# Propers for Sunday October 18, 2026
## Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost

**Acolyte: James V**
**Lector: Joe M**
**LEM: James V**
**Ushers: Dennis and Barbara S**

**Prelude "Brethren, We Have Met To Worship" Hustad**

**Processional Hymn #423 Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise**

**Gloria Hymnal S280**

**The Collect of the Day**
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 Lessons**

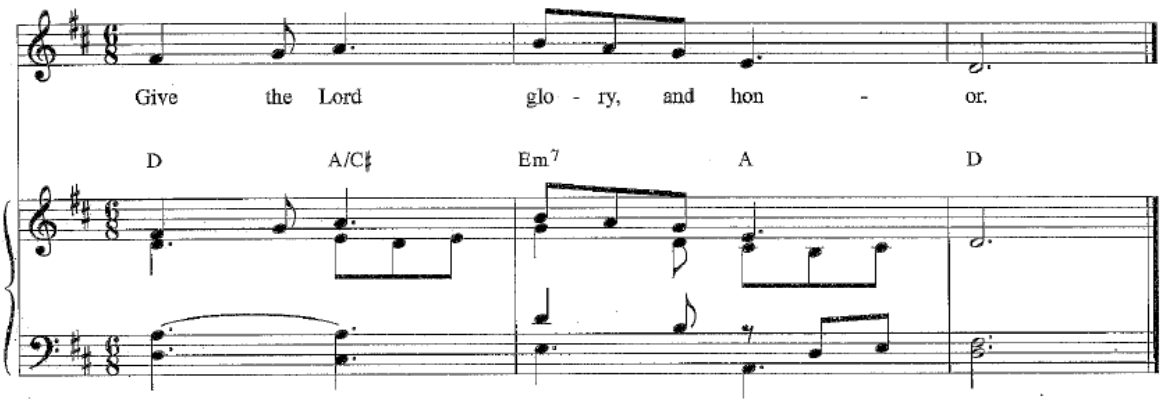
**A Reading from the Book of Exodus**
Moses said to the LORD, "See, you have said to me, 'Bring up this people'; but you have not let me know whom you will send with me. Yet you have said, 'I know you by name, and you have also found favor in my sight.' Now if I have found favor in your sight, show me your ways, so that I may know you and find favor in your sight. Consider too that this nation is your people." He said, "My presence will go with you, and I will give you rest." And he said to him, "If your presence will not go, do not carry us up from here. For how shall it be known that I have found favor in your sight, I and your people, unless you go with us? In this way, we shall be distinct, I and your people, from every people on the face of the earth."

The LORD said to Moses, "I will do the very thing that you have asked; for you have found favor in my sight, and I know you by name." Moses said, "Show me your glory, I pray." And he said, "I will make all my goodness pass before you, and

will proclaim before you the name, 'The LORD'; and I will be gracious to whom I will be gracious, and will show mercy on whom I will show mercy. But," he said, "you cannot see my face; for no one shall see me and live." And the LORD continued, "See, there is a place by me where you shall stand on the rock; and while my glory passes by I will put you in a cleft of the rock, and I will cover you with my hand until I have passed by; then I will take away my hand, and you shall see my back; but my face shall not be seen."

**The Psalm**

*Cantor leads and All sing Antiphon together*




**A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Thessalonians**

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.

**Sequence Hymn #685 Rock of Ages, Cleft For Me**

**The Gospel According to St. Matthew**
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.

**The Sermon** *The Rev. Father Andrew Garnett, Rector*

*The People stand*
**The Nicene Creed** BCP pg. 358

**Prayers of the People**
After "Lord, in your mercy"
**The response is: *"Hear our prayer."***

**Confession of Sin** BCP pg. 359

**The Peace** BCP pg. 360

**Offertory Solo "There Is a Foundation" Hustad**

**The Great Thanksgiving** BCP pg. 361

**Sanctus Hymnal S129**

**Agnus Dei Hymnal S161**

**Recessional Hymn #595 God of Grace and God of Glory**

**Postlude "I Will Arise and Go to Jesus" Hustad**

## THE ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Coffee Hour:** Join our Trinity family for coffee hour **today following the 9:30 AM Mass**. Stop by to enjoy coffee and warm fellowship!

**Sunday School:** Sunday School begins today **Sunday, October 18th during the 9:30am Mass** and meets every other Sunday. Please see the parish website for the link to enroll or contact the office with any questions.

**Book of Remembrance 2026:** We will have a special remembrance Mass and read aloud names of our dearly departed on All Soul's Day Monday, Nov 2nd, 12:00pm. Submit names to be included by Tuesday, Oct 27th to the parish office. Thank you.

**Bible Study:** Bible Study will be Wednesdays via Zoom at 7:00pm this Wednesday, **October 28 and November 11**. Mark your calendar—all are welcome to join at any time!

**Sons of St. Joseph Men's Group:** Meets up next, Sunday, October 25th, after the 9:30am Mass in Houghton Hall. This is open to all men who would like to attend.

**ECW Meeting:** Ladies gather in the library after the 9:30am Mass, Sunday, October 25th. All ladies are welcome to attend.

**Book Club: DATE CHANGE - Will now be meeting Sunday, November 1st.** Please join us in reading *Theo of Golden*, the story of an 86-year-old man and his quest to connect with his community. Our next meeting will be **Sunday, November 1st** after mass in the library. Reach out to the parish office if you have any questions.

**Food Pantry Update:** The ELC Food Pantry has added another time slot for clients, Thursday 5pm-7pm. This will help serve clients who work during our regular hours, Monday - Thursday, 10-12pm.

**Choir Rehearsal:** Rehearsals will be Sundays after Mass by the piano. We would love for new members. All are welcome.

**Thrift Store News:** Raise a glass with us! The thrift shop is celebrating the holidays by offering **half off all barware until the new year**. Stop by to check out our selection. Open Th, Fr 11-3, Sat 12-3.

**Stamp Collection:** We have decided to **extend our stamp collection through the upcoming holiday season!** Thanks to your generosity, we have already collected **more than 1,100 stamps**, and we would like to continue collecting into the **beginning of January**. Please remember to save your **used postage stamps** and bring them to church throughout the fall and holiday season so we can continue building our collection. **Thank you for your continued generosity and support!**

**If you are new or visiting** and would like to know more about what we believe, our history, or what ministries we undertake, please speak with the Rector, Father Andrew Garnett, or any member of the Vestry. Those seeking the rites of Baptism, Confirmation, or Reception may contact Father Andrew or the church office to plan arrangements.

**Prayer Requests:**
**For those celebrating joyous occasions, we pray they experience God's ever-present love and grace;** *especially for the anniversary of Josh and Amy.*

**For those affected with mental and physical illnesses; may they trust that Christ will deliver them from their burdens and restore them to wholeness. We pray especially for;** *Susan, Ericka, Carol, John, Jessie, Eddie, Piera, Ollie, Randal, Bettina, Joshua, David, Greg, David, Dominick, Demetra, Nick, Coach Al, Joshua, Jeanne, Linda, Tricia N., Rocío, Patricia, Bill, Ryan, Anthony, Jack, Pat, Tom, and baby Merlin and for the spiritual and physical health and well-being of all parishioners. And, Lord, extend your steadfast strength and uplifting support to all caregivers.*

**For the faithful departed; that having passed through death in hope, may now behold forever the glory of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit in heaven.**

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