

ALL SAINTS,

EPISCOPAL
CHURCH



**THE OCTAVE DAY OF PENTECOST
COMMONLY CALLED TRINITY SUNDAY
MAY 31, 2026**

¶ Visitors are warmly welcomed to All Saints' Church. Those not familiar with our service will see that we use two books, the Book of Common Prayer, 1928, and the Hymnal. Hymn numbers are preceded by the symbol # and page numbers in The Book of Common Prayer are indicated by BCP.

HOLY COMMUNION

Prelude	<i>Prelude (from Celtic Suite)</i>	Callahan
Hymn #266	<i>Holy, Holy, Holy!</i>	Nicea
Collect for Purity		BCP 67
Summary of the Law		BCP 69
Kyrie eleison #710 Willan		BCP 70
The Collect for the Day		BCP 186

ALMIGHTY and everlasting God, who hast given unto us thy servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of the Divine Majesty to worship the Unity; We beseech thee that thou wouldest keep us stedfast in this faith, and evermore defend us from all adversities, who livest and reignest, one God, world without end. *Amen.*

For The Epistle	Revelation 4:1	BCP 186f
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AFTER this I looked, and, behold, a door was opened in heaven: and the first voice which I heard was as it were of a trumpet talking with me; which said, Come up hither, and I will

shew thee things which must be here after. And immediately I was in the spirit: and, behold, a throne was set in heaven, and one sat on the throne. And he that sat was to look upon like a jasper and a sardine stone: and there was a rainbow round about the throne, in sight like unto an emerald. And round about the throne were four and twenty seats: and upon the seats I saw four and twenty elders sitting, clothed in white raiment; and they had on their heads crowns of gold. And out of the throne proceeded lightnings and thunderings and voices: and there were seven lamps of fire burning before the throne, which are the seven Spirits of God. And before the throne there was a sea of glass like unto crystal: and in the midst of the throne, and round about the throne, were four beasts* full of eyes before and behind. And the first beast† was like a lion, and the second beast like a calf, and the third beast† had a face as a man, and the fourth beast† was like a flying eagle. And the four beasts* had each of them six wings about him; and they were full of eyes within: and they rest not day and night, saying, Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty, which was, and is, and is to come. And when those beasts give glory and honour and thanks to him that sat on the throne, who liveth for ever and ever, the four and twenty elders fall down before him that sat on the throne, and worship him that liveth for ever and ever, and cast their crowns before the throne, saying, Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honour and power: for thou hast created all things, and for thy pleasure they are and were created.

Hymn #273 *Holy God, We Praise Thy Name* Te Deum

The Holy Gospel St. John 3:1 BCP 187ff

THERE was a man of the Pharisees, named Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews: the same came to Jesus by night, and said unto him, Rabbi, we know that thou art a teacher come from God: for no man can do these miracles that thou doest, except God be with him. Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God. Nicodemus saith unto him, How can a man be born when he is old? can he enter the

second time into his mother's womb, and be born? Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God. That which is born of the flesh is flesh; and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. Marvel not that I said unto thee, Ye must be born again. The wind bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the sound thereof, but canst not tell whence it cometh, and whither it goeth: so is every one that is born of the Spirit. Nicodemus answered and said unto him, How can these things be? Jesus answered and said unto him, Art thou a master of Israel, and knowest not these things? Verily, verily, I say unto thee, We speak that we do know, and testify that we have seen; and ye receive not our witness. If I have told you earthly things, and ye believe not, how shall ye believe, if I tell you of heavenly things? And no man hath ascended up to heaven, but he that came down from heaven, even the Son of man which is in heaven. And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of man be lifted up: that whoso ever believeth in him should not perish, but have eternal life.

The Nicene Creed

BCP 71

Hymn #268

I Bind Unto Myself Today

St. Patrick

Verses 1 through 7

Deirdre

¶Verses continue on the next hymnal page.

The Sermon

Fr. Brown

The Offertory

Holy Trinity

Blest be the Holy Trinity, in undivided Unity; We ever give Him thanks and praise, He shows us mercy all our days.

O Lord, our governor, how great the glories of your heav'nly state, and your exalted holy name throughout the earth be e'er proclaimed.

Blest be our Father's name abroad, The Sole-Begotten Son of God, And Holy Ghost who reigns above, For mercy He has shown with love.

Presentation of Alms	<i>Old Hundredth</i>	Hymn #139
Prayer for the Church		BCP 74
General Confession		BCP 75
Sursum Corda and Preface		BCP 76
Sanctus et Benedictus #797, Willan		BCP 77
Canon		BCP 80
The Lord's Prayer		BCP 82
Agnus Dei #712		Willan
Prayer of Humble Access		BCP 82
Ecce Agnus Dei		

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him that
 taketh away the sins of the world.

Answer: Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldst come
 under my roof; but speak the word only, and
 my soul shall be healed.

Communion *Gabriel's Oboe* Emmio Morricone
 Dedicated to the memory of Ross Singletary.

*¶ Any person Baptized in the Name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost,
 and who acknowledges the Presence of our Lord in this Holy Sacrament is
 welcome to come to the Altar Rail to receive Holy Communion.*

*¶ The Altar Guild kindly asks ladies to dab lipstick before receiving
 communion from the chalice.*

Postcommunion Prayer		BCP 83
Gloria in Excelsis #739 Old Scottish Chant		BCP 84

The Dismissal

Priest: The Lord be with you.
Answer: And with thy spirit.
Priest: Depart in peace.
Answer: Thanks be to God.

The Blessing

BCP 84

Hymn #474

O Day of Rest and Gladness

Woodbird

Postlude

A Festive Trumpet Tune

D.E. Wagner



*The Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God
and in loving memory of William Ross Singletary II
by the All Saints' Episcopal Church family.*



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Kim Bragg
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ORDO KALENDAR

May 31 - June 13

TRINITY SUNDAY

May 31

10:30 AM | Holy Communion

5:00 PM | Evening Prayer

Monday, June 1 | St. Nicomede P.C.

9:00 AM | Morning Prayer

11:00 AM | Requiem for Pat Glenn

4:30 PM | Evening Prayer

Tuesday, June 2

9:00 AM | Morning Prayer

4:30 PM | Evening Prayer

Wednesday, June 3

7:00 AM | Morning Prayer (Men's Group)

Noon | Litany

4:30 PM | Evening Prayer

Thursday, June 4 | Corpus Christi

9:00 AM | Morning Prayer

4:30 PM | Evening Prayer

Friday, June 5 | St. Boniface B.M.

Abstinence

Saturday, June 6

1st SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

June 7

10:30 AM | Holy Communion

5:00 PM | Evening Prayer

Monday, June 8

9:00 AM | Morning Prayer

4:30 PM | Evening Prayer

Tuesday, June 9 | St. Columba B.C.

9:00 AM | Morning Prayer

4:30 PM | Evening Prayer

Wednesday, June 10

7:00 AM | Morning Prayer (Men's Group)

Noon | Litany

4:30 PM | Evening Prayer

**Thursday, June 11 | St. Barnabas the
Apostle**

9:00 AM | Morning Prayer

Noon | Holy Communion

4:30 PM | Evening Prayer

Friday, June 12

Abstinence

Saturday, June 13

Notes

✠ *Weekday services are in St. David's Chapel, with the exception of the Requiem Eucharist for Pat Glenn, which will be in the church.* ✠ *The lessons appointed for weekday Morning Prayer and Evening Prayer for the first and second weeks of Trinitytide may be found on pages xxvi - xxvii of the Book of Common Prayer.* ✠ *Propers for Holy Communion of St. Barnabas are on pp. 240-242.* ✠ *The initials after the names of saints signify: B, bishop; P, priest; C, confessor; and M, martyr.*

GOING DEEPER

Questions for Personal Reflection, Prayer, and Discussion

Our Defense: Confessing the True Faith

Today's Collect suggests that by our steadfast faith in the eternal Trinity, God might defend us "from all adversities." What specific adversities (e.g. anxiety about status, financial pressure, family conflict, loneliness, or fear of the future) test your trust? How might a deeper, grace-given confession of the Trinity change the way you face them? Take time in prayer to name those adversities and ask God to make this faith your shield.

The Heavenly Vision in Everyday Life

In the Epistle, a voice like a trumpet calls John (and us) to "Come up hither" and behold the throne, the rainbow of mercy (cf. Genesis 9), the living creatures, and the elders casting down their crowns. Our lives can be very busy, and the pressure to "stay on top of things" can feel powerful. Consider whether God might be inviting you to step back and see your daily responsibilities, indeed your whole world, from His perspective. How might regularly joining in the heavenly liturgy—perhaps at Holy Communion, or through daily Morning Prayer or Evening Prayer, alone or with others—reshape your sense of what really matters at work, in marriage, parenting, friendships, or elsewhere?

Born Again in a Self-Made World

In today's Gospel, Jesus tells Nicodemus, "Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God." Many of us have worked hard to build respectable, comfortable lives through effort and planning. Consider whether the Lord's words to Nicodemus might also be his word to you today. What would it look like, practically, to let the unseen wind of the Spirit bring fresh, unearned, new life, rather than simply improving the old one by means of hard work or novel experiences or whatever? Ask God for the courage to welcome that rebirth and accept the grace of your baptism.

Looking to the One Lifted Up

Jesus tells Nicodemus that "as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of Man be lifted up: that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have eternal life." When hidden sins, regrets, or relational wounds feel like a bite you can't heal, how might fixing your gaze on the crucified Son of God (instead of self-help or distraction) bring healing? Across every life stage—from young adults just finding their way in the world, to older adults facing mortality—how could this simple act of trust become a daily wellspring of hope?

Worshiping the Unity in Trinity and Trinity in Unity

The Collect reminds us that we worship the Unity while acknowledging the glory of the eternal Trinity. In a culture that prizes individual achievement and personal branding, how can the mystery of the Three-in-One shape the way you live in community—at home, at church, or among your neighbors? Whether you're a young professional, a parent juggling schedules, or someone whose family circle has grown smaller, what would it mean for your relationships and decisions to reflect both the distinct persons of the Godhead and the divine communion of love? Take a moment to ask God that your life might echo His harmony (“on earth as it is in heaven”).



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Funeral Announcement

The service for Patricia Glenn will be on Monday, June 1 at 11:00am at All Saints' Church with a reception in the Parish Hall to follow.

Parish Covered Dish Luncheon

First Sunday in June: bring a side dish to share. Drop it in the kitchen before the morning service and join us after. The church will provide fried chicken and chicken tenders.

Can you help?

We still need you! Volunteers are needed to help in the afternoons during the week of June 15-19. These volunteers would help clean up projects and set up for the next day of camp. If you are available: email Grace@allsaintsthomasville.org, call the office, or sign up on our website Calendar.

Summertime Slowdown

Body & Soul, Children's Choir, Adult Choir Practice, Book Club, Tuesday Bible Study, and Sunday morning Scripture Study are on a break for the next few months. These groups will pick back up in August and September.

Bishop Frank Logue Visitation

Bishop Logue will be at All Saints' on June 21 to baptize, confirm, and receive any parishioner who has contacted the office.

Outreach at Scott Senior Center

June 24, 11:00am - 1pm. All Saints' is at the Scott Center providing fellowship and food to the wonderful and deserving seniors. Volunteers are needed to help facilitate bingo, serve lunch, and clean up.

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SUNDAY SCHEDULE

MORNING EVENING
10:30 a.m. 5:00 p.m.
Holy Communion or Holy Communion or
Morning Prayer Evening Prayer

Holy Days as announced

Nursery Facilities are provided from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on Sunday.

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