



# CHRIST AND GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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*Our mission: Offering Hope, Healing and Hospitality*

*It is our custom to observe a prayerful silence before the service begins.*

## ALL SAINTS' DAY November 4, 2018

*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 front 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** *Fantasy in G minor*

J S Bach

**Hymn 287** *For all the saints*

Sine Nomine

**Opening Acclamation** *standing*

Book of Common Prayer p. 299

*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*

Mathias

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

### The Collect of the Day

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.**

**First Reading: Wisdom of Solomon 3:1-9** *sitting*

*See scripture insert*

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 24**

**Second Reading: Revelation 21:1-6a**

*Reader* The Word of the Lord

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

**Hymn 286** *Who are these like stars appearing* (vs. 1-3)

Zeuch mich

**Gospel:** *standing*

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

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

**John 11:32-44**

*Celebrant* The Gospel of the Lord.

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

**Hymn 286** *Who are these like stars appearing* (vs. 4-5)

Zeuch mich

**The Sermon**

The Rev. Robin Teasley

**The Nicene Creed** *standing*

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**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 IV** *standing or kneeling*

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*Reader* Let us pray for the Church and for the world. In the pauses between the prayers I invite you to offer your own prayers, either silently or aloud.

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world. (*pause*)

Lord, in your mercy

**Hear our prayer.**

Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good. (*pause*)

Lord, in your mercy

**Hear our prayer.**

Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory. (*pause*)

Lord, in your mercy

**Hear our prayer.**

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us. In our Parish Cycle of Prayer we remember: John & Teresa Brockwell, Martha Bryant and Martha Burton. (*pause*)

Lord, in your mercy

**Hear our prayer.**

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 remember: Ashley Browder, Vera Crooms, Nell Howard, Dalton Scott Jesse, Pret Kaichen, Peter Keyser, Selena McColley, Tracey Milliner, Roy Mullins, Tyson Pa, Barbara Jo Pollard, Edward Roberts, Daphne Spurlock, Bill Surber, Dana Watkins Spiers, Billy Talley, Madelyn White and Elaine Yeatts. *(pause)*

Lord, in your mercy

**Hear our prayer.**

We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom. The flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Nick Riggs by Ann Riggs.

*(pause)*

Lord, in your mercy

**Hear our prayer.**

*The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.*

*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:** *Let us now praise famous men*

Ralph Vaughan Williams

**At The Presentation** Doxology (Renew Hymn 82) *standing* Owens

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, you heavenly host, praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

**The Great Thanksgiving, Eucharistic Prayer D** (p. 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.**

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 Hymn S128

Mathias

Ho - ly, ho - ly,  
ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho-san-na in the  
high - est. Bless - ed is he who  
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high - est.

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## *Standing*

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.

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

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.

Remember all who minister in your church. Remember all your people, and those who seek your truth.

Remember all who have died in the peace of Christ especially \_\_\_\_\_.  
Bring them into the place of eternal joy and light.

And grant that we may find our inheritance with 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.**

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.

#### Fraction Hymn S-161 *Agnus Dei*

New Plainsong

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world:  
have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the  
sins of the world: have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God,  
you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

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*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 293 *I sing a song of the saints of God*

Grand Isle

#### Prayer of Thanksgiving *standing*

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Let us pray.

**Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.**

## Blessing

Hymn 625 *Ye holy angels bright*

Darwall's 148th

## Dismissal

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

## Postlude On *Darwall*

The sacrament of Healing Prayer with the laying on of hands and anointing with oil will be offered at the altar rail after each service today.

Priest: The Rev. Robin Teasley

Lay Readers: 8:00 Bee Betts, Andy Gates

10:30 Samantha Ellis, Erica Roney

Ushers: Marwee Walsh, Maureen McClure Audio: Jim Donnelly

Acolytes: Noah Hunter, Perusi Musazi, Faith Geisz 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 both services 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:

**FIRST WEDNESDAY POTLUCK** is this Wednesday, November 7, at 6:00 p.m. in Lackey Hall. Come join us and bring a friend.

**ECW CHRISTMAS WREATH SALE.** Prices: Small- \$15, Medium - \$25, Large - \$35, and Decorated Mail Order - \$45. A sign-up sheet and “mail order wreath” order forms are located in Lackey Hall. Checks payable to ECW. For questions, call Kitty Gwaltney at 733-6938 or [kgwaltney@comcast.net](mailto:kgwaltney@comcast.net). Deadline is this Friday, Nov. 9.

**THE NIGHT CIRCLE ANNUAL POINSETTIA SALE** signup sheets are in Lackey Hall. Plants are offered in white, red, pink and marble for \$6 each. Order deadline is Wednesday, November 28. Pick-up in Lackey Hall is Friday, December 7, and Saturday, December 8, from 10:00 a.m. -2:00 p.m., and Sunday, December 9, following both worship services. **Payment by check should made out to “Night Circle”.**

**ECW BAKE SALE** will take place on Sunday, December 2. Donations of baked goods, soups, casseroles, condiments and confections will be greatly appreciated. Items can be left in the church kitchen on Friday, November 30 and Saturday, December 1, between 10 – 2 p.m. For questions, contact Sally Seward [joboz@aol.com](mailto:joboz@aol.com) or 861-3060.

**EYC PECAN SALE!** Orders have been placed and will be ready for pickup on the stage before Thanksgiving. Extras 1lb. bags will be available for sale at that time.

**THE STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE** wants to thank everyone who returned pledge cards and to each one of you who gives of your time, talent, and treasure every day to support the mission of Christ and Grace. If you have not yet returned your pledge cards, there is still time and if you need a pledge card, blank forms are available at church. Also, online giving and recurring donations can be set up at [christandgrace.org](http://christandgrace.org). **105** pledge cards were received in 2018, and so far, **98** pledge cards have been turned in for 2019.

**2019 FLOWER CHART** is now posted in the office hallway. Instructions and forms for your dedication are available. Thank you to everyone for your support of the flower ministry!

## Calendar for the Week

Mon.	7:00 p.m.	Tri-Cities Band Rehearsal
Tues.	7:00 p.m.	Bell Choir Rehearsal
Thurs.	7:00 p.m.	Adult Choir Rehearsal
	7:00 p.m.	AA Meeting – Lackey Hall

We remember and give thanks for those who have died and entered into the land of light and joy, in the fellowship of your saints.

*Boots Holden*

*Kenneth Crowder*

*Albert Seward, Jr.*

*Billy Beville*

*Rachel Shumate*

*Polly Davies*

*Deborah Ann Adams*

*Nancy McFarland Wiele*

*Elizabeth Morton Goode Vaden Reid*

*Vance Elkins, Jr.*

*Kathleen Ray*

*Jeremy Bowles*

*Buddy Pollard*

*Bob Jack*

*Virginia Lithgow*

*John Elder*

*Linda Smithwick*

*Paul Spotswood Roper, III*

*Charles W. Wray*

*Barbara Ragsdale*

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. Colossians 1:11-13