



St. Timothy's Episcopal Church
Lake Jackson, Texas

Our Vision

*Empowered by the Holy Spirit,
we experience the love of Jesus Christ
and share it with others.*

HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II
ALL SAINTS' CELEBRATION
November 5, 2023 - 10:30 a.m.

Welcome to St. Timothy's! You are invited to participate fully in today's worship service. This bulletin contains all the prayers and responses said by the People. If you wish to use the Book of Common Prayer [BCP], the page numbers are given in brackets.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements are in the insert.

THE WORD OF GOD

Processional Hymn *For All The Saints, Who From Their Labors Rest* **Hymn 287**

Opening Acclamation

[BCP 299]

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

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

The Celebrant then continues

There is one Body and one Spirit;

People **There is one hope in God's call to us;**

Priest One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;

People **One God and Father of all.**

Priest The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Priest Let us pray.

Glory to God *(all sing)*

John Rutter

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Glo-ry to God in the high-est,_____ and peace to his peo-ple on

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earth._____ Lord God, heav'n - ly King, al - might - ty God_ and Fa - ther, _

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_____ we wor - ship you_ we give you thanks, we praise you for_ your glo - ry._____

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_____ Lord Je - sus Christ,_____ on - ly Son of the Fa - ther,_____ Lord God,

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Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy on us;_____ you are

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seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther:_____ re - ceive our prayer._____ For you a -

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lone are the Ho - ly One,_____ you a - lone are the Lord,_____ you a -

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lone are the Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit,_____

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in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther, A - _____ men.

The Collect of the Day

[BCP 245]

Priest The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Priest Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. ***Amen.***

The First Lesson: Revelation 7:9-17 (*sit*)

After this I, John, looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying,

"Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, singing,

"Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom
and thanksgiving and honor
and power and might
be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

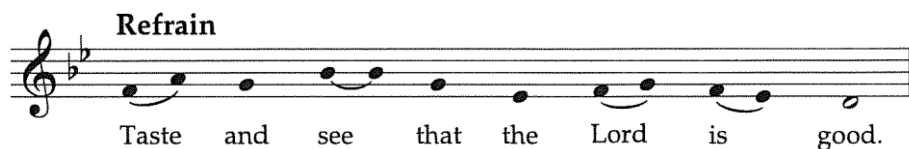
"For this reason they are before the throne of God,
and worship him day and night within his temple,
and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them.
They will hunger no more, and thirst no more;
the sun will not strike them,
nor any scorching heat;
for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd,
and he will guide them to springs of the water of life,
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

After the reading

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 34:1-10, 22 (*sung by the cantor*)



1 I will bless the LORD at all times; *
his praise shall ever be in my mouth.

2 I will glory in the LORD; *
let the humble hear and rejoice.

Refrain

3 Proclaim with me the greatness of the LORD; *
let us exalt his Name together.

4 I sought the LORD, and he answered me *
and delivered me out of all my terror.

Refrain

5 Look upon him and be radiant, *
and let not your faces be ashamed.

6 I called in my affliction and the LORD heard me *
and saved me from all my troubles.

Refrain

7 The angel of the LORD encompasses those who fear him, *
and he will deliver them.

8 Taste and see that the LORD is good; *
happy are they who trust in him!

Refrain

9 Fear the LORD, you that are his saints, *
for those who fear him lack nothing.

10 The young lions lack and suffer hunger, *
but those who seek the LORD lack nothing that is good.

22 The LORD ransoms the life of his servants, *
and none will be punished who trust in him.

Refrain

The Epistle: 1 John 3:1-3

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

After the reading

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

The Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12

Priest The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

The Gospel passage is read.

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

"Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

"Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

Priest: The Gospel of the Lord.

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

The Sermon (*sit*)

The Reverend Alex Montes-Vela
Missioner for Congregational Vitality – New Initiatives

Reaffirmation of our Baptismal Covenant

The Celebrant then says these or similar words

Let us renew our own baptismal covenant.

The Baptismal Covenant

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Father?

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

Celebrant Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

People **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.

Celebrant Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

People **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.**

Celebrant Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and
fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers ?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Celebrant Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

People **I will, with God's help.**

Prayers for those renewing their baptismal vows.

The Celebrant then says to the congregation

Let us now pray for all who are renewing their baptismal vows.

A Person appointed leads the following petitions

Leader Deliver them, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Open their hearts to your grace and truth.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Fill them with your holy and life-giving Spirit.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Keep them in the faith and communion of your holy Church.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Teach them to love others in the power of the Spirit.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Send them into the world in witness to your love.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Leader Bring them to the fullness of your peace and glory.

People **Lord, hear our prayer.**

The Celebrant says

Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in the power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Peace (*stand*)

All stand. The Celebrant says to the people

Priest: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Then the Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

- *Godly Play returns to the sanctuary*

Members of St. Timothy's healing prayer team are available in the side chapel to pray with anyone who desires healing for themselves or others. Simply go to the side chapel after taking communion.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Offertory Sentence: Let us with gladness present the offerings and oblations of our life and labor to the Lord.

We celebrate this Holy Eucharist to the glory of God and in remembrance of all the saints, the family and friends listed, who have departed this life:

Members:
Dale Rasco and Carol Cole

We also remember:

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|---------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| Corbin Aslakson | Gaines & Anne Hammond | Dolly Moseley |
| Beulah & J. W. Blankenship | Leola & Stanley Jablecki | Pat & Jim Moyer |
| Jason Blankenship | Beth Jacobsen | Frances & Ragland Neathery |
| Bob | Jeannie | Scott Owens |
| Margaret Bondor | Jim | Rev. Andy Parker |
| Margaret Speer Bunt & F.A. Bunt | Larry Johnson | Janet Parker |
| Kelley Coats | Levie Johnson | Bruce Penstone |
| Cookie | Dorothy & Chester Jones | Carolyn Pyle |
| Aubrey Cormier | Boots Kautz | Clinton Pyle |
| Bruce Crutchfield | Donna Kautz | Bill Reeves |
| Harriet Cutshall | Margaret Kautz | Beverly & George Schuelke |
| Jack Cutshall | J. R. & Frances Kavanaugh | Scott |
| Mark Cutshall | Charles Kingsley | Sean |
| Mary & Stan Cutshall | Glenda Lehnhoff | Chuck Senecal |
| Margaret Dingee | Beth A. Mathis | Pat Shores |
| Dorothy | Edna McCabe | John Skidmore |
| Allen Ervin | Michael McCabe | Isabelle Spacht |
| Jerryln Keaton Ervin | Jake & Gertis McKneely | Richard "Papap" Sprankle |
| Ron Frieauf | Bill & Bobbeye Meadar | Sue |
| Ed & Lydia Frieauf | Michael | Tony |
| Fannie Gibson | Charlie Miller | Travis |
| Shirley Gillman | Mom and Dad | Eva. S. Weir |
| | | William H. Weir, Jr. |

May their souls and the souls of all the departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

The Offertory

Cantique de Jean Racine
Chancel Choir

Gabriel Faure

O redeemer divine, our soul hope of salvation,
eternal light of the earth and the sky,
we kneel in adoration,
O savior, turn on us thy loving eye.

Send down on us the fire of Thy grace all consuming,
whose wondrous might dispersed the powers of hell,
and rouse our slumbering souls with radiance
all illumining, that they may waken Thy mercy to tell!

O Christ bestow Thy blessing to us we implore Thee,
who here are gathered on penitent knee.
Accept the hymns we chant to Thine everlasting glory,
and these Thy gifts we return unto Thee.

(The gifts are brought forward by members)

Doxology *(The people stand) (all sing)*

Hymn 380, vs. 3

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host:
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Priest: All things come from thee, O Lord.

People: **And of thine own have we given thee.**

The Great Thanksgiving *Eucharistic Prayer A*

[BCP 361]

Priest The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Priest Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Priest Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Through Jesus Christ our Lord; who on the first day of the week overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. 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:

Sanctus (S128) *(all sing)*

William Mathias



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly,
ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho-san-na in the
high - est. Bless - ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high-est.

The people stand or kneel.

The Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

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.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, 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; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, 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."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues

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

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

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.**

The Lord's Prayer

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

Priest and People **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

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.

A period of silence is kept.

Fraction Anthem (S155) (all sing)

Setting by Gerald Near

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le -
lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. Christ our Pass - o - ver is
sac - ri - ficed for us; there - fore let us keep the feast.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Facing the people, the Priest says the following Invitation

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.

The Ministration of Communion

All baptized Christians are welcome to come to the Lord's Table and receive the bread and wine of communion. Others are invited to come forward for a blessing, indicated by crossing your arms over your chest. If you need a gluten-free wafer, please tell the priest just before you receive communion.

Communion Hymns

- Hymn 620 (all sing)

Jerusalem, My Happy Home

- Hymn 526 (all sing)

Let Saints On Earth In Concert Sing

The Post Communion Prayer *(stand)*

Priest Let us pray.

Priest and People Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. **Amen.**

When a Eucharistic Visitor is sent out:

Priest N., in the name of Jesus Christ and of this congregation,
I send you forth bearing these holy gifts,

People that those to whom you go may share in the Communion
of Christ's Body and Blood.

All *We who are many, are one body, because we all share one bread, one cup.*

The Blessing

Recessional Hymn

By All Your Saints Still Striving



1. By all your saints still_ striv - ing, for all your saints at rest, your
2. Ap - ost - les, pro - phets mart - yrs, and all the no - ble thron'g who
3. Then let us praise the_ fath - er and wor - ship God the Son and



ho - ly name, O Je - sus, for ev - er - more - be blessed. You
wear the spot - less_ rai - ment and raise the_ cease - less song: for
sing to God the_ Spi - rit, e - ter - nal_ Three in One, till



rose, our King vic - tor - rious, that they might wear the crown and
them and those whose wit - ness is onl - ly known to you, by
all the ran - somed num - ber who stand be - fore the throne a -



ev - er shine in splen - dor re - flect - ed from your throne.
walk - ing in their foot - steps we give you praise a - new.
scribe all power and glo - ry and praise to God a - lone.

The Dismissal

Priest Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.
People **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

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Notes:

This Week at St. Timothy's

Sunday, November 5, 2023 (Guest Preacher: The Reverend Alex Montes-Vela)

8:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite I

9:30 a.m. – Meet with Rev. Alex Montes-Vela in the Blue Room

9:30-10:15 a.m. – Fellowship in the Parish Hall

10:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite II (Godly Play, Room 370)

11:45 a.m. – Fellowship in the Welcome Center

Monday, November 6, 2023

7:00-8:30 p.m. – Round Dance Lessons (Waltz), Parish Hall

Tuesday, November 7, 2023

Wednesday, November 8, 2023

8:30 a.m. – Army of Retired Men (ARM), All are welcome

11 a.m.-12 p.m. – Silent Prayer (in the Chapel)

6:00-7:00 p.m. – Handbell Choir Rehearsal

7:00 p.m. – Chancel Choir Rehearsal

8:00 p.m. – Compline (FB Live)

Thursday, November 9, 2023

Friday, November 10, 2023

10:00 a.m. – Healing Prayer Group, Welcome Center

6:00-10:00 p.m. – Gulf Coast Duplicate Bridge Group, Blue Room

Saturday, November 11, 2023

8:30-11:30 a.m. – Fall Work Day

9:30-11:00 a.m. – DOK Meeting, Parish Hall

Sunday, November 12, 2023

7:30 a.m. – Brotherhood of St. Andrew Study and Breakfast, Parish Hall

8:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite I

9:30-10:15 a.m. – Fellowship in the Parish Hall

10:30 a.m. – Holy Eucharist, Rite II (Godly Play, Room 370)

11:45 a.m. – Fellowship in the Welcome Center

2:30 p.m. – Brazosport Daylily Society Meeting, Blue Room

5:30-8:00 p.m. – Youth and Family Pirate-themed event, David & Pastor
Robin's home (fajitas will be served!)

St. Timothy's Episcopal Church

Altar Party

Acolytes:

Chalicer/Intercessor: Angela McCabe

Lector: Sandra Weir

Usher: Denis and Judi James

Healing Prayer: Char Aslakson and Bunny Schockmel

Rector: The Reverend Robin Reeves-Kautz

Guest Preacher: The Reverend Alex Montes-Vela

Director of Music: Andrea Hutchison

Organist: Bonnie McDaniel

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