

The Episcopal Church of the Holy Cross

Tryon, North Carolina

The Diocese of Western North Carolina

The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost, October 16, 2011

Rector, the Rev. Dr. Michael Doty

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Gift of Hope Holiday Fair featuring Ten Thousand Villages will be held at St. James in Hendersonville. Saturday, Nov. 5, from 10 to 4 and Sunday, Nov. 6, from 10 to 3. Sponsored by their Outreach Committee. Wonderful gifts, food, raffles and music. Join the fun.

Holy Cross has a really Great website! Go ahead and try it! Really! It's not hard! Everything you need to know, from classes to day trips to lay servers to youth and music. Get used to checking the website for all your Holy Cross information! www.holycrosstryon.org

Also our Youth group now has its own Facebook Page! We rock!

8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Holy Eucharist

Rite Two

The Liturgy of the Word

Organ Voluntary Like the Murmur of a Dove's Song (*Bridegroom*) Robert J. Powell
Organ Solo

Near the Cross
Holy Cross Handbells

William H. Doane
arr. Vicki Pennington

Processional Hymn: #414 God, my King, thy might confessing *Stuttgart*

The Collect for Purity *BCP 355*

The Summary of the Law *BCP 324*

A Song of Praise: Gloria (Hymnal S-280) *BCP 356*

The Collect of the Day *BCP 235*

Almighty and everlasting God, in Christ you have revealed your glory among the nations: Preserve the works of your mercy, that your Church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

The First Lesson: Isaiah 45:1-7

Thus says the LORD to his anointed, to Cyrus, whose right hand I have grasped to subdue nations before him and strip kings of their robes, to open doors before him--

Serving Sunday, October 16, 2011

	8:30	10:30
Greeter	Mary Ellen Wuerfel	Cindy Barnett
Greeters	Dorothy Wyckoff	Sam Doar
Usher	Jerry Pospil	Paul Zeese
Usher	Sam Doar	Nancy Ernst
Crucifer	Ed Craig	Todd Walter
Acolyte	Ed Craig	Lori Walter
Acolyte	***	Katy Murphy
Lector	Ken Johnston	Charles Breuer
Prayers	Ken Johnston	Henry Moffitt
Chalice	Peter Fenn	Peter Franklin
Chalice	Lynn Page	Bill Kelly
LEV	Youth	Bill Kelly
LEV	***	Leslie Huntley
		Julie Babcock
Coffee	Ed & Shirley Craig	Gene & Jean Moore

Sexton	Peter Fenn
Altar Guild	Barbraann Barraud, Pat Seifert, Harriett Sams, Lynn Page
Flower Guild	Patsy Hanskat, Gillian Butts
Vestry in Charge	Boyd Correll

Serving Sunday, October 23, 2011

	8:30	10:30
Greeter	Mary Clare Jenks	Wanda Doar
Greeter	Dorothy Schwobel	Joan Shephard
Usher	Alan Batchelder	Ambrose Mills
Usher	Ed Craig	Jeanne Mills
Crucifer	Madison Alexander	Elizabeth Walter
Acolyte		Rebecca Price
Acolyte		
Lector	Norma Batchelder	Pat Seofert
Prayers	Norma Batchelder	Penn Dean
Chalice	Bo Edwards	Tom Moore
Chalice		Pam Doty
LEV	Bo Edwards	Pam Doty
LEV		Barraud/Wuerfel
Coffee	Joan Lonnes	??

Sexton	Peter Fenn
Altar Guild	Barbara Sallmon, Frankie Hillouse, Lynn Page

Flower Guild	Patsy Hanskat, Gillian Butts
Vestry in Charge	Pat Komorous

and the gates shall not be closed: I will go before you and level the mountains, I will break in pieces the doors of bronze and cut through the bars of iron, I will give you the treasures of darkness and riches hidden in secret places, so that you may know that it is I, the LORD, the God of Israel, who call you by your name. For the sake of my servant Jacob, and Israel my chosen, I call you by your name, I surname you, though you do not know me. I am the LORD, and there is no other; besides me there is no god. I arm you, though you do not know me, so that they may know, from the rising of the sun and from the west, that there is no one besides me; I am the LORD, and there is no other. I form light and create darkness, I make weal and create woe; I the LORD do all these things.

Psalm 96:1-9, (10-13), Page 725, BCP

Cantate Domino



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1. Sing to the LORD a new song; *
sing to the LORD, all the whole earth.
2. Sing to the LORD and bless his Name; *
proclaim the good news of his salvation from day to day.
3. Declare his glory among the nations *
and his wonders among all peoples.
4. For great is the LORD and greatly to be praised; *
he is more to be feared than all gods.
5. As for all the gods of the nations, they are but idols; *
but it is the LORD who made the heavens.
6. Oh, the majesty and magnificence of his presence! *
Oh, the power and the splendor of his sanctuary!

Announcements for the Week of October 16, 2011

The Church of the Holy Cross seeks to welcome, love, and serve all people as we come to know God through Jesus Christ

Welcome, Visitors! We extend a warm welcome to you. In your pew you will find a visitor's card with a gold cross inside. Please fill out the card and put it in the collection plate. Also, please wear the gold cross on your lapel so that we may greet you. **There is a Nursery available each Sunday.** Just ask the ushers to direct you.

Adult Sunday Class The group is studying the book "Your Faith." Discussion is led by Todd Walter. Pick up lessons from the table in the hallway and join us in the McGavern Room at 9:40 am on Sunday mornings.

Please don't miss our Choral Evensong on Sunday, November 6, 2011, at 6:00 pm. Works include composers by J. S. Bach, Martin Neary, John Rutter, and Richard Shephard. Craig Williams will serve as cantor for this traditional service.

ADVENT QUIET DATE RETREAT Mark your calendars NOW for FRIDAY, December 2. We will go to River Ministries near Rutherfordton, for a day of prayer, teaching and meditation led by Deacon Marilyn Walters. The retreat will be from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. The cost of \$20.00 per person includes lunch and materials. Please use the sign-up sheet outside the Common Room. Men and women are invited to stop and pause before the busy holidays overtake us.

Please sign up to host coffee after the service. The sign-up sheets are on the bulletin board outside the Common Room. This is a very important welcoming ministry. Tap a friend and co-host if you like! If you have questions about hosting, call Penn Dean, the coffee coordinator, at 864-895-1388.

With the colder weather the Closet at the **Church of the Advocate** needs warm jackets and hoodies for men, sweatshirts and pants, warm caps, gloves. We also need men's shoes, white socks, underwear, t-shirts, pants and jeans. Our women are over-supplied except for sneaker's and women's jackets. We always need sleeping bags, blankets and pillows. Please leave donations on the table in the downstairs hallway.

OUTREACH Holy Cross has helped many, many local residents with financial support for rent, water and utilities this summer. The Outreach Fund is severely depleted. With fall and winter coming we expect the need to increase. If you would like, you may use the Outreach envelope in the pews to make a contribution.

PRAYER LIST October 16, 2011

Phyllis Ackerman
 J.C. Alexander
 Mary Jean Alexander
George Baker
Jack Carey
Gen Choate
 Ernie Dillard
 Terrance Doyle
 Jenny Drummond
 Scott Duvall
Barbara Haythorn
 Jerry Henson
Lillie Hilton
 Sean Holston

Chris Killough
 Anita Knopp
 Robert Linder
Jean Marshall
Bill McCown
 Mary Meyers
Lynn Page
 Larry Phipps
John Salmon
 Tom Schwab
 Jim & Sue Trollinger
 Dave Warden
 Caroline Wells
 Holly Zeese

Our Friends at
 White Oak
 Laurel Woods
 Autumn Care
 Tryon Estates
 and those who
 minister to them

*Holy Cross Members
 shown in **BOLD***

To place someone on the prayer list, please take a form from the office door, fill it out and put it in Wanda's mailbox. Please use the prayer list for acute or crisis situation. We will leave the name on for a month or so before we remove it. We attempt to review the prayer list periodically in order to stay current.

Birthdays this week

10/16 Sarah OSteen
 10/18 Leighton Butts
 10/19 Leslie Huntley
 10/19 Shirley Bradley
 10/19 Tim Johnston
 10/22 Jeanette Shackelford

Anniversaries

10/19 Wanda & George May

This Coming Week at Holy Cross			
Sun	10/16	9:40 am	Sunday School
Wed	10/19	8:30 am	Morning Prayer in Chapel
Wed	10/19	10:00 am	Eucharist and Healing
Wed	10/19	5:45 pm	Handbell Rehearsal
Wed	10/19	7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal
Thu	10/20	10:00 am	"Crossings" group
Thu	10/20	8:00 pm	AA Parish Hall
Sat	10/22	9:30 am	Grassroots Art Group

7. Ascribe to the LORD, you families of the peoples; *
 ascribe to the LORD honor and power.
8. Ascribe to the LORD the honor due his Name; *
 bring offerings and come into his courts.
9. Worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness; *
 let the whole earth tremble be-fore him.
10. Tell it out among the nations: "The LORD is King! *
 he has made the world so firm that it cannot be moved;
 he will judge the peoples with equity."
11. Let the heavens rejoice, and let the earth be glad;
 let the sea thunder and all that is in it; *
 let the field be joyful and all that is there-in.
12. Then shall all the trees of the wood shout for joy
 before the LORD when he comes, *
 when he comes to judge the earth.
13. He will judge the world with righteousness *
 and the peoples with his truth.

The Second Lesson: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace.

We always give thanks to God for all of you and mention you in our prayers, constantly remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labor of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. For we know, brothers and sisters beloved by God, that he has chosen you, because our message of the gospel came to you not in word only, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction; just as you know what kind of persons we proved to be among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for in spite of persecution you received the word with joy inspired by the Holy Spirit, so that you became an example to all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For the word of the Lord has sounded forth from you not only in Macedonia and Achaia, but in every place your faith in God has become known, so that we have no need to speak about it. For the people of those regions report about us

what kind of welcome we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols, to serve a living and true God, and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead-- Jesus, who rescues us from the wrath that is coming.

The Sequence Hymn: (Insert) I want Jesus to walk with me *Traditional spiritual*

The Holy Gospel: Matthew 22:15-22

Deacon: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

Congregation: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

The Pharisees went and plotted to entrap Jesus in what he said. So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, "Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality. Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not?" But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, "Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? Show me the coin used for the tax." And they brought him a denarius. Then he said to them, "Whose head is this, and whose title?" They answered, "The emperor's." Then he said to them, "Give therefore to the emperor the things that are the emperor's, and to God the things that are God's." When they heard this, they were amazed; and they left him and went away.

Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord.

Congregation: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon The Reverend Deacon Marilyn Walters

The Nicene Creed *BCP 358*

The Prayers of the People, Form IV *BCP 388*

The Confession and Absolution *BCP 360*

The Peace *BCP 360*

Announcements and Blessings

The Offertory Anthem God Be in My Head John Rutter
(b. 1945)

The Holy Communion

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer C *BCP 369*

Sanctus (Hymnal #S-130) *BCP 371*

The Lord's Prayer *BCP 364*

Fraction Anthem: Christ our Passover (Hymnal #S-154) *BCP 364*

The Holy Communion

Communion Hymn #419 Lord of all being, throned afar *Mendon*

Deacon: In the name of God and of this Congregation I send you forth bearing these holy gifts to _____, that they might share with us in the Body and Blood of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

People: We who are many are one body because we all share in one bread and one cup.

Deacon: May the Lord guard, guide, and bless you in this ministry.

The Post-Communion Prayer *BCP 365*

The Blessing

Recessional Hymn: #482 Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy *Slane*

The Dismissal *BCP 366*

Voluntary Chaconne in g minor Louis Couperin
(1626-1661)

*The Altar Flowers today are given
to the Glory of God and
in Thanksgiving for
Martha Hauck and
Frederick Arthur Wilmanns
by Cee Cee Wilmanns*