

On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." After supper, he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, and said, "Drink this, all of you: 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 for the remembrance of me."

Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,  
*We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.*

Lord God of our Fathers; God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.  
*Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.*

Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation. AMEN.

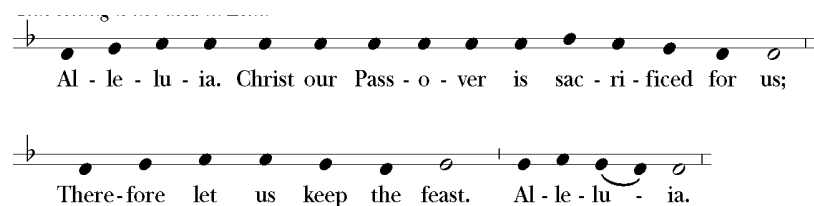
And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

*The Celebrant and People say*

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

*A period of silence is kept. The Celebrant and people sing the Fraction Anthem*



*The Celebrant continues*

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.)

### Music at Communion

Organ	Voluntary in G	Henry Heron
Hymn 433	"We gather together to ask the Lord's blessing"	Kremser
Motet	Author of Life Divine	Malcolm Archer

Author of life divine, who hast a table spread, furnished with mystic wine and everlasting bread, preserve the life thyself has given, and feed and train us up for heaven. Our needy souls sustain with fresh supplies of love, 'till all thy life we gain, and all thy fullness prove, and strengthened by thy perfect grace, behold without a veil thy face.

### The General Thanksgiving

*Celebrant and People*

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 him and make him known; and through him, at all times and in all places, may give thanks to you in all things. Amen.

### The Blessing

*The Celebrant blesses the people.*

In Procession, Hymn 397 "Now thank we all our God" Nun Danket

### The Dismissal

Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

*People* Thanks be to God.

Voluntary Trumpet Finale Francesco Manfredini

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*The flowers, fruits and vegetables at the High Altar are given to the glory of God, in thanksgiving for all that is gracious in our lives.*

# THANKSGIVING DAY

## FESTAL HOLY EUCHARIST



November 24, 2022

10:00 a.m.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

Jacksonville, Florida

## Celebrate the First Sunday of Advent

### Sunday, November 27, 2022

#### Happy New (Liturgical) Year!



- **Advent Wreath Making** at 9 a.m. & 11 a.m. in The Cathedral Bookstore The supplies to make a beautiful, fresh evergreen wreath cost \$10. No Christian Formation classes so that all may enjoy making a wreath.
- **Advent Procession of Lessons & Carols** at 5 p.m. in the Cathedral. Join us for this candlelit dramatic liturgy in movement. The procession symbolizes the bringing of light into darkness in anticipation of the coming of Christ. The Cathedral Choir sings carols from many lands and many ages.

## Welcome to St. John's Cathedral!

*In the period before the service we commend the keeping of silence for prayer, reflection, and quiet preparation. We are delighted to celebrate with you today and we look forward to seeing you again.*

<b>Voluntary</b>	Trumpet Tune Duet Three movements from <i>Water Music</i> <i>I. Allegretto, II. Allegretto, III. Allegro</i> <i>The Cathedral Brass</i>	Jeremiah Clarke G. F. Handel
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**Introit** I Will Give Thanks Gardner Evans

I will give thanks with my whole heart to the Lord. O do well unto thy servant, that I may live and keep thy word. Quicken thou me, O Lord, according to thy mercy.

**In Procession, Hymn 290** "Come, ye thankful people, come" St. George's Windsor

*When all have gathered the Celebrant says*

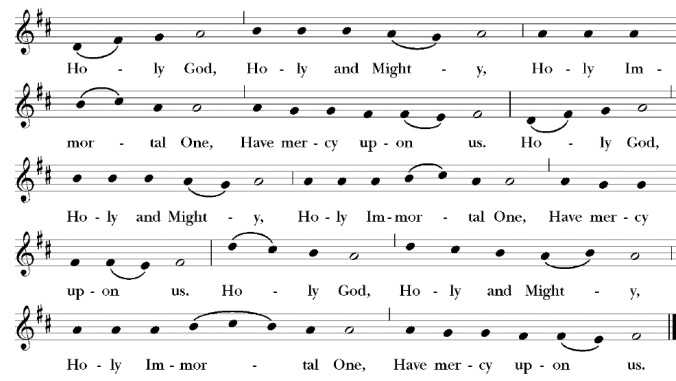
Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

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

*The Celebrant and people say*

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.*

**The Trisagion** Hymnal, S-100 David Hurd



*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* And also with you.

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

### The Collect of the Day

Almighty and gracious Father, we give you thanks for the fruits of the earth in their season and for the labors of those who harvest them. Make us, we pray, faithful stewards of your great bounty, for the provision of our necessities and the relief of all who are in need, to the glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

*The People are seated.*

**The Lesson** Philippians 4:4-9

*Lector* A Reading from Paul's letter to the Philippians.

Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing the things that you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you.

*Lector* The Word of the Lord.

*People* Thanks be to God.

*A period of silence follows the reading.*

*The choir sings*

**Psalms 100** BCP 782 John Stainer

*The People stand.*

**Hymn 291** "We plow the fields and scatter the good seeds" *Wir pflugen*

**The Gospel** John 6:25-35

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

*People* Glory to you, Lord Christ.

When the crowd found Jesus 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."

*Gospeler* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People* Praise to you, Lord Christ.

**The Sermon** The Rev. Tiffany McCall

**Solo** My Tribute (To God be the Glory) Andrae Crouch  
*Sharon McLendon, soloist*

*The People stand.*

### The Litany of Thanksgiving

*The Celebrant says*

Let us give thanks to God our Father for all his gifts so freely bestowed upon us.

*The Leader and the People pray responsively*

For the beauty and wonder of your creation, in earth and sky and sea,

*We thank you, Lord.*

For all that is gracious in the lives of men and women, revealing the image of Christ,

*We thank you, Lord.*

For our daily food and drink, our homes and families, and our friends,

*We thank you, Lord.*

For minds to think, and hearts to love, and hands to serve,

*We thank you, Lord.*

For health and strength to work, and leisure to rest and play,

*We thank you, Lord.*

For the brave and courageous, who are patient in suffering and faithful in adversity,

*We thank you, Lord.*

For all valiant seekers after truth, liberty, and justice,

*We thank you, Lord.*

For the communion of saints, in all times and places,

*We thank you, Lord.*

Above all, we give you thanks for the great mercies and promises given to us in Christ Jesus our Lord;

*To him be praise and glory, with you, O Father, and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. Amen.*

### The Peace

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

*People* And also with you.

### Welcome and Announcements

#### THE HOLY COMMUNION

**The Offertory** Jubilate Deo Herbert Howells

O be joyful in the Lord, all ye lands: serve the Lord with gladness, and come before his presence with a song. Be ye sure that the Lord he is God; it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. O go your way into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise; be thankful unto him, and speak good of his Name. For the Lord is gracious, his mercy is everlasting; and his truth endureth from generation to generation. As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

**Hymn 380, stanza 3** "Praise God, from whom all blessings flow" *Old 100th*

**The Great Thanksgiving** Eucharistic Prayer C, BCP 369

*The People stand.*

*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 him thanks and praise.

*The Peoples' responses are in italics. The Celebrant continues*

God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.

*Glory to you for ever and ever.*

At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

*By your will they were created and have their being.*

From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

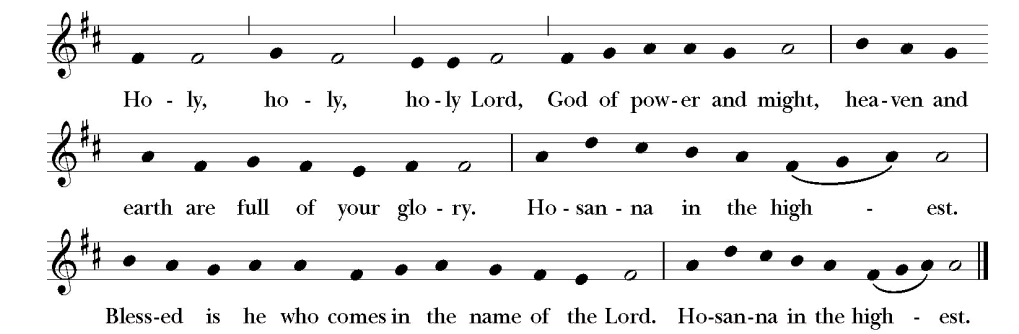
*Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.*

Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

*By his blood, he reconciled us. By his wounds, we are healed.*

And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

*Celebrant and People* Hymnal, S-124 David Hurd



*The People stand or kneel. The Celebrant continues*

And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

*At the following words concerning the bread, the Celebrant is to hold it or lay a hand upon it; and at the words concerning the cup, to hold or place a hand upon the cup and any other vessel containing wine to be consecrated.*