



TRANSFORMATION Anglican Church

Redemption

Inspiration

Transformation

We are so glad you chose to worship our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ with us this morning. Our worship is a balance of Scripture, Spirit and Sacrament. It is our prayer that you will experience an authentic connection to the Lord today.

HEARING RECEIVERS AVAILABLE. PLEASE SEE USHER FOR ASSISTANCE.

Church Information

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Hours: 9:00 a.m. — 5:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST
September 15, 2019

Procession into the Church/Praise and Worship

Ministry of the Word of God

The Acclamation (Stand)

Celebrant Alleluia! Alleluia! Blessed be God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever!**
Alleluia! Alleluia!

The Collect for Purity

Celebrant & People

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 Summary of the Law

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*

Kyrie

Celebrant Lord, have mercy upon us.

People **Christ, have mercy upon us.**

Celebrant Lord, have mercy upon us.

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And with your spirit.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

O God, because without you we are not able to please you, mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

The Lessons

Old Testament

(Sit)

Exodus 32:1, 7-14

Reader A reading from Exodus.

¹ When the people saw that Moses delayed to come down from the mountain, the people gathered themselves together to Aaron and said to him, "Up, make us gods who shall go before us. As for this Moses, the man who brought us up out of the land of Egypt, we do not know what has become of him."

⁷ And the LORD said to Moses, "Go down, for your people, whom you brought up out of the land of Egypt, have corrupted themselves. ⁸ They have turned aside quickly out of the way that I commanded them. They have made for themselves a golden calf and have worshiped it and sacrificed to it and said, 'These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!'" ⁹ And the LORD said to Moses, "I have seen this people, and behold, it is a stiff-necked people. ¹⁰ Now therefore let me alone, that my wrath may burn hot against them and I may consume them, in order that I may make a great nation of you."¹¹ But Moses implored the LORD his God and said, "O LORD, why does your wrath burn hot against your people, whom you have brought out of the land of Egypt with great power and with a mighty hand? ¹² Why should the Egyptians say, 'With evil intent did he bring them out, to kill them in the mountains and to consume them from the face of the earth'? Turn from your burning anger and relent from this disaster against your people.

¹³ Remember Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, your servants, to whom you swore by your own self, and said to them, 'I will multiply your offspring as the stars of heaven, and all this land that I have promised I will give

to your offspring, and they shall inherit it forever.'" ¹⁴ And the LORD relented from the disaster that he had spoken of bringing on his people.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

(Silence for meditation on the scripture.)

Psalm 51:1-17

(Stand)

- ¹ Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love;
 according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions.
- ² Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity,
 and cleanse me from my sin!
- ³ For I know my transgressions,
 and my sin is ever before me.
- ⁴ Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your
 sight, so that you may be justified in your words and blameless in
 your judgment.
- ⁵ Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity,
 and in sin did my mother conceive me.
- ⁶ Behold, you delight in truth in the inward being,
 and you teach me wisdom in the secret heart.
- ⁷ Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean;
 wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.
- ⁸ Let me hear joy and gladness;
 let the bones that you have broken rejoice.
- ⁹ Hide your face from my sins,
 and blot out all my iniquities.
- ¹⁰ Create in me a clean heart, O God,
 and renew a right spirit within me.
- ¹¹ Cast me not away from your presence,
 and take not your Holy Spirit from me.
- ¹² Restore to me the joy of your salvation,
 and uphold me with a willing spirit.
- ¹³ Then I will teach transgressors your ways,
 and sinners will return to you.
- ¹⁴ Deliver me from blood guiltiness, O God, O God of my salvation,

and my tongue will sing aloud of your righteousness.

¹⁵ O Lord, open my lips,

and my mouth will declare your praise.

¹⁶ For you will not delight in sacrifice, or I would give it;
you will not be pleased with a burnt offering.

¹⁷ The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit;

a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever.

(Silence for meditation on the scripture.)

New Testament

(Sit)

1 Timothy 1:12-17

Reader A reading from 1st Timothy.

¹² I thank him who has given me strength, Christ Jesus our Lord, because he judged me faithful, appointing me to his service, ¹³ though formerly I was a blasphemer, persecutor, and insolent opponent. But I received mercy because I had acted ignorantly in unbelief, ¹⁴ and the grace of our Lord overflowed for me with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. ¹⁵ The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the foremost. ¹⁶ But I received mercy for this reason, that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display his perfect patience as an example to those who were to believe in him for eternal life. ¹⁷ To the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

(Silence for meditation on the scripture.)

Gospel Hymn

(Stand)

Holy Gospel

(Stand)

Luke 15:1-10

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. Luke.

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

the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People

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

Leader For the peace of the whole world, and for the well-being and unity of the people of God. Lord, in your mercy,

People **Hear our prayer.**

Leader For our archbishop, **Foley Beach**; for our bishop, **Bill Atwood**; for all the clergy and people of our diocese, especially this week in the diocesan cycle of prayer, **Christ Our Redeemer Anglican Church in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma**, and for all the clergy and people of our congregation. Lord, in your mercy,

People **Hear our prayer.**

Leader For all those who proclaim the Gospel at home and abroad, and for all who teach and disciple others, including our missionaries and outreach ministries, especially this week: **Austin Street Center**. Lord, in your mercy,

People **Hear our prayer.**

Leader Together, let us pray:
People **Lord, you invite us to test you by bringing our full tithe so that you will open the windows of heaven and pour down blessings until there is no need. (Malachi 3:10) Thank you for using all of us to build your kingdom in this church.**

Leader Lord, in your mercy,
People **Hear our prayer.**

Leader For our brothers and sisters in Christ worldwide who are persecuted for their faith. Help us to pray that they may sense God's presence and comfort; see God open doors to evangelism so they may boldly share the gospel; mature in their faith and be granted wisdom in covert ministry work; remain joyful amid suffering; and forgive and love their persecutors. Lord, in your mercy,
People **Hear our prayer.**

Leader For our nation, for those in authority and for all in public service, for those in the US military, and for all first responders: police officers, fire fighters, and medical personnel. Lord, in your mercy,
People **Hear our prayer.**

Leader For all the blessings of this life, let us pray to the Lord. We invite your thanksgivings at this time...(people may share here)
Lord in your mercy,
People **Hear our prayer.**

Leader For all those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, let us pray to the Lord. We invite your petitions at this time...(people may share here) Lord, in your mercy,
People **Hear our prayer.**

Leader For all those who have departed this life in the certain hope of the resurrection, in thanksgiving let us pray.
Lord, in your mercy,
People **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 forever. **Amen.**

The Confession and Absolution of Sin

Celebrant

Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

Silence (Kneel)

Celebrant & People

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. 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

Celebrant Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him. The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. *1 Timothy 1:15*

If you are a member of our Prayer Gardeners, Prayer Ministries and/or the Prayer Shawl Ministry, please stand where you are for a blessing.

Prayer of Blessing

“The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you, and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up his countenance upon you, and give you peace.” Amen.

Ministry of the Sacrament

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And with your spirit.**

[Please exchange the peace with those immediately around you as an act of worship; the Sanctus bells will be rung to signal the end of this time.]

Pew Books:

VISITORS AND MEMBERS, please be sure you fill the pew book out completely with address, zip code, etc.; without this information we have no way of welcoming visitors and making address changes for members.

Prayer Request: If you wish, you may complete the **Thanksgivings and Prayers** form inserted in this bulletin for inclusion in our Corporate Prayers at the **Offertory** and our **Intercessory Prayer** time during the week.

The Offertory

(Sit)

Celebrant

Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God. *Ephesians 5:2*

We encourage you to use offering envelopes for tax purposes. If you do not currently have offering envelopes or have forgotten to bring same, please ask an usher for one. Call 972-772-5525 if you would like a set of numbered envelopes.

Offertory Anthem

(Sit)

Ensemble

(Food offerings may be brought to the front of the Church.)

Doxology

(Stand)

The Sursum Corda (Stand) ACNA Renewed Ancient Text

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And with your spirit.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

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

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

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; according to whose most true promise, the Holy Spirit came down from heaven, lighting upon the disciples, to teach them and to lead them into all truth, giving them boldness and fervent zeal constantly to preach the Gospel to all nations; by which we have been brought out of darkness and error into the clear light and true knowledge of you, and of your Son Jesus Christ.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

The Sanctus *Celebrant and People*

The Prayer of Consecration (Kneel)

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 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. Alleluia!

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, so that he may dwell in us and we in him. And bring us with all your saints into the fullness 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 forever. **Amen.**

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

The Lord's Prayer

The Fraction

Celebrant Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us

People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!**

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*

Fraction Anthem

All Baptized Christians are invited to communion. Please extend both hands to receive the bread and assist the server by guiding the chalice to your lips. If you do not desire the cup, leave the bread in your hand. The server will dip it in the wine and return it to you. For those not receiving communion, you are welcome to come for a blessing by crossing your arms over your heart as you come before the priest. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request.

PRAYER MINISTRY: After receiving communion, Prayer Teams are available through the doors to the right of the altar.

Communion Music

The Post Communion Prayer (Kneel)

Celebrant Let us pray.

Celebrant & People

Heavenly Father, 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 forever. Amen.

Celebrant

[FATHER, anoint our Visitation Communion Ministry.

LORD JESUS, bless those who will receive your body and blood.

HOLY SPIRIT, empower those who administer this sacrament. **Amen.]**

The Blessing

(Stand)

Celebrant

The Spirit of truth lead you into all truth, give you grace to confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, and strengthen you to proclaim the word and works

of God; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit be with you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Recessional (Stand)

The Dismissal

Deacon Alleluia! Alleluia! Let us go forth in the name of Christ.
People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Ministers - Congregation
The Most Rev. Foley Beach, Archbishop
The Rt. Rev. Dr. Bill Atwood, Bishop
The Rev. Don McLane, Pastor
The Rev. Bob Hackendorf, Assisting Priest
The Rev. Bill Schulgen, Deacon
STAFF
John Shaver, Executive Director of Ministries
Randy Wills, Music Director
Jennifer Horan, Nursery Director **Anne Horan, Parish Administrator**
ADVISORY COUNCIL
Jim Blevins, Rick Maneval, Tom Ryan;
Sharon Figueroa, Senior Advisor; Dan Liane, Treasurer

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES AND EVENTS
Week of September 15, 2019

TODAY	9:30 a.m.	Christian Education*
	10:30 a.m.	Worship Service*
THURSDAY	10:00 a.m.	Women's Bible Fellowship- Croll's
SATURDAY	7:30 a.m.	Men's Bible Fellowship
	10:00 a.m.	Order of St. Luke
SUN., 22nd	9:30 a.m.	Christian Education*
	10:30 a.m.	Worship Service*
	11:45 a.m.	Pastor's Lunch

Please call the Church office for more information regarding these meetings.
****Nursery/Preschool Provided***

PROPER FOR SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2019

OT	Amos 8:4-12	Psalm	138
NT	1 Timothy 2:1-15	Gospel	Luke 16:1-13

Goal for 'It Is Finished' Reached!

We are thrilled to announce that the **goal for the purchase price and installation of the sculpture 'It Is Finished' has been reached!** Thank you so much to each of you who gave from your heart for this piece. We pray it will bring honor to our Lord!

North Texas Giving Day 2019

Communities Foundation of Texas' 11th Annual North Texas Giving Day will be **Thursday, September 19, 2019!** Join the 2019 Honorary Chairs, Dirk and Jessica Nowitzki, and all of North Texas for an **18-hour giving extravaganza to benefit our local nonprofits and make a difference here at home.**

Nonprofits near and dear to us that participate are: **Austin Street Center** (an emergency shelter that serves men ages 45 and older and women ages 18 and older, providing a safe place to sleep, showers, clothing, and meals) and **Our Friends Place** (a transitional living and outreach program dedicated to helping young women break the generational cycles of abuse, neglect, poverty and homelessness through empowering self-reliance and independence). **Please give as you can!**



Pastor's Lunch

After worship on Sunday, September 22nd, we will have Lunch with the Pastor in the parish hall. This provides an **opportunity for those who may be interested in joining our church to spend time with the staff to learn more about Anglicanism and what membership**

here at Transformation means.

Membership Sunday/Covered Dish Lunch

If at least two individuals/families make the decision at the Pastor's Lunch to move forward into membership, they are invited to participate the following **Sunday, September 29th in our Membership Service during worship**. This will be **followed by a covered dish Last Sunday in September Celebration** as we prepare to move to two services the following week.

Transformation Anglican Church Grows to Two Services!

In order to **fulfill the Great Commission of bringing new people to the kingdom of God** (Matthew 28:18-20), **we must make room for the new people God wants to bring to this place** to learn about Him and to grow in Him. **Moving to two services is the way to make this happen**. So, on **October 6, 2019**, we begin the following schedule:

8:30-9:45 1st service
10:00 -10:45 Christian Education
11:00 -12:15 2nd service

These services will be identical in liturgy and music. People may choose a different service on any given Sunday because of when they wake up, plans they have for the day, etc. These times provide leeway for movement of the Holy Spirit, time to fellowship over a cup of coffee, etc. while also providing easy to remember start times.