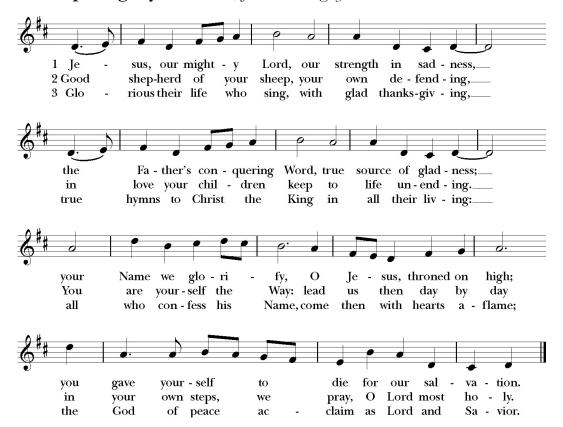
Saint Luke's Episcopal Church Tulsa, Oklahoma The Holy Eucharist: Rite Two



The Last Sunday after Pentecost Christ the King Sunday November 20, 2022 10:30 a.m.



The Opening Hymn: H478, Jesus, our mighty Lord

The Word of God

The People standing as able, the Celebrant says

Blessed be God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.PeopleAnd blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

The Celebrant may say

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.*

The following hymn is sung or said, all standing as able

Gloria in excelsis, 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

The Celebrant says to the PeopleThe Lord be with you.PeopleAnd also with you.CelebrantLet us pray.

The Celebrant says the Collect.

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

People Amen.

The People sit.

The First Reading: Jeremiah 23:1-6

Reader: A reading from the prophet Jeremiah

Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the LORD. Therefore thus says the LORD, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the LORD. Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the LORD.

The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: "The LORD is our righteousness."

After the Reading, the Reader may say The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Silence may follow.

Psalm 46

God is our refuge and strength, * a very present help in trouble. Therefore we will not fear, though the earth be moved, * and though the mountains be toppled into the depths of the sea; Though its waters rage and foam, * and though the mountains tremble at its tumult. The LORD of hosts is with us; * the God of Jacob is our stronghold. There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, * the holy habitation of the Most High. God is in the midst of her; she shall not be overthrown; * God shall help her at the break of day. The nations make much ado, and the kingdoms are shaken; * God has spoken, and the earth shall melt away. The LORD of hosts is with us; * the God of Jacob is our stronghold. Come now and look upon the works of the LORD, * what awesome things he has done on earth.

It is he who makes war to cease in all the world; * he breaks the bow, and shatters the spear, and burns the shields with fire.

"Be still, then, and know that I am God; * I will be exalted among the nations; I will be exalted in the earth."

The LORD of hosts is with us; * the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

The Second Reading: Colossians 1:11-20

Reader: A reading from Paul's letter to the Colossians.

May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers-- all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross. After the Reading, the Reader may say

The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Silence may follow.

The Sequence Hymn: H421, All glory be to God on high



The Gospel: Luke 23:33-43

Then, all standing as able, the Deacon or a Priest reads the Gospel, first saying The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. Then Jesus said, "Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing." And they cast lots to divide his clothing. The people stood by, watching Jesus on the cross; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, "He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!" The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, and saying, "If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!" There was also an inscription over him, "This is the King of the Jews."

One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, "Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!" But the other rebuked him, saying, "Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong." Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." He replied, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

After the Gospel, the Reader says

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon: The Rev. John Rule

The Nicene Creed

On Sundays and other Major Feasts there follows, all standing as able

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.

The Prayers of the People (Form VI)

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Silence

For all people in their daily life and work; *For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.*

For this community, the nation, and the world; *For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.*

For the just and proper use of your creation; *For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.*

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble; *For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.*

For the peace and unity of the Church of God; *For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.*

For Michael, our Presiding Bishop, and Poulson, our Bishop; and for all bishops and other ministers; *For all who serve God in his Church*.

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions

Hear us, Lord; *For your mercy is great.*

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

Silence

The People may add their own thanksgivings

We will exalt you, O God our King;

And praise your Name for ever and ever.

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them; *Who put their trust in you*.

We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

Silence may be kept.

Leader and People

Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Bishop, when present, or the Priest, stands and says

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 Offertory Hymn: H383, Fairest Lord Jesus

The Holy Communion

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer C

The Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise him all creatures here below, Praise him above ye heavenly hosts, Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The People remain standing. The Celebrant, whether bishop or priest, faces them and sings or says

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.

Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds

God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.

Glory to you for ever and ever.

At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

By your will they were created and have their being.

From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.

Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

By his blood, he reconciled us. By his wounds, we are healed.

And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

S-130 Sanctus

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full, full of your glory, Hosanna in the highest, Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, Hosanna in the highest, Hosanna in the highest.

The People stand or kneel. Then the Celebrant continues

And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends, 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, gave thanks, 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."

Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,

We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.

Lord God of our Fathers: God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the bread.

Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation. *AMEN*.

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

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 Breaking of the Bread

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

Then the Celebrant sings or says

Al - le - lu - ia. Christ our Pass - o - ver is sac - ri - ficed for us;

The People sing or say in response

There-fore let us keep the feast. Al - le - lu - ia.

The Fraction Anthem: S164, Jesus, Lamb of God

Jesus, Lamb of God. Have mercy on us. Jesus, bearer of our sins. Have mercy on us. Jesus, redeemer, redeemer of the world. Give us your peace, give us your peace.

Facing the People, the Celebrant says the following Invitation

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.

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The Communion Hymn: H324, Let all mortal flesh keep silence

The Postcommunion Prayer

After Communion, the Celebrant says Let us pray. Celebrant and People 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.

Birthday & Anniversary Blessings

The Blessing of the Children

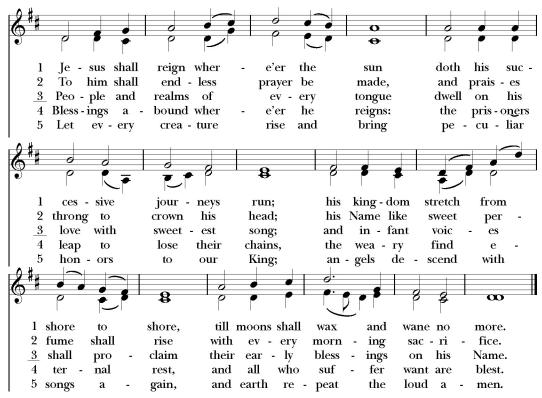
The Final Blessing

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.*

Birthdays & Anniversaries We Celebrate

Lee Ann Henley's Birthday.....November 21

You are invited to come forward, at the invitation of the priest, to receive a birthday or anniversary blessing.



The Closing Hymn: H544, Jesus shall reign where'er the sun

The Dismissal

The Deacon, or the Celebrant, dismisses the People, who respondPeople**Thanks be to God.**

Announcements



Please join us for fellowship in the Parish Hall after the service.

Our Lord Jesus Christ Head of the Church

The Right Reverend Poulson Reed Bishop of Oklahoma

The Rev. John Rule Vicar

> Carle Robbins Senior Warden

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Celebrant: & Preacher: The Rev. John Rule
Eucharistic Ministers:Carle Robbins, Jack Kelly
Lectors:Whitney Wagers, Allen Culpepper
Intercessor: Donna Ensing
Acolytes:Georgia Wagers, Mya Wagers
Oblationers:Judy Cairl, Sue Dishong
Organist:Drew Ashley
Ushers:Rick Vivion, Craig Cottrell
Counters:Lee Ann Henley, Bill Hiddle

Dr. Kryder's Prayer Risen Lord: Give us a heart for simple things: love, laughter, bread, wine, dreams. Fill us with green growing hope. And make us an Easter people, whose song is Alleluia, whose sign is Peace, and whose name is Love. *Amen.*

Those For Whom We Pray THE MEMBERS OF OUR CHURCH

<u>Prayers for Healing:</u> Drew, Skip, Linn, Claudette & John, Doreen, Butch & Linda, Charlotte, John, Joseph & Tera, George, Wayne, Yvonne

[Please let Fr. John or Melissa Mullen know if you wish to add someone to the Prayer List]

Those in Retirement Homes: Butch Elman

Those in the Armed Forces: For all who serve around the world

Christian People in the World: The people of Ukraine

<u>The Clergy:</u> Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Poulson, our Bishop; John, our Vicar

Wardens: Carle Robbins, Jack Kelly

<u>The Bishop's Committee:</u> Carle Robbins, Jack Kelly, Yvonne Baker, Bill Hiddle, Mickey Walsh, Anne Ghost Bear, Case Rycroft, Whitney Wagers, Martha Alford, Kay Eason, Betty Scott

<u>Our Parish Office Staff:</u> Lee Ann Henley, Treasurer, Melissa Mullen, Secretary, Susan Moffatt, Bookkeeper

Our Organist: Drew Ashley

Our Choir: Lee Ann, Melissa, Buffy, Whitney, Betty, Janice

The Faithful Departed: All those who have died during the pandemic and in Ukraine

A Prayer of St. Chrysostom

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. *Amen.*

Volunteers Needed

We need volunteers to read, usher, and serve as oblationers on Sundays. We also need members of the Bishop's Committee to serve as counters of the offering after Sunday service. If you can help, please let Melissa Mullen know. Thank you!

2023 Stewardship Campaign

Thanks to Betty Scott and Martha Alford for leading our 2023 Stewardship Campaign the past few weeks. You should have received, or will receive, a letter from me enclosing a pledge card and a stamped return envelope (there are also pledge cards available at the rear of the sanctuary). You may mail your pledge card in, or *bring it to church on Sunday, November 27, the first Sunday of Advent, during which we will have our ingathering.* Thanks for your faithfulness and generosity; your pledge and donations help us budget and carry out our ministries.

Father John+

Joyce Jackson's Funeral

Joyce Jackson's funeral will be held at Trinity Episcopal Church, 515 S Cincinnati Avenue, at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 26. Please attend if you are able, and please keep Joyce and her family in your prayers.

Welcome Visitors

We are glad you chose to worship with us today. We would appreciate it if you would complete the card found in your pew and place it in the alms basin, or sign our guest register at the north or south entrance to the church.



May our Lord Jesus Christ bless your worship experience this day and go with you throughout the week.

Our Mission Statement

To know Christ and make him known through worship, prayer, study, fellowship, outreach, and witness in our daily walk.



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