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## The Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost Proper 27

### November 11, 2018

## The Liturgy of The Holy Eucharist II

### Gathering Music Love One Another

Love one another, for love is of God.  
He who loves is born of God, and knows God.  
He who does not love does not know God,  
For God is love, God is love.

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### Procession to the Altar The Lord is Present

1. The Lord is present in his sanctuary,  
Let us praise the Lord!  
The Lord is present in his people gathered here,  
Let us praise the Lord!  
Praise him, praise him, let us praise the Lord!  
Praise him, praise him, let us praise Jesus!
2. The Lord is present in his sanctuary,  
Let us sing to the Lord!  
The Lord is present in his people gathered here,  
Let us sing to the Lord!  
Sing to him, sing to him, let us sing to the Lord!  
Sing to him, sing to him, let us sing to Jesus!
3. The Lord is present in his sanctuary,  
Let us delight the Lord!  
The Lord is present in his people gathered here,

Let us delight the Lord!  
Delight in him, delight in him. let us delight in  
the Lord!  
Delight in him, delight in him, let us delight in  
Jesus!

4. The Lord is present in his sanctuary, let us love  
the Lord!  
The Lord is present in his people gathered here,  
Let us love the Lord!  
Love him, love him, let us love the Lord!  
Love him, love him, let us love Jesus!

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*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.**

Gloria, *said* at 8am  
Sing Halleluia, *sung* at 10am  
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**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**

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

O God, whose blessed Son came into the world that he might destroy the works of the devil and make us children of God and heirs of eternal life: Grant that, having this hope, we may purify ourselves as he is pure; that, when he comes again with power and great glory, we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

## **A Reading from 1 Kings** (17:8-16)

The word of the LORD came to Elijah, saying, "Go now to Zarephath, which belongs to Sidon, and live there; for I have commanded a widow there to feed you." So he set out and went to Zarephath. When he came to the gate of the town, a widow was there gathering sticks; he called to her and said, "Bring me a little water in a vessel, so that I may drink." As she was going to bring it, he called to her and said, "Bring me a morsel of bread in your hand." But she said, "As the LORD your God lives, I have nothing baked, only a handful of meal in a jar, and a little oil in a jug; I am now gathering a couple of sticks, so that I may go home and prepare it for myself and my son, that we may eat it, and die." Elijah said to her, "Do not be afraid; go and do as you have said; but first make me a little cake of it and bring it to me, and afterwards make something for yourself and your son. For thus says the LORD the God of Israel: The jar of meal will not be emptied and the jug of oil will not fail until the day that the LORD sends rain on the earth." She went and did as Elijah said, so that she as well as he and her household ate for many days. The jar of meal was not emptied, neither did the jug of oil fail, according to the word of the LORD that he spoke by Elijah.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

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

## **Psalm 146**

(Read in unison after the first asterisk)

- 1 Hallelujah! Praise the LORD, O my soul! \*  
**I will praise the LORD as long as I live;  
I will sing praises to my God while I have  
my being.**
- 2 **Put not your trust in rulers, nor in any  
child of earth, \*for there is no help in  
them.**
- 3 **When they breathe their last, they return  
to earth, \*and in that day their thoughts  
perish.**
- 4 **Happy are they who have the God of  
Jacob for their help! \*whose hope is in the  
LORD their God;**
- 5 **Who made heaven and earth, the seas,  
and all that is in them; \*who keeps his  
promise for ever;**
- 6 **Who gives justice to those who are  
oppressed, \*and food to those who  
hunger.**
- 7 **The LORD sets the prisoners free;  
the LORD opens the eyes of the blind; \*  
the LORD lifts up those who are bowed  
down;**
- 8 **The LORD loves the righteous; the LORD  
cares for the stranger; \*he sustains the  
orphan and widow, but frustrates the  
way of the wicked.**
- 9 **The LORD shall reign for ever, \*your God,  
O Zion, throughout all generations.  
Hallelujah!**

## **A Reading from Hebrews** (9:24-28)

Christ did not enter a sanctuary made by human hands, a mere copy of the true one, but he entered into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf. Nor was it to offer himself again

and again, as the high priest enters the Holy Place year after year with blood that is not his own; for then he would have had to suffer again and again since the foundation of the world. But as it is, he has appeared once for all at the end of the age to remove sin by the sacrifice of himself. And just as it is appointed for mortals to die once, and after that the judgment, so Christ, having been offered once to bear the sins of many, will appear a second time, not to deal with sin, but to save those who are eagerly waiting for him.

*Reader*    The Word of the Lord  
*People*    **Thanks be to God**

### **Gradual Hymn #707 vs. 1**

*Take my life and let it be consecrated*

### **The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ According to Mark**                      (12:38-44)

**Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Teaching in the temple, Jesus said, "Beware of the scribes, who like to walk around in long robes, and to be greeted with respect in the marketplaces, and to have the best seats in the synagogues and places of honor at banquets! They devour widows' houses and for the sake of appearance say long prayers. They will receive the greater condemnation." He sat down opposite the treasury, and watched the crowd putting money into the treasury. Many rich people put in large sums. A poor widow came and put in two small copper coins, which are worth a penny. Then he called his disciples and said to them, "Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all those who are contributing to the treasury. For all of them have contributed out of their abundance; but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on."

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

### **Gradual Hymn #707 vs. 2**

*Take my life and let it be consecrated*

### **The Sermon**

Father Haynes

*Silence for reflection*

### **The Nicene Creed** (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.**

### **Prayers of the People**

Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

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. We pray for the Anglican Communion, especially for the Dioceses of Kabba - (Lokoja, Nigeria), Kadugli & Nuba Mountains - (Sudan), Kaduna - (Kaduna, Nigeria), Kafanchan - (Abuja, Nigeria), Kagera - (Tanzania), Kajiado - (Kenya), Kajo Keji - (Loryko, South Sudan), and Iglesia Episcopal de Cuba; our diocese, especially for St. Augustine-in-the-Woods, Freeland; and St. Aiden, Camano Island; and for our parish, especially for our parishioners Justin, Abby, Andy and Jesse Smith; Keith & Darla Smith; and Ken, Julie and Riley St. John.

Lord, in your mercy,  
**Hear our prayer**

Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, especially Donald our President, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good. We pray for our armed forces, their families, and those who are deployed, especially for Brice Clairmont and those we now name;

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.

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. We thank you for all the blessings of this life, especially for those we now name.

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 pray for those on our prayer list and those in our hearts, praying especially for Lyn, Areewa, Brenda, Marisa, Sandy, Justin, Patricia, Paulette, Erica, Allen, George, Rico, Steven, Thatcher, Frank, Craig, Ken, Jan, Anna, Sue, Elizabeth, David, Jenny, Jim, Peggy, Paula, Marc, Todd, Dawna, Elaine, Ann, Stephen, Jacquie and for those we now name;

Lord, in your mercy,  
**Hear our prayer.**

We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled, praying especially for Terry Denny, Fred Kunkler and Lori Anderson. We pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

Lord, in your mercy,  
**Hear our prayer.**

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Leader and People*

**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**

## **The Peace**

*Celebrant* The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

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

## **Announcements, Birthdays, Anniversaries**

### **Offertory**

#### Gift of Finest Wheat

Refrain: You satisfy the hungry heart,  
With Gift of Finest Wheat.  
Come give to us, O saving Lord,  
The bread of life to eat.

1. As when the shepherd calls his sheep, they know and Heed his voice;  
So when you call your fam'ly,  
Lord, we follow and rejoice.
2. With joyful lips we sing to you our praise and gratitude,  
That you should count us worthy,  
Lord, to share this heav'nly food.
3. Is not the cup we bless,  
And share the blood of Christ outpoured?  
Do not one cup, one loaf,  
Declare our oneness in the Lord?
4. The myst'ry of your presence,  
Lord, no mortal tongue can tell:  
Whom all the world cannot contain  
Come in our hearts to dwell.
5. You give yourself to us, O Lord;

Then selfless let us be.  
To serve each other in your name,  
In truth and charity.

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## **The Great Thanksgiving C**

**[Please see Book of Common Prayer, pg. 369]**

*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.**

*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:

*Celebrant and People*

## **Sanctus**

*(Said at 8:00; sung at 10:00)*

*(Printed on the Green Pew Sheet)*

**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. 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.***

**Lord’s Prayer** *said at 8 am & sung at 10 am*  
*(Printed on the Green Pew Sheet)*

*Celebrant* As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

**Our father in heaven  
hallowed be your Name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done,  
on earth as in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those  
who sin against us.**

Save us from the time of trial  
and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours,  
now and forever. Amen.

## The Breaking of the Bread and Holy Communion

*The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.*

*A period of silence is kept.*

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;  
**Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

*The ministers receive the Sacrament in both kinds, and then immediately deliver it to the people.*

*This is our Lord's Table, and He is our host. All persons are invited to receive Holy Communion. Those who have yet to be baptized are encouraged to speak with the clergy after the service about becoming baptized into Christ's Body. Gluten-free hosts and alcohol-free wine are available upon request at the rail.*

## Communion Music

### Holy, Holy, Holy Lord

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might.  
Heav'n and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.  
Blest is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.

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### Hymn #367

*Round the Lord in glory seated*

### **COMMISSIONING OF LAY EUCHARISTIC VISITORS**

*Celebrant:* In the name of this congregation we send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood.

*Celebrant and People:* **We who are many are one body because we all share one bread, one cup.**

## The Post Communion Prayer

*Celebrant:* Let us pray:

*Celebrant and People*

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.**

## The 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 among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

## Procession to the Neighborhood

### Hymn #705

*As those of old*

## St. Matthew Mission Statement

*St. Matthew Church:* **To be a church that passionately embraces and values all people, growing in the love of Christ through word and action.**

*Celebrant:* Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

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

### This Sunday's Ministries

<b>Celebrant</b>	The Rev. Kendall Haynes
<b>Worship Leader</b>	Tom Peterson
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	Daniel Dawes
<b>Lector</b>	Lee Holland
<b>Acolytes</b>	Zawadi Chege Nicholas Yun
<b>Ushers</b>	Terry Elofson - 8 John Kennedy Art Ladley
<b>Greeters</b>	Dick Collins Linda Collins
<b>Eucharistic Visitor</b>	Sue Inglis
<b>Bread Maker</b>	Marian Oberg
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Sandy Goretti -8 Sandy Hust -8 Janet Witter Danielle Hull Linda Pomeroy-Hull
<b>Counters</b>	Linda Collins Pamela Reed
<b>Coffee Hour</b>	A. Ringstad & K. Sanders
<b>Altar Guild Director</b>	Linda Pomeroy-Hull