TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

TRINITY SUNDAY

JUNE 4, 2023 10:00 A.M.

A PLACE OF WELCOME, HOPE & HEALING



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Good Morning!

Whether this is your first time at Trinity, your first time in a long time, or if you're here every Sunday, we are delighted that you are worshiping with us this morning.

WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS If you are new to Trinity, we hope that you will introduce yourself and sign

one of the guest books at either entrance to the Church. Restrooms are located in two places. Exit through the rear doors of the Sanctuary and go to your right. The white doors on your left are the restrooms. Restrooms can also be found if you exit the door at the front right of the Sanctuary and go down the hall toward the exit to the parking lot. The restrooms are on your right once you pass the fireplace.

NAMETAGS In order to make it easier for us to get to know each other, we ask everyone

to wear a nametag. If you do not have a reusable nametag, there are stickers and markers at each entrance. If you would like to have a reusable nametag made for you, please print your name on the clipboard next to the trays of

reusable nametags.

KIDS IN CHURCH Copies of 'The Sunday Paper Junior' coloring sheets and crayons available

at each Sanctuary entrance. Each week the coloring sheet will highlight some aspect of the Scripture for the day and includes notes to help parents talk to their kids about the theme. Please feel free to let your kids color and otherwise be themselves during the worship service. All are welcome as they

are, including kids!

INTERCESSORY PRAYER Private intercessory prayer is available with members of our Intercessory

Prayer team in the side aisle while Communion is being distributed at the 10:00 AM service. Additionally, there are Prayer Jars at each entrance to the Sanctuary where you can share prayers requests that will be prayed over

for the next month.

ABOUT OUR WORSHIP Most of the worship service is printed in this leaflet. Music that is not

printed in the leaflet can be found in *The Hymnal 1982* (the red book on the shelf under the chair in front of you) or in *Lift Every Voice and Sing II* (the red, black, and green book found on a cart at each entrance). We stand,

if able, for the hymns and stand or kneel, according to one's personal

tradition, for prayer.

JUNE 4, 2023 10:00 A.M.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

PRELUDE Morecambe Pamela Decker (b. 1955)

PROCESSIONAL HYMN Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart LEVAS #119



Presider **People**

Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

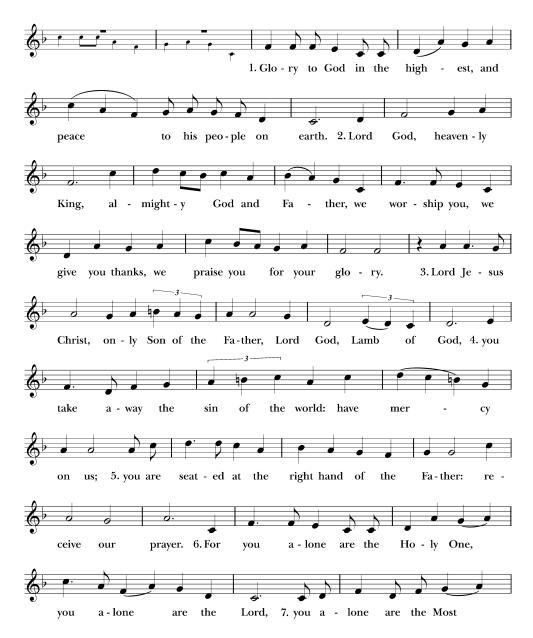
And blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

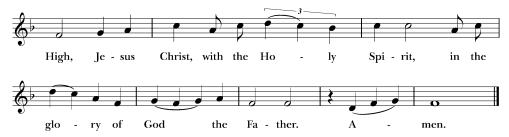
All

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

1982 Hymnal #S280





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THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Presider Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given to us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of your divine Majesty to worship the Unity: Keep us steadfast in this faith and worship, and bring us at last to see you in your one and eternal glory, O Father; who with the Son and the Holy Spirit live and reign, one God, for ever and ever.

People Amen.

Please sit.

THE FIRST READING Genesis 1:1-2:4a

In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. Then God said, "Let there be light"; and there was light. And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

And God said, "Let there be a dome in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters." So God made the dome and separated the waters that were under the dome from the waters that were above the dome. And it was so. God called the dome Sky. And there was evening and there was morning, the second day.

And God said, "Let the waters under the sky be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear." And it was so. God called the dry land Earth, and the waters that were gathered together he called Seas. And God saw that it was good. Then God said, "Let the earth put forth vegetation: plants yielding seed, and fruit trees of every kind on earth that bear fruit with the seed in it." And it was so. The earth brought forth vegetation: plants yielding seed of every kind, and trees of every kind bearing fruit with the seed in it. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the third day.

And God said, "Let there be lights in the dome of the sky to separate the day from the night; and let them be for signs and for seasons and for days and years, and let them be lights in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth." And it was so. God made the two great lights—the greater light to rule the day and the lesser light to rule the night—and the stars. God set them in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth, to rule over the day and over the night, and to separate the light from the darkness. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the fourth day.

And God said, "Let the waters bring forth swarms of living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the dome of the sky." So God created the great sea monsters and every living creature that moves, of every kind, with which the waters swarm, and every winged bird of every kind. And God saw that it was good. God blessed them, saying, "Be fruitful and multiply and fill the waters in the seas, and let birds multiply on the earth." And there was evening and there was morning, the fifth day.

And God said, "Let the earth bring forth living creatures of every kind: cattle and creeping things and wild animals of the earth of every kind." And it was so. God made the wild animals of the earth of every kind, and the cattle of every kind, and everything that creeps upon the ground of every kind. And God saw that it was good.

Then God said, "Let us make humankind in our image, according to our likeness; and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the wild animals of the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth."

So God created humankind in his image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.

God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth." God said, "See, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit; you shall have them for food. And to every beast of the earth, and to every bird of the air, and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food." And it was so. God saw everything that he had made, and indeed, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.

Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all their multitude. And on the seventh day God finished the work that he had done, and he rested on the seventh day from all the work that he had done. So God blessed the seventh day and hallowed it, because on it God rested from all the work that he had done in creation.

These are the generations of the heavens and the earth when they were created.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People Thanks be to God.

PSALM 8 BCP 592



- O / LORD our / Governor, *
 how exalted is your / Name in / all the / world!
- Out of the mouths of / infants and / children * your majesty is / praised a/bove the / heavens.
- You have set up a stronghold a/gainst your / adversaries, to quell the / enemy and / the a/venger.
- When I consider your heavens, the / work of your / fingers, * the moon and the / stars you have / set in their / courses,
- What is man that you should be / mindful of / him? * the son of man that / you should / seek him / out?
- You have made him but little / <u>lower than the</u> / angels; * you a/<u>dorn him</u> with / <u>glory</u> and / honor;
- 7 You give him mastery over the / works of your / hands; * you put / all things / under his / feet:
- 8 All / sheep and / oxen, * even the wild / beasts / of the / field,
- 9 The birds of the air, the / <u>fish of</u> the / sea, * and whatsoever / walks <u>in the</u> / <u>paths of</u> the / sea.
- 10 O / LORD our / Governor, *
 how exalted is your / Name in / all the / world!

THE SECOND READING 2 Corinthians 13:11-13

Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you.

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People Thanks be to God.

Please stand.





Words: Reginald Heber (1783-1826), alt. Music: Nicaea, John Bacchus Dykes (1823-1876).

THE GOSPEL Matthew 28:16-20

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

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

Gospeler The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Please sit.

RECTOR'S ANNUAL REPORT

The Rev. D. Littlepage

Silence for reflection.

Please stand.

THE NICENE CREED

From Enriching Our Worship*

All 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,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary
and became truly human.
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

^{*}This version of the Nicene Creed is from one of the sources that has been approved for use by the General Convention of the Episcopal Church. The most significant difference is that this version changes 'who proceeds from the Father and the Son' to 'who proceeds from the Father.' This change restores the Creed to the version that was originally accepted by both Western and Eastern Orthodox Churches. (The phrase 'of the Son' was added a few hundred years later by a regional synod and was never adopted by Eastern Orthodox Churches).

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,

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.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE FORM VI

BCP 392

Intercessor In peace, we pray to you, Lord God. (silence) For all people in their daily life and work;

People For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

Intercessor For this community, the nation, and the world; People For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

Intercessor For the just and proper use of your creation;

People For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

Intercessor For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble; especially the people of the

Episcopal Diocese of Renk, South Sudan and all those impacted by the war in Sudan;

People For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

Intercessor For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

People For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

Intercessor For Michael our Presiding Bishop, Jeff and Laura our Bishops, and for all bishops and

other ministers;

People For all who serve God in God's Church.

Intercessor For the special needs and concerns of this congregation. We pray for the health of

Presiding Bishop Michael Curry.

Silence. The People may add their own petitions, silently or aloud.

Intercessor Hear us, Lord;

People For your mercy is great.

Intercessor We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

Silence. The People may add their own thanksgivings, silently or aloud.

Intercessor We will exalt you, O God our King;

People And praise your Name for ever and ever

People And praise your Name for ever and ever.

Intercessor We pray for all who have died, especially Louise Loomis in whose memory the altar

flowers are given, and all those recently killed by gun violence, that they may have a place

in your eternal kingdom.

Silence. The People may add their own petitions, silently or aloud.

Intercessor Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

People Who put their trust in you.

The Presider adds a concluding collect.

THE PEACE

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

Please sit.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HOLY COMMUNION

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

OFFERTORY MUSIC Prelude in E minor Frederic Chopin (1810-1849)

Julieta Bido-Jimenez, pianist

Julieta is currently 12 years old and has been studying piano through The Choir School of Hartford for a couple years now.

This piece by Chopin has a complex harmonic structure, rubato lines, long phrases, and a huge dynamic range - musical components that require a level of piano skill that is rare for students of her age.

We are very proud of her dedication and growth in the journey of learning this quite challenging piece over the past couple months.

Please stand or adopt another posture of prayer.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING: EUCHARISTIC PRAYER B BCP 367

Presider The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Presider Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

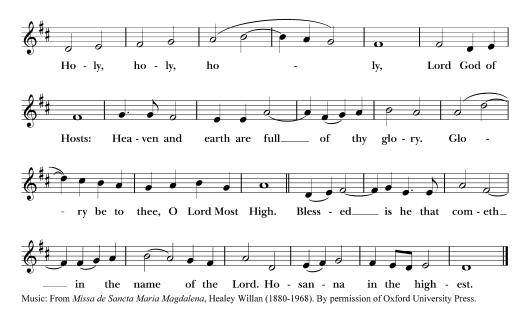
Presider Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Presider It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you,

Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. For with your co-eternal Son and Holy Spirit, you are one God, one Lord, in Trinity of Persons and in Unity of Being; and we celebrate the one and equal glory of you, O Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

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:



Presider

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,

All

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

Presider

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 all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of all your children; 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.

People

Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Presider *All*

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

Our Father in heaven,

hallowed be your Name, your kingdom come, your will be done,

on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins,

as we forgive those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial,

And deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,

Now and forever. Amen.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

The presider breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.

FRACTION ANTHEM

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Presider The Gifts of God for the People of God.

All are invited to stand or kneel at the altar rail. If you would like to have a blessing instead of receiving Communion, please cross your arms over your chest. Gluten free wafers and grape juice are available on request. Please remember that if you wish not to receive wine, receiving Bread only imparts the full benefit of the Sacrament.

Please sit.

COMMUNION MUSIC

Draw Us in the Spirit's Tether

Harold Friedell (1905-1958)

Draw us in the Spirit's tether,
For when humbly in Thy name,
Two or three are met together
Thou are in the midst of them;
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Touch we now Thy garment's hem.

As the brethren used to gather
In the name of Christ to sup,
Then with thanks to God the Father
Break the bread and bless the cup,
Alleluia! Alleluia!
So knit Thou our friendship up.

All our meals and all our living Make as sacraments of Thee, That by caring, helping, giving We may true disciples be. Alleluia! Alleluia! We will serve Thee faithfully.

Please stand.

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

BCP 366

Presider

Let us pray.

All

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

Presider The Lord bless you and keep you.

People Amen.

Presider The Lord make his face to shine upon you, and be gracious to you.

People Amen

Presider The Lord lift up his countenance upon you, and give you peace.

People Amen.

Presider The Lord God Almighty, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, the holy and undivided Trinity,

guard you, save you, and bring you to that heavenly City, where he lives and reigns for

ever and ever.

People Amen.

Verses 1 – 4 only



THE DISMISSAL

Presider Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

Alleluia, alleluia.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

POSTLUDE Toccata on "Grosser Gott"

Matthew H. Corl (b.1965)

You may choose to stay for the postlude (and express a spoken "amen" afterward if you'd like), but it is never expected! You may leave after the final hymn if you'd rather.

Please feel comfortable to make whatever choice is best for you.





TODAY! Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Parish of Trinity Church will take place both in-person AND via Zoom, after today's 10:00 a.m. worship service.

The business to be transacted at this year's meeting will include the election of Vestry officers, at-large Vestry members, a delegate and an alternate delegate to Convention, and the 2023-2024 Nominating Committee. Members in good standing 16 years of age or older may vote.

Come in person, attend via Zoom – but do plan to be at our 2023 annual meeting, one way or the other!

The Annual Report can be found <u>here</u>. The financial statements can be found <u>here</u>.

Join Zoom Meeting at 11:25 AM.

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LET US PRAY

In our Parish Cycle of Prayer we pray for Anne and Peter Green; Carla Griffith, Davonte Griffith and Trocari Griffith-McCalop; and Ron Gripp.

In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for Christ Church, Norwalk; Iglesia Betania, Stamford; St. Andrew's, Northford; Episcopal Rainbow, TransEpiscopal, Believe Out Loud, LGBTQ+ Episcopalians, and those who serve the LGBTQ+ community.

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for The Episcopal / Anglican Province of Alexandria.

We pray for Bishop Michael Curry The Wallace Family

Nancy Miller

Phillip Andrews (brother of Dianne Bowens-Waller)

Carol Walter Dianne Lewis Ray Wilson

Gwendolyn Stevens The Stevens Family

Betty Chien Reed (mother of

George Chien) Margaret Daniel

Tony Charron Vreeland (son of Peter Vreeland)

Cheryl Russo

Winifred Costa

Jacqui Lucier John E. Robinson Grace Crooks

Philip Green (son of Peter &

Anne Green) Nora Baldwin

Stephanie Holland (niece of

Kitty Peterson) Elizabeth Mackie Sandy Cone Foley

J.B. Parke
Laurie Lavoie
Paulette McCurdy
Rhonda McKenzie
Carmen Belgrave
Linda Cushner

Kate Smith Juli Porter Juhudi Mgombo

Katie Reynolds

Tori and Trevor Henry Louise Krippenstapel Carlene Lewis

Judy Miller
Valentina Moore
Lindsey Tengatenga

Richard Green (brother of Peter Green)

Donald Bowens (son of Dianne Bowens-Waller) Diane Bowens-Waller

Peter Vreeland

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Louise Earle Loomis by her family.

+ ASSISTING AT WORSHIP +

The Rev. D. Littlepage – Presider and Preacher

Readers

George Chien (10:00 AM) Martha Freimuth (10:00 AM)

Intercessor Elizabeth Rousseau (10:00 AM)

> Minister of Communion Kate Byroade Jacqui Lucier

> > Announcements

Flowers Percy Williamson Virtual Verger Casey Rousseau, Jake Troiano

Verger Cathy Rowe

Acolytes Jon Garcia, Juan Matos

Intercessory Prayer Jon Reik

Director of Music Michelle Horsley

Altar Guild Louisa Cummings, Mary Register, Kitty Peterson

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Announcements



That's Rev D, Vinnie Pacileo and Barbara Roos holding a check for \$7,500 – the first installment of the 2023 Preservation Connecticut Maintenance and Repair Matching Grant for historic religious properties in the amount of \$15,000.00. This was truly a group effort by Rev. D, Heather Kramer, Vinnie Pacileo and Barbara Roos. There are several chimneys among the seven on campus that are in desperate need of repair.

The check was presented by Preservation Connecticut's Jane Montanaro, Executive Director and Mike Forino, Circuit Rider.

Trinity is so thankful to have received this grant. Please take a moment to look at the acknowledgment sign that is on the front lawn.



Youth Sunday! Sunday, June 11

On June 11th we will celebrate Youth Sunday.

This will be a chance to celebrate the end of another school year for all of our young people.

This will also be the last Sunday of the Choir School Season. Please plan to be here next Sunday to support our young people and show our appreciation to the Choir School.

Thursday Noonday Services will go on hiatus in June, July and August and will resume in September.

The Sunday 8:00 am service will be in the Memorial Garden beginning Sunday, June 18th.

The Sunday 10:00 am service in the church remains the same.



Weekly Calendar

Sunday, June 4th Trinity Sunday
One Service Only

10:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist Rite II (Church) 11:30 A.M. Annual Meeting (Church)

Monday, June 5th

6:00 P.M. Trinity GHIAA Meeting (Library)

Tuesday, June 6th

6:00 P.M. Choir School Rehearsal (Church)

Thursday, June 8th

6:00 P.M. Choir School Rehearsal (Church) 7:00 P.M. Adult Choir Rehearsal (Church)

Friday, June 9th

6:30 P.M. Chorister Party (Library, Huntington Hall) 7:00 P.M. NA Group Meeting (Huntington Hall)

Sunday, June 11th The Second Sunday after Pentecost (Youth Sunday)

8:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist Rite II (Church) 10:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist Rite II (Church)

Vestry of Trinity Church

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