



**HOLY TRINITY**  
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

*Welcoming • Loving • Serving*



*Ordinary  
Time*  
A Season of Growth



**TO OUR VISITORS...** Welcome to Holy Trinity Episcopal Church in beautiful Clearwater, Florida. Holy Trinity wants to share God's redeeming love with you and your family! We believe "come as you are, whoever you are" best describes us and our worship style. We are defined by our depth of spirituality, our support for one another, and our commitment to outreach in the community. We are part of the Episcopal Diocese of Southwest Florida, and believe ALL baptized Christians are welcome at the Lord's Table.

At Holy Trinity, we have two primary services on Sunday Mornings. Our 8AM Service is Rite II from the Book of Common Prayer and is a spoken service. Our 10AM Service, also Rite II, offers a wide array of music from our choir and music department. Additionally, this service includes nursery care, in-worship children's story, and Sunday school for kids Pre-K to 5<sup>th</sup> grade. Our worship is primarily Rite II for most of the year, with seasonal changes for Advent and Summer. We offer breakfast and fellowship on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays of the month at 9AM in our Café.

We would like to send you the Holy Trinity digital newsletter. Navigate to [holytrinityclw.org/connect](https://holytrinityclw.org/connect) to sign up for our newsletter and learn more about Holy Trinity. If you have any questions, please call 727-796-5514 or email [church@holytrinityclw.org](mailto:church@holytrinityclw.org). We're so glad that you're here!

# Holy Eucharist

The Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

August 4, 2024

Prelude (10am)

Improvisation

Entrance Hymn (10am) “For the Bread Which You Have Broken” Hymn 341(Blue Book)  
*All standing*

## The Word of God

*Celebrant* Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.

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

*The Celebrant continues*

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.**

Jubilate (8am)

*Psalm 100*

Be joyful in the Lord, all you lands; serve the Lord with gladness, and come before his presence with a song. Know this: The Lord himself is God; he himself has made us, and we are his; we are his people and the sheep of his pasture. Enter his gates with thanksgiving; go into his courts with praise; give thanks to him and call upon his Name. For the Lord is good; his mercy is everlasting; and his faithfulness endures from age to age.

## Collect of the Day

*Celebrant* The Lord be with You.

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

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

Let your continual mercy, O Lord, cleanse and defend your Church; and, because it cannot continue in safety without your help, protect and govern it always by your goodness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

## Children’s Story (10am)

*All Sit. Children Pre-K to 5<sup>th</sup> grade proceed to Sunday School following the Children’s Story.*

## The First Lesson

Exodus 16:2-4,9-15

*All Sit*

A Reading from the Book of Exodus

The whole congregation of the Israelites complained against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness. The Israelites said to them, "If only we had died by the hand of the Lord in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the fleshpots and ate our fill of bread; for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger." Then the Lord said to Moses, "I am going to rain bread from heaven for you, and each day the people shall go out and gather enough for that day. In that way I will test them, whether they will follow my instruction or not." Then Moses said to Aaron, "Say to the whole congregation of the Israelites, 'Draw near to the Lord, for he has heard your complaining.'" And as Aaron spoke to the whole congregation of the Israelites, they looked toward the wilderness, and the glory of the Lord appeared in the cloud. The Lord spoke to Moses and said, "I have heard the complaining of the Israelites; say to them, 'At twilight you shall eat meat, and in the morning you shall have your fill of bread; then you shall know that I am the Lord your God.'" In the evening quails came up and covered the camp; and in the morning there was a layer of dew around the camp. When the layer of dew lifted, there on the surface of the wilderness was a fine flaky substance, as fine as frost on the ground. When the Israelites saw it, they said to one another, "What is it?" For they did not know what it was. Moses said to them, "It is the bread that the Lord has given you to eat."

*Reader* The Word of the Lord

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

## The Psalter

Psalms 78:23-29

*Remain seated. The congregation responds by reading the verses in bold.*

23 So he commanded the clouds above \*  
and opened the doors of heaven.

24 **He rained down manna upon them to eat \***  
**and gave them grain from heaven.**

25 So mortals ate the bread of angels; \*  
he provided for them food enough.

26 **He caused the east wind to blow in the heavens \***  
**and led out the south wind by his might.**

27 He rained down flesh upon them like dust \*  
and winged birds like the sand of the sea.

28 He let it fall in the midst of their camp \*  
and round about their dwellings.

29 So they ate and were well filled, \*  
for he gave them what they craved.

## The Second Lesson

Ephesians 4:1-16

A Reading from the Letter to the Ephesians

I therefore, the prisoner in the Lord, beg you to lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, making every effort to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all. But each of us was given grace according to the measure of Christ's gift. Therefore it is said, "When he ascended on high he made captivity itself a captive; he gave gifts to his people." (When it says, "He ascended," what does it mean but that he had also descended into the lower parts of the earth? He who descended is the same one who ascended far above all the heavens, so that he might fill all things.) The gifts he gave were that some would be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until all of us come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to maturity, to the measure of the full stature of Christ. We must no longer be children, tossed to and fro and blown about by every wind of doctrine, by people's trickery, by their craftiness in deceitful scheming. But speaking the truth in love, we must grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, from whom the whole body, joined and knit together by every ligament with which it is equipped, as each part is working properly, promotes the body's growth in building itself up in love.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

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

**Sequence Hymn** (10am)

*All Standing*

**"Holy Ground"**

*Mary Tim & Geron Davis*

**We are standing on holy ground  
And I know that there are angels all around  
Let us praise Jesus now  
We are standing in his presence on holy ground  
(repeat)**

## The Gospel

John 6:24-35

*All Standing*

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

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

The next day, when the people who remained after the feeding of the five thousand saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they themselves got into the boats and went to Capernaum looking for Jesus. When they found him on the other side of the sea, they said to him, “Rabbi, when did you come here?” Jesus answered them, “Very truly, I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves. Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For it is on him that God the Father has set his seal.” Then they said to him, “What must we do to perform the works of God?” Jesus answered them, “This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent.” So they said to him, “What sign are you going to give us then, so that we may see it and believe you? What work are you performing? Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, ‘He gave them bread from heaven to eat.’” Then Jesus said to them, “Very truly, I tell you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.” They said to him, “Sir, give us this bread always.” Jesus said to them, “I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.”

*Reader* The Gospel of the Lord.

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

## Sermon

The Rev. Daniel J. Lemley

## Nicene Creed

*All stand*

**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 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.

## Prayers of the People

*The people may stand, sit, or kneel. The congregation responds by reading the words in **bold**.*

In peace, let us pray to Jesus our Lord.

Lord of the Church, by your Spirit, empower all Christian people and the work of your Church in every land. Give us grace to proclaim the gospel in thought, word and deed.

In faith we pray, **Lord, graciously hear us.**

Savior of the world, be present in all places of suffering, violence, and pain; and bring hope even in the darkest night. Inspire us, to continue your work of reconciliation this day.

In faith we pray, **Lord, graciously hear us.**

We pray for those in harm's way, remembering especially our military, national guard, coast guard, police and first responders.

In faith we pray, **Lord, graciously hear us.**

Shepherd and Guardian of our souls, guide and enable all who lead and serve this community and those on whom we depend for our daily needs. Grant that we may seek the peace and welfare of this place. We pray for our teachers, mentors, and educators, remembering especially Sandy Lane Elementary.

In faith we pray, **Lord, graciously hear us.**

We pray for those celebrating their birthdays this week, especially Mariellen Bauer and Rob McMahan; and also for those celebrating their anniversaries, especially Jan and Chan Bliss, and Jan and Rick Barrett.

In faith we pray, **Lord, graciously hear us.**

Great Physician, stretch out your hand to bring comfort, wholeness, and peace to all who suffer in body, mind, or spirit. Fill us with compassion, that we may be channels of your healing love. We pray especially for Christie, Thomas, Jamie Lee, Paul, Ryan, George, Ann, Marie, Barbara, Steve, John, Andrew, Jim, Mack, Joni, Don, Yamilla, Arlene, Hunter, Tijana, Annie, Fowler, Chan, Sassy, Gene, and Darlene.

In faith we pray, **Lord, graciously hear us.**

Conqueror of death, remember those whom we love but see no longer, especially Lane and Wendy. Help us to live this day in the sure and certain hope of your eternal victory.

In faith we pray, **Lord, graciously hear us.**

Let us commend ourselves, and all for whom we pray, to the mercy and protection of God.

*The people may add their own petitions silently or aloud.*

*Celebrant continues*

O Lord our God, we ask that you accept these prayers. In the greatness of your mercies, look with favor upon us and all who turn to you for help. You are gracious, O Lord, and to you we give glory, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## **Confession of Sin**

Let us confess our sins to God.

*Silence may be kept*

**God of all mercy, we confess that we have sinned against you, opposing your will in our lives. We have denied your goodness in each other, in ourselves, and in the world you have created. We repent of the evil that enslaves us, the evil we have done, and the evil done on our behalf. Forgive, restore, and strengthen us through our Savior Jesus Christ, that we may abide in your love and serve only your will. Amen.**

*Celebrant*

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through the grace of 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.**

*The Ministers and the People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.*



## Announcements

*Announcements may be made at this point in the service.*

## Blessing of the Backpacks

*Celebrant*

God of Wisdom, we give you thanks for schools and classrooms and for the teachers and students who fill them. We thank you for this new beginning; for books, pencils, crayons, and blank pages of paper just waiting to be filled. Help us to remember that asking good questions is often as important as giving the right answers. Help us learn from our mistakes and give us courage to try again.

We thank you for our teachers and administrators. Give them loving hearts, wise minds, strong spirits, and a passion for their students. Fill them with joy, sustain and strengthen them, and give them rest when they are weary.

Today we give you thanks for these your children, and we ask you to bless them with curiosity, understanding and respect. Send your holy angels to keep watch over them and all students, teachers, school staff and administrators. Let their names be always on the lips of your saints in prayer.

Accept and bless these backpacks to be for those who carry them a sign of your love and presence. All this we ask in the name of you Son Jesus, who as a child himself, went to the temple because he longed to learn more about you. **Amen.**

**Offertory (10am)**      **“It is Well with My Soul/Then Sings My Soul”**      *arr. Gary Lanier*  
*Karen Owen - Saxophone, Avery DePadua - Flute, Jeremy D. Silverman - Piano*

**Presentation Hymn (10am)**      **Doxology**      *Hymn 380, Verse 3 (Blue Book)*  
*The people stand and sing the following*

**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.**

## Holy Communion

### Great Thanksgiving: Eucharist Prayer II

*With the people standing, the Celebrant proceeds*

*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 our thanks and praise.**

*The Celebrant continues*

We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant. From before time you made ready the creation. Your Spirit moved over the deep and brought all things into being: sun, moon, and stars; earth, winds, and waters; and every living thing. You made us in your image, and taught us to walk in your ways. But we rebelled against you, and wandered far away; and yet, as a mother cares for her children, you would not forget us. Time and again you called us to live in the fullness of your love.

Therefore, joining with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we sing (say):

#### **Sanctus (8am)**

*The following is said by all*

**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.**

#### **Sanctus (10am)**

**“Holy, Holy, Holy”**

*Hymn #362, Verse 1 (Blue Book)*

*The following is sung by all*

**Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.**

**Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty, God in three persons, blessed Trinity.**

*The people may stand, sit, or kneel. The Celebrant continues*

Glory and honor and praise to you, holy and living God. To deliver us from the power of sin and death and to reveal the riches of your grace, you looked with favor upon Mary, your willing servant, that she might conceive and bear a son, Jesus the holy child of God.

Living among us, Jesus loved us. He broke bread with outcasts and sinners, healed the sick, and proclaimed good news to the poor. He yearned to draw all the world to himself yet we were heedless of his call to walk in love. Then, the time came for him to complete upon the cross the sacrifice of his life, and to be glorified by you.

On the night before he died for us, Jesus was at table with his friends. He took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it, and gave it to them, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine. Again, he gave thanks to you, gave it to them, and said: "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Now gathered at your table, O God of all creation, and remembering Christ, crucified and risen, who was and is and is to come, we offer to you our gifts of bread and wine, and ourselves, a living sacrifice. Pour out your Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Body and Blood of Christ. Breathe your Spirit over the whole earth and make us your new creation, the Body of Christ given for the world you have made.

In the fullness of time bring us, with all your saints, from every tribe and language and people and nation, to feast at the banquet prepared from the foundation of the world. Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever. **AMEN!**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray,

*People and Celebrant*

**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**

*The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread*

*Celebrant*     **We break this bread to share in the Body of Christ.**

*People*        **We who are many are one body, for we all share in the one bread.**

*The Celebrant says the following Invitation*

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.

### ***Ministration of the Sacrament***

*All baptized Christians are invited to receive Holy Communion. If you do not wish to receive Holy Communion but prefer a blessing, please come to the altar rail, and cross your arms over your chest. To receive the consecrated bread, please hold your hands outstretched together and the minister will place the bread in your palm. To receive the consecrated wine, you may sip from the chalice or intinct (dip) the bread. For intinction, please lightly dip the bread so only the edge of the wafer touches the wine. If you desire bread only, cross your arms over your chest as the chalice minister approaches. Please inform the eucharistic minister if you desire a gluten-free wafer.*

**Communion Song (10am)**

**“Taste and See”**

**WLP #764**

*Refrain:*

**Taste and see. Taste and see  
the goodness of the Lord.  
O taste and see. Taste and see  
the goodness of the Lord, of the Lord.**

*Verse 1:*

**I will bless the Lord at all times.  
His praise shall always be on my lips;  
my soul shall glory in the Lord;  
for he has been so good to me.  
(Refrain)**

*Verse 2:*

**Glorify the Lord with me.  
Together let us all praise his name.  
I called the Lord, and he answered me;  
from all my troubles he set free.  
(Refrain)**

*Verse 3:*

**Worship the Lord, all you people.  
You'll want for nothing if you ask.  
Taste and see that the Lord is good;  
in him we need put all our trust.  
(Refrain)**

### **Post Communion Prayer**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

*Celebrant and People*

**God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.**

## The Blessing

Concluding Hymn (10am) “Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah” Hymn 690 (Blue Book)

## The Dismissal

*The people are dismissed with these words*

*Celebrant* Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

*People* Thanks be to God.

Postlude (10am)

Improvisation



## Summer Breakfast Today

As is our tradition, for the **months of June, July, and August**, we will be serving a **continental breakfast in the cafe at 9am**. Breakfast will still be served on the **first, third, and fifth Sundays** of the month. Regular hot breakfast will resume in

September. Please stop in and **join us for great conversation and fellowship!** Be sure to give a hearty “Thank you” to our volunteer breakfast team today: **Jan & Chan Bliss, Linda Hallas, Karen Romanski, Joanne Wallend, and Vera Walton.**



First Sunday  
Contributions



## 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday Collection for Sleep in Heavenly Peace

**Each 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month**, all loose plate and undesignated donations are set aside for a **designated Outreach project or charity**. Checks with “**SHP or Bed Build**” in the memo line can also be dropped in the collection plate. If you donate online, **please select “Sleep in Heavenly Peace” from the drop-down menu**. The **SHP Bed Build is scheduled for Saturday October 19<sup>th</sup>**. More to come on this project. Thank you for your generosity and for helping Holy Trinity’s Outreach in the larger community.



## Get Involved in Our Lay Ministry

**Volunteers are needed!** We are looking for new **Lay Eucharistic Ministers** (individuals who serve on the altar and administer the sacraments) and **Lay Eucharistic Visitors** (Individuals who take communion the homebound). If you are interested, please speak to **Pastor Daniel or Deacon Bob**.



## Backpacks Packed – Thank you!

**Sincere appreciation to all the volunteers who helped pack the backpacks on Saturday July 27<sup>th</sup>.** An additional thank you to those providing the funds to purchase the backpacks and supplies. All 320 backpacks were filled with supplies and are ready for the **“Blessing of the Backpacks” today Sunday August 4<sup>th</sup>.** The backpacks will be delivered to Sandy Lane Elementary School before classes begin. The

backpacks and 48 bags of classroom supplies for the instructional staff were on display in the pews on the far left in the sanctuary. Thank you again for all your support—the children, their families, and classroom teachers are so appreciative!

## Grief Share

Grief Share is a 13-week Christ-centered support group seminar for people who have lost a spouse, child, family member, or friend through death. Each session is held on **Monday morning from 10:00am to 11:30am**, and features a video presentation followed by group discussion. Each participant is provided with a workbook for journaling and personal study exercises that reinforce the weekly session topics. For further information, please pick up a brochure in the Narthex or speak to Deacon Bob or Pastor Daniel.





## Holy Trinity Polos are Here!

Please pick up your polo order **in the narthex today**. Thank you for your interest and support. We look forward to seeing everyone in their polos!

## CLEOs Ladies Luncheon

Ladies, do you want to beat the summer heat and fellowship with our CLEO's luncheon group? Well then come to lunch on **Tuesday, August 6th at Noon at Pineapple Jacks**, 1568 Main St., in Dunedin (it's on 580 on the right just before Keene if you are coming from US 19). Please let **Joanne Wallend** know by Aug. 5th (727-515-4104). Friends are always welcome!



## Laundry Love Volunteers Greatly Needed August 7!

Many of our regular volunteers are traveling so we can really use your help on **August 7<sup>th</sup>**. Volunteer for a single 2-hour shift by visiting this link <https://signup.com/go/PLnjkmw>. We will train you! It's easy and rewarding.

Invite your friend or neighbor to volunteer with you. Our Laundry Love program provides dignity, a listening ear, and clean clothes to struggling residents of Clearwater at **Happy Bubbles Laundromat, 412 S. Missouri Ave from 4-7PM**. Email [laundrylove@holyltrinityclw.org](mailto:laundrylove@holyltrinityclw.org) for more info.





## Baseball with the Bishop is August 9<sup>th</sup>

Join members from all over the Diocese to watch the **Tampa Bay Rays** play the **Baltimore Orioles** with **Bishop Scharf** at Tropicana Field in St. Pete on **Friday, August 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:50PM**. Doors open at 5:20PM, and Bishop Scharf will present the lineup card for the game! A portion of proceeds will benefit the Episcopal Charities Fund. The deadline has passed, and those who bought tickets should have received emails with instructions for downloading tickets. **Please contact Anne in the office if you need help downloading your tickets.**

## Next Romeo's Luncheon Wednesday, Aug. 14th

We had another large turnout at our July 17th Romeo's Fellowship Luncheon at Carrabba's Italian Grill in Palm Harbor at which we welcomed **five new members: Glenn Bookman, Todd Salsbury, John McManis, Chris Pawlowicz, and George Arroyo**. Also present were **O'Neil Ducharme and Jim DiNicola**; both faithful members of Holy Trinity and the Romeo's men's brotherhood. O'Neil, who will shortly turn 100 – is a prominent spokesman for the "Honor Flight of West Florida" and a proud US Marine who served to protect our great nation in WWII, Korea, and Viet Nam. Jim, also a decorated veteran, who recently turned 90 and was privileged to train the US Army Ski Assault Teams during his tour of duty – proudly spearheads the year-round, "Sleep-In-Heavenly-Peace" bed building program for those in need, held at Holy Trinity and throughout the Tampa Bay area. Our next luncheon, where love and unity abound, is at **12 noon on Wednesday, August 14th at Smokey Bones Restaurant** 2693 Gulf-To-Bay Blvd, Clearwater. To reserve a seat, please contact choir member Jim Ampela at 727-386-5636.



## Bishop Visit, August 18<sup>th</sup>

Our **Bishop, the Rt. Rev. Dr. Douglas F. Scharf**, will be visiting Holy Trinity on **Sunday, August 18, 2024**. Please mark your calendars for this joyous event! We will update this announcement with more details as we near August 18<sup>th</sup>.



## Next Outreach Committee Meeting – September 17<sup>th</sup>

The next Outreach Committee meeting will be held on Tuesday September 17<sup>th</sup> at 2 PM. (Please note there is no Outreach Committee meeting in August.) If you are interested in participating in the Outreach Committee, please contact Karen Owen [karen.owen@hey.com](mailto:karen.owen@hey.com) for more information.



**NO KID SLEEPS  
ON THE FLOOR  
IN OUR TOWN!**

### Sleep in Heavenly Peace Bed Build

"No kid sleeps on the floor in our town" is the motto of Sleep in Heavenly Peace (SHP). SHP builds beds for children whose living circumstances would otherwise have them sleep on the floor or a couch.

Holy Trinity will be hosting a **"Bed Build"** on **Saturday, October 19, 2024, 8AM – 11:30AM**. Please mark your calendars if you would like to volunteer. **No skills required!** If you would like to donate to this ministry, please note "Sleep in Heavenly Peace" or "SHP" on the envelope or check, or you may **use our online giving page**, (scan the QR code here) and **choose "Sleep in Heavenly Peace" from the dropdown menu.**



## August Food Pantry Donations

The August Food Pantry donations are for **FEAST Food Pantry**. Your **unexpired non-perishable food donations** as well as **pet food items** are being collected. Thank you for your donations.





## Thrift Shop Sale This Week

**50% Off for Seniors**  
August 5 -10



Events Team

### Upcoming Events:

Blessing of the Backpacks	Today!
Baseball with the Bishop	Friday, August 9, 2024
Bishop Visit	Sunday, August 18, 2024
Fall Kickoff	Sunday, September 8, 2024
Blessing of the Animals	Sunday, October 6, 2024
Sleep in Heavenly Peace Bed Build	Saturday, October 19, 2024

**Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost  
August 4, 2024  
Participants in today's services**

Celebrant: The Rev. Daniel J. Lemley  
Deacon: The Rev. Robert P. Kinney  
Music: Jeremy Silverman

*8 a.m. Service*

Server, Chalice: Denise Garthwaite  
Lector 1<sup>st</sup> Reading, Psalm: Alice Rezendes  
Crucifer, 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading, Prayers: Bill Kaempfer  
Ushers: Pam & Jim Gibson

*10 a.m. Service*

Host, Server: Diane Densmore  
Torchbearers: Sonya Soriano, Mickey Vallejo  
Crucifer, Psalm, Prayers: Michele Lurch  
Lector 1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Valerie Smith  
Lector 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Mickey Vallejo  
Chalices: Michele Lurch, Mickey Vallejo  
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Thank you and bless all our volunteers for their contribution to our service today.

*The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God.*



To sign up for a floral dedication, add your name to the date of your choice on the poster in the narthex. Please fill out an "Altar Flowers" card, then place the card and your check for \$65 flower donation in the collection plate. The deadline for reservations is the Sunday prior to your requested date. *Please contact Anne in the office with any questions.*



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