

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
GALVESTON, TEXAS



4TH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

Sunday, Feb. 1, 2026

THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE TWO

10:30 a.m.

Trinity Episcopal Church

Founded in 1841 and still making history.

ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers on the altar this Sunday are given to the glory of God,
and in memory of Dr. and Mrs. Fred J. Wolma, Jr.,
Fred J. Wolma, III and James B. Earthman, III.



*To donate altar flowers in memory, thanksgiving,
or in honor of someone, scan this QR code,
visit www.trinitygalv.org/give or contact the church
office at 409.765.6317 or info@trinitygalv.org.*

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WEEKLY SERVICES

Sundays – 8:00 a.m. Worship service with Holy Communion

Sundays – 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School for all ages during the school year

Sundays – 10:30 a.m.

Worship service with Holy Communion and Music

Wednesdays – 5:30 p.m. Evening Prayer

Visit www.trinitygalv.org/calendar

for a complete listing of services, meetings and events.

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL

Children's Chapel is held during the Sunday 10:30 a.m. service each week, and welcomes children, ages 4 through 5th grade. Children should remain in the sanctuary until the processional hymn and watch for the director of Children's Ministries to walk down the center aisle. At that time children may join her and walk to the Children's Chapel located on the cloister. Children's Chapel is led by two Safeguard-trained adults. At the Peace, children will be brought back to their families in time for Holy Communion.

CHILDREN'S NURSERY

The nursery is open each Sunday from 9:00 a.m. through 12:00 p.m.

Holy Eucharist - Rite II

Prelude

Aria

Charles Callahan

Processional Hymn 388

"O worship the King"

Hanover

The Celebrant begins

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever.
Amen.**

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.

Gloria (S-279)

Gerald Near

Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

The Collect

Almighty and everlasting God, you govern all things both in heaven and on earth: Mercifully hear the supplications of your people, and in our time grant us your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Please be seated for the Lessons

Micah 6:1-8

Hear what the LORD says:

Rise, plead your case before the mountains,
and let the hills hear your voice.

Hear, you mountains, the controversy of the LORD,
and you enduring foundations of the earth;

for the LORD has a controversy with his people,
and he will contend with Israel.

“O my people, what have I done to you?

In what have I wearied you? Answer me!

For I brought you up from the land of Egypt,
and redeemed you from the house of slavery;

Whoever leads a blameless life and does what is / right, *
who speaks the truth from his / heart.

There is no guile upon his tongue;
he does no evil to his / friend; *
he does not heap contempt upon his / neighbor.

In his sight the wicked is re/jected, *
but he honors those who fear the / LORD.

He has sworn to do no / wrong *
and does not take back his / word.

He does not give his money in hope of / gain, *
nor does he take a bribe against the / innocent.

Whoever does these / things *
shall never be over/thrown.

1 Corinthians 1:18-31

The message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. For it is written,

“I will destroy the wisdom of the wise,
and the discernment of the discerning I will
thwart.”

Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, God decided, through the foolishness of our proclamation, to save those who believe. For Jews demand signs and Greeks desire wisdom, but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. For God's foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God's weakness is stronger than human strength.

Consider your own call, brothers and sisters: not many of you were wise by human standards, not many were powerful, not many were of noble birth. But God chose what is foolish in the world to shame the wise; God chose what is weak in the world to shame the strong; God chose what is low and despised in the world, things that are not, to reduce to nothing things that are, so that no one might boast in the presence of God. He is the source of your life in Christ Jesus, who became for us wisdom from God, and righteousness and sanctification and redemption, in order that, as it is written, "Let the one who boasts, boast in the Lord."

Following the Lesson

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Hymn 656

"Blest are the pure in heart"

Franconia

The Gospel – Matthew 5:1-12 *Please stand*

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

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

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

"Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

“Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

“Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

“Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

“Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness’ sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

“Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.”

Following the reading of the Gospel

Clergy The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon

The Rev. Jimmy Abbott

The Nicene Creed – *Please stand*

We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation

he came down from heaven:
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from 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.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He 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.

The Prayers of the People

With all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord, saying "Lord, have mercy."

For the peace from above, for the loving-kindness of God, and for the salvation of our souls, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the peace of the world, for the welfare of the Holy Church of God, and for the unity of all peoples, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For our bishops, Andy, Jeff, Kai, Hector and Brian, and for all the clergy and people, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For our President, Donald, for the leaders of the nations, and for all in authority, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For this city of Galveston, for every city and community, and for those who live in them, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For seasonable weather, and for an abundance of the fruits of the earth, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the good earth which God has given us, and for the wisdom and will to conserve it, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the aged and infirm, for the widowed and orphans, and for the sick and the suffering, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the poor and the oppressed, for the unemployed and the destitute, for prisoners and captives, and for all who remember and care for them, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For all who have died in the hope of the resurrection, and for all the departed, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For deliverance from all danger, violence, oppression, and degradation, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

That we may end our lives in faith and hope, without suffering and without reproach, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

In the communion of all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life, to Christ our God.

To you, O Lord our God.

You are invited to add your own prayers and thanksgivings, silently or aloud.

The Celebrant will offer a collect.

Parish Prayer List

Carol Ramirez, Cort Thornton, Debbie Williams, Maggie Bahmandeji, Carolyn Speich, Shirley Ellis, Sandra Sterling, Jennifer Kelso, Brenda Atchley, Tim Nelick, Mike Ellis, Elizabeth Sullivant, Tom Kimbrough, Leta Higgins, Mary Bratton, and Roger Lindsey.

Those in active military service, especially Christopher Citti, Charles Lewis, John Parker Unbehagen, Theo Unbehagen, John Kelso, Jr., and David Middleton.

Those celebrating birthdays in February, especially John Campbell, Laura Eanes, Bob Newding, Tara Goodner, JaLene Kambhu, Bruce Ware, Kelly Shaffner, Debbie Ingraham, Marie Kueht, Greg Botik, Richard Dale, Mazie Williams, Mallory Shelton, Mary Johnson, Ava Shaffner and Maxwell Monteith.

Pastoral Care

It is our joy to be with you in prayer whether it is serving Communion at home, praying before hospital visits, or a special service of anointing. Our clergy would like to know how we can be of assistance to you in your time of need. Please scan our QR code to share your needs with us.



Clergy

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept. The people may kneel or stand.

Clergy and 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.

Absolution

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People And also with you.

- Welcome and Announcements –

Offertory Anthem

“Christ, whose glory fills the skies” T. Frederick Candlyn
Trinity Choir

The anthem text can be found on page 7 in the hymnal.

Offertory

Thank you for your generosity that supports our mission and ministry. You may make your Sunday offering in one of three ways:

- *By placing your offering in the plate during the Offertory, or*
- *By scanning the QR code with your phone, or*
- *By using the Square credit card scanner in the Narthex*



Visiting with us? Let us know you're here!

Fill out the contact form with this QR Code so that we may connect with you!

Presentation Hymn 490 (Verse 1) – Please stand

Houston

I want to walk as a child of the light

I want to follow Jesus

God sent the stars to give light to the world

The star of my life is Jesus

In him, there is no darkness at all

The night and the day are both alike

The Lamb is the light of the city of God

Shine in my heart, Lord Jesus

THE HOLY COMMUNION
The Great Thanksgiving – Prayer B

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them 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, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.

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

Sanctus and Benedictus (S 129) Robert Powell

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.

Celebrant (*Kneel or remain standing*)

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you

have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: 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 for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

Celebrant and People

**We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;**

Celebrant continues

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with [_____ and] all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus

Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

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 for ever. **AMEN.**

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

The Lord's Prayer *(said by all)*

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

Fraction Anthem (S-169)

Ray Urwin

My flesh is food indeed,
and my blood is drink indeed, says the Lord.
Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood dwell in me,
And I in them.
My flesh is food indeed,
and my blood is drink indeed, says the Lord.

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Instructions for receiving Holy Communion

- *All baptized Christians are welcome to receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion.*
- *If you are not baptized and want to be, please contact our clergy.*

- *Please be guided by the ushers to the communion rail.*
- *You may drink or intinct (dip wafer) from the common chalice.*
- *Gluten-free wafers are available – signify request for GF wafers by extending palms down.*
- *To receive a blessing only – cross your arms over your chest.*

Communion Hymns

Hymn 126

“The people who in darkness”

Dundee

Hymn 321

“My God, thy table now is spread”

Rockingham

Postcommunion Prayer (Kneel or stand)

Celebrant Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

Almighty and everliving God,
 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 for ever. Amen.

The Blessing

Hymn 530

“Spread, O spread, thou mighty word”

Gott sei Dank

Dismissal

Clergy Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

Trumpet Tune

Charles Callahan

LEADERS IN TODAY'S SERVICE

RECTOR

The Rev. Jimmy Abbott

CURATE

The Rev. Chase Bradley

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Trish Clason, Team Leader

Bart Adriance, Richard Dale, Camille Haglund, Dixie Posert,

Jon Schultz and Tom Wimbrow

This week at Trinity

Sun., Feb. 1

Worship services
8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
Church Sanctuary

Sunday School for all
9:30 a.m.
Adults – Upper Eaton Hall
Children – Children’s Chapel
Youth – Episcopal Student Ctr.

*Daughters of the King and
Jr. Daughters of the King*
New member installation
During 10:30 a.m. service
Church Sanctuary

Mon., Feb. 2

Women’s Bible Study
5:30 – 7:30 p.m.
Kelso Room

Tue., Feb. 3

*Men’s Breakfast
and Bible Study*
6:30 a.m. - El Jardin Restaurant
413 24th Street

HAPS Class
5:30 p.m.
Eaton Hall

Wed., Feb. 4

Wednesday Evening Prayer
5:30 p.m.
Church Sanctuary

Wed., Feb. 4

Choir Rehearsal
6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Choir room on cloister

College Bible Study
5:30 p.m.
Episcopal Student Center

Thur., Feb. 5

Geezers Lunch Group
11:30 a.m.
Sonny’s Place Restaurant

Fri., Feb. 6

First Friday Lunch & Learn
Paulie Gaido
Noon
Lower Eaton Hall

Sat., Feb. 7

Brotherhood of St. Andrew
Bi-monthly meeting
9:30 a.m. – Kelso Room

Sun., Feb. 8

Daughters of the King
Monthly meeting
11:45 a.m.
Episcopal Student Center

LOOKING FORWARD

Tue., Feb. 17

Shrove Tuesday
Pancake Supper
5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Lower Eaton Hall

Trinity Top Picks

DAUGHTERS OF THE KING® – NEW MEMBER INSTALLATION **Sunday, February 1 – 10:30 a.m. worship service**

Join us during the 10:30 a.m. worship service today as the Benjamin Eaton Chapter of the Daughters of the King® install new members Sarah Adams, Mary Cooper, Jane Munoz, Dixie Posert and Mary Jo Shortes; and Ava Jensen, Landree Rivera and Rylee Rivera are installed as Jr. Daughters of the King® members.

FIRST FRIDAY LUNCH AND LEARN – PAULIE GAIDO **Friday, February 6 – Noon – Lower Eaton Hall**

Join us for our lunch and learn with complimentary (light) lunch and a special look at Galveston's history!

I have always had a deep and abiding interest in the history of Galveston and the Civil War. In my view, what came to be known as the Battle of Galveston not only was the most important naval battle of the War, but arguably one of the greatest "David against Goliath" improbable victories in the entire history of naval warfare. The indisputable heroism and utter audacity of the officers and men of, what can only be sympathetically described as, the Confederate Navy, we movie-goers associate with the likes of Indiana Jones and Errol Flynn, but it is history, not fantasy, and it unfolded in our backyard. – Paulie Gaido

So that we may prepare adequate food, please RSVP with QR Code listed here



THE BROTHERHOOD OF ST. ANDREW

Saturday, February 7 – 9:30 a.m. – Kelso Room

The Brotherhood of St. Andrew is an international ministry “for the spread of Christ’s Kingdom among men and youth in the Episcopal and Anglican Communion”. Chapter 0527S at Trinity was chartered in 1891. The chapter normally meets the first and third Saturday mornings of the month at 9:30 am in Kelso Conference Room with an emphasis on prayer, study, and service.

The chapter continues maintenance of Trinity’s columbarium, including of the fountain. Other projects included food packaging at the Lyceum, offering smoked turkeys for sale at Thanksgiving, and cooking for the annual Trinity pancake supper.

WOMEN’S BIBLE STUDY

Mondays– 5:30-7:30 p.m. – Kelso Room

Each Monday during the school semester, we present the Women’s Bible Study. Open to ladies of any church or denomination, ladies gather each week and begin with a social time, then dive right in to their chosen bible study program.

YOUTH GROUP OUTING

Save the date for March 1st, 2026.

Shortly after church on March 1st, the Youth Group will gather together for lunch, fellowship, and bowling at the movie theater/bowling center here on Galveston Island. Over the last few weeks, we have been asking our youth for ideas about fun service projects and outings that we could do together and grow in fellowship and faith. We hope this will serve as one of the first fruits of their ideas, and we look forward to sharing more information as the time comes, so be on the lookout!

If there are questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to the Rev. Chase Bradley at cbradley@trinitygalv.org

The Service of Admission

The Benjamin Eaton Chapter of
The Daughters of the King
and
The Ben E. Chapter of
The Junior Daughters of the King



*Prayer and Service for the spread of
Christ's Kingdom since 1885*

PRESIDER: It is my privilege to present Sarah Adams, Mary Cooper, Jane Munoz, Dixie Posert and Mary Jo Shortes as candidates for membership in The Order of the Daughters of the King®.

JUNIOR DAUGHTER DIRECTRESS: It is my privilege to present Ava Jensen, Landree Rivera and Rylee Rivera as candidates for Junior Membership in The Order of the Daughters of the King®.

CLERGY: O God, the strength of all who put their trust in you, we ask you to bless these candidates who will make their promises of Prayer and Service. May they have strength and courage to faithfully fulfill them for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Addressing the candidates:

CLERGY: The Daughters of the King® is an Order for women whose mission is the extension of Christ's Kingdom, especially among women and girls, through prayer, service and evangelism.

Do you desire to become a member of The Order of the Daughters of the King®?

SENIOR CANDIDATES: I do.

CLERGY: Do you desire to become a Junior Member of The Order of the Daughters of the King®?

JUNIOR CANDIDATES: I do.

CLERGY: Do you promise to obey faithfully the two Rules of the Order, the Rule of Prayer and the Rule of Service? To offer your support to the clergy for the good of the parish and the extension of Christ's kingdom? To wear faithfully the cross of the Order? And to work for its purposes, as God may give you the opportunity?

SENIOR CANDIDATES: I do with God's help.

CLERGY: Do you promise to wear the cross faithfully, to observe a daily Rule of Prayer and Service, always praying for and working towards the spread of Christ's Kingdom and making an earnest effort to lead others nearer to Christ through His Church?

JUNIOR CANDIDATES: I do with God's help.

CLERGY: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit I receive you as Members and Junior members of The Order of the Daughters of the King®.

Addressing the congregation:

CLERGY: Will you support these women and young women in their ministry of prayer and service?

CONGREGATION: We will.

The Clergy then blesses the senior crosses.

CLERGY: Bless, O Lord, these crosses and grant to your servants now admitted into this Order such an abundance of your grace that they may wear this sacred symbol in the spirit of humility and with devotion to the service of the King of kings. *Amen.*

The Clergy then blesses the junior crosses.

CLERGY: Bless, O Lord, these crosses, that they who wear them may always be your faithful and willing servants, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Each new member is presented her cross with the following words:

“Accept and wear faithfully the cross of the Order, remembering the words of our Lord Jesus Christ, "Take up your cross and follow me."

ALL NEW MEMBERS: Almighty God, help me to pray so faithfully that I may draw near to you and learn your will. Help me to serve so joyfully that others may be drawn to you. May your Holy Spirit guide me each day, that all I think, do, or say may be pleasing in your sight. I ask it all for the sake of Him whose cross I wear, my King and Savior, Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

ALL DAUGHTERS OF THE KING®: O Eternal Father, you have sent us your Son to teach us things pertaining to your heavenly Kingdom. Give your blessing to our Order wherever it may be throughout the world. Grant that we, your Daughters, ever may discern your truth and bear the cross through the battles of our earthly life. Give us strength to overcome temptation and the grace to work to spread your Kingdom and to gather your scattered sheep within your fold. Pour out upon us the sevenfold gift of the Holy Spirit that we may always remember it is your work we are called to do; that all we think, do or say may be pleasing in your

sight. We ask it all For His Sake, our King and Savior, Jesus Christ.
Amen.

**JUNIOR DAUGHTERS PRAYER,
SAID BY MEMBERS AND DIRECTRESS:**

God of Love, God of Life, God of Holy Strength, guide us, that by our daily practice of Prayer and Service, we may draw others to Christ. Help us to reach up in hope, receive in spirit, respond in faith, and reach out in love for all. We pray that Your Kingdom will come for all creation, all people living together in love and peace. For His Sake. Amen.

CLERGY: May your love, O Lord, help these Daughters and girls live lives of love, and may your holiness lead them to be examples of virtue, that they, strengthened by your Holy Spirit, may pray and serve you all their days, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

CLERGY: The blessing of God Almighty, Father, Son and Holy Spirit be upon you and remain with you always. *Amen.*

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