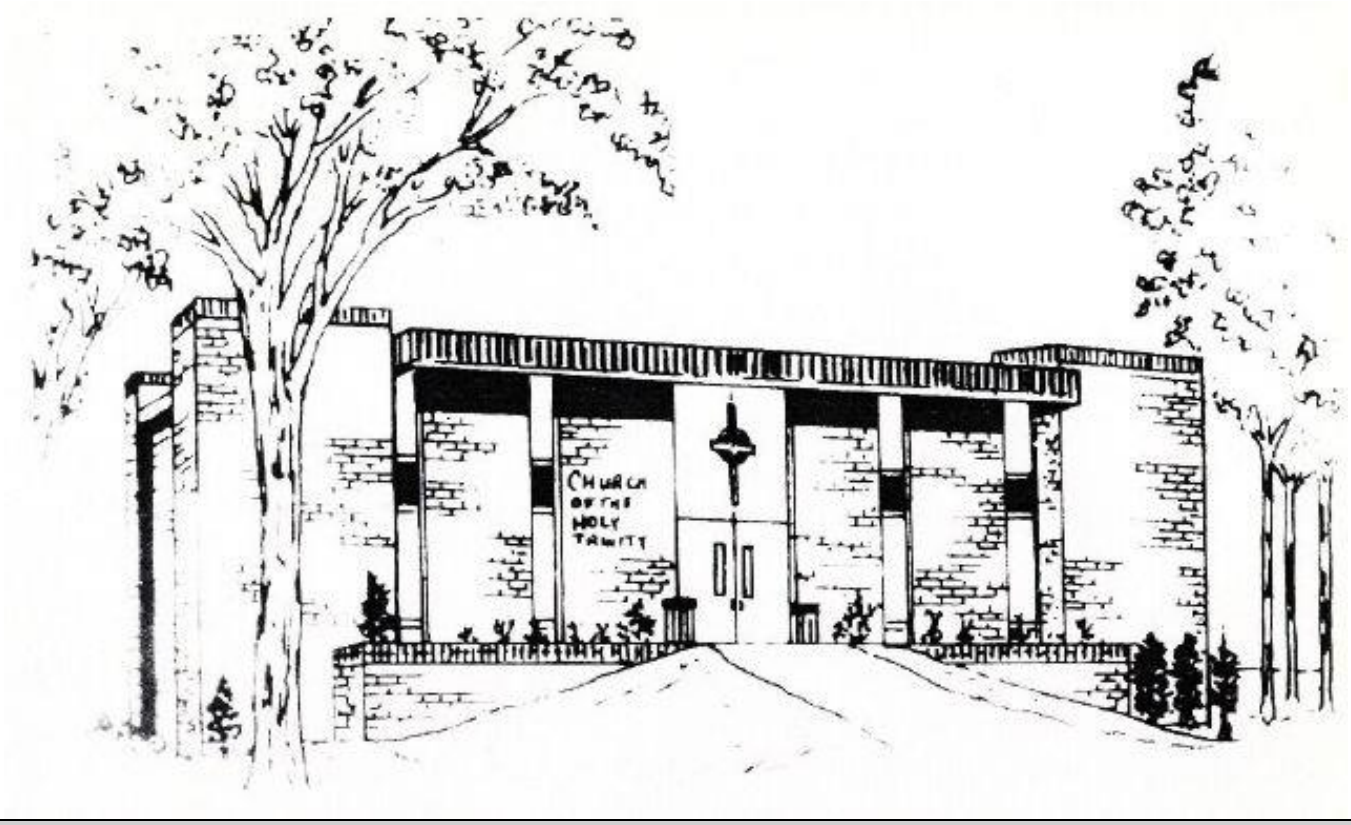


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Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost (P33A)

November 15, 2026 – 10.30 a.m.

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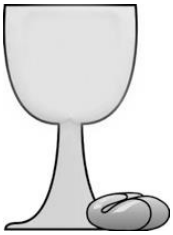
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Welcome to Holy Trinity, Guildwood

At Holy Trinity, Guildwood, we welcome all who come to worship with us. Though we are people of diverse background, lifestyle, and opinion, we are one in our desire to follow Jesus Christ. We seek to live as diversity in unity, offering a community in which we can all grow together as one Body: God's Church. We hope the order of service will help you find your way, but feel free to ask your neighbour for help. We are truly pleased that you have chosen to worship with us.



Holy Communion: All are welcome in this church and at this altar. All baptized persons, including children, are invited to receive the bread and wine at Christ's table. Those not receiving communion may wish to receive a blessing. Simply cross your hands over your chest to indicate you are not receiving communion. The Anglican Church supports the ancient use of the common cup. Those receiving the chalice are asked to assist the chalice bearer by grasping the cup at the base and guiding the cup to their lips. **For health purposes the practice of intinction, dipping the bread into the wine, is discouraged**. If you do not wish to drink from the common cup, please feel free to receive the bread only. Simply cross your hands over your chest when the chalice bearer passes by to indicate you do not wish the wine. The ancient teaching is that the whole Christ is received whether one receives only the consecrated bread or both bread and wine. Please come forward (should you wish) to the altar rail, at the indication of the sides person (usher) to fill the altar rail from the outside in. Those with mobility concerns may also receive Holy Communion while remaining in place, please notify a sides person (usher).

Children are always welcome at Holy Trinity - On Sundays, children are invited to take part in the wonderful age-appropriate activities offered by Church School downstairs in the church hall during the Liturgy of the Word, after which they return upstairs to join in the Celebration of the Eucharist. Parents are always welcome to join their children for some or all of the time downstairs. For more information please contact Melanie McLeod, Family Ministry Coordinator, at 416-261-9503 or familyministry@trinityguildwood.org. Children are always welcome to join in the fun and adventure of growing in Christ.

As you are invited to stand or sit, please feel free to do as best fits your health, comfort, and circumstances. Please silence your cellphones.

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Celebration of The Holy Eucharist

Prelude – Called to Faith BLAENWERN

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The Gathering of the Community *please stand*

Gathering Hymn **#508** – I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say KINGSFOLD

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Welcome

Land Acknowledgment

Lay Assistant Today we honour and acknowledge that this land and locality are on the historical traditional lands of the Indigenous Peoples of what we call Turtle Island and what is commonly called North America.

We acknowledge the leadership of Indigenous Elders, who continue to teach us about what it means to live in a balanced and good way with all creation. May our time of worship together be blessed, as we give respect to the First Peoples of this land and seek to live in right relationship with ourselves, Creator, and one another.

We pray that the Spirit will lead us into all truth, into repentance for the wrongs of the past and into true reconciliation with our Indigenous brothers and sisters that we may be partners in healing and peace, to the glory and thanksgiving of God our Creator.

(National Indigenous Archbishop Chris Harper)

Greeting *please stand*

Presider The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
and the love of God,
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,
be with you all.

People **And also with you.**

Presider Almighty God,

All **to you all hearts are open,**
all desires known,
and from you no secrets are hidden.
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.

Glory to God **#702**

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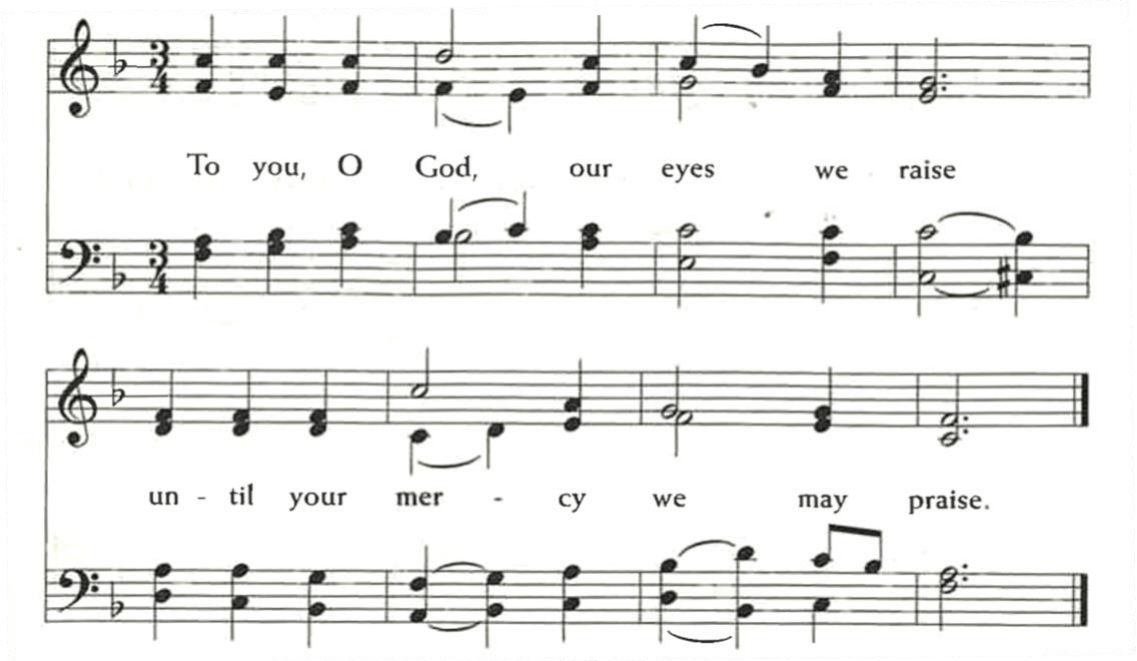
Gathering Prayer (The Collect of the Day) *please remain standing*

Proclamation of the Word *Please sit for the readings.*

First Reading Judges 4:1-7

A reading from the Book of Judges.
The Israelites again did what was evil in the sight of the Lord, after Ehud died. So the Lord sold them into the hand of King Jabin of Canaan, who reigned in Hazor; the commander of his army was Sisera, who lived in Harosheth-ha-goiim. Then the Israelites cried out to the Lord for help; for he had nine hundred chariots of iron, and had oppressed the Israelites cruelly twenty years. At that time Deborah, a prophetess, wife of Lappidoth, was judging Israel. She used to sit under the palm of Deborah between Ramah and Bethel in the hill country of Ephraim; and the Israelites came up to her for judgement. She sent and summoned Barak son of Abinoam from Kedesh in Naphtali, and said to him, "The Lord, the God of Israel, commands you, 'Go, take position at Mount Tabor, bringing ten thousand from the tribe of Naphtali and the tribe of Zebulun. I will draw out Sisera, the general of Jabin's army, to meet you by the Wadi Kishon with his chariots and his troops; and I will give him into your hand.'"
Reader Listen for the leading of the Spirit.
All **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 123 *Please remain seated.*
Refrain 1: Instrumental 2: Choir 3. Congregation



To you I Lift up my eyes
to you who are enthroned in the heavens.
As the eyes of the servants look to their master's hands,
as the eyes of a maid to the hand of her mistress,
so our eyes look to you, O God,
as we wait till you show us your favour. *Refrain*
We have had more than enough of contempt.
Too long we have suffered the scorn of the wealthy,
and the contempt of the arrogant. *Refrain*

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Second Reading 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11

A reading from the first Letter of Paul to the Thessalonians.

Now concerning the times and the seasons, brothers and sisters, you do not need to have anything written to you. For you yourselves know very well that the day of the Lord will come like a thief in the night. When they say, "There is peace and security," then sudden destruction will come upon them, as labour pains come upon a pregnant woman, and there will be no escape! But you, beloved, are not in darkness, for that day to surprise you like a thief; for you are all children of light and children of the day; we are not of the night or of darkness. So then let us not fall asleep as others do, but let us keep awake and be sober; for those who sleep sleep at night, and those who are drunk get drunk at night. But since we belong to the day, let us be sober, and put on the breastplate of faith and love, and for a helmet the hope of salvation. For God has destined us not for wrath but for obtaining salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ, who died for us, so that whether we are awake or asleep we may live with him. Therefore encourage one another and build up each other, as indeed you are doing.

Reader Listen for the leading of the Spirit.
All **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Alleluia #**712** *Sung three times before the Gospel*
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia! *(Repeat)*

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The Holy Gospel Matthew 25:14-30

Reader. The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Reader The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew
People **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

For it is as if a man, going on a journey, summoned his slaves and entrusted his property to them; to one he gave five talents, to another two, to another one, to each according to his ability. Then he went away. At once the one who had received the five talents went off and traded with them and made five more talents. In the same way, the one who had the two talents made two more talents. But the one who had received the one talent went off and dug a hole in the ground and hid his master's money. After a long time the master of those slaves came and settled accounts with them. Then the one who had received the five talents

came forward, bringing five more talents, saying, 'Master, you handed over to me five talents; see, I have made five more talents.' His master said to him, 'Well done, good and trustworthy slave; you have been trustworthy in a few things; I will put you in charge of many things; enter into the joy of your master.' And the one with the two talents also came forward, saying, 'Master, you handed over to me two talents; see, I have made two more talents.' His master said to him, 'Well done, good and trustworthy slave; you have been trustworthy in a few things; I will put you in charge of many things; enter into the joy of your master.' Then the one who had received the one talent also came forward, saying, 'Master, I knew that you were a harsh man, reaping where you did not sow and gathering where you did not scatter, so I was afraid, and I went and hid your talent in the ground. Here you have what is yours.' But his master replied, 'You wicked and lazy slave! You knew, did you, that I reap where I did not sow and gather where I did not scatter? Then you ought to have invested my money with the bankers, and on my return I would have received what was my own with interest. So take the talent from him, and give it to the one with the ten talents. For to all those who have, more will be given, and they will have an abundance, but from those who have nothing, even what they have will be taken away. As for this worthless slave, throw him into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.'

Reader The Gospel of Christ.

All **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**

Gospel Alleluia *Sung three times after the Gospel*

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia! *(Repeat)*

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Sermon The Rev. Canon Stephen Kirkegaard

Silence for reflection.



Our Response to the Word *Please stand*

The Apostles' Creed *(said)*

I believe in God,
The Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth.
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.
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. Amen.

Prayers of the People

Please feel free to sit or stand - however you are most comfortable to pray
Prayers are offered for the church, all in authority, the world,
the local community, those in need, and the departed

Lay Assistant Dear God, we have listened to your Word,
and in response we offer you now the prayers of our hearts.

We thank God for all the gifts and talents among us –
for the unique gifts with which the Spirit blesses each one of us.
Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for those who do not know their own gifts
and who have little confidence in themselves.
Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for all who suffer from bullying,
that they may know their dignity and worth,
and for all who seek justice, healing, and reconciliation.
Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray that we may be a community of encouragement,
helping each other to rejoice in all that we have to give.
Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for the church throughout the world:
for all those worshipping with us online,
for Iglesia Anglicana de Chile; the members of the Council of General Synod; the Synod Office Staff; Trinity, Streetsville, its monthly free Community Meals, ESL program, Camp Trinity, growing online congregation, LIFE Groups, refugee sponsorship.
For Sarah Mullally, Archbishop of Canterbury; Shane Parker, our Primate; Anne Germond, our Metropolitan Bishop; Christopher Harper, our National Indigenous Archbishop; and our College of Bishops: Kevin Robertson, Riscylla Shaw, and Andrew Asbil, our Diocesan and Area Bishop.
This week in our parish cycle of prayer we pray for Don Sinclair and Mary Beth Moffatt- Sinclair; Vivian and Rose-Anne Smith; James Stevenson, Erinn Haley, & Meghan Stevenson.
Celebrating a birthday: Edith Russouw.
Our priest – Stephen.
We thank the Lord for all who serve in different ministries in our parish, using their gifts for the good of others.
This week we pray especially for our GVCA Representative: John Hetherington.
And God's blessing upon our Land Lease Development project**.**
Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for our world, with all its cares and needs,
and for all who lead us and care for us. . .
Inspire us in the spirit of love to meet the challenges set before us.
and to love and care for each other.
Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for the sick and those in need especially those who have asked for our prayers:
Ed Badley; Dorothy and Kaizen Brown; Valerie Grant; Scott Heald; Ruth Mattinson; Allan Mawson; Dr Cynthia Peter (USA Lecture Tour); Don & Mary Beth; Donna Rowe.
For Joanne Dera; Karen Fraser; Lucia Gomes; Tom Howard; Gracie McKenna; Norm MacLeod; Roy Mohabir; Alison, Jonas and Joshua Torres and any others known to you…

May the Spirit of Christ strengthen and comfort them.
Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for all who have died – Michael Salvador, L Vincent.
They are children of the light.
May Christ bring them to everlasting day.
Lord, hear our prayer.

May God, who created each one of us,
teach us to cherish the beauty within,
To appreciate the gifts of others,
and to be thankful for the enrichment that such a variety of gifts bring. **Amen.**

Confession and Absolution p. 238

Confession lets us set down the heavy things we carry with us,
Putting us in right relationship with one another and with God.

The Peace *please stand*

Presider The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

We greet one another in the Peace of Christ.

Announcements

The Celebration of the Eucharist *please remain standing*

The Preparation of Gifts

While the hymn is sung, a collection is taken.
The bread and wine, the offerings of the people, are then brought forward and received.
Children and youth return for the "family meal" – Eucharist

Offertory Hymn **#584** – The Church of Christ in Every Age

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The Prayer over the Gifts *Please stand.*

The Great Thanksgiving – *please remain standing*

Eucharistic Prayer 5 p. 205

Sursum Corda PLAINSONG

Holy, Holy, Holy #**719**

Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.
Hosanna in the highest.

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The Lord's Prayer

Presider As our Saviour taught us, let us pray,
All **Our Father in heaven,**
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant *We break this bread*
to share in the body of Christ.
All **We, being many, are one body,**
for we all share in the one bread.

The Communion

The gifts of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

Lamb of God,

Lamb of God,
you take a-way the sins of the world,
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God,
you take a-way the sins of the world,
grant us peace,
grant us peace.

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Everyone is welcome to receive communion.



You may receive both bread and wine, or just the bread, if you wish.



Cross your arms to receive a blessing instead.



Communion can be brought to you if needed: just ask a sidesperson.

Communion Hymn **#601**– God Whose Giving Knows No Ending BLAENWERN

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Communion Hymn **#73**– One Bread, One Body, One Lord of All ONE BREAD, ONE BODY

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The Sending Forth of the Community

Prayer after Communion *please stand*

Presider Glory to God,
All **whose power working in us,**
can do infinitely more
than we can ask or imagine.
Glory to God from generation to generation,
in the Church and in Christ Jesus,
for ever and ever. Amen.

Time for the Young at Heart

The Children and Youth are invited to come forward and gather at the Altar steps.

Children's Transition – He's Got the Whole World in His Hands TRADITIONAL

Verse 1
He's got the whole world in His hands
He's got the whole world in His hands
He's got the whole world in His hands
He's got the whole world in His hands

Verse 2
He's got the little tiny baby in His hands
He's got the little tiny baby in His hands
He's got the little tiny baby in His hands
He's got the whole world in His hands

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Sending Hymn **#460** – Lord, the Light of Your Love is Shining SHINE, JESUS,SHINE

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Presider Glory to God,
All **whose power working in us,**
can do infinitely more
than we can ask or imagine.
Glory to God from generation to generation,
in the Church and in Christ Jesus,
for ever and ever. Amen.

Blessing
Dismissal

Presider Followers of Jesus, inspired by the Holy Spirit,
go and serve the world God loves.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Chorus

Send us out in the Power of Your Spirit Lord
May our lives bring Jesus to the world
May each thought and word
Bring glory to Your Name
Send us out in Your Spirit Lord we pray
Send us out in Your Spirit Lord we pray

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Restorative Justice Week: November 15–22

Restorative Justice Week invites us to reflect on how we respond to harm, conflict, and broken relationships. It reminds us that justice is not only about punishment, but also about healing, accountability, and creating opportunities for reconciliation. As people of faith, we are encouraged to lead with compassion, listen without judgment, and recognize the humanity in one another. It is a reminder that even small acts of understanding, forgiveness, and taking responsibility can help build stronger, more peaceful communities.



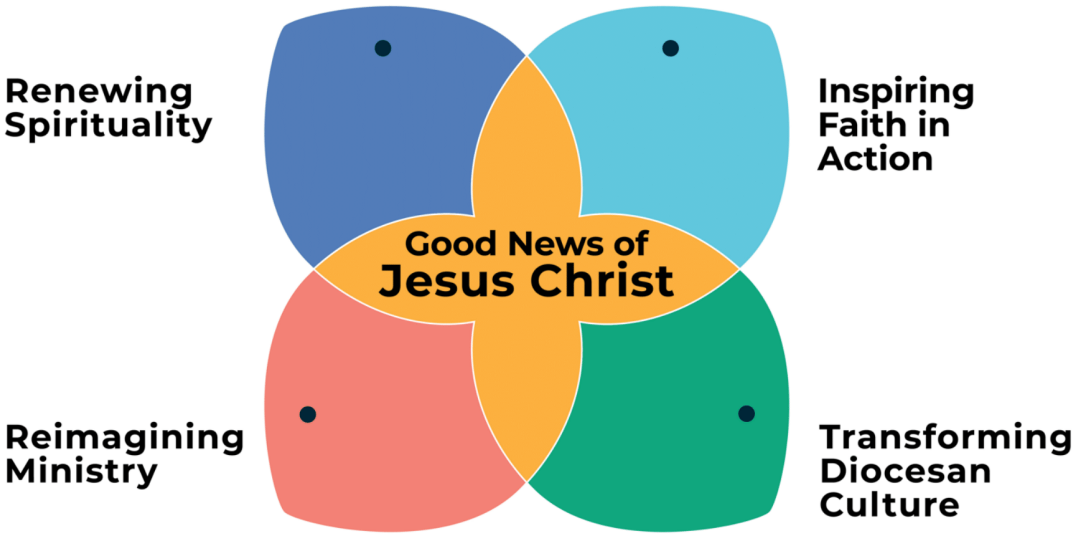
Dear Guest/Visitor:
Thank you for worshiping with us today; you have enriched our community, and we hope the service held meaning and beauty for you. If you will be returning to a distant home, we wish you the Lord's grace and a safe journey. However, if you live anywhere near us, and you are not an involved member of a faith community and might be seeking one, we invite you to return here any Sunday so that we may continue to worship with and respond to you. Please visit us on the web at www.trinityguildwood.org and take one of our welcome brochures to learn more about opportunities for personal spiritual growth and service to others.

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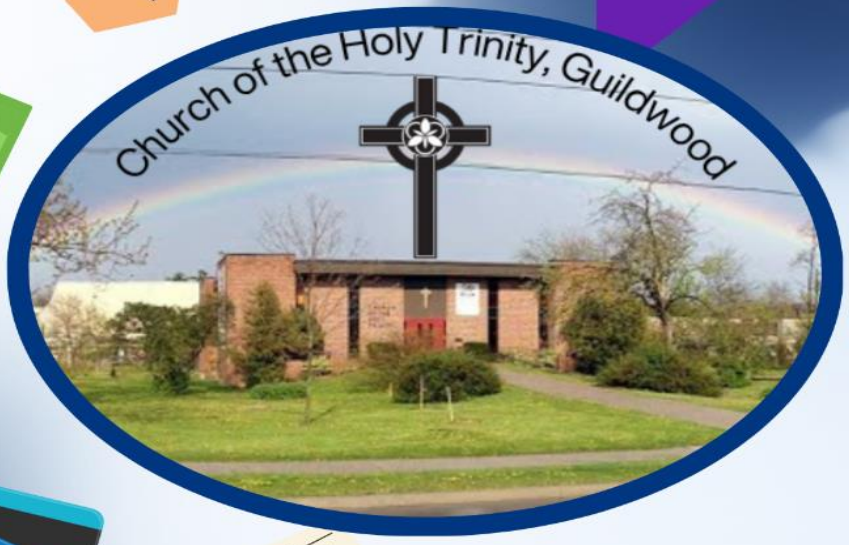
- We are disciples of Jesus Christ, whose Good News is the joy and challenge at the heart of our common life.
- We are renewed daily in our spiritual lives and share our faith with others.
- We seek justice for all, walk alongside those in need, and respond with loving service and prophetic advocacy.
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The Prayers (Collect, Prayer over the Gifts, and Prayer after Communion) for the Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost are found on page 392.

This Week, in our Cycle of Prayers - We Pray For:

The Church: Iglesia Anglicana de Chile; the members of the Council of General Synod; the Synod Office Staff ; Trinity, Streetsville, its monthly free Community Meals, ESL program, Camp Trinity, growing online congregation, LIFE Groups, refugee sponsorship; for Sarah Mullally, Archbishop of Canterbury; Shane Parker, our Primate; Anne Germond, our Metropolitan Bishop; Christopher Harper, our National Indigenous Archbishop; and our College of Bishops: Kevin Robertson, Riscylla Shaw, and Andrew Asbil, our Diocesan and Area Bishop.

Our Parish Family of Holy Trinity, Guildwood: Don Sinclair and Mary Beth Moffatt-Sinclair; Vivian and Rose-Anne Smith; James Stevenson, Erinn Haley,
& Meghan Stevenson.

Those celebrating a birthday this week: Edith Russouw.

For our GVCA Representative: John Hetherington

For our Priest: Stephen.

Our Land Lease Development Project.

Those who are Sick, and those who have asked for our Prayers:
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For Joanne Dera; Karen Fraser; Lucia Gomes; Tom Howard; Gracie McKenna; Norm MacLeod; Roy Mohabir; Alison, Jonas and Joshua Torres and any others known to you…

For Those Who Have Died: Michael Salvador, L. Vincent.

The Flowers this week are given by

Sharon Vincent & Hari Dhamordaran
in loving memory of
Sharon's father L. Vincent.

Malika Benoit
in memory of
her cousin Michael Salvador.



Assisting in Worship are:

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Lay Assistant:	Linda Epping
Altar Guild:	Linda Epping, Leslie Hetherington
Readers:	Nancy Mills, Karen Price
Welcome:	John Hetherington
Hospitality:	Bruce Fowler
Tabulators:	Karen Price, Nancy Mills

Readings for Next Sunday
November 22, 2026
The Reign of Christ
Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24
Psalm 100
Ephesians 1:15-23
Matthew 25:31-46

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