

EPISCOPAL CATHEDRAL TRINITY

*Our mission is to welcome all, serve with
love, and grow in Christ.*



The Carillon

Thursday
October 15, 2026

2027 Stewardship Campaign: Fueling Vibrant Ministries

Your Pledge Makes a Difference

Pent-up energy — energy that's eager to do God's work in many ways — filled the responses of this summer's survey of the Trinity community.

We want Trinity to strengthen its service to our neighbors, enhance its music program, and boost outreach to groups such as 20s/30s and members who no longer can drive.

Your Stewardship team shares your excitement about the possibilities that lie just ahead. We know, too, that you share our excitement this autumn as we gather the financial resources that will power Trinity into an ever-more vibrant future.

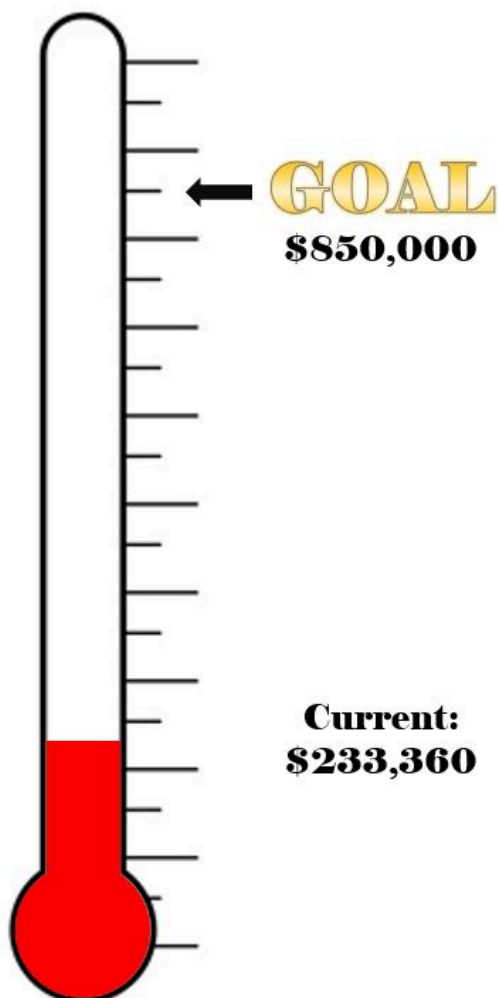
Just to maintain the status quo next year — a level that doesn't provide any additional resources for Trinity to step boldly into its future — requires that our Stewardship initiatives raise \$800,000. We are confident that the Trinity family is not satisfied with merely maintaining the status quo.

Money, simply said, is a storehouse of energy. God has given each of us power over the financial resources that we unlock to do His work in our congregation and in our community.

You hold the power to put Trinity's potential energy into motion. Your pledge makes a significant difference. All of us in the Trinity community are counting on one another to unleash the financial power that will strengthen us as we welcome all, serve with love, and grow with Christ.

Your Stewardship team encourages you to make your pledge before next weekend.

Our Progress So Far:



Catechumenate Class Coming Soon

Our next Catechumenate class will begin on **Wednesday, November 4 at 6 pm** in the Parish Hall, and will run for six Wednesdays leading up to Christmas Eve.

This class is a period of formation, study, and spiritual growth for those new to the church or preparing to join. Anyone wishing to be baptized or confirmed at the Christmas Eve service on December 24 should attend!

Contact Dean Tim at dean@trinityreno.org for more information.

Music Notes



Phantom of the Opera Silent Movie and Masked Costume Gala

Get ready for a night like no other! Experience the 1929 classic silent movie Phantom of the Opera on the big screen, with accompanying organ music improvised by the world-renowned Dorothy Papadakos on Nevada's finest organ.

Then, slip on your best mask and dance the night away at the Costume Gala that follows. A curated silent auction of great gift baskets containing gourmet utensils and other items will take place. Proceeds benefit Trinity's Parish Hall Renovation Capital Campaign.

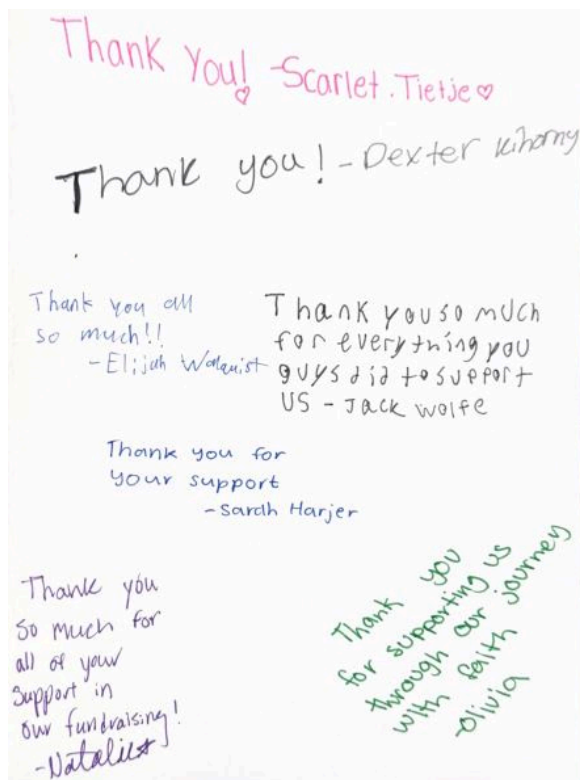
Dress to impress and prepare for an unforgettable evening filled with music, mystery, and fun!

Friday, November 6, 5:30 pm. [Click here to purchase tickets](#); \$40 for performance only, \$90 for performance and costume gala.



Children, Youth, and Family Ministry

More Messages From Our Hawaii Delegation



Dear Trinity Family,

Thank you so much for helping make our youth trip to Hawaii possible! We are really grateful for all your support, donations, and encouragement over the past three years.

Our trip was such an amazing experience. We got to explore new places, make awesome memories, and grow closer as a group. We also had meaningful opportunities to grow in our faith and see God's creation in a whole new way.

Because of your generosity, we were able to have experiences we might not have had otherwise. Thank you for helping make this trip so special and giving us memories we will always remember. We are so thankful to be part of such a caring church family!

With love and gratitude,

Anna, Briley, Dexter, Elijah, Jack, Josie, Natalie, and Olivia

Dear Trinity Family,

Thank you so much for your generosity and support in helping raise money for our kids to attend their Episcopal Youth trip in Hawaii this past July.

Your kindness has given them an opportunity to make wonderful memories, grow in their faith, and build friendships that will last a lifetime.

We are truly grateful for the love, support and encouragement you have shown our children. Thank you for helping make this experience possible!

The kids all look forward to sharing their experiences along with some pictures at the Spaghetti Dinner.

With grateful hearts,
The Allen, Flocchini, Humphries, Kihorny, McNamara,
Walquist and Wolfe Families



Thank you!

Please join us for the
Episcopal Youth
SPAGHETTI
Fundraiser

17th
October

Immediately following
the 5 pm service



**\$10 PER PERSON, \$6 KIDS 12 AND
YOUNGER AND FAMILIES \$40**

**Come and enjoy spaghetti with meat sauce, salad,
bread, dessert and drinks**

Trinity Episcopal Cathedral Parish Hall
200 Island Ave.
Reno, NV. 89501

Join us anytime; we always want to see you. Sunday School registration forms are always available downstairs in the Sunday School area. There is also a PDF you can download and fill out on the Trinity Website at the bottom of the page for Children's Christian Formation. Please complete this release form before your child goes into class.

Link to Parent Release Form:

<https://trinityreno.org/christian-education/childrens-christian-formation/>

The Canon's Corner

Whose Image Do We Bear?

The Gospel this Sunday centers on a political trap. The Pharisees ask Jesus whether it's lawful to pay taxes to Caesar — a question designed to corner him no matter how he answers. If he says yes, he risks alienating people who live under the weight of Roman occupation. If he says no, he sounds like he's encouraging rebellion. Jesus doesn't step into the trap. Instead, he asks for a coin.

He holds it up, letting the image stamped on it speak for itself. "Whose head is this, and whose title?" "Caesar's," they reply.

And Jesus answers, "Give to Caesar what is Caesar's, and to God what is God's."

It's a brilliant response, but it's also a deeply spiritual one. The coin bears Caesar's image — so it goes back to Caesar. We bear God's image — so we belong to God. Jesus isn't dividing life into neat categories of sacred and secular. He's reminding us of our truest identity and deepest allegiance.

Last week, Tim invited us to wonder "What if?" What if we lived as though God's presence truly shaped our choices? What if we trusted that God's image in us is not symbolic, but formative? What if we allowed that truth to guide how we show up in the world?

This Gospel continues that invitation. Jesus isn't just talking about taxes. He's talking about who we are — and whose we are. If we belong to God, what if our lives reflected that belonging with greater clarity, courage, and love?

On Sunday, we'll explore what it means to carry God's image in a world full of competing claims on our loyalty. Jesus doesn't ask us to step away from the world. He asks us to remember who and whose we are as we live in it — God's beloved, marked by God's likeness, called to reflect God's love.

Faithfully, Canon Diana+

Ministry News



Ministry Spotlight: Office Angels

One of the less-visible ways that Trinity parishioners offer their time and talent is on our Office Angels team. These behind-the-scenes helpers are the ones who answer the call when there are special projects in the Parish Office, when our administrator Sarah needs someone to cover for her, or any time our office staff need a few extra hands. It doesn't happen often, but when it does, it is such a blessing to have the backup.

Sarah will be holding an informational/training meeting on **Wednesday, November 18 at 1 pm** in the Parish Office for all current and prospective members. All are welcome!

No experience or special skills are necessary to join the Office Angels- just a desire to help, and a friendly face behind the front desk. If you feel called to be a part of this special team, please reach out to Sarah at info@trinityreno.org to get involved.

Coffee Hour Update

Our heartfelt thanks to the 20s/30s Group for hosting the very first Coffee Hour. You created such a welcoming space — people lingered, laughed, and genuinely enjoyed being together. It was a wonderful way to share your ministry with our community, and we're grateful for the spirit you brought to the morning.

Next month, the Vestry will be hosting, and we're excited to keep this new tradition growing. To our congregation, take a moment during Coffee Hour to chat with our hosts about their ministry. You might discover something that sparks your interest or a group you'd love to learn more about.

Blessings,



Divinely Fine Women October

Please join the Divinely Fine Women of our church for its next gathering on **Saturday, October 17 at 11:30 am**, Buenos Grill, 3892 Mayberry Drive, Reno. Call Susan Lombardi at **775-329-2044** to RSVP (please note this is a land line; texts will not be received).

This group is for all women of the parish, its goal being to establish new and renew old friendships within our church. Please come back if you attended in the past, and come if you have not attended or are new to the church.

Just say NO to Potholes - Changed to October 24th!

Our parking lot is in need of some careful stewardship, and we are looking for a team of willing helpers to clear and fill in the troublesome potholes on **Saturday, October 24th at 9:00 am**.

Over time, shifting weather and traffic have created uneven surfaces that pose a safety hazard to our congregation. We will gather to sweep away loose debris, prep the damaged areas, and pack them with fresh patching compound to ensure a smooth, welcoming environment for everyone. No prior pavement experience is required—just a pair of sturdy work gloves, a flat shovel or broom if you have one, and a ready heart to help.

If you can spare a couple of hours, please contact Eric Meagher, Junior Warden, at zeero@att.net.

A Lot of Good Men October

Saturday, October 24th
11:30 am Lunch
Skipolini's
13971 S Virginia St

Contact Clyde at cnp_reno@yahoo.com to RSVP.

All men of Trinity are automatically a part of this group. We want to foster friendship and support for one another.



*ALOGM Breakfast at Two Chicks
Photos courtesy of Clyde Ikehara*

Adult Sunday School

Every Sunday during the Sunday School time, after the 9 am Service and before the 11 am Service Meet at the coffee area and we'll head to a meeting room.

We will discuss how God is working in our lives with the following prompts:

- What message do you remember from last Sunday's sermon or last week's Carillon and how has it affected your life? (Please no spoilers from this Sunday's sermon from those attending the 9 am service)
- We will be learning Ignation Prayer, so as you prayed, directed by the lectionary readings from last week, what impact did it have on you?

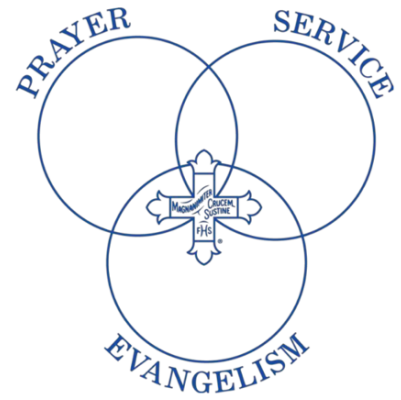
Bringing an answer to one of these questions to share is a challenge, not an expectation. We expect one or two responses will drive plenty of discussion.

All adults are invited!

A Note from the Daughters of the King on Trinity's Angel Tree Project

For almost ten years, our Daughters of the King chapter has had the privilege of organizing Trinity's Angel Tree Project, led with such heart by Debbie Zalmana. This year we'll be stepping back from that role so we can discern new ways to serve this parish we love.

None of that joy was ever ours alone — it was you, our Trinity family, who shopped, wrapped, and gave so generously every year. We will be forever grateful to Sandi Brooke for preparing the wonderful dinner DOK gave each year to kick off the season of giving, and to ALOGM (A Lot of Good Men) and our youth program for their help with set-up and clean-up. Thank you for helping us bring Christmas joy to hundreds of children and families at Stead Elementary over the years; your generosity truly changed lives.



If you're looking for a way to keep that same spirit of giving alive this Christmas, we'd love for you to consider Catholic Charities of Northern Nevada's Operation Stocking Stuffer, or The Children's Cabinet's Adopt-a-Family program — two wonderful local ministries doing beautiful work for children right here in our community. We are so grateful for every year you walked this journey with us, and we can't wait to see how God leads us all in new ways to serve.

Catholic Charities of Northern Nevada's Operation Stocking Stuffer is a program for parents who need extra help for Christmas presents for their children. Parents then have the opportunity to give the stockings to their children on Christmas. Contact Operation Stocking Stuffer at **775-322-7073**, or visit their website at <https://ccsnn.org/pages/operation-stocking-stuffer>.

The Children's Cabinet's Adopt-a-Family program offers several ways to participate in Christmas Giving. Please contact Danielle Eaton at **775-856-7601** or by email at family@childrenscabinet.org, or visit their website at <https://www.childrenscabinet.org/how-you-can-help/adopt-a-family/>.

Solar Panels Work Silently for Trinity

By Eric Meagher, Junior Warden

Since coming to Trinity Episcopal Cathedral, one of the things I've come to understand is that the Holy Spirit's presence is completely hidden from view, yet its powerful output actively reduces the burdens of daily life. Recently, after dealing with some light vandalism (nothing broken, but something definitely not right), I couldn't help but think that our solar panels, hidden on top of the roof where no one can see them, likewise, do quite a lot. I don't know if it is a good analogy or not; "Solar Panels are like the Holy Spirit, both work silently but with great impact", but I couldn't help but think it.

Behind the Big Bell and behind the bushes, near the door to the church offices, sit several inverters. An inverter converts the direct current (DC) electricity produced by solar panels into alternating current (AC) electricity that is commonly used in our homes and offices. The status light on each inverter was "RED"; they were all offline for some reason. Upon further inspection, there was nothing broken, but in the breaker box next to the inverters, each switch for each inverter was flipped open to the OFF position. Simply flipping the switches back on put the inverters in the green condition and they are now silently, unseen, generating power once again. The difference of re-connecting the solar panels to our wiring has made an impact. We just paid our September Bill to NV Energy. It was a FULL 50% LESS than the previous bill!!!! That is a HUGE impact.

The space behind the bell in the planter box next to the Parish Hall is a favorite sleeping place for some who have nowhere else. There is no rational reason for anyone to touch those switches. The breaker box has a new padlock. A special thanks goes to Harold Campbell for spotting the source of the problem.

In Our Community



Taizé Prayer AROUND THE CROSS

A PEACEFUL, CANDLE-LIT TIME OF SIMPLE SONG,
SACRED TEXT AND SILENCE

BILINGÜE - INTERDENOMINATIONAL - ALL ARE WELCOME

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2026, 7 P.M. TO 7:45 P.M.

ST. THOMAS AQUINAS CATHEDRAL, 310 W. 2ND STREET, RENO

COME AND SIT WITH JESUS



oración Taizé

UN MOMENTO PACÍFICO A LA LUZ DE LAS VELAS,
CON CANTOS SENCILLOS,
TEXTOS SAGRADOS, Y SILENCIO

BILINGÜE Y INTERDENOMINACIONAL - TODOS SON BIENVENIDOS

VIERNES, 23 DE OCTUBRE DE 2026, 7 P.M.

CATEDRAL DE SANTO TOMÁS DE AQUINO, 310 W. 2ND STREET, RENO

VEN Y SIÉNTATE CON JESÚS

Membership News

Deaths:

- Mary Ituarte has passed away at the age of 100.
- Charles Steiner passed away on the morning of October 12 at the age of 82.

Do you have membership news to share?

If you would like to share tidings of a birth, marriage, or death in your family,
please email your news to info@trinityreno.org by 3 pm Wednesday
to be included in Friday's Carillon.

Prayer Concerns

Trinity Family and Friends

Glen, Emily, Julie, Bryan, Suzanne, Bruce, Chayse, Tommy, Pat, Matthew, Pete, Katherine, Dan; in our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we join the Bishop in praying for the Society of the Magi and Stewardship Teams

Departed

Grace, Mary, Charlie, Len, Susan

Bereaved

The Gordon family, Eloy, the Voorhees and Fisk families, Marlyse and family

God of mercy and healing, you who hear the cries of those in need, receive these petitions of your people that all who are troubled may know peace, comfort, and courage. Amen.

The prayer list is updated regularly; names remain on the prayer list for six weeks.
We pray for those in our church community who are currently experiencing a health crisis.
Email prayerteam@trinityreno.org to let us know of your prayer request.

Healing Eucharist

Healing Eucharist is held every Wednesday at noon in the Bishop Lewis Chapel. During the service, the names of those on the prayer list are read aloud and those wishing to be anointed with oil may come forward or may be anointed on behalf of someone

else. All are welcome to attend.

Four Steps for Submitting Items to the Carillon

Wondering how to get Trinity news and happenings into the Carillon? Here's what to do:

1. Write the information the way you'd like it to appear in the Carillon. Although we will edit submissions as needed, it's very helpful to get items that are fully written out.
 2. If you'd like a graphic or photo to go with your submission, please send the graphic or photo as an attachment to the email. This makes it much easier to include than if you embed the image in the email itself.
 3. Email your submission to the Trinity office: info@trinityreno.org.
 4. Mind the weekly deadline: **3 pm on Wednesday** for the Friday Carillon.
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The Vestry

2027 - Margaret Brown, Rebecca Dixon, Aaron Koning, Eric Nummela

2028 - Josette Dornoff, Katherine Mahannah, Gary Warren, Nan Marie Wollam (Senior Warden)

2029 - Alex Dyer, Jacob Macaluso, Eric Meagher (Junior Warden)

Youth Representative: Natalie Humphries

Heavenly Father, give our wardens and vestry a daily renewal of your presence, uphold them with your peace, a peace that passes all understanding, enlighten them with your word, and strengthen them with your grace. Amen.

Worship With Us Online

Sunday worship at 11:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCGYbPbauG4TbNTpgnZpGFfw>

Weekend Ministers

Altar Guild: Carol Clarke, Juliette Leneaux, Lisa Otterson, John Seelmeyer.

5 pm: Canon Donna McNiel preaching and presiding. Mimi Butler, Kathryn Landreth, Lectors; Julie Martinson, Intercessor; Susan Lombardi, EM.

7:30 am: Canon Diana Turner preaching and presiding. Garrett White, Server; Jessie Clark, Lector; Joe Nishikida, Gary Warren, Ushers.

9 am: Canon Diana Turner preaching, Dean Timothy Watt presiding. Everly Brown, Crucifer; Sarah Harjer, Server; Scarlett Tietje, Intercessor; Elijah Walquist, Briley McNamara, EMs; the Harjer family, Ushers.

11 am: Canon Diana Turner preaching, Dean Timothy Watt presiding. Kurt Mische, Sara Oliver Erwine, Lectors; Stephanie Viruet, Intercessor; Lindsay Campbell, Verger; Betsy Bethke, Crucifer; Howard Bennett, Server; Laura Dilley, Alex Dunn, EMs; Harold Campbell, Chris Zierten, Ushers.

Statistics From Last Week

Attendance for 5 pm service: 23

Attendance for 7:30 am service: 25

Attendance for 9 am service: 49

Attendance for 11 am service: 100

YouTube views of Sunday service: 108

Last Week's Offerings: \$11,111

Weekly Prayer

In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for:

Society of the Magi and Stewardship Teams

The Lessons Appointed for Use on the Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost



The Collect of the Day

Rite I:

Almighty and everlasting God, who in Christ hast revealed thy glory among the nations: Preserve the works of thy mercy, that thy Church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of thy Name; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Rite II:

Almighty and everlasting God, in Christ you have revealed your glory among the nations: Preserve the works of your mercy, that your Church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The Old Testament: Isaiah 45:1-7

Thus says the Lord to his anointed, to Cyrus,
whose right hand I have grasped
to subdue nations before him
and strip kings of their robes,
to open doors before him--
and the gates shall not be closed:
I will go before you and level the mountains,
I will break in pieces the doors of bronze
and cut through the bars of iron,
I will give you the treasures of darkness
and riches hidden in secret places,
so that you may know that it is I, the Lord,
the God of Israel, who call you by your name.
For the sake of my servant Jacob,
and Israel my chosen,
I call you by your name, I surname you, though you do not know me.
I am the Lord, and there is no other;
besides me there is no god.
I arm you, though you do not know me,
so that they may know, from the rising of the sun
and from the west, that there is no one besides me;
I am the Lord, and there is no other.
I form light and create darkness,
I make weal and create woe;
I the Lord do all these things.

The Response: Psalm 96:1-9

1 Sing to the Lord | a new | song; * sing to the | Lord, all | the whole | earth.
2 Sing to the Lord and | bless his | Name; * proclaim the good news of his sal- | vation from | day to | day.
3 Declare his glory | among the | nations * and his | wonders a- | mong all | peoples.
4 For great is the Lord and greatly | to be | praised; * he is | more to be . feared | than all | gods.
5 As for all the gods of the nations, they | are but | idols; * but it is the | Lord who | made the | heavens.
6 Oh, the majesty and magnificence | of his | presence! * Oh, the power and the splendor | of his | sanc- tu- | ary!
7 Ascribe to the Lord, you families | of the | peoples; * ascribe to the | Lord | honor and power.
8 Ascribe to the Lord the honor | due his | Name; * bring offerings and | come in- | to his | courts.
9 * Worship the Lord in the | beauty of | holiness; * let the whole earth | tremble be- | fore | him.

The Epistle: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ:

Grace to you and peace.

We always give thanks to God for all of you and mention you in our prayers, constantly remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labor of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. For we know, brothers and sisters beloved by God, that he has chosen you, because our message of the gospel came to you not in word only, but also in power and in the

Holy Spirit and with full conviction; just as you know what kind of persons we proved to be among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for in spite of persecution you received the word with joy inspired by the Holy Spirit, so that you became an example to all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For the word of the Lord has sounded forth from you not only in Macedonia and Achaia, but in every place your faith in God has become known, so that we have no need to speak about it. For the people of those regions report about us what kind of welcome we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols, to serve a living and true God, and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead-- Jesus, who rescues us from the wrath that is coming.

The Gospel: Matthew 22:15-22

The Pharisees went and plotted to entrap Jesus in what he said. So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, "Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality. Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not?" But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, "Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? Show me the coin used for the tax." And they brought him a denarius. Then he said to them, "Whose head is this, and whose title?" They answered, "The emperor's." Then he said to them, "Give therefore to the emperor the things that are the emperor's, and to God the things that are God's." When they heard this, they were amazed; and they left him and went away.

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