

As of old Saint Andrew heard it
by the Galilean lake,
turned from home and toil and kindred,
leaving all for his dear sake.

Jesus calls us from the worship
of the vain world's golden store,
from each idol that would keep us,
saying, 'Christian, love me more.'

In our joys and in our sorrows,
days of toil and hours of ease,
still he calls, in cares and pleasures,
'Christian, love me more than these.'

Jesus calls us: by thy mercies,
Saviour, may we hear thy call,
give our hearts in thine obedience,
serve and love thee best of all.

Post Communion Prayer

Holy Father, who gathered us here around the table of your
Son to share this meal with the whole household of God: in
that new world where you reveal the fullness of your peace,
gather people of every race and language to share in the
eternal banquet of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

PLEASE TAKE THIS LEAFLET HOME WITH YOU

Eucharist - (The Ninth Sunday after Trinity—Aug. 9th)

Collect for the Ninth 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**

A reading from the first book of Kings

At that place Elijah came to a cave, and spent the night
there. Then the word of the Lord came to him, saying,
'What are you doing here, Elijah?' He answered, 'I have
been very zealous for the Lord, the God of hosts; for the
Israelites have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your
altars, and killed your prophets with the sword. I alone am
left, and they are seeking my life, to take it away.'
He said, 'Go out and stand on the mountain before
the Lord, for the Lord is about to pass by.' Now there was a
great wind, so strong that it was splitting mountains and
breaking rocks in pieces before the Lord, but the Lord was
not in the wind; and after the wind an earthquake, but
the Lord was not in the earthquake; and after the
earthquake a fire, but the Lord was not in the fire; and after
the fire a sound of sheer silence. When Elijah heard it, he
wrapped his face in his mantle and went out and stood at
the entrance of the cave. Then there came a voice to him
that said, 'What are you doing here, Elijah?' He answered,
'I have been very zealous for the Lord, the God of hosts; for

the Israelites have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword. I alone am left, and they are seeking my life, to take it away.' Then the Lord said to him, 'Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus; when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael as king over Aram. Also you shall anoint Jehu son of Nimshi as king over Israel; and you shall anoint Elisha son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah as prophet in your place. Whoever escapes from the sword of Hazael, Jehu shall kill; and whoever escapes from the sword of Jehu, Elisha shall kill. Yet I will leave seven thousand in Israel, all the knees that have not bowed to Baal, and every mouth that has not kissed him.'

1 Kings 19.9-18

This is the word of the Lord:
Thanks be to God

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew:
Glory to you, O Lord

Immediately Jesus made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. And after he had dismissed the crowds, he went up the mountain by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, but by this time the boat, battered by the waves, was far from the land, for the wind was against them. And early in the morning he came walking towards them on the lake. But when the disciples saw him walking on the lake, they were terrified, saying, 'It is a ghost!' And

they cried out in fear. But immediately Jesus spoke to them and said, 'Take heart, it is I; do not be afraid.' Peter answered him, 'Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water.' He said, 'Come.' So Peter got out of the boat, started walking on the water, and came towards Jesus. But when he noticed the strong wind, he became frightened, and beginning to sink, he cried out, 'Lord, save me!' Jesus immediately reached out his hand and caught him, saying to him, 'You of little faith, why did you doubt?' When they got into the boat, the wind ceased. And those in the boat worshipped him, saying, 'Truly you are the Son of God.'

Matthew 14.22-33

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

The response in our prayers of intercession today

Show us your mercy, O Lord:
and grant us your salvation.

Words of prayer as the Holy Table is cleared (379)

Jesus calls us o'er the tumult
of our life's wild, restless sea;
day by day his voice still calls us
saying, 'Christian, follow me.'