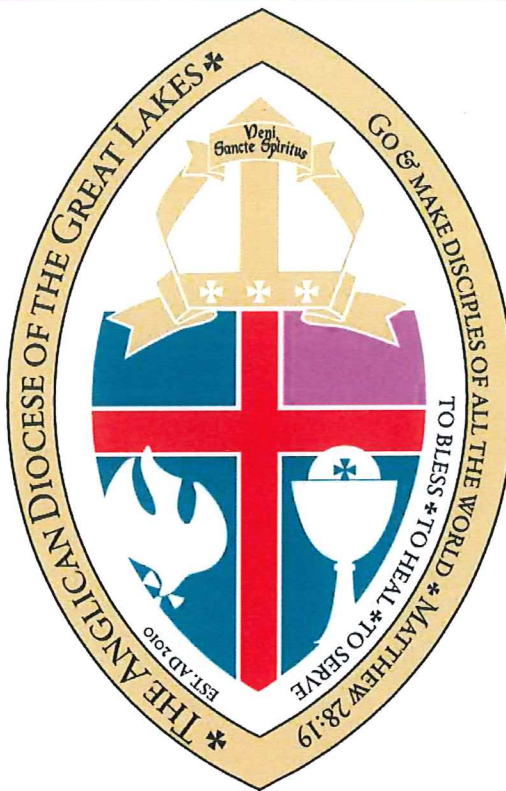




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The Holy Eucharist

Renewed Ancient Text

Pre-Service Music

Announcements – beginning at 9:55am; followed by a few minutes of quiet reflection, prayer in preparation for worship

Processional Song Praise to The Lord The Almighty

(Verse 1)

Praise to the Lord the Almighty
The King of creation
O my soul praise Him
For He is thy health and salvation
All ye who hear
Brothers and sisters draw near
Praise Him in glad adoration

(Verse 2)

Praise to the Lord
Who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth
Shelters thee under His wings
Yea so gently sustaineth
Hast thou not seen
All that is needful hath been
Granted in what He ordaineth

(Verse 3)

Praise to the Lord who doth prosper
Thy work and defend thee
Surely His goodness and mercy
Here daily attend thee
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do
Who with His love doth befriend thee

(Verse 4)

Praise to the Lord
O let all that is in me adore Him
All that hath life and breath
Come now with praises before Him
Let the amen sound from His people again
Gladly for all we adore Him

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Opening Hymn

Spirit of The Living God

Spirit of the Living God
Fall afresh on me
Spirit of the Living God
Fall afresh on me
Melt me mold me
Fill me use me
Spirit of the Living God
Fall afresh on me

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The Word of God

Acclamation *page 145 (161)*

Bishop: The Lord will pour out his Spirit upon all flesh,

People: And your sons and daughters shall prophesy.

Bishop: Your old men shall dream dreams,

People: And your young men shall see visions.

Bishop: You shall know that the Lord is in the midst of his people,

People: That he is the Lord and there is none else.

Bishop: And it shall come to pass.

People: That everyone who calls on the Name of the Lord shall be saved.

Collect for Purity *prayed together page 124*

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.

Summary of the Law *page 124*

Celebrant: Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ says: You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the 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

Gloria in Excelsis *said together page 125*

Celebrant: Let us glorify the Lord together.

All: **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.**

Collect of the Day *page 614*

Bishop: The Lord be with you.

People: **And with your spirit.**

Bishop: Let us pray: O God, our refuge and strength, true source of all godliness: Graciously hear the devout prayers of your Church, and grant that those things which we ask faithfully, we may obtain effectually; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

First Reading **Ruth 1:1-19a**

Lector: A Reading from the book of Ruth.

¹ In the days when the judges ruled there was a famine in the land, and a man of Bethlehem in Judah went to sojourn in the country of Moab, he and his wife and his two sons. ² The name of the man was Elimelech and the name of his wife Naomi, and the names of his two sons were Mahlon and Chilion. They were Ephrathites from Bethlehem in Judah. They went into the country of Moab and remained there. ³ But Elimelech, the husband of Naomi, died, and she was left with her two sons. ⁴ These took Moabite wives; the name of the one was Orpah and the name of the other Ruth. They lived there about ten years, ⁵ and both Mahlon and Chilion died, so that the woman was left without her two sons and her husband. ⁶ Then she arose with her daughters-in-law to return from the country of Moab, for she had heard in the fields of Moab that the Lord had visited his people and given them food. ⁷ So she set out from the place where she was with her two daughters-in-law, and they went on the way to return to the land of Judah. ⁸ But Naomi said to her two daughters-in-law, "Go, return each of you to her mother's house. May the Lord deal kindly with you, as you have dealt with the dead and with me. ⁹ The Lord grant that you may find rest, each of you in the house of her husband!" Then she kissed them, and they lifted up their voices and wept. ¹⁰ And they said to her, "No, we will return with you to your people." ¹¹ But Naomi said, "Turn back, my daughters; why will you go with me? Have I yet sons in my womb that they may become your husbands? ¹² Turn back, my daughters; go your way, for I am too old to have a husband. If I should say I have hope, even if I should have a husband this night and should bear sons, ¹³ would you

therefore wait till they were grown? Would you therefore refrain from marrying? No, my daughters, for it is exceedingly bitter to me for your sake that the hand of the Lord has gone out against me.” ¹⁴Then they lifted up their voices and wept again. And Orpah kissed her mother-in-law, but Ruth clung to her. ¹⁵And she said, “See, your sister-in-law has gone back to her people and to her gods; return after your sister-in-law.” ¹⁶But Ruth said, “Do not urge me to leave you or to return from following you. For where you go I will go, and where you lodge I will lodge. Your people shall be my people, and your God my God. ¹⁷Where you die I will die, and there will I be buried. May the Lord do so to me and more also if anything but death parts me from you.” ¹⁸And when Naomi saw that she was determined to go with her, she said no more. ¹⁹So the two of them went on until they came to Bethlehem.

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Psalm Psalm 113

Lector: We will read from Psalm 113 in unison.

- 1 Praise the LORD. Sing praises, you servants of the LORD; O praise the Name of the LORD.
- 2 Blessed be the Name of the LORD, from this time forth for evermore.
- 3 The LORD's Name be praised from the rising up of the sun to the going down of the same.
- 4 The LORD is high above all nations and his glory above the heavens.
- 5 Who is like the LORD our God, who has his dwelling so high,
and yet humbles himself to behold the things that are in heaven and earth?
- 6 He takes up the lowly out of the dust, and lifts the poor out of the ashes,
- 7 That he may set them with the princes, even with the princes of his people.
- 8 He gives the barren woman a home to dwell in, and makes her to be a joyful mother of children.
Praise the LORD.

Second Reading 2 Timothy 2:1-15

Lector: A Reading from the book of 2 Timothy.

¹ You then, my child, be strengthened by the grace that is in Christ Jesus,² and what you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses entrust to faithful men, who will be able to teach others also. ³ Share in suffering as a good soldier of Christ Jesus. ⁴ No soldier gets entangled in civilian pursuits, since his aim is to please the one who enlisted him. ⁵ An athlete is not crowned unless he competes according to the rules. ⁶ It is the hard-working farmer who ought to have the first share of the crops. ⁷ Think over what I say, for the Lord will give you understanding in everything. ⁸ Remember Jesus Christ, risen from the dead, the offspring of David, as preached in my gospel, ⁹ for which I am suffering, bound with chains as a criminal. But the word of God is not bound! ¹⁰ Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, that they also may obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus with eternal glory. ¹¹ The saying is trustworthy, for: If we have died with him, we will also live with him; ¹² if we endure, we will also reign with him; if we deny him, he also will deny us; ¹³ if we are faithless, he remains faithful—for he cannot deny himself. ¹⁴ Remind them of these things, and charge them before God not to quarrel about words, which does no good, but only ruins the hearers. ¹⁵ Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved, a worker who has no need to be ashamed, rightly handling the word of truth.

Lector: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn Thou Whose Almighty Word

(Verse 1)

Thou whose Almighty Word
Chaos and darkness heard
And took their flight
Hear us we humbly pray
And where the Gospel day
Sheds not its glorious ray
Let there be light

(Verse 2)

Thou who didst come to bring
On thy redeeming wing
Healing and sight
Health to the sick in mind
Sight to the inly blind
Now to all humankind
Let there be light

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Gospel Luke 17:11-19

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Luke.

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

¹¹ On the way to Jerusalem he was passing along between Samaria and Galilee. ¹² And as he entered a village, he was met by ten lepers, who stood at a distance ¹³ and lifted up their voices, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us." ¹⁴ When he saw them he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went they were cleansed. ¹⁵ Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice; ¹⁶ and he fell on his face at Jesus' feet, giving him thanks. Now he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷ Then Jesus answered, "Were not ten cleansed? Where are the nine? ¹⁸ Was no one found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" ¹⁹ And he said to him, "Rise and go your way; your faith has made you well."

Celebrant: The Gospel of the Lord.

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

Gradual Hymn Thou Whose Almighty Word

(Verse 3)

Spirit of truth and love
Life giving holy dove
Speed forth thy flight
Move on the water's face
Bearing the gifts of grace
And in earth's darkest place
Let there be light

(Verse 4)

Holy and blessed three
Glorious Trinity
Wisdom love might
Boundless as ocean's tide
Rolling in fullest pride
Through the world far and wide
Let there be light

Sermon The Rt. Rev. Allen Kannapell

Renewal of Baptismal Vows *The people stand page 194-196*

Bishop: Through the Paschal mystery, dear friends, we are buried with Christ by Baptism into his death, and raised with him to new-ness of life. I call upon you, therefore, to renew the solemn promises and vows of Holy Baptism, by which we once renounced the devil and all his works, and promised to serve God faithfully in his one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

Bishop: Do you, here in the presence of God and the Church, renew the solemn promises and vows made at your Baptism and commit yourself to keep them?

People: **I do.**

Bishop: Do you renounce the devil and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?

People: **I renounce them.**

Bishop: Do you renounce the empty promises and deadly deceits of this world that corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?

People: I renounce them.

Bishop: Do you renounce the sinful desires of the flesh that draw you from the love of God?

People: I renounce them.

Bishop: Do you joyfully receive the Christian Faith, as revealed in the Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments?

People: I do.

Bishop: Do you turn to Jesus Christ and confess him as your Lord and Savior?

People: I do.

Bishop: Do you joyfully receive the Christian Faith, as revealed in the Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments?

People: I do.

Bishop: Will you obediently keep God's holy will and commandments, and walk in them all the days of your life?

People: I will, the Lord being my helper.

Bishop: Let us now reaffirm our faith in the words of the ancient baptismal confession, the Apostles' Creed.

Bishop: Do you believe and trust in God the Father?

People: I do. I believe in God the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Bishop: Do you believe and trust in Jesus Christ?

People: I do. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by 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.

Bishop: Do you believe and trust in the Holy Spirit?

People: I do. 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 Celebrant concludes the Renewal of Vows as follows

Bishop: Let us pray. Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the Apostles and Prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone: Grant us so to be joined together in unity of spirit by their doctrine, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end. **Amen.**

Prayers of the People *page 128*

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

After each bidding, please silently or aloud offer your own prayers.

For the peace of the whole world, and for the well-being and unity of the people of God.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

For Steve, our Archbishop, Mark and Allen, our Bishops, and Michael, our Priest, and for all the clergy and people of our Diocese and Congregation.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

For all those who proclaim the Gospel at home and abroad; and for all who teach and disciple others, especially the leaders and staff of Campus Outreach, the Mossy Foot Project and the Underground Church.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

For our brothers and sisters in Christ who are persecuted for their faith.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

For our nation, for those in authority, and for all in public service especially Donald Trump, our President.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

For all those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity [especially _____].

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

For all those who have departed this life in the certain hope of the resurrection, in thanksgiving let us pray.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Celebrant: Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for the sake of Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Confession and Absolution of Sin *page 129-130*

LEM: Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

Silence

Everyone may kneel as able and pray

People: Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, maker and judge of us all: We acknowledge and lament our many sins and offenses, which we have committed by thought, word, and deed against your divine majesty, provoking most justly your righteous anger against us. We are deeply sorry for these our transgressions; the burden of them is more than we can bear. Have mercy upon us, Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; for your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may evermore serve and please you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Celebrant: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Comfortable Words *page 130-131*

Celebrant: God so loved the world, that he gave his only-begotten Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. *John 3:16*

Peace

Please stand page 131

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

People: And with your spirit. *Please greet one another in the name of the Lord.*

Offertory *page 131*

Celebrant: As we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith. *Galatians 6:10*

Offertory Song

What a Friend We Have

(verse 1)

What a friend we have in Jesus,
all our sins and griefs to bear!

What a privilege to carry
everything to God in prayer!

O what peace we often forfeit,

O what needless pain we bear,

all because we do not carry
everything to God in prayer!

(verse 2)

Have we trials and temptations?

Is there trouble anywhere?

We should never be discouraged;

take it to the Lord in prayer!

Can we find a friend so faithful

who will all our sorrows share?

Jesus knows our every weakness;

take it to the Lord in prayer!

(verse 3)

Are we weak and heavy laden,

cumbered with a load of care?

Precious Savior, still our refuge--

take it to the Lord in prayer!

Do your friends despise, forsake you?

Take it to the Lord in prayer!

In his arms he'll take and shield you;

you will find a solace there

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Doxology

Please stand as the offering is brought forward

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. Amen

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Offertory Prayer

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Celebrant: 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.

People: And of your own have we given you. 1 Chronicles 29:11, 14

The Sacrament of Holy Communion *page 131(154)*

Please remain standing, if you are able to do so.

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

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.

Celebrant: It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord: For he is your living Word from before time and for all ages; by him you created all things, and by him you make all things new. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

All Sing: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

Prayer of Consecration *page 132-134*

Celebrant: Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and when we had sinned against you and become, subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent your only Son Jesus Christ into the world for our salvation. By the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary he became flesh and dwelt among us. In obedience to your will, he stretched out his arms upon the Cross and offered himself once for all, that by his suffering and death we might be saved. By his resurrection he broke the bonds of death, trampling Hell and Satan under his feet. As our great high priest, he ascended to your right hand in glory, that we might come with confidence before the throne of grace.

On the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my Body, which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for 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 in remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, and we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Word and Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Sanctify us also, that we may worthily receive this holy Sacrament, and be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us and we in him. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us with all your saints into the joy of your heavenly kingdom, where we shall see our Lord face to face.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Lord's Prayer *Prayed together page 134*

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

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.

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover Lamb has been sacrificed, once for all upon the cross.

People: Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

The Prayer of Humble Access *page 135*

All Pray: 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

Holy Communion *page 136*

Celebrant: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of the Lamb. *John 1:29, Revelation 19:9*

We invite all baptized Christians to join in Holy Communion. The ushers will guide you forward where you may receive Communion. The celebrant will offer you bread then a chalice bearer will offer you wine. Should you prefer not to drink from the cup, you may dip the bread into the chalice. If there is a reason you do not want to take bread or wine, you may remain seated or you are welcome to come to the front, to the left of the Communion service, where a member of our prayer team is available to quietly pray with and for you.

Communion Hymn How Deep The Father's Love

(Verse 1)

How deep the Father's love for us
How vast beyond all measure
That He should give His only Son
To make a wretch His treasure
How great the pain of searing loss
The Father turns His face away
As wounds which mar the Chosen One
Bring many sons to glory

(Verse 2)

Behold the Man upon a cross
My sin upon His shoulders
Ashamed I hear my mocking voice
Call out among the scoffers

It was my sin that held Him there
Until it was accomplished
His dying breath has brought me life
I know that it is finished

(Verse 3)

I will not boast in anything
No gifts no pow'r no wisdom
But I will boast in Jesus Christ
His death and resurrection
Why should I gain from His reward
I cannot give an answer
But this I know with all my heart
His wounds have paid my ransom

Post-Communion Prayer *Prayed together page 137*

Let us pray: **Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us, through this Sacrament, of your favor and goodness towards us: that we are true members of the mystical body of your Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of your everlasting kingdom. And we humbly ask you, heavenly Father, to assist us with your grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all the good works that you have prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.**

Blessing *page 137*

Celebrant: 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**

Recessional Hymn In Tenderness *(continued)*

(Verse 1)

In tenderness he sought me,
weary and sick with sin
And on his shoulders brought me,
back to his fold again
While angels in his presence sang
until the courts of heaven rang

(chorus)

Oh, the love that sought me!
Oh, the blood that bought me!
Oh, the grace that brought me to the fold of God
Grace that brought me to the fold of God

(Verse 2)

He died for me while I was sinning,
needy and poor and blind
He whispered to assure me,
"I've found thee, thou art mine"
I'd never heard a sweeter voice,
it made my aching heart rejoice
(repeat chorus)

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Recessional Hymn In Tenderness (continued)

(Verse 3)

Upon his grace I'll daily ponder
and sing anew his praise
With all adoring wonder,
His blessings I retrace
It seems as if eternal days,
are far too short to sing his praise!
(repeat chorus)

(chorus)

Oh, the love that sought me!
Oh, the blood that bought me!
Oh, the grace that brought me to the fold of God
Grace that brought me to the fold of God

Dismissal page 138

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

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia

MEETING & EVENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL** – children 3 - 8yrs are dismissed at the beginning of the service to the annex classroom. For more information contact Darlene Wandrie 231-347-5871
- **THURSDAY MORNING PRAYER** – meets Thursdays at 8:30 am in Fr. Mike's Office. All are welcome.
- **THE UNDERGROUND CHURCH OF NORTHERN MICHIGAN** – is currently on hiatus. When we resume, please join us at New Life on the first and third Thursdays, from 6:30–8:00 PM. Come read the Bible and share testimonies of what Jesus has done in your life and others', alongside D. W. Lucky III and Fr. Mike Bridge. We'll continue our journey through Matthew, with plenty of time for open Q&A. Adults 18+ are warmly welcome.
- **CORE CHRISTIANITY: JONAH – DISCOVER THE DEEPER STORY** – Join us for a 10-week Bible study designed to help you explore God's mercy and justice and see how the Old Testament points to the work of Christ. Each session will guide you through Scripture, reflection, and meaningful discussion. **Join us Wednesdays – Dinner at 6:00pm(Pizza & Salad) – Study begins at 6:30pm and wraps up by 8:00pm, in Blanz Hall.** Order the eBook at: <https://store.solamedia.org/products/copy-of-jonah-bible-study-1> We hope you'll join us for this enriching time of learning, fellowship, and discovery.
- **ANNUAL BISHOP'S VISIT** – Today, Bishop Allen Kannapell is here for his official visit and coffee hour
Notice: We will be taking a customary special offering for the Bishop's Discretionary Fund during this service.

THIS WEEK AT NEW LIFE (Unless otherwise indicated, all events are at the church)

Sunday 10/12	9:55 am	Announcements followed by Quiet Reflection
	10:00am	The Rt. Rev. Allen Kannapell <i>After Service ~ Coffee Hour ~ downstairs in Blanz Hall</i>
Tuesday 10/14	8:30am	Men's Breakfast at Southwood's Restaurant
Wednesday 10/15	6:00pm	Pizza & Salad Dinner / 6:30pm Jonah Study
Thursday 10/16	8:30am	Morning Prayer - in Fr. Mike's Office
	5:00pm	Ladies Bible Study - annex conference room
Friday 10/17	9:00am	Men's Bible Study in annex study
Sunday 10/19	9:55 am	Announcements followed by Quiet Reflection
	10:00am	Mr. Dan Wandrie & Mr. Howard Bates <i>After Service ~ Coffee Hour ~ downstairs in Blanz Hall</i>

SERVING SCHEDULE

TODAY, OCTOBER 12:

Altar Guild: Gretchen Lucky
Music: Dylan, Wes & Ferd
Lector: Bonnie Bridge
Lay Minister: Toni DuBois
Prayer Team: Sally & Bonnie
Usher/Counter: Don L. / Dan W.
Greeter: The Flynns
Coffee Hour: Brenda F. & Ginny P.

NEXT SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19:

Altar Guild: Gretchen Lucky
Music: Dylan, Wes & Ferd
Lector: Mary Jane Zako
Lay Minister: Wally Stansbury
Prayer Team: Betty & Guy
Usher/Counter: Dan W. / Randy F.
Greeter: Sally Stump
Coffee Hour: Susan S. & Ron D.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **FR. MIKE'S OFFICE HOURS** – Tuesday & Wednesday 1–5pm, Thursdays & Fridays 9:00am – 1pm
- **NOTICE:** Tracey will be out of town from October 12th to October 26th, if you have anything you need her help with please email her and she will reply to you upon her return.

MEN'S MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS

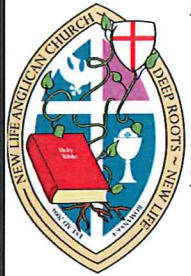
- **MEN'S BREAKFAST** – Tuesdays at 8:30am for food and fellowship at Southwood's Restaurant
- **MEN'S BIBLE STUDY** – Fridays at 9am in the annex study
- **MEN'S MINISTRY PROGRAM** – is currently on hiatus – our next meeting is January 22nd, location and leader TBD. Our meetings will include fellowship 5:30 – 6:30pm, dinner 6:30 – 7:30pm and a short teaching 7:30 – 8:00pm. I hope you will join us. Bring your own beverage of choice and a friend.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **LADIES BIBLE STUDY**– Join us Thursdays from 5:00–6:30pm – Step into a deeper understanding of Scripture with our upcoming women's 10-week Bible study on the book of *Revelation* by Jen Wilkin. This is a space for women of all ages to gather, grow, and be encouraged in faith. We will be meeting in the annex conference room. Sign up sheet in Blanz Hall. For more details contact Bonnie Bridge.
- **WOMEN'S COFFEE FELLOWSHIP** – Come share conversation, laughter, and a warm cup of coffee with us! We'll gather on Saturday, November 8th from 9–11am—host and location to be announced soon. This welcoming group meets every second Saturday of the month, and we'd love for you to be part of it, bring a friend and enjoy a relaxed morning together. Interested in hosting? A sign-up sheet is available in Blanz Hall. Let's connect, encourage, and grow—one cup at a time.

OUTREACH ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **WINTER COATS & CLOTHES GIVEAWAY – DONATIONS NEEDED!** We're preparing for another Coat & Winter Clothes Giveaway early November (exact date to be announced). As the colder months approach, we want to ensure everyone in our community stays warm and cared for. **Please consider donating new or gently used winter outerwear—coats, hats, gloves, scarves, snow pants, and boots for all ages.** Donations can be dropped off in the clothing closet in the annex. Let's come together to share warmth and kindness with those who need it most. Thank you for being a part of this ministry! For mor information please contact Gretchen Lucky 231-622-2057



Who We Are

We, the Members of New Life Anglican Church, form a welcoming and loving Anglican community. As followers of Jesus Christ, we love and praise God, and love our neighbors as ourselves. We celebrate liturgy and the sacraments, engage in lifelong formation through the Holy Spirit, and proclaim God's reign of justice, mercy and peace.

Our Vision

We will glorify God by deepening the roots of our Anglican faith, and bringing people to new life in Jesus Christ.

If You Are Visiting For The First Time

We welcome you, and we pray you will encounter the Lord in this place.

If you have any special needs, please tell one of our greeters or ushers. One is usually seated at the back of the room during the service.

Bathrooms are at the bottom of the stairs: the ladies' room is to the right; the men's room is down the hallway on the left.

Please join us for coffee and refreshments downstairs.

We invite you to sign our guest book or a Visitor's Card in the pew and drop it in the offering plate.

If you need additional prayer after services, please ask someone on the prayer team or fill out a Prayer Request Card

If you would like to learn more about New Life, please let us know.

We pray God will bless your day, and we hope to see you here next Sunday.