Newcomers and visitors, welcome! We are a servant church in the heart of the city. May you find here, by God’s grace, that which feeds your soul, and leave here with a heart prepared to serve.
Noonday Prayer

SERVICE NOTES: Page numbers listed are from The Book of Common Prayer.

OPENING SENTENCE

Officiant O God, make speed to save us.
People O Lord, make haste to help us.
All Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia.

PSALM 94: 5–15

All They crush your people, O Lord,*
and afflict your chosen nation.
They murder the widow and the stranger *
and put the orphans to death.
Yet they say, “The Lord does not see,*
the God of Jacob takes no notice.”
Consider well, you dullards among the people; *
when will you fools understand?
He that planted the ear, does he not hear? *
he that formed the eye, does he not see?
He who admonishes the nations, will he not punish? *
he who teaches all the world, has he no knowledge?
The Lord knows our human thoughts; *
how like a puff of wind they are.
Happy are they whom you instruct, O Lord!*
whom you teach out of your law;
To give them rest in evil days, *
until a pit is dug for the wicked.
For the Lord will not abandon his people,*
nor will he forsake his own.
For judgment will again be just,*
and all the true of heart will follow it.
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

MATTHEW 11:25–27

Officiant At that time Jesus said, “I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and the intelligent and have revealed them to infants; yes, Father, for such was your gracious will. All things have been handed over to me by my Father; and no one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.

All Thanks be to God.
Reflection

The Prayers

Officiant  Lord have mercy.
People    Christ have mercy.
Officiant  Lord have mercy.
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.
Officiant  Lord, hear our prayer;
People    And let our cry come to you.
Officiant  Let us pray.

O Lord, mercifully receive the prayers of your people who call upon you, and grant that they may
know and understand what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to
accomplish them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Intercessions and Thanksgivings

Dismissal

Officiant  Let us bless the Lord.
People    Thanks be to God.
Officiant  The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with
           us all evermore. Amen.

The Very Rev. Dr. Andrew C. Keyse, Officiant

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