

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

Fraction Hymn S-154 Alleluia

New Plainsong

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
Christ our Pass - o - ver is sac - ri - ficed for us;
there - fore let us keep the feast.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

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The Gifts of God for the People of God.

All baptized persons, regardless of denomination or church membership, are welcome to come forward and receive the Holy Bread and Wine. A larger chalice for drinking or a small chalice for intincting (dipping) are available at the altar rail. If you wish to intinct, please hold your wafer up so chalice bearers can see it. If you would like Communion brought to you in the pew, please tell an usher.

Communion Hymn 676 There is a balm in Gilead

Balm in Gilead

Prayer of Thanksgiving *standing*

(p. 365)

Let us pray.

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.

Blessing

Hymn 535 *Ye servants of God*

Paderborn

Dismissal

People **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude: *Suite de l'ofertoire*

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Lay Readers: 8:00 Nancy Furr

10:30 Sean Little, Liz Richardson

Ushers: Jonathan Shockley, Greg Gwaltney Audio: Jim Donnelly

Acolytes: Perusi Musazi Greeters: Everyone

WELCOME VISITORS: We extend a warm welcome to our visitors today. If you would like to know more about our church, kindly fill out one of the cards in the pew racks and place it in the offering plate. Join us in Lackey Hall after the 10:30 service for refreshments and conversation. Exit the church through the door beside the baptism font – Lackey Hall is at the far end of the hallway.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

HELP US SHINE OUR LIGHT! Christ and Grace members are shining our light with their pledges to our stewardship campaign for 2020. The vestry relies on pledge information to plan the budget for next year. Please prayerfully consider your giving and return your pledge card by the end of the month. And watch the board light up in Lackey Hall as the pledges come in!

MEN'S BREAKFAST is this Saturday, October 19, at 8:00 am in Lackey Hall. Bring a friend and enjoy food and fellowship.

CELTIC EVENSONG AND COMMUNION is this Sunday, October 20, featuring guest musician Louise Daniel on Harp and Keyboard. Pre-service music at 5:15 pm, service at 5:30 pm with a reception following. Casual dress is encouraged.

ON ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY REMEMBER LOVED ONES WHO HAVE DIED

On All Saints' Sunday, one of the ways we honor the saints of God, who are all of us, is through the remembrance of saints departed. If you would like to include loved ones who have died since last All Saints' Day (November 1, 2018) in the prayers on All Saints' Sunday, November 3, please send their names to the church office no later than Tuesday afternoon, October 29.

SPIRITUAL CONVERSATIONS - This group meets Tuesdays Oct 22 - Nov 12 from 5:45 - 7 pm in the Library. The topic is "Quotes, verses, and/or reflections that spark questions and inspiration on your spiritual journey." Please contact Sonya if you are interested at 804-691-1735.

JOIN MATTHEW LITTLE on Friday, November 15th at 7pm at Christ & Grace for his organ recital "Among the Ruins." This one hour recital is free and open to the public

THIRD QUARTER CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS were sent the end of September. Your financial gifts allow all of our ministries at Christ and Grace to continue. If you have not done so already and are able to, please consider bringing your pledge current. Thank you for your support.

SUPPORT THE ECW PECAN SALE! Pecan halves, pieces, chocolate pecans, mixed nuts and pistachios are \$10 each. Order forms are available in Lackey Hall, or from any ECW Board member. Make checks payable to "ECW". Sale ends Sunday, October 27 and orders will be back before Thanksgiving. Contact Valerie Jones at vjones58@netzero.com.

THE FEAST OF ST. FRANCIS AND BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS. This year Rev. Robin will bless your pets any day in October – just call to let her know you are stopping by for a blessing. We will also be collecting supplies for the Petersburg Animal Shelter that we might be a blessing to all animals in need of some love and care. Items to donate include blankets, sheets, washcloths, towels and toys (new or used) kitten and puppy food (dry only, no wet food), dog and cat treats, and cat litter (clay only). Bring your items to the collection box in Lackey Hall.

Calendar for the Week

Monday	9 - 5 pm	Office Closed
	7:00 pm	Tri-Cities Band Rehearsal
Tuesday	7:00 pm	Hand Bells Rehearsal
Thursday	7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal/AA Meeting



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It is our custom to observe a prayerful silence before the service begins. During the service, please feel free to stand or kneel as you are able.

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost October 20, 2019

Welcome families with children. If anytime during the service your child needs a place for active play, a small unstaffed nursery room, restrooms, and respite area, with a speaker to hear the service, are located downstairs under the Sycamore Street entrance to the church. A Sunday school for children ages 2-11 meets downstairs during the 10:30 service. Children return at the offering.

8:00 AM HOLY COMMUNION RITE II – without music

10:30 AM HOLY COMMUNION RITE II – with music

The Word of God

Prelude: *Passacaglia*

Dieterich Buxtehude

Hymn 594 *God of grace*

Cwm Rhondda

Opening Acclamation *standing*

Book of Common Prayer p. 355

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

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

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.

8:00 a.m. only

Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Hymn S278 *Gloria in excelsis*

William Mathias

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

The Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, in Christ you have revealed your glory among the nations: Preserve the works of your mercy, that your Church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

First Reading: Jeremiah 31:27-34

sitting

see scripture insert

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalms 119:97-104

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5*Reader* The Word of the Lord*People* **Thanks be to God.****Hymn 337** *And now, O Father, mindful of the love* (vs. 1-3) Unde et memores**Gospel:** *standing* (p. 357)*Celebrant* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.*People* **Glory to you, Lord Christ.****Luke 18:1-8***Celebrant* The Gospel of the Lord.*People* **Praise to you, Lord Christ.****Hymn 337** *And now, O Father, mindful of the love* (vs. 4) Unde et memores**The Sermon** The Rev. Robin Teasley**The Nicene Creed** *standing* (p. 358)**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.****Prayers of the People** *standing or kneeling**Leader* In peace, let us pray to the Lord: For the Church of God, that we may be filled with love, generosity and truth so to transform our communities and our world;*People* **May your light guide us and shine through us.***Leader* For Eleanor Becker, Fred & Margaret Ann Bergen and Bee Betts, that they be strengthened and encouraged in their faith;*People* **May they know and see Jesus, the light of the world, in their daily life and work.***Leader* For the leaders of our nation, and the leaders of all nations;*People* **May your light instill in them compassion and good judgment, and guide them in the ways of justice and peace.***Leader* For all who hold authority in your Church, that they may shine your light brightly;*People* **May your Spirit inspire them with creativity, renew their energy, and give them wisdom and love.***Leader* For blessings on all of our human endeavors, and for the just and proper use of the beauty and abundance of creation;*People* **May each of us love and serve you in ways that shine your light in our communities and beyond to free your world from poverty, famine and oppression.***Leader* Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation. We especially pray for Josie Basta, Carolyn Crinkley, Wilson Ferrell, Betty Goodman, David Gwaltney, Nell Howard, Mark Jones, Peter Keyser, Kent Mallory, Mike McKibbin, Addison Owens, Susan Pugh, Lilly Rudd, Mark Sheffield, Dana Watkins Spiers, Wendy Taft, Larry Tucker, Paige Whitley, and Norma Yeatts.*People* **May your light bring hope and healing to all who suffer.***Leader* We pray for all who have died, and for those who grieve. The flowers at the altar are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Carolyn Ross by Gene, Jeff, Troy, Beth, and Conner Ross; and in loving memory of Martha Mitchell Marable by her family. We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy.*People* **May your perpetual light shine on all the saints who have gone before us.***Celebrant* O God, in your infinite generosity you have created a world with resources to sustain all of your children with abundance of food, work and recreation. Help us to let our light shine so brightly the whole world can witness your glory. In the name of Jesus, we pray, **Amen.***Celebrant* Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor. (*pause*) (p. 360)**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.**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** *standing**Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.*People* **And also with you.****Greeting and Announcements****Offertory Sentence****The Holy Communion****Offertory Anthem:** *Author of life divine* Cecilia McDowall**At The Presentation: Hymn 341** *For the bread* Omni die*For the bread which you have broken, for the wine which you have poured, for the words which you have spoken, now we give you thanks, O Lord.*

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The Great Thanksgiving, Eucharistic Prayer B *standing* (p. 367)*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.**

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. For you are the source of light and life; you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus Hymn S128 Mathias

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standing

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ 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.”

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

**We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;**

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **Amen.**