

BLESSED IS THE MAN WHO TRUSTS IN THE LORD, WHO TRUSTS IN THE LORD,  
HE IS LIKE A TREE PLANTED BY WATER, THAT SENDS OUT ITS ROOTS BY THE STREAM —  
AND DOES NOT FEAR WHEN HEAT COMES FOR ITS LEAVES REMAIN GREEN —  
AND IS NOT ANXIOUS IN THE YEAR OF DROUGHT, FOR IT DOES NOT CEASE TO BEAR FRUIT



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CHURCH OF THE HOLY CROSS  
THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

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## WELCOME TO CHURCH OF THE HOLY CROSS

*To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;*

*To all who mourn and long for comfort;*

*To all who struggle and desire hope;*

*To all who sin and need a Savior;*

*To all who are strangers and yearn for fellowship;*

*To all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;*

*And to whoever will come;*

*This church opens wide her doors and offers welcome*

*in the name of the risen Lord Jesus Christ.*

# THE HOLY EUCHARIST

*Congregational responses are indicated in **boldface**.*

## All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

*Words: Edward Perronet, 1780; Music: Oliver Holden, 1793; Public Domain*

1. All hail the pow'r of Je - sus' name! Let  
2. Ye cho - sen seed of Is - rael's race, Ye  
3. Let ev - 'ry kin - dred, ev - 'ry tribe, On  
4. Oh, that with yon - der sa - cred throng We

an - gels pros - trate fall. Bring forth the roy - al  
ran - somed from the fall, Hail Him who saves you  
this ter - res - trial ball, To Him all maj - es -  
at His feet may fall, We'll join the ev - er -

di - a - dem, And crown Him Lord of all. Bring  
by His grace, And crown Him Lord of all; Hail  
ty as - scribe, And crown Him Lord of all; To  
last - ing song And crown Him Lord of all. We'll

forth the roy - al di - a - dem, And crown Him Lord of all!  
Him who saves you by His grace, And crown Him Lord of all!  
Him all maj - es - ty as - scribe, And crown Him Lord of all!  
join the ev - er - last - ing song And crown Him Lord of all!

## THE ACCLAMATION

*The People standing, the Celebrant says*

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

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

## THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

**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 SUMMARY OF THE LAW

Jesus said: You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets.

MATTHEW 22:37-40

## THE CONFESSION

**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.**

## THE KYRIE

Lord, have mercy.

**Christ, have mercy.**

Lord, have mercy.

## THE ABSOLUTION

# Alleluia, Sing to Jesus

Words: William C. Dix, 1866; Music: Rowland H. Prichard, 1830



1. Al - le - lu - ia! Sing to Je - sus! His the scep - ter,  
2. Al - le - lu - ia! Not as or - phans Are we left in  
3. Al - le - lu - ia! Bread of an - gels, Thou on earth our



His the throne! Al - le - lu - ia! His the tri - umph,  
sor - row now. Al - le - lu - ia! He is near us;  
food, our stay. Al - le - lu - ia! Here the sin - ful



His the vic - to - ry a - lone! Hark! the songs of peace - ful  
Faith be - lieves nor ques - tions how. Though the cloud from sight re -  
Flee to Thee from day to day. In - ter - ces - sor, friend of



Zi - on Thun - der like a might - y flood; Je - sus out of  
ceived Him, When the for - ty days were o'er, Shall our hearts for -  
sin - ners, Earth's Re - deem - er, plead for me, Where the songs of



ev - ery na - tion Hath re - deemed us by His blood.  
get His prom - ise, "I am with you ev - er - more"?  
all the sin - less Sweep a - cross the crys - tal sea.

## THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

*The Celebrant says to the People*

The Lord be with you.

**And with your spirit.**

Let us pray.

Grant us, O Lord, we pray, the spirit to think and do always those things that are right, that we, who can do no good thing apart from you, may by you be enabled to live according to your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

**Amen.**

## THE COLLECT FOR CHILDREN

*Children's Chapel is on summer break and will resume August 15. Activities that correspond with the Scripture readings are available on the welcome table. Parents, feel free to move around with your little ones as needed.*

**Almighty God, heavenly father, you have blessed our congregation with the joy and care of children: Give us courage, patience, and wisdom, as we bring them up in the faith, that they may never know a day apart from your love and care; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## THE LESSONS

COLOSSIANS 1:15-23

*After the Lesson the Reader says*

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 123

<sup>1</sup> To you I lift up my eyes, O you who are enthroned in the heavens!

<sup>2</sup> **Behold, as the eyes of servants look to the hand of their master, as the eyes of a maidservant to the hand of her mistress, so our eyes look to the LORD our God, till he has mercy upon us.**

<sup>3</sup> Have mercy upon us, O LORD, have mercy upon us, for we have had more than enough of contempt.

<sup>4</sup> **Our soul has had more than enough of the scorn of those who are at ease, of the contempt of the proud.**

**Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

## THE GOSPEL

MARK 6:1-6

*All stand for the Gospel as the Priest reads, first saying*

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.  
**Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

*After the Gospel, the Priest says*

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

## THE SERMON

## THE NICENE CREED

*All stand to recite the Nicene Creed, the Celebrant first saying*

Let us confess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed:

**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, visible and invisible.**

**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,  
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and 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 worshiped 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.**



## THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Let us pray for the Church and for the world saying, “hear our prayer.”

Lord, in your mercy:

**Hear our prayer.**

*The leader will invite us to pray silently and then to pray aloud.*

## THE PEACE

The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

**And with your spirit.**

## THE OFFERTORY

*You may place an offering in the basket, give online at [holycrossva.org/give](http://holycrossva.org/give), text "Give" to 434-277-4975, or mail a check to PO Box 614, Crozet, VA 22932.*

### Be Ye Glad

*Words and Music by M.K.Blanchard, © Gotz Music/Benson*

1. In these days of confused situations.  
In these nights of a restless remorse,  
When the heart and the soul of the nation,  
lay wounded and cold as a corpse.  
From the grave of the innocent Adam,  
comes a song bringing joy to the sad.  
Oh your cry has been heard and the ransom,  
has been paid up in full, Be Ye Glad.

**Oh, Be Ye Glad, Be Ye Glad,  
Every debt that you ever had  
Has been paid up in full by the grace of the  
Lord,  
Be Ye Glad, Be Ye Glad, Be Ye Glad.**

2. From the dungeon a rumor is stirring.  
You have heard it again and again.  
But this time the cell keys are turning,  
and outside there are faces of friends.  
And though your body lay weary from wasting,  
and your eyes show the sorrow they've had.  
Oh the love that your heart is now tasting  
has opened the gate, Be Ye Glad.

3. So be like lights on the rim of the water,  
giving hope in a storm sea of night.  
Be a refuge amidst the slaughter,  
for these fugitives in their flight.  
For you are timeless and part of a puzzle.  
You are winsome and young as a lad.  
And there is no disease or no struggle,  
that can pull you from God, Be Ye Glad.

# Doxology

Composer: Louis Bourgeois (1551); Public Domain

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen!

*The People stand while the offerings are presented.*

Yours, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty:  
for everything in heaven and on earth is yours; yours is the Kingdom, O Lord, and you are  
exalted as Head above all. All things come from you, O Lord,  
**And of your own have we given you.**

I CHRONICLES 29:11, 14<sup>T</sup>

## THE SURSUM CORDA

*The Celebrant says to the People*

The Lord be with you.  
**And with your spirit.**  
Lift up your hearts.  
**We lift them up to the Lord.**  
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

## THE SANCTUS

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,  
5 heav - en and earth are full of your glor - y.  
8 Ho - san - na, ho - san - a in the high - est.  
16 Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

## THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

*The Celebrant and the People say together*

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

**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 forever and ever. Amen.**

## THE FRACTION

Alleluia. Christ our Passover Lamb has been sacrificed, once for all upon the Cross.  
**Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

## THE PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

**We do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your abundant and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table. But you are the same Lord, whose character is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.**

## THE MINISTRATION OF COMMUNION

*The celebrant will, as always, wash and sanitize his hands before the service and again right before communion.*

*To receive communion, come forward as directed by the usher. "Cross" the palms of your hands to receive bread from the priest. Gluten-free bread is available upon request.*

*If you desire to receive wine, please bring a chalice or cup from home. The chalice bearer will pour a small amount of wine into your cup for you (and your family).*

*If you do not desire to commune, but would like to receive prayer, cross your arms over your chest as you come forward, and the pastor will pray for you.*

*All baptized Christians who trust in the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, seek to lead a new life by God's mercies, and strive to walk in love and charity with their neighbors are welcome at this table.*

## PERSONAL PRAYERS FOR USE DURING COMMUNION

*For those who Desire to Commit to the Christian Faith*

Lord Jesus Christ, I am broken by sin and unable to save myself. I believe that you died for me, bearing my punishment on the cross, and that you offer me forgiveness and new life in you. I turn from my sins and trust in you as my Savior and Lord. Amen.

*For those in Search of Truth*

God, I am uncertain whether you exist and whether you are listening to me now. I want to know the truth, and I am willing to live according to it. If you are there, please reveal yourself to me and give me faith that leads to the abundant life promised by Jesus Christ. Amen.

*For those who Desire a Deeper Faith*

Almighty and eternal God, so draw my heart to you, so guide my mind, so fill my imagination, so control my will, that I may be wholly yours, utterly dedicated to you; and then use me according to your will, for your glory and the welfare of your people. Amen.

## Nothing but the Blood

*Words & Music: Robert Lowry, 1876; CCLI #11091155*

What can wash away my sin? Nothing but the blood of Jesus;  
What can make me whole again? Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

**Oh! precious is the flow  
That makes me white as snow;  
No other fount I know,  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.**

For my pardon, this I see: nothing but the blood of Jesus;  
For my cleansing this my plea: nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Nothing can for sin atone: nothing but the blood of Jesus;  
Naught of good that I have done: nothing but the blood of Jesus.

This is all my hope and peace: nothing but the blood of Jesus;  
This is all my righteousness: nothing but the blood of Jesus.

# Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Public Domain; Words: Robert Robinson, 1758; Music: John Wytch, 1813



1. Come, Thou Fount of ev-'ry bless-ing, Tune my  
2. Here I raise mine Eb-en-e-zer; Hith-er  
3. O to grace how great a debt-or Dai-ly



heart to sing Thy grace; Streams of mer-cy, nev-er  
by Thy help I'm come; And I hope, by Thy good  
I'm con-strained to be! Let Thy goodness, like a



ceas-ing, Call for songs of loud-est praise:  
plea-sure, Safe-ly to ar-rive at home:  
fet-ter, Bind my wan-d'ring heart to Thee:



Teach me some me-lo-dious son-net, Sung by  
Je-sus sought me when a stran-ger, Wan-d'ring  
Prone to wan-der, Lord, I feel it, Prone to



flam-ing tongues a-bove; Praise the mount! I'm fixed up-  
from the fold of God; He, to res-cue me from  
leave the God I love; Here's my heart, Lord, take and



on it, Mount of Thy re-deem-ing love.  
dan-ger, In-ter-posed His pre-cious blood.  
seal it, Seal it for Thy courts a-bove.

## THE POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Heavenly Father, 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 into the world 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 forever. Amen.

## THE BLESSING

## THE RECESSIONAL

### Canaan Land

*Words & Music: Public Domain*

Well I'm on my way **(Well I'm on my way)**  
Back to Canaan Land **(Back to Canaan Land)**  
Well I'm on my way **(Well I'm on my way)**  
Back to Canaan Land **(Back to Canaan Land)**  
Well I'm on my way **(Well I'm on my way)**  
Back to Canaan Land **(Back to Canaan Land)**  
**I'm on my way glory Hallelujah, yes, I'm on my way!**

Well if you ain't goin' **(Well if you ain't goin')**  
Don't you hinder me **(Don't you hinder me)**  
Well if you ain't goin' **(Well if you ain't goin')**  
Don't you hinder me **(Don't you hinder me)**  
Well if you ain't goin' **(Well if you ain't goin')**  
Don't you hinder me **(Don't you hinder me)**  
**I'm on my way glory Hallelujah, yes, I'm on my way!**

Every step of the way **(Every step of the way)**  
Satan lies awaitin' **(Satan lies awaitin')**  
Every step of the way **(Every step of the way)**  
Satan lies awaitin' **(Satan lies awaitin')**  
Every step of the way **(Every step of the way)**  
Satan lies awaitin' **(Satan lies awaitin')**  
**I'm on my way glory Hallelujah, yes, I'm on my way!**

Praise God and be happy (**Praise God and be happy**)  
Read your Bible and pray (**Read your Bible and pray**)  
Praise God and be happy (**Praise God and be happy**)  
Read your Bible and pray (**Read your Bible and pray**)  
Praise God and be happy (**Praise God and be happy**)  
Read your Bible and pray (**Read your Bible and pray**)  
**I'm on my way glory Hallelujah, yes, I'm on my way!**

## THE DISMISSAL

Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.

**Thanks be to God.**

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Welcome Visitors!** If you are visiting Holy Cross, you're welcome to join us after the service by the Za Spot food truck outside. Pizza is on us!

**Children's Chapel Summer Break** Children's Chapel will resume on August 15. This time off will give volunteers a break and allow time for us to prepare our children's ministry for the fall. We'll continue to provide a children's liturgy and activity each Sunday and aim for shorter sermons. Parents, as always, feel free to get up and move around with your children as needed. We truly welcome the presence, noise, and squirms of our littlest worshippers. We are planning a nursery for ages 3 and under beginning in the fall. As we seek to expand our children's ministry, we're in need of more volunteers. Please let us know if you are able to serve. Training and background check required.

**Polyface Farm Tour** We'd love for you to join us for a hay wagon tour of Polyface Farm on July 17th at 10 AM. Reservations are \$20 per adult; children 12 and under are free. Sign up online.

**Women's Bible Study On The Horizon** Please take time to fill out the survey in our weekly newsletter regarding interest, availability, and willingness to attend a weekly Women's Bible Study of the Old Testament coming this fall! The study will begin the first week of September and go through the second week of December. The study will pick back up the beginning of January through mid-April. Kim Couch will be leading the study. Please refer any questions to [kimcouch@gmail.com](mailto:kimcouch@gmail.com).

**Holy Cross Prayer Ministry** A team of parishioners is available to pray daily for needs within the parish. Send prayer requests to Tom Harrison at [thar65@gmail.com](mailto:thar65@gmail.com), and he will forward them to team members. All requests are held in strict confidence.

**Gluten-free Communion Bread** As requested, we now have a gluten-free bread option for communion. If you'd prefer a gluten-free wafer, just ask when receiving bread from the priest.

**Charlottesville Church Plant** In partnership with our Diocese, we are in the beginning stages of planting a parish in Charlottesville. If you are interested in learning more about this work, visit ([holycrossva.org/charlottesville](http://holycrossva.org/charlottesville)).

**Daily Prayer Booklets** The newest Holy Cross prayer booklet includes readings through November 2021. Pick up a copy at the entrance or download through our website ([holycrossva.org/common-prayer](http://holycrossva.org/common-prayer)).

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