

Pentecost 19
19 October 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: God of the dispossessed,
 you teach us to hunger for justice
 even when the weak are shut out
 and the powerful turn over in their beds:
 in the heat of our anger
 and the bitterness of our complaints,
 give us courage to protest,
 the persistence to pray and the heart to love;
 through Jesus Christ, the true judge. Amen.**

The Epistle: 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5

Reader: The Epistle is taken from the Second Letter to Timothy,

¹⁴ But as for you, continue in what you have learned and firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it, ¹⁵ and how from childhood you have known the sacred writings that are able to instruct you for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. ¹⁶ All scripture is inspired by God and is useful for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, ¹⁷ so that everyone who belongs to God may be proficient, equipped for every good work.

4 In the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who is to judge the living and the dead, and in view of his appearing and his kingdom, I solemnly urge you: ² proclaim the message; be persistent whether the time is favourable or unfavourable; convince, rebuke, and encourage, with the utmost patience in teaching. ³ For the time is coming when people will not put up with sound

doctrine, but having itching ears, they will accumulate for themselves teachers to suit their own desires, ⁴ and will turn away from listening to the truth and wander away to myths. ⁵ As for you, always be sober, endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist, carry out your ministry fully.

Here endeth the Epistle.

Gradual Psalm:119:97-104 *Quomodo dilexi!*

⁹⁷ LORD, what love have I unto thy law! /
all the day long is my study in it.

⁹⁸ Thy commandment maketh me wiser than mine enemies; /
for it is ever with me.

⁹⁹ I have more understanding than all my teachers; /
for thy testimonies are my study.

¹⁰⁰ I have more discernment than the aged; /
because I keep thy precepts.

¹⁰¹ I have refrained my feet from every evil way, /
that I may keep thy word.

¹⁰² I have not shrunk from thy judgements; /
for thou teachest me.

¹⁰³ O how sweet are thy words unto my throat, /
yea, sweeter than honey unto my mouth!

¹⁰⁴ Through thy precepts I get understanding: /
therefore I hate all evil ways.

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: Luke 18:1-8

Presider: The Lord be with you,

All: and with thy Spirit.

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

All: Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Then Jesus told them a parable about their need to pray always and not to lose heart. ² He said, 'In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor had respect for people. ³ In that city there was a widow who kept coming to him and saying, "Grant me justice against my opponent." ⁴ For a while he refused; but later he said to himself, "Though I have no fear of God and no respect for anyone, ⁵ yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will grant her justice, so that she may not wear me out by continually coming.'" ⁶ And the Lord said, 'Listen to what the unjust judge says. ⁷ And will not God grant justice to his chosen ones who cry to him day and night? Will he delay long in helping them? ⁸ I tell you, he will quickly grant justice to them. And yet, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?'

The Gospel of Christ.

All: Praise be to thee, O Christ.

Next Week's Readings for Pentecost 20, October 26, 2025:

Joel 2:23-32; Psalm 65; 2 Timothy 4:6-8 & 16-18;

Luke 18:9-14



This Week at HTC

Today

11:45-1 pm Parish Forum on Development (Upper Hall)

4-5:30 pm Servers' Workshop (Cathedral)

Monday

7-8:30 pm Servers' Workshop (Cathedral)

Wednesday

9:30- 10 am Midweek Eucharist (Cathedral & Facebook Live)

10:30-11:30 am Bible Study (Lounge)

Thursday

5.30 pm Vespers (online by Zoom, link in newsletter)

Saturday

11.00 am HTC Community Brunch (Parish Hall)

2 pm Wedding of Hilary Smith & Kym Cheeseman (Cathedral)

Sunday

8.00 am BCP Eucharist (Cathedral & Facebook Live)

10 am Choral Eucharist (Cathedral & Facebook Live)

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