Pentecost Sunday 8 June 2025 8 am Holy Eucharist

The Book of Common Prayer Communion service is found in the accompanying seasonal booklet. The Congregation joins in the **bold font**.

Collect of the Day

Presider: Let us pray,

All: Living God, you create all that is. Send forth your Spirit to renew and restore us, so that we may proclaim your good news in ways and words that all will embrace and believe. Amen.

The Epistle: Acts 2:1-21

Reader: The Epistle is taken from the Acts of the Apostles,

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. ² And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³ Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. ⁴ All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

⁵Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. ⁶And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. ⁷Amazed and astonished, they asked, 'Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? ⁸And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? ⁹Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, ¹¹Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power.' ¹²All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, 'What does this mean?' ¹³But others sneered and said, 'They are filled with new wine.'

¹⁴ But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: 'Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. ¹⁵ Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. ¹⁶ No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: ¹⁷ "In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. ¹⁸ Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy.¹⁹ And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. ²⁰ The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. ²¹ Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

Here endeth the Epistle.

Gradual Psalm: 104:24-34

²⁵ O LORD, how manifold are thy works! /
 In wisdom hast thou made them all; the earth is full of thy creatures.

- ²⁶ So is the great and wide sea also, /
 Wherein are things creeping innumerable, both small and great beasts.
- ²⁷ There go the ships; and there is Leviathan, / whom thou hast formed to take his pastime therein.
- ²⁸ These wait all upon thee, /

that thou mayest give them meat in due season.

- ²⁹ When thou givest it to them they gather it; / and when thou openest thy hand they are filled with good.
- ³⁰ When thou hidest thy face they are troubled: / when thou takest away their breath they die, and are turned again to their dust.
- ³¹ When thou lettest thy breath go forth they are made; / and thou renewest the face of the earth.
- ³² Let the glorious majesty of the LORD endure for ever; / let the LORD rejoice in his works.

- ³³ The earth shall tremble at the look of him;/ if he do but touch the hills they shall smoke.
- ³⁴ I will sing unto the LORD as long as I live: /
 I will praise my God while I have my being.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

The Gospel: John 14:15-17

Presider: The Lord be with you,
All: and with thy Spirit.
Presider: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.
All: Glory be to thee, O Lord.

[Jesus said] ¹⁵ 'If you love me, you will keep my commandments. ¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you for ever. ¹⁷ This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

The Gospel of Christ.

All: Praise be to thee, O Christ.

Next week's Readings for Trinity Sunday, June 15, 2025:

Proverbs 8:1-4 & 22-31; Psalm 8; Romans 5:1-5; John 16:12-15



This Week at HTC

Wednesday June 11

9:30 am Eucharist (Cathedral & Facebook Live) followed with coffee and conversation (Lounge) 10:30-11:30 am Bible Study (Lounge)

Thursday June 12

5.30 pm Vespers (online by Zoom, link in newsletter) 7:30-9 pm Choir Rehearsal in the Cathedral

Saturday June 14

10:30 am Confirmations at Christ Church Cathedral 11.00 am HTC Community Brunch (Parish Hall)

Sunday June 15

8.00 am BCP Eucharist (Cathedral & Facebook Live)10 am Choral Eucharist (Cathedral & Facebook Live)11:30 am Feast of the Holy Trinity parish lunch

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