



# MORNING PRAYER: RITE II

## TRINITY SUNDAY: YEAR A

MAY 31, 2026: 10:00 A.M.

### ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

*Seekers, believers, and doubters of all ages, welcome home to St. Andrew's!* Everything you need for the Liturgy of the Word is found in your bulletin. Music may be found in the blue 1982 Hymnal (in the pew rack) and in this bulletin. Restrooms are downstairs in the undercroft; our greeters can direct you to a more accessible restroom in the parish house as well.

Children of all ages are welcome to join us in our Soft Space, located temporarily in the back of the nave, during worship. Please move around our space as you and your children are most comfortable. Visitors, we would love to get to know you, and we invite you to fill out one of our welcome cards and place it in the offering plate or hand it to one of our greeters. *We are so glad you are here!*

#### Prelude

**Opening Hymn** *O day of radiant gladness* Hymn #48  
*Sung by all. Please stand as you are able. The refrain is on the next page.*

**Opening Sentences** BCP, p. 78  
*Please remain standing as you are able.*

*Officiant* Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. *Philippians 1:2*  
Send out your light and your truth, that they may lead me, and bring me to your holy hill and to  
your dwelling. *Psalms 43:3*

**Confession of Sin** BCP, p. 79  
*Please remain standing or kneel as you are able.*

*Officiant* 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.

*Officiant* Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life. Amen.

### THE INVITATORY AND PSALTER

**Invitatory** BCP, p. 80  
*Please remain standing as you are able.*

*Officiant* Lord, open our lips.  
*People* And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.  
*All* Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.

*Officiant* The mercy of the Lord is everlasting:  
*People* Come, let us adore him.

## The Venite

Psalm 95:1-7

Hymn #S35

Please remain standing as you are able and join in the singing of the Venite.

Officiant The mercy of the Lord is everlasting:

People Come, let us adore him.

## The Psalm

Psalm 8

Psalter for the Christian People

Sung by all. Please stand as you are able.



1. O Lord our / Lord, \*  
how exalted is your Name in all the / world!
2. Out of the mouths of infants and / children \*  
your majesty is praised above the / heavens.
3. You have set up a stronghold against your / adversaries, \*  
to quell the enemy and the a - / venger.
4. When I consider your heavens, the work of your / fingers, \*  
the moon and the stars you have set in their / courses,
5. What are human beings that you should be mindful of / him? \*  
mortals that you should seek them / out?
6. You have made them but little lower than the / angels; \*  
you adorn them with glory and / honor;
7. You give them mastery over the works of your / hands; \*  
you put all things under their / feet:
8. All sheep and / oxen, \*  
even the wild beasts of the / field,
9. The birds of the air, the fish of the / sea, \*  
and whatsoever walks in the paths of the / sea.
10. Lord our / Lord, \*  
how exalted is your Name in all the / world!  
Glory to the Father, and to the / Son, \*  
and to the Holy / Spirit:  
as it was in the beginning, is / now, \*  
and will be forever. A - / men.

## THE LESSONS

### The First Lesson

Genesis 1:1-2:4a

NRSV

Please remain seated.

A reading from the Book of Genesis.

In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. Then God said, "Let there be light" and there was light. And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was

morning, the first day. And God said, “Let there be a dome in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters.” So God made the dome and separated the waters that were under the dome from the waters that were above the dome. And it was so. God called the dome Sky. And there was evening and there was morning, the second day.

And God said, “Let the waters under the sky be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear.” And it was so. God called the dry land Earth, and the waters that were gathered together he called Seas. And God saw that it was good. Then God said, “Let the earth put forth vegetation: plants yielding seed, and fruit trees of every kind on earth that bear fruit with the seed in it.” And it was so. The earth brought forth vegetation: plants yielding seed of every kind, and trees of every kind bearing fruit with the seed in it. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the third day.

And God said, “Let there be lights in the dome of the sky to separate the day from the night; and let them be for signs and for seasons and for days and years, and let them be lights in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth.” And it was so. God made the two great lights—the greater light to rule the day and the lesser light to rule the night—and the stars. God set them in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth, to rule over the day and over the night, and to separate the light from the darkness. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the fourth day.

And God said, “Let the waters bring forth swarms of living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the dome of the sky.” So God created the great sea monsters and every living creature that moves, of every kind, with which the waters swarm, and every winged bird of every kind. And God saw that it was good. God blessed them, saying, “Be fruitful and multiply and fill the waters in the seas, and let birds multiply on the earth.” And there was evening and there was morning, the fifth day.

And God said, “Let the earth bring forth living creatures of every kind: cattle and creeping things and wild animals of the earth of every kind.” And it was so. God made the wild animals of the earth of every kind, and the cattle of every kind, and everything that creeps upon the ground of every kind. And God saw that it was good.

Then God said, “Let us make humankind in our image, according to our likeness; and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the wild animals of the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth.” So God created humankind in his image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.

God blessed them, and God said to them, “Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth.” God said, “See, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit; you shall have them for food. And to every beast of the earth, and to every bird of the air, and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food.” And it was so. God saw everything that he had made, and indeed, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.

Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all their multitude. And on the seventh day God finished the work that he had done, and he rested on the seventh day from all the work that he had done. So God blessed the seventh day and hallowed it, because on it God rested from all the work that he had done in creation. These are the generations of the heavens and the earth when they were created.

*Reader*            The Word of the Lord.

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

**Canticle 13**

*Glory to you*

Hymn #S236

*Sung by all. Please stand as you are able.*

## The Second Lesson

2 Corinthians 13:11-13

NRSV

*Please be seated.*

A reading from the Second Letter of Paul to the Corinthians.

Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

*Reader*           The Word of the Lord.

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

**Hymn**

*I bind unto myself today*

Hymn #370, verses 1,2

*Sung by all.*

## The Third Lesson

Matthew 28:16-20

NRSV

*Please be seated.*

A reading from the Gospel according to Matthew.

The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

*Officiant*       The Word of the Lord.

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

**Hymn**

*I bind unto myself today*

Hymn #370, verse 7

*Sung by all. Please stand as you are able.*

**The Homily**

Britton Trimble

*Please be seated.*

**The Apostles' Creed**

BCP, p. 96

*Said by all. Please stand as you are able.*

**All**           I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth; I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## THE PRAYERS

**The Lord's Prayer**

BCP, p. 97

*Please remain standing or kneel as you are able.*

*Officiant*       The Lord be with you.

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

*Officiant*       Let us pray.

*All* 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 Suffrages**

Form A

BCP, p. 97

*Please remain standing or kneeling as you are able.*

*Intercessor* Show us your mercy, O Lord;  
*People* **And grant us your salvation.**  
*Intercessor* Clothe your ministers with righteousness;  
*People* **Let your people sing with joy.**  
*Intercessor* Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;  
*People* **For only in you can we live in safety.**  
*Intercessor* Lord, keep this nation under your care;  
*People* **And guide us in the way of justice and truth.**  
*Intercessor* Let your way be known upon earth;  
*People* **Your saving health among all nations.**  
*Intercessor* Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;  
*People* **Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.**  
*Intercessor* Create in us clean hearts, O God;  
*People* **And sustain us with your Holy Spirit.**

**The Collect of the Day, The Collect for Sundays, and Intercessions**

*Please remain standing or kneeling as you are able.*

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given to us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of your divine Majesty to worship the Unity: Keep us steadfast in this faith and worship, and bring us at last to see you in your one and eternal glory, O Father; who with the Son and the Holy Spirit live and reign, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

O God, you make us glad with the weekly remembrance of the glorious resurrection of your Son our Lord: Give us this day such blessing through our worship of you, that the week to come may be spent in your favor; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

We pray for those on our prayer list: Pat Bridgewater, Cathy Creamer, John Cyrus, Jim Evans, Sarah Farber, Ellen Field, Mil Floyd, Patrick Getlein, Maddie Gross, Sandra Heitzler, Bill Jackson, Crystal Munnings, Cathy O'Neil, Deya Porter & family, Brick Quinn, Lizzie Schrass, Carol Slonaker, the Thompson-White family, Tim Williams, Chris Vega.

We pray for those who have died, especially Sheila Miller, aunt of The Rev. Canon Dr. Lynn Collins, and those who mourn.

We pray for those who live and work and go to school on Oregon Hill and for the ministry of Anna Julia Cooper School.

We pray for health care in Metropolitan Richmond: For clinics, medical personnel, and all institutions that serve persons who are uninsured or underinsured.

We pray for those celebrating birthdays this week: Nolan Delano, Ricky Plunkett Jr., Michelle Prior, Sarah Birmingham.

*Please add your own prayers either silently or aloud.*

*Officiant* Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of your faithful people is governed and sanctified: Receive our supplications and prayers which we offer before you for all members of

your holy Church, that in their vocation and ministry they may truly and devoutly serve you; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

### **The Peace**

*Please stand as you are able.*

*Officiant*        The peace of the Lord be always with you.

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

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

### **Welcome and Announcements**

*Please be seated.*

### **The Offertory**

#### **Offertory Anthem**

#### **Offertory Hymn**

*Holy God we praise thy name*

Hymn #366, verses 1,2,4

#### **Concluding Collect**

BCP, p. 101

*Please stand as you are able.*

*Officiant*        Lord Jesus Christ, you stretched out your arms of love on the hard wood of the cross that everyone might come within the reach of your saving embrace: So clothe us in your Spirit that we, reaching forth our hands in love, may bring those who do not know you to the knowledge and love of you; for the honor of your Name. **Amen.**

#### **A General Thanksgiving**

BCP, p. 836

*Said by all. Please remain standing or kneel as you are able.*

*All*                **Accept, O Lord, our thanks and praise for all that you have done for us. We thank you for the splendor of the whole creation, for the beauty of this world, for the wonder of life, and for the mystery of love. We thank you for the blessing of family and friends, and for the loving care which surrounds us on every side. We thank you for setting us at tasks which demand our best efforts, and for leading us to accomplishments which satisfy and delight us. We thank you also for those disappointments and failures that lead us to acknowledge our dependence on you alone. Above all, we thank you for your Son Jesus Christ; for the truth of his Word and the example of his life; for his steadfast obedience, by which he overcame temptation; for his dying, through which he overcame death; and for his rising to life again, in which we are raised to the life of your kingdom. Grant us the gift of your Spirit, that we may know Christ and make him known; and through him, at all times and in all places, may give thanks to you in all things. Amen.**

#### **A Prayer of St. Chrysostom**

BCP, p. 102

*Please remain standing or kneeling as you are able.*

*Officiant*        Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. **Amen.**

#### **Closing Hymn**

*Holy, holy, holy!*

Hymn #362

*Sung by all. Please stand as you are able.*

## The Dismissal

BCP, p. 102

*Please remain standing as you are able.*

*Officiant* Let us bless the Lord.

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

*Officiant* Glory to God whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine:  
Glory to God from generation to generation in the Church, and in Christ Jesus for ever and ever.

*People* **Amen.**

*Ephesians 3:20,21*

## Postlude

## THIS MORNING'S LEADERS

*Officiant & Homilist:* Britton Trimble    *Organist & Choirmaster:* Demas Boudreaux  
*Reader:* Ally Getlein    *Crucifer & Intercessor:* Paula Harper    *Altar Guild:* Judy Johnson  
*Lead Greeter:* Mike Culver    *Teller:* Chuck Baur    *Sunday Steward of the Day:* Chris Prior  
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## THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

- Pat Bridgewater, Cathy Creamer, John Cyrus, Jim Evans, Sarah Farber, Ellen Field, Mil Floyd, Patrick Getlein, Maddie Gross, Sandra Heitzler, Bill Jackson, Crystal Munnings, Cathy O'Neil, Deya Porter & family, Brick Quinn, Lizzie Schrass, Carol Slonaker, the Thompson-White family, Tim Williams, Chris Vega.
- Pray for those who have died, especially Sheila Miller, aunt of the Rev. Canon Dr. Lynn Collins.
- Pray for those who live and work and go to school on Oregon Hill and for the ministry of Anna Julia Cooper School.
- Pray for our discernment committee: God of wisdom who knows our path, we humbly ask you to guide our discernment committee: Christine, Patrick, Shar, Steve, and Vivien by the Holy Spirit towards the priest whom you have raised up to lead us. Quiet their hearts, keep them from sin, and strengthen Your gifts within them so they may better listen and respond to Your perfect counsel. We pray also for our future priest, that You may prepare them to aid us in continuing the mission of the church, began in the apostles, continued in Grace Arents, us, and all St. Andreans, and perfected in the return of Our Lord Jesus Christ. Until that day, be close to St. Andrew's and strengthen our spirits, so we may continue in doing Your good work.
- Pray for those in our armed forces, especially those deployed to combat zones.
- Pray for health care in Metropolitan Richmond: For clinics, medical personnel, and all institutions that serve persons who are uninsured or underinsured.
- Pray for those who are celebrating birthdays this week, especially Nolan Delano (6/2), Ricky Plunkett Jr. (6/2), Michelle Prior (6/3), Sarah Birmingham (6/5).

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Recognizing our Graduates:** Are you or your loved one graduating or moving up to another academic level this year? *Please let the office know* ([office@standrewsoregonhill.org](mailto:office@standrewsoregonhill.org)) *today* so we can recognize our graduates on June 7 during the regular 10:00 a.m. service.
- Our leaders have finalized our 2026 budget, but it's **not too late to pledge!** Pledge cards are available in the narthex, or you can [pledge online](#) using this QR Code to the right.
- **Organ Restoration Project: How Can I Help?** While most of the project work is being handled by our Organ Committee or the contractors we have hired, members of the congregation can still get involved if you have an interest in photography, which can help document the various phases of the project by creating accurate and lasting records of the process. Also, in late spring or early summer, we will need help clearing out the old nursery area in the undercroft located at the bottom of the stairs near the back door of the church. This is to make room for the installation of the blower, which supplies the air enabling the organ pipes to sound. As other opportunities arise to give of your time, talent and treasure during the organ restoration, we will let you know. Please contact [Dwight Johnson](#), Tracey Miles, or Dale Holcomb if you are interested in lending a hand.
- **Updated Directory Available:** If you still have a 2025 or older directory, have changes to your information, or have questions or concerns, please see or email Britton Trimble for the new, updated directory at [office@standrewsoregonhill.org](mailto:office@standrewsoregonhill.org). Please do not share your copy of the directory and please do not distribute information contained in this directory outside of our parish family.



## THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREW'S

### Trinity Sunday, May 31

- **Morning Prayer Rite II:** 10:00 a.m., church and on Facebook Live
- **Coffee Hour:** directly following the service, chapel

### Wednesday, June 3:

- **Laundry Ministry:** 1:30 p.m., corner of Cary and Meadow Streets

### The Second Sunday of Pentecost, Proper 5, June 7

- **Holy Eucharist Rite II:** 10:00 a.m., church and on Facebook Live
- **Coffee Hour:** directly following the service, chapel



Seekers, believers, and doubters of all ages:  
Welcome home to St. Andrew's!

Together we are building a community in Christ that gathers to  
worship joyfully, love abundantly, and serve wholeheartedly.

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