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Calvary
EPISCOPAL CHURCH



We are here for God
and we are here for you.

Gratitude Sunday
The Year of our Lord, 2026, being November 8
Year A


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thankful
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The Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Please remember to wear your name tags.

Prelude *Instrumental on Morning Has Broken, #8*

The Call to Worship *The Parish Chimes*

The Processional Anthem
"Now Thank We All Our God" 397

Welcome

The Opening Acclamation

Celebrant : Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
People : ***And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.***

The Collect for Purity

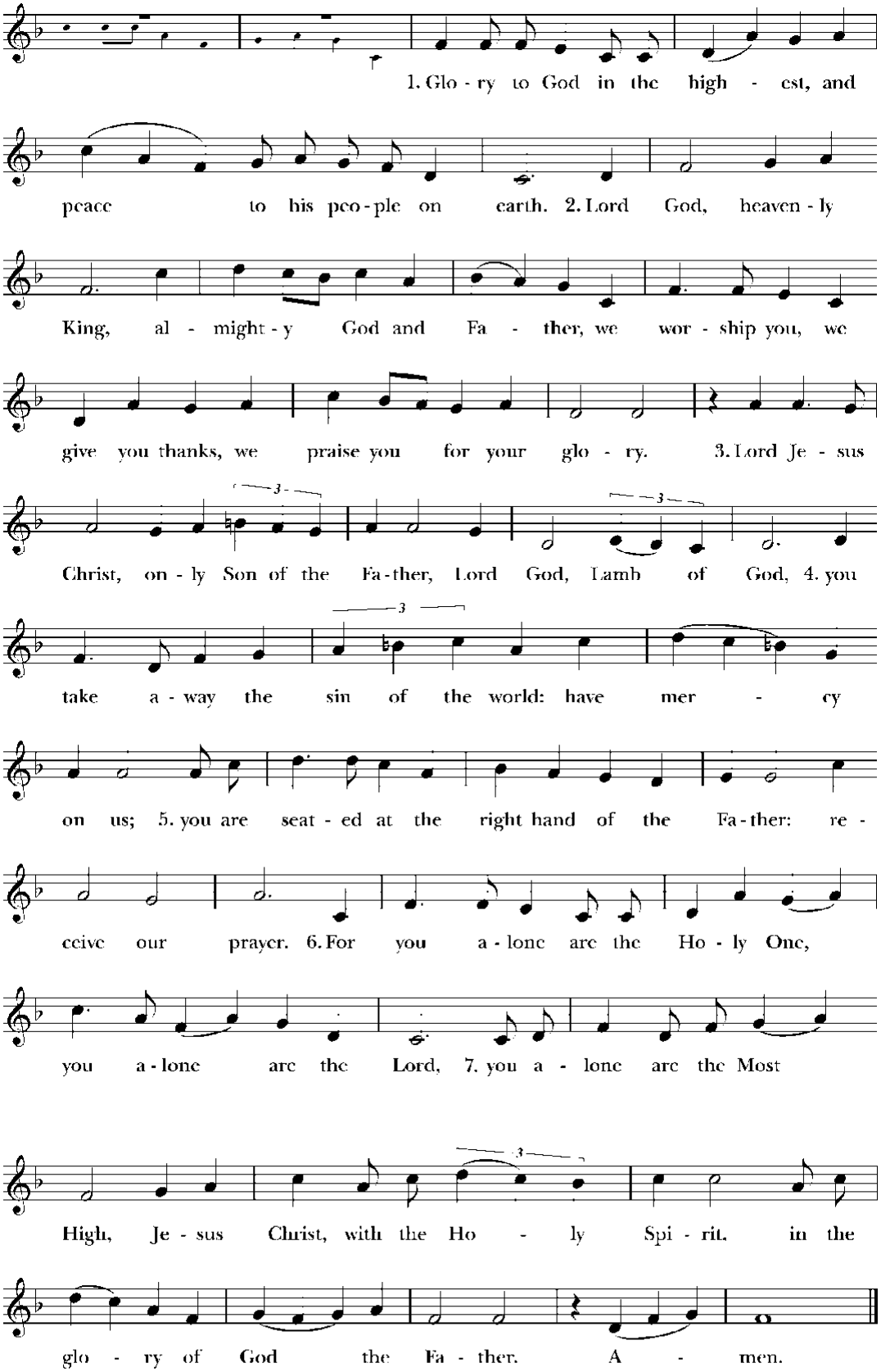
Celebrant: Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

The Gloria in Excelsis S-280 All Sing

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The Gloria in Excelsis S-280

(All Sing)



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The Collect of the Day

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.
People: **And also with you.**
Celebrant: Let us pray.

Almighty and gracious Father, we give you thanks for the fruits of the earth in their season and for the labors of those who harvest them. Make us, we pray, faithful stewards of your great bounty, for the provision of our necessities and the relief of all who are in need, to the glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Please be seated.

A Reading from Deuteronomy 8:7-18

Moses said to all Israel: For the Lord your God is bringing you into a good land, a land with flowing streams, with springs and underground waters welling up in valleys and hills, a land of wheat and barley, of vines and fig trees and pomegranates, a land of olive trees and honey, a land where you may eat bread without scarcity, where you will lack nothing, a land whose stones are iron and from whose hills you may mine copper. You shall eat your fill and bless the Lord your God for the good land that he has given you.

Take care that you do not forget the Lord your God, by failing to keep his commandments, his ordinances, and his statutes, which I am commanding you today. When you have eaten your fill and have built fine houses and live in them, and when your herds and flocks have multiplied, and your silver and gold is multiplied, and all that you have is multiplied, then do not exalt yourself, forgetting the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, who led you through the great and terrible wilderness, an arid wasteland with poisonous snakes and scorpions. He made water flow for you from flint rock, and fed you in the wilderness with manna that your ancestors did not know, to humble you and to test you, and in the end to do you good. Do not say to yourself, "My power and the might of my own hand have gotten me this wealth." But remember the Lord your God, for it is he who gives you power to get wealth, so that he may confirm his covenant that he swore to your ancestors, as he is doing today.

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

(Prayed in unison) *Te decet hymnus*

1 You are to be praised, O God, in Zion; *
to you shall vows be performed in Jerusalem.

2 To you that hear prayer shall all flesh come, *
because of their transgressions.

3 Our sins are stronger than we are, *
but you will blot them out.

4 Happy are they whom you choose
and draw to your courts to dwell there! *
they will be satisfied by the beauty of your house,
by the holiness of your temple.

5 Awesome things will you show us in your righteousness,
O God of our salvation, *
O Hope of all the ends of the earth
and of the seas that are far away.

6 You make fast the mountains by your power; *
they are girded about with might.

7 You still the roaring of the seas, *
the roaring of their waves,
and the clamor of the peoples.

8 Those who dwell at the ends of the earth will tremble at your marvelous signs; *
you make the dawn and the dusk to sing for joy.

9 You visit the earth and water it abundantly;
you make it very plenteous; *
the river of God is full of water.

10 You prepare the grain, *
for so you provide for the earth.

11 You drench the furrows and smooth out the ridges; *
with heavy rain you soften the ground and bless its increase.

12 You crown the year with your goodness, *
and your paths overflow with plenty.

**13 May the fields of the wilderness be rich for grazing, *
and the hills be clothed with joy.**

**14 May the meadows cover themselves with flocks,
and the valleys cloak themselves with grain; *
let them shout for joy and sing.**

A Reading from 2 Corinthians 9:6-15

The point is this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work. As it is written,

"He scatters abroad, he gives to the poor;
his righteousness endures forever."

He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us; for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God. Through the testing of this ministry you glorify God by your obedience to the confession of the gospel of Christ and by the generosity of your sharing with them and with all others, while they long for you and pray for you because of the surpassing grace of God that he has given you. Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!.

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

Please stand if your health allows.

Gospel Acclamation **"***Alleluia" by James Chepponis*

The Holy Gospel according to Luke 17:11-19

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke
People: **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" When he saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.
People: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Please be seated.

The Sermon

The Nicene Creed

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. Who, with the Father and the Son, is worshipped and glorified, who 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.

Please kneel, sit or stand.

The Prayers of the People **Form VI**

Leader: In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Silence

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

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

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

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

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

Leader: For Sean, our Presiding Bishop, and Paula, our Bishop; and for all bishops and other ministers;
*People***: For all who serve God in his Church.**

Leader: For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions

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

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

Silence

The People may add their own thanksgivings

Leader: We will exalt you, O God our King;
People: **And praise your Name for ever and ever.**

Leader: 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

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

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

All: **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.*

Please stand if your health allows.



The Peace

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be with you always.
People: **And also with you.**

Please be seated.

The Announcements

Birthday and Anniversary Blessings

O God, our times are in your hand: Look with favor, we pray, on your servants as they begin another year. Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust in your goodness all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Holy Communion

The Offertory

"Father, We Thank Thee Who Hast Planted" 302

Please stand for the Doxology.

Celebrant and People sing:

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 Eucharistic Prayer B **BCP 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.**

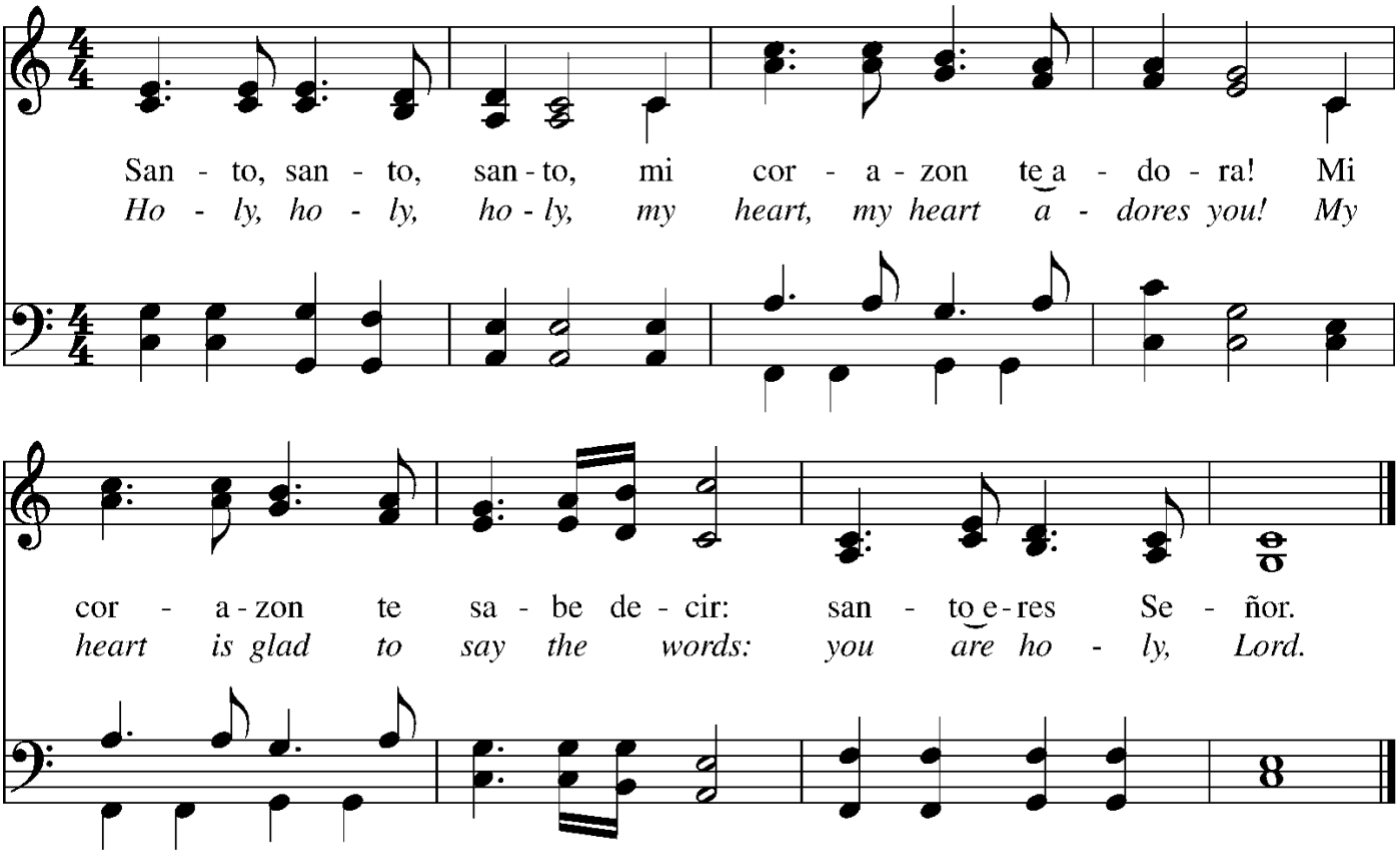
Celebrant:
It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and every- where to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

For by water and the Holy Spirit you have made us a new people in Jesus Christ our Lord, to show forth your glory in all the world.

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:

Santo Santo, Holy Holy See following page

Celebrant and People Sing



Words: Variation on a traditional liturgical text. Music: Composer of melody unknown; arr. based on a two-part version as taught by Pablo D. Sosa (b. 1933).

Please kneel, sit or stand.

Celebrant:
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,

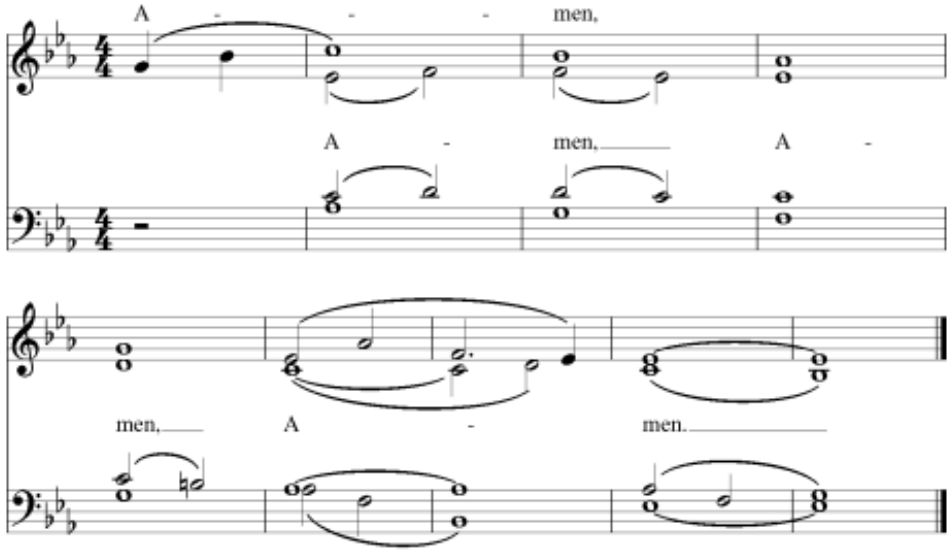
Celebrant and People:
We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;

Celebrant:
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.

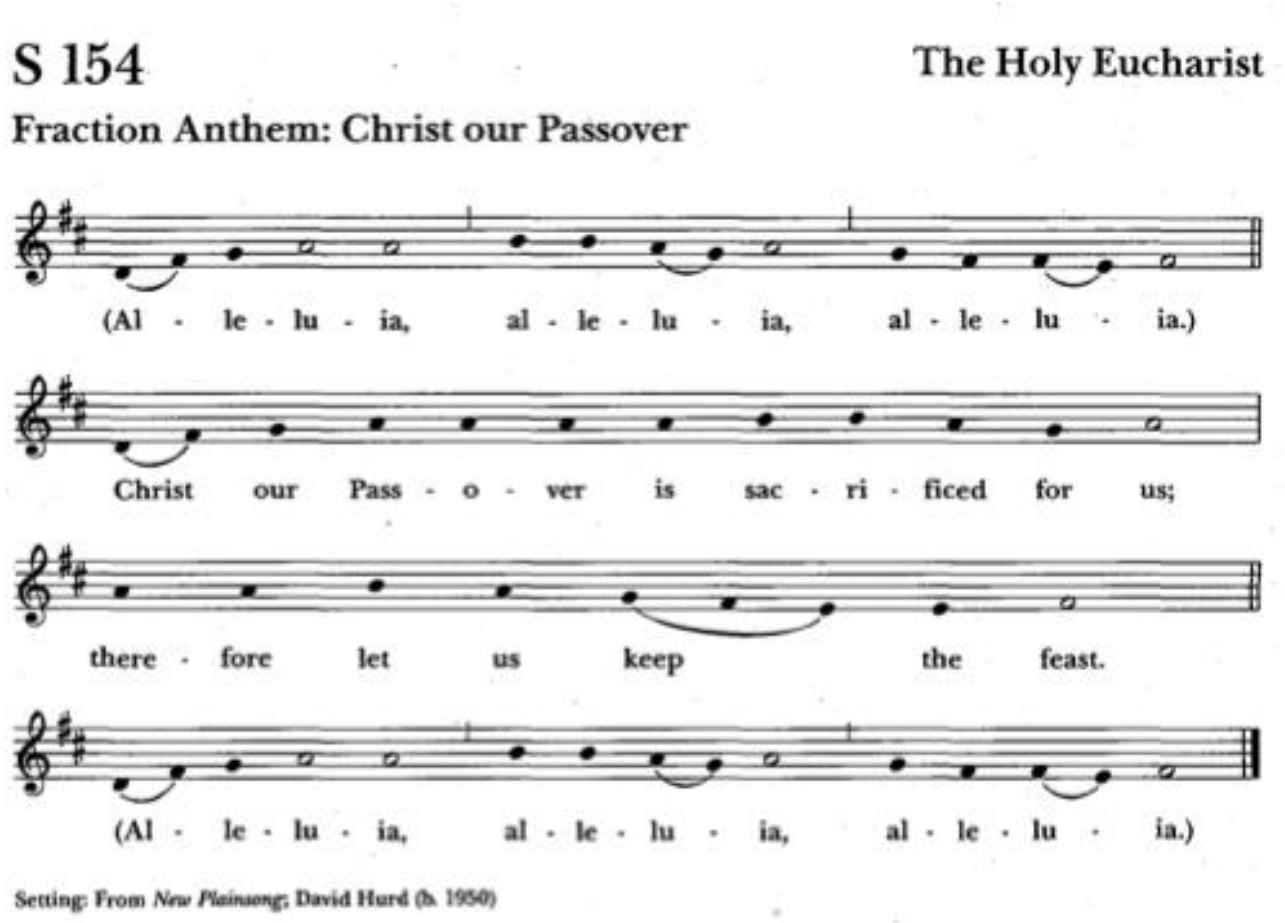
All Sing



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 Celebrant breaks the consecrated bread, then sings:



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.

Please be seated.

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive the bread and the wine; or just the bread, as is your need or custom. If you are not a baptized Christian, please know that you are also most welcome at the altar rail. Just cross your arms over your chest for a special prayer of blessing. This is God's place and no one is turned away.

Please let an Usher know if you need the Sacrament brought to your pew.

The Holy Communion Hymn

"For the Bread Which You Have Broken" 341
"For the Beauty of the Earth" (choir)

Please kneel, sit or stand.

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.

The Celebrant blesses God's people.
People **Amen.**

Please stand if your health allows.

The Recessional Hymn

"All Creatures of our God and King" 400

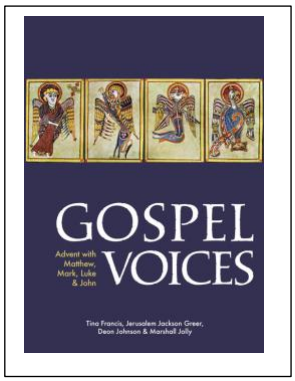
Dismissal

Celebrant: Let us bless the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia!
People: **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia!**

Postlude "Let All Things Now Living" The Ash Grove

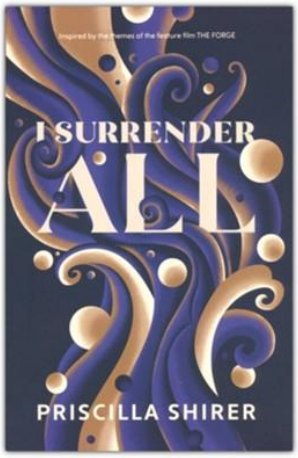
All are welcome to Castle Hall after the service for coffee hour!





Pick up a copy of "Gospel Voices- Advent with Mattthew, Mark, Luke and John" in the narthex, and use it for personal devotion during Advent.

The Calvary Book Group has finished its discussion of I Surrender All. They are planning on having a movie night to wrap up their study of this book. Stay tuned for details!



The Order of the Daughters of the King

The next Daughters of the King meetings will be November 21, December 19 and January 21. We meet in Castle Hall from 10-11:30 AM. All interested women of the parish may join us for our meeting of prayer, study and sharing.
Carla Castle, President
Calvary's DOK, Castle Chapter



Guess what time it is?
Calling all Calvary cookie monsters to please start baking your special treats.
The cookie walk is 12/5/26 and starts at 4:30pm - 6:30pm.
Volunteers are requested to bake and drop off cookies 12/5/26 beginning at 9am -12pm.
If you can volunteer before, during, or after the event please reach out to Office@calvarylombard.org



Tired of your ornaments or just have too many? Please bring them to church to sell during our cookie walk on 12/5/26. Please see Sandy Bradley or Nicki Jaska if you have any questions. Thank you!

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD IS BACK

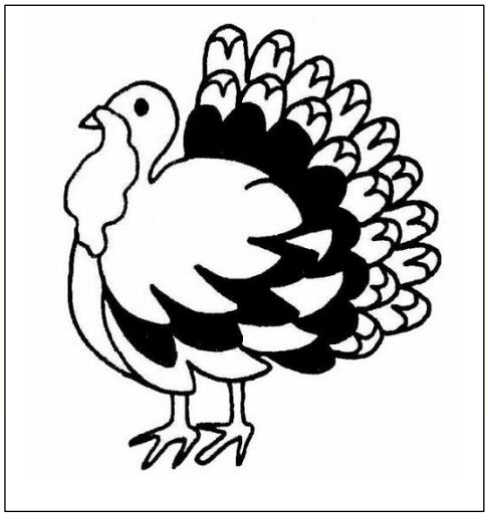
If you would like to fill a shoebox full of toys please grab one from the Narthex and fill per the instructions included in each box. If you have questions please feel free to reach out to Maggie Nolan or Jennifer Hentrich. Deadline for completed boxes to be in the narthex at the church will be 11/15/26. Thank you!

Revive Christmas Baskets

For over 100 years, ReVive has connected people from across the Chicagoland area to brighten each other's Christmas season by donating and receiving gifts. When a struggling family receives a Christmas Basket, it not only helps them sustain their daily efforts to contend with hardship but it also demonstrates that others in the community care about them. Through Christmas Baskets, ReVive and its generous donors deliver one of the greatest gifts of all —the gift of hope. Please sign up on the sheets in the narthex, and bring your gifts back to church by **December 6th**. Thank you!

November Celebrations

Birthdays:
Sandy Bradley
Carla Castle
Pat Cekal
Ruthann Janis
Anneliese Masco
Rev. Maureen O'Connor
Susan Seger
Carol Visney



PRAYER REQUESTS

Calvary Members:

Marilyn Stein, John Jaska, Kris, Michelle C., Fran Cole, Rachel Thompson, John Bruesch, Jim, Jan, Nancy and Mick Caspar, Edward FitzPatrick, Francis Mercier, Don Bradley, Jan B., Gwen, Brynn, Kelly, Callie, Lynn L., PK, Amauri, Jayne, Janis Family, Carol Halla, Bill Kendall, Sally McClure, Tammy McClure, Eileen Elliot, Alex, Kyle, Crystal Hacker, Lynda Neely, Jim N., Marge, Carol, Kelly, Tranita, Kortney, Bill, Lynne, Barbara, Janet, Don, Gladys, Cliff Williams, Carol Visney, Debbie Hall, Teri Pizza, Luke, Linda Dixon, Daven Janis, Gladys Smith, and Nicki Jaska

For those who are ill, in need, or experiencing hardship:

Ginger P., Jackie Kraus, Robert Kent Scott, Mary Bishop, Beth, Jack Habich, Abram Davies, Salley, Sharon, Coleen, Cora Jo, Jean A., Brian, Karen, Art, Mark, Leah, Kat, Mic, Tuskey Family, Maeann, Kari, Rich, Trever, Bev Madsen, Abby & Family, Rina, Kathleen, Al Thompson, Wayne, Nancy, Ashlee Neely, Larry, Tom Murphy, Emily Hennings, Jim Shannon, Betty Wood, Nicolas Carl, Dirk, MacKenzie, Barbara, Joshua, Ruth, Bette, Doug, Angie B., Mary, Andres, Brian T, Wendy Joslin, Henry, Alex, Cindy S., Sue, Judy Mazzolini, Cal Packard, Stacy, David J., Roger Brown, Kim T, Rebecca, Blake, Peggy Zeiner, Terri

Missionaries:

Fr. Russ & Heidi Smith

For those in prison:

Gary, Bruce

For those in the Armed Forces/First Responders:

K. Mahoney, Alyssa Elliott, Edgar Arellano, Eric M. Casper, Clint, Michael Jancaric, Brian Visney

College Students:

Ian Nolan, Austin Nolan, Benjamin Dakis, Allie Castle, Luke Ceplecha

Please contact us if you are in need of prayers. **Prayer Request cards are in the narthex and the pews, and you can submit them in the collection plate.** Or, if you'd prefer, confidential E-requests are still being offered. Please email Jan or Drew that you desire prayer and they will call you back to pray with you.



Please consider serving Christ and Calvary by sharing in one of our much needed and much appreciated ministries. Please contact Linda Leonard in the office or one of our Church wardens if you are interested. Training and support will happily be provided.

2026	November 1 9:00 am All Saints	November 8 9:00 am	November 15 9:00 am Thanksgiving	November 22 9:00 am Christ the King	November 29 9:00 am Healing, Advent 1
Opening					
Preacher	Rev. Holding	Rev. Laura	Pastor Robin	Pastor Robin	Pastor Robin
Music	Holly Herber	Holly Herber	Holly Herber	Holly Herber	Holly Herber
A/V	Matthew	Ben	Matthew	Ben	Matthew
Chalice					
Pop-Up Chalice	Grant	Grant	Grant	Grant	Grant
OT & Psalm	Grant	Don B.	Grant	Dave	Carla
New Testament	Carla	Dave	Carla	Carla	Grant
Intercessor	Grant	Grant	Grant	Nicki	Grant
Ushers (Greeters)	Jim Filkins	Marilyn	Marilyn	Marilyn	Marilyn
	Carol V.	Carol V.	Carol V.	Carol V.	Carol V.
Coffee Host	Carol V., Sally M.	Carol V., Sally M.	Carol V., Sally M.	Carol V., Sally M.	Carol V., Sally M.
Altar Guild	Barb	Ada	Carol & Marilyn	Barb	Ada
Altar Flowers	Thanksgiving for 64th anniversary John & Nicki Jaska			Carla Castle, ILM of Donald Castle's passing	
Counters	Grant, Pat	Grant, Carla	Grant, Pat	Grant, Carla	Grant, Pat


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Ministers of the Liturgy

Long Term Supply Priest:	Pastor Robin Currie
Parish Administrator:	Linda Leonard
Organist/Music Director:	Holly Herber
Audio Visual Ministers:	Matthew Bambas and Ben Perez

The Vestry

Senior Warden:	Ken Pardue
Junior Warden:	Jennifer Hentrich
Buildings & Grounds:	Stephenie & Donald Castle
Events/Outreach:	Gessika Campanati
Finance:	Lisa Pardue
Formation/Education:	Marilyn Stein
Welcome:	Carol Halla
Stewardship:	Jeri Kellan

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