

## 10.30am HOLY COMMUNION (Common Worship)

### Welcome and Notices

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### THE COLLECT OF THE DAY *(The 9<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity)*

Almighty God, who sent your Holy Spirit to be the life and light of your Church: open our hearts to the riches of your grace, that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit in love and joy and peace; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

### PSALM 105: 1-6, 16-22 *(said)*

<sup>1</sup> O give thanks to the LORD, call on his name, make known his deeds among the peoples.

<sup>2</sup> Sing to him, sing praises to him; tell of all his wonderful works.

<sup>3</sup> Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice.

<sup>4</sup> Seek the LORD and his strength; seek his presence continually.

<sup>5</sup> Remember the wonderful works he has done, his miracles, and the judgements he has uttered,

<sup>6</sup> O offspring of his servant Abraham, children of Jacob, his chosen ones.

<sup>16</sup> When he summoned famine against the land, and broke every staff of bread,

<sup>17</sup> he had sent a man ahead of them, Joseph, who was sold as a slave.

<sup>18</sup> His feet were hurt with fetters, his neck was put in a collar of iron;

<sup>19</sup> until what he had said came to pass, the word of the LORD kept testing him.

<sup>20</sup> The king sent and released him; the ruler of the peoples set him free.

<sup>21</sup> He made him lord of his house, and ruler of all his possessions,

<sup>22</sup> to instruct his officials at his pleasure, and to teach his elders wisdom.

### SCRIPTURE READING: *Romans 10:5-15*

<sup>5</sup> Moses writes concerning the righteousness that comes from the law, that 'the person who does these things will live by them.' <sup>6</sup> But the righteousness that comes from faith says, 'Do not say in your heart, "Who will ascend into heaven?"' (that is, to bring Christ down) <sup>7</sup> 'or "Who will descend into the abyss?"' (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead). <sup>8</sup> But what does it say?

'The word is near you, on your lips and in your heart' (that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); <sup>9</sup> because if you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. <sup>10</sup> For

one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the mouth and so is saved.

<sup>11</sup> The scripture says, 'No one who believes in him will be put to shame.' <sup>12</sup> For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all and is generous to all who call on him. <sup>13</sup> For, 'Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'

<sup>14</sup> But how are they to call on one in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in one of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone to proclaim him? <sup>15</sup> And how are they to proclaim him unless they are sent? As it is written, 'How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!'

### THE GOSPEL: *Matthew 14:22-33*

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

<sup>22</sup> Immediately he made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. <sup>23</sup> And after he had dismissed the crowds, he went up the mountain by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, <sup>24</sup> but by this time the boat, battered by the waves, was far from the land, for the wind was against them. <sup>25</sup> And early in the morning he came walking towards them on the lake. <sup>26</sup> But when the disciples saw him walking on the lake, they were terrified, saying, 'It is a ghost!' And they cried out in fear. <sup>27</sup> But immediately Jesus spoke to them and said, 'Take heart, it is I; do not be afraid.'

<sup>28</sup> Peter answered him, 'Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water.' <sup>29</sup> He said, 'Come.' So Peter got out of the boat, started walking on the water, and came towards Jesus. <sup>30</sup> But when he noticed the strong wind, he became frightened, and beginning to sink, he cried out, 'Lord, save me!' <sup>31</sup> Jesus immediately reached out his hand and caught him, saying to him, 'You of little faith, why did you doubt?' <sup>32</sup> When they got into the boat, the wind ceased. <sup>33</sup> And those in the boat worshipped him, saying, 'Truly you are the Son of God.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

### SERMON

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