushing, Greg Mahle & Linda Pruitt*
Altar Guild	*Terri Burks*
Organist & Music Director	*Brenda McCormack*
Acolytes	*Michael McCormack*
Chalice Bearers	*Jane Ann Bramlett, Diane Fosmire & Michael McCormack*
Ushers	*Terry Runnels and Joe Tripodi*
BC Committee	*Ann Klein*
Counters	*Ann Klein & Joe Tripodi*
Coffee, food and fellowship	*Holy Hospitality Ministry*

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Trinity Service Times:

9:30 a.m. ~ Children Sunday School & Adult Forum
10:30 a.m. ~ Sunday Holy Eucharist
12 noon ~ Wednesday Service with Holy Eucharist

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