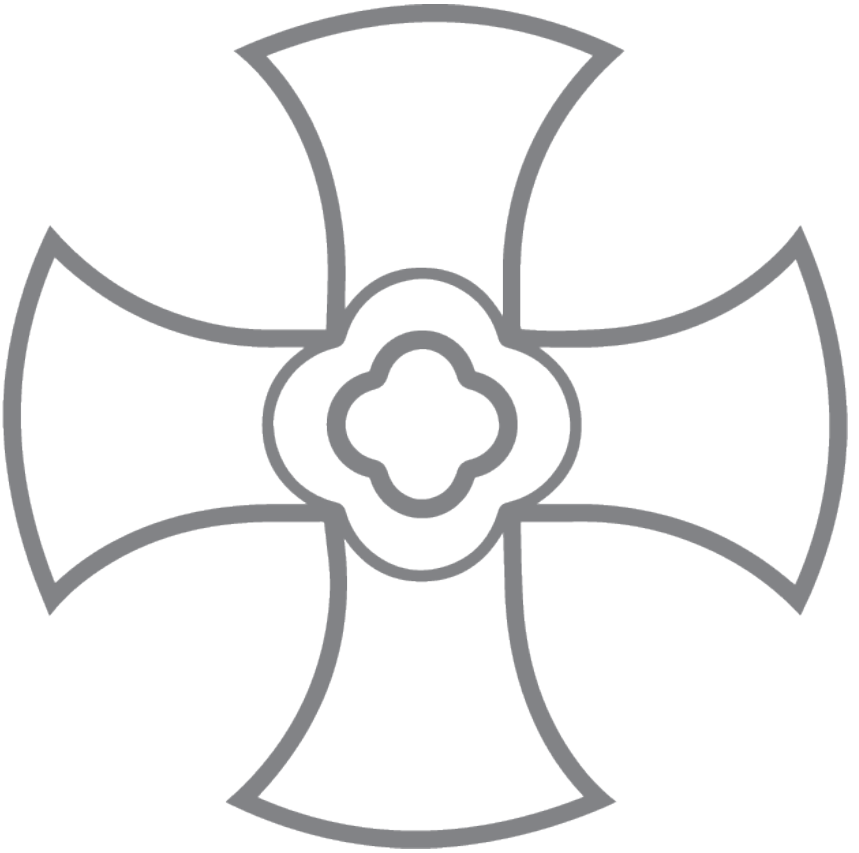


The Twenty-Fifth Sunday After Pentecost

November 15, 2026

Welcome to Resurrection!

We're glad you're here! At Church of the Resurrection (Rez), we believe that you can be transformed by encountering the love of Jesus. Through this encounter, many people have received healing, become part of a community, and learned to serve others. Our vision is to invite everyone into this kind of transforming relationship with Jesus and his Church, whether you are exploring Christianity for the first time or grew up attending church.

If you are visiting us for the first time or watching on livestream, we are so excited to have you with us. We would love to meet you and give you a gift at the Guest Center.



Matthew Woodley

Fr. Matt Woodley
Senior Associate Rector
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Anglican Diocese
of the Upper Midwest

As the cathedral church, Resurrection is the headquarters for our regional family of churches, the Anglican Diocese of the Upper Midwest, as well as the home of Bishop Stewart Ruch. The mission of our Diocese is to plant a revival of Word and Sacrament infused by the Holy Spirit.

We are also a member of the Anglican Church in North America (ACNA).

This Sunday Bishop Stewart is visiting Cornerstone Anglican in Portage Park, IL.



Bishop Stewart E. Ruch III
Diocese of the Upper Midwest
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Visiting?
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Children
Children's ministry is available at both our 8:30am and 10:30 am Sunday services for infants through 5th grade.

Youth
RezYouth for middle and high school students meets Wednesday nights starting at 6:30pm. Middle schoolers meet until 8pm, and high schoolers meet until 8:30pm.

College
RezCollege will meet today for lunch after second service at 524 Western Ave. in Wheaton.

Questions?
- For general questions:
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Sunday Worship
8:30am & 10:30am

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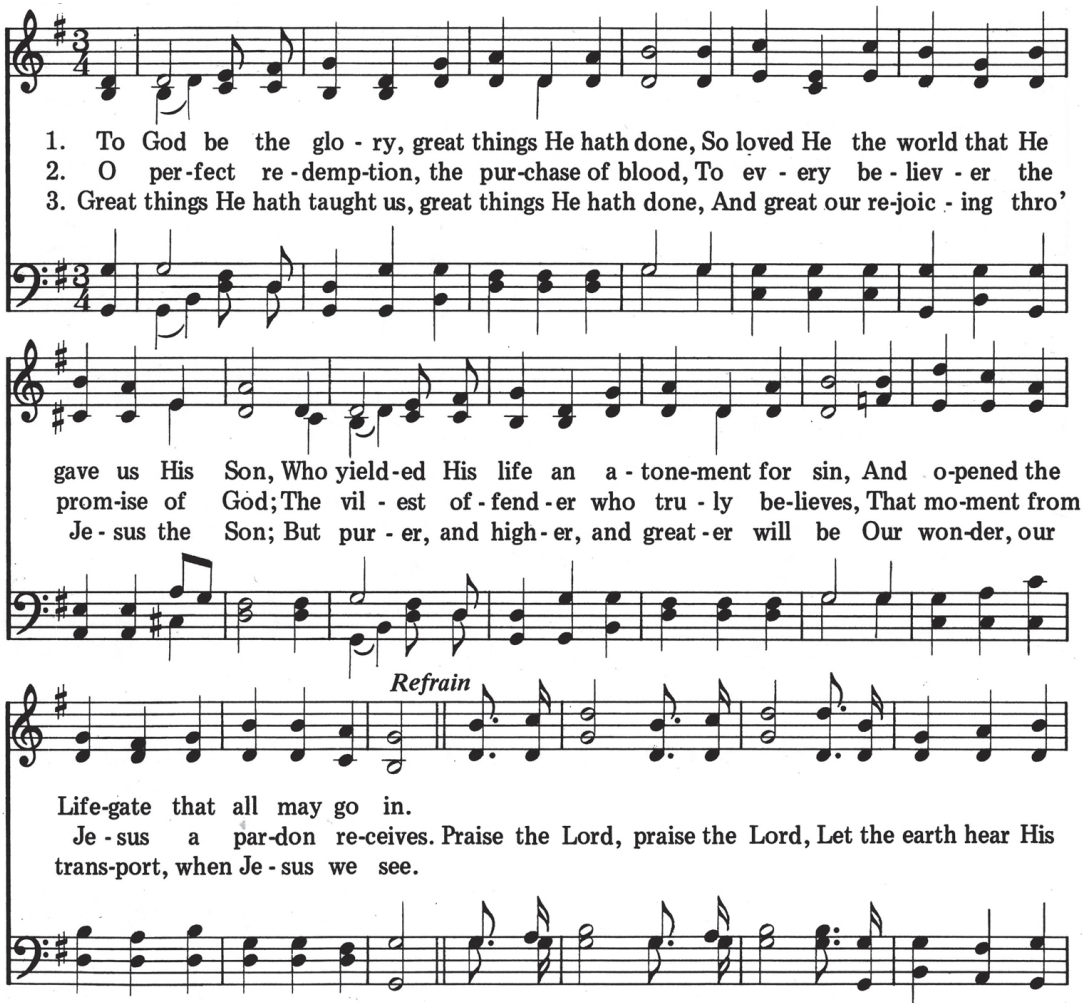
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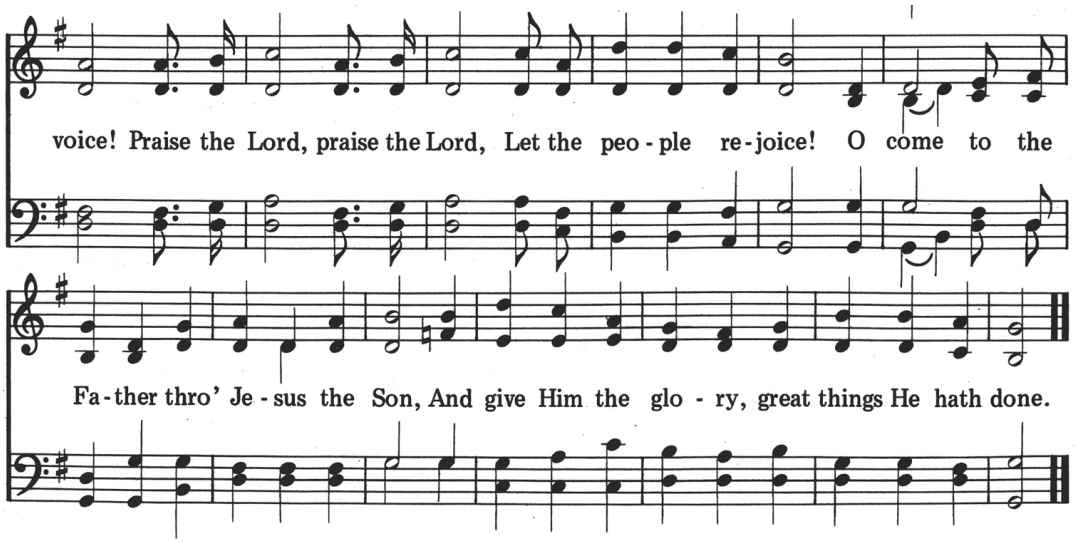
The Word of God

The Processional Hymn

To God Be the Glory



Words: Fanny J. Crosby (1820–1915)
Music: TO GOD BE THE GLORY, William H. Doane (1832–1915)



The Acclamation

CELEBRANT: *Blessed be God: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.*

PEOPLE: And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

The Collect for Purity

CELEBRANT: *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.*

ALL: Amen.

The Summary of the Law

CELEBRANT: *Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ says:*

You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets (Matthew 22:37–40).

The Kyrie

CELEBRANT: *Lord, have mercy upon us.*

PEOPLE: **Christ, have mercy upon us.**

CELEBRANT: *Lord, have mercy upon us.*

Songs of Worship

The Gloria may be sung.

The Collect of the Day

CELEBRANT: *The Lord be with you.*

PEOPLE: **And with your spirit.**

CELEBRANT: *Let us pray.*

Stir up, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people, that bringing forth in abundance the fruit of good works, they may be abundantly rewarded when our Savior Jesus Christ comes to restore all things; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

ALL: **Amen.**

The Lessons

Please be seated for the readings from the Bible.

READER: *A reading from the Book of Jeremiah.*

Jeremiah 29:1, 4–7, 10–14 (ESV)

READER: *The Word of the Lord.*

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 90: 1-12 (BCP 2019)

1 Lord, you have been our refuge *
    from one generation to another.
2 Before the mountains were brought forth, or the earth
and the world were made, *
    you are God from everlasting, and world without end.
3 You turn man back to the dust; *
    you say, "Return, O children of men."
4 For a thousand years in your sight are as yesterday, *
    even as a day that is past.
5 You scatter them as a night-watch that comes quickly to an end; *
    they are even as a dream and fade away
6 They are like the grass, which in the morning is green, *
    but in the evening is dried up and withered.
7 For we consume away in your displeasure *
    and are afraid at your wrathful indignation.
8 You have set our misdeeds before you, *
    and our secret sins in the light of your countenance.
9 For when you are angry, all our days are gone; *
    we bring our years to an end, as a tale that is told.
10 The days of our life are seventy years, and though some
be so strong that they come to eighty years, *
    yet is their span but labor and sorrow; so soon
    it passes away, and we are gone.
11 But who regards the power of your wrath, *
    and who considers the fierceness of your anger?
12 So teach us to number our days, *
    that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom.

Please stand.

Alleluia

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

PEOPLE: Glory to You, Lord Christ.

Matthew 18:1-10 (ESV)

READER: *The Gospel of the Lord.*

PEOPLE: Praise to You, Lord Christ.

Alleluia

During the Alleluia following the Gospel reading, children in grades 1–5 who have been checked in to RezKids may follow the banner to exit the Sanctuary through the center doors and proceed to the RezKids room.

The Sermon

Heavenly Minded: Children

—Fr. Will Chester, Associate Rector

The Nicene Creed

Please stand for the Creed and the Prayers of the People.

CELEBRANT: *Let us confess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed:*

ALL: We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, visible and invisible.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten 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,
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and 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,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who 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.

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Prayers of the People

LEADER: *Lord, in your mercy:*

ALL: Hear our prayer.

Global Partner Spotlight: Jeff & Kirsty

Each week, we pray for one of our global partners. Use this bio as a reminder to pray for them today and throughout the week. Due to safety concerns, we are often limited in how much we can share about the location and nature of this ministry.

Jeff, Kirsty, and their three children live and serve in North Africa.

The Confession of Sin

DEACON: *Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.*

Please be seated or kneel. There will be a time of silence.

ALL: 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.

CELEBRANT: *Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

The Comfortable Words

CELEBRANT: *Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him.*

God so loved the world, that he gave his only-begotten Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life (John 3:16).

The Peace

CELEBRANT: *The Peace of the Lord be always with you.*

PEOPLE: And with your spirit.

Please use this time to share the peace of Christ with those around you.

Parents of nursery through kindergarten, please pick up your children from their classrooms before the announcements. Parents of grades 1-5, please stay in your seats. After the announcements, shepherds will bring children to the sanctuary center chute. Children will then find you.

The Offertory

Year to Date Income

July 1, 2026 through October 31, 2026

Actual	Budget	Difference
$661,531	$755,958	($94,427)

Current Month Outlook

November Goal	November Giving	Difference
$213,949	$124,107	($89,843)

Give Online

Scan the code to give by card or bank account or go to churchrez.org/give

Holy Communion

The Doxology

Please stand.

ALL: Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise him all creatures here below,
Praise him above, ye heavenly host,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

The Great Thanksgiving

CELEBRANT: *The Lord be with you.*

PEOPLE: And with your spirit.

CELEBRANT: *Lift up your hearts.*

PEOPLE: We lift them up to the Lord.

CELEBRANT: *Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.*

PEOPLE: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

CELEBRANT: *. . . 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:*

ALL: 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!

"Holy, Holy, Holy," by Richard Leonard, © 1997 Laudemont Ministries.

CELEBRANT: *. . . Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:*

ALL: Christ has died.
Christ is risen.
Christ will come again.

CELEBRANT: *. . . 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.*

ALL: Amen.

CELEBRANT: *And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray,*

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

CELEBRANT: *Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;*

PEOPLE: Therefore let us keep the feast! Alleluia!

ALL: We do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord,
trusting in our own righteousness,
but in your abundant and great mercies.
We are not worthy so much as to gather up
the crumbs under your table;
but you are the same Lord
whose character is always to have mercy.
Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord,
so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ,
and to drink his blood,
that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body,
and our souls washed through his most precious blood,
and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

CELEBRANT: *Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of the Lamb.*

Please be seated. All who are baptized in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit and are committed to following Jesus are welcome to receive Communion. Ushers will release you row by row. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request. Non-alcoholic grape juice is available in the silver trays. Please dispose of used cups in the buckets available on tables in your section.

Songs of Worship

Please stand.

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

CELEBRANT: *Let us pray.*

ALL: Heavenly Father,
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

CELEBRANT: *The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always.*

ALL: Amen.

The Dismissal

DEACON: *Alleluia, alleluia. Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.*

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

RezNews

What's next at Resurrection

Immeasurably More: Ask & Receive
Churchrez.org/rezartsfestival

The RezArts team invites artists, both experienced and new, to create pieces for this year's RezArts Festival, "Immeasurably More: Ask & Receive." Submit your art by Sunday, January 10, for this year's festival on Saturday, January 23.

THRIVE Support Group
Today, 12:15pm

Parents and caregivers of individuals impacted by disabilities are invited to join our THRIVE support group today in the Timothy and Acts 1 rooms. Lunch is served, and childcare is provided. No RSVP necessary!

MORE

RezCollege Lunch Meeting Today
Our RezCollege ministry will meet today for lunch after second service at 524 Western Avenue in Wheaton.

Prayer Appointments | Next Sunday, November 22, 1:30–2:30pm
Our Sunday prayer appointments are a great way to receive personal ministry at Resurrection. During these hour-long prayer times, two pastoral leaders will lead you in healing prayer and connection to Jesus. Find signups at churchrez.org/events.

Restock the Baby Bank
Help us provide essential baby supplies to local parents referred by Caring Network. We are especially in need of wipes, Enfamil and Similac formula, and size 6 diapers.

Find the details at churchrez.org/events