

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

APRIL 3, 2022

8:00 AM AND 10:00 AM

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.
SUNDAY MORNING MASK POLICY	Masks at indoor Sunday services are now optional, with the strong recommendation for people to continue to wear masks based on preference, informed by personal level of risk and if they are unvaccinated.
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 <i>The Hymnal 1982</i> (the red book on the shelf under the chair in front of you) or in <i>Lift Every Voice and Sing II</i> (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.

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HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II

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PRELUDE

Chorale Prelude on “O Haupt Voll Blut und Wunden” Max Reger
(O Sacred Head Now Wounded) (1873-1916)

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

OPENING HYMN

Come, My Way, My Truth, My Light

1982 Hymnal #487



1 Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life: such a
2 Come, my Light, my Feast, my Strength: such a
3 Come, my Joy, my Love, my Heart: such a

way as gives us breath; such a truth as ends all
light as shows a feast; such a feast as mends in
joy as none can move; such a love as none can

strife; such a life as kill - eth death.
length; such a strength as makes his guest.
part; such a heart as joys in love.

Words: George Herbert (1593-1633)

Music: *The Call*, Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958) Copyright ©1911 by Stainer and Bell, Ltd. All rights reserved. Used with permission.

Presider Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.
People *God's mercy endures forever.*

BCP 351



Sh'ma Yis - ra - el, A - do - nai El - o - hei - nu, A - do - nai e - chod.

**Hear O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is One (From Wonder Love and Praise #818)*

Presider Jesus said, “The first commandment is this: Hear, O Israel: The Lord your God is the only Lord. Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength.



Presider The second is this: Love your neighbor as yourself. There is no commandment greater than these.” *Mark 12:29-31*



Presider Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.
All God of all mercy,
 we confess that we have sinned against you, opposing your will in our lives.
 We have denied your goodness in each other,
 in ourselves, and in the world you have created.
 We repent of the evil that enslaves us, the evil we have done,
 and the evil done on our behalf.
 Forgive, restore, and strengthen us through our Savior Jesus Christ,
 that we may abide in your love and serve only your will. Amen.

Presider Almighty God have mercy on you,
 forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness,
 and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.
People Amen.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Presider Let us Pray.

Almighty God, you alone can bring into order the unruly wills and affections of sinners:
 Grant your people grace to love what you command and desire what you promise; that,
 among the swift and varied changes of the world, our hearts may surely there be fixed
 where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with
 you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

People Amen.

Thus says the LORD,
 who makes a way in the sea,
 a path in the mighty waters,
 who brings out chariot and horse,
 army and warrior;
 they lie down, they cannot rise,
 they are extinguished, quenched like a wick:
 Do not remember the former things,
 or consider the things of old.
 I am about to do a new thing;
 now it springs forth, do you not perceive it?
 I will make a way in the wilderness
 and rivers in the desert.
 The wild animals will honor me,
 the jackals and the ostriches;
 for I give water in the wilderness,
 rivers in the desert,
 to give drink to my chosen people,
 the people whom I formed for myself
 so that they might declare my praise.

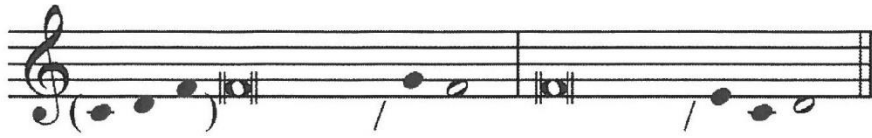
Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.
People Thanks be to God.

PSALM 126

BCP 782



- 1 (When the Lord restored the fortune of / Zion,*
 then were we like / those who dream.
- 2 Then was our mouth filled with / laughter, *
 and our tongue with / shouts of joy.
- 3 Then they said among the nations, *
 "The Lord has done great / things for them."
- 4 The Lord has done great things / for us, *
 and we are / glad indeed.
- 5 Restore our fortunes, O / Lord, *
 like the water-courses / of the Negev.



- 6 Those who sowed with / tears *
Will reap with / songs of joy.
- 7 Those who go out weeping, carrying the / seed,*
Will come again with joy, shoulder / ing their sheaves.

THE SECOND READING

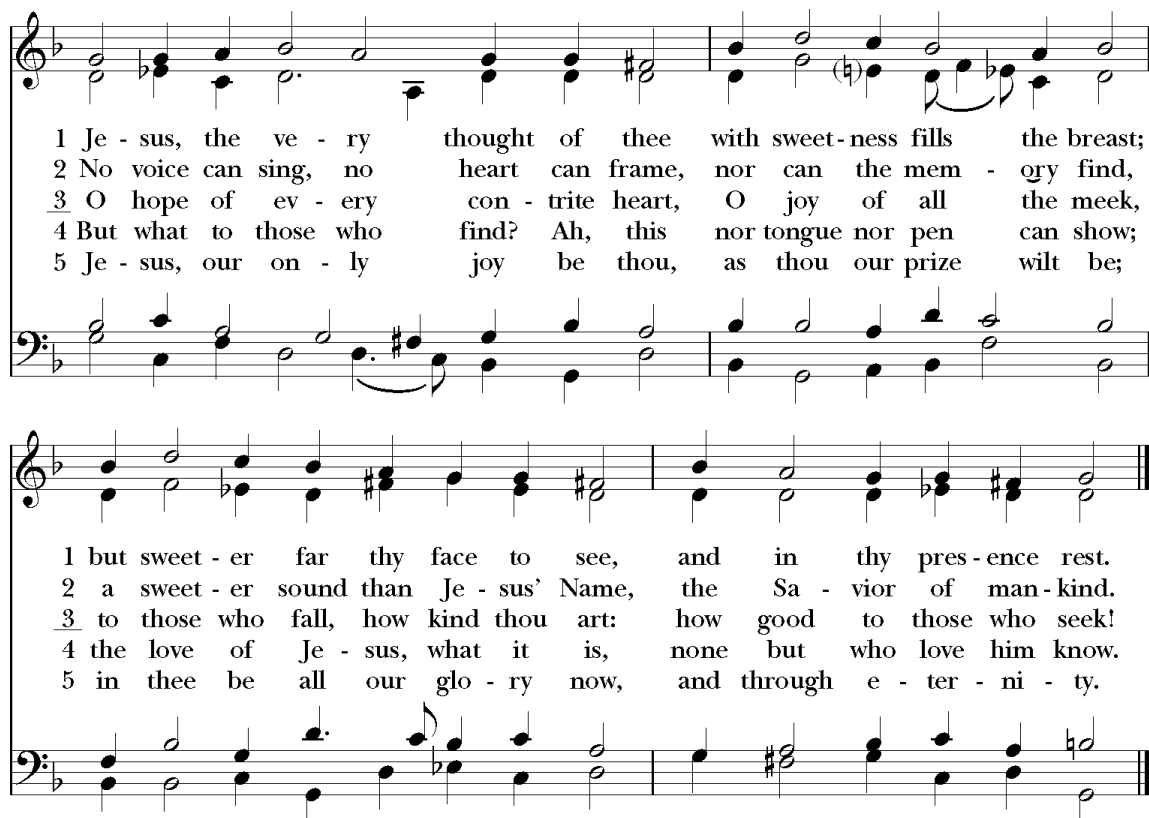
Philippians 3:4b-14

If anyone else has reason to be confident in the flesh, I have more: circumcised on the eighth day, a member of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew born of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless.

Yet whatever gains I had, these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ. More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith. I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead.

Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus..

Reader	Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.
<i>People</i>	<i>Thanks be to God.</i>



1 Je - sus, the ve - ry thought of thee with sweet-ness fills the breast;
 2 No voice can sing, no heart can frame, nor can the mem - ory find,
 3 O hope of ev - ery con - trite heart, O joy of all the meek,
 4 But what to those who find? Ah, this nor tongue nor pen can show;
 5 Je - sus, our on - ly joy be thou, as thou our prize wilt be;

1 but sweet - er far thy face to see, and in thy pres - ence rest.
 2 a sweet - er sound than Je - sus' Name, the Sa - vior of man - kind.
 3 to those who fall, how kind thou art: how good to those who seek!
 4 the love of Je - sus, what it is, none but who love him know.
 5 in thee be all our glo - ry now, and through e - ter - ni - ty.

THE GOSPEL

John 12:1-8

Presider The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ According to Luke.
 People *Glory to you, Lord Christ.*

Six days before the Passover Jesus came to Bethany, the home of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. There they gave a dinner for him. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at the table with him. Mary took a pound of costly perfume made of pure nard, anointed Jesus' feet, and wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (the one who was about to betray him), said, "Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?" (He said this not because he cared about the poor, but because he was a thief; he kept the common purse and used to steal what was put into it.) Jesus said, "Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for the day of my burial. You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me."

Presider The Gospel of the Lord.
 People *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

THE SERMON

The Rev. D. Littlepage

Silence for reflection.

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
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.

*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).

The Intercessor and People pray responsively.

Intercessor In peace, let us pray to the Lord, saying, “Lord, have mercy”

For the holy Church of God, that it may be filled with truth and love, and be found without fault at the day of your coming, we pray to you, O Lord.
People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For Michael our Presiding Bishop, for Ian and Laura, our own Bishops, for all bishops and other ministers, and for all the holy people of God, we pray to you, O Lord.
People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For all who fear God and believe in you, Lord Christ, that our divisions may cease, and that all may be one as you and the Father are one, we pray to you, O Lord.
People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For the mission of the Church, that in faithful witness it may preach the Gospel to the ends of the earth, we pray to you, O Lord.
People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For those who do not yet believe, and for those who have lost their faith, that they may receive the light of the Gospel, we pray to you, O Lord.
People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For the peace of the world, that a spirit of respect and forbearance may grow among nations and peoples, we pray to you, O Lord.
People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For those in positions of public trust, that they may serve justice, and promote the dignity and freedom of every person, we pray to you, O Lord.
People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For all who live and work in this community we pray to you, O Lord.
People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For a blessing upon all human labor, and for the right use of the riches of creation, that the world may be freed from poverty, famine, and disaster, we pray to you, O Lord.
People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For the poor, the persecuted, the sick, and all who suffer; for refugees, prisoners, and all who are in danger; that they may be relieved and protected, we pray to you, O Lord.
People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For this congregation, for those who are present and for those who are worshipping online, that we may be delivered from hardness of heart, and show forth your glory in all that we do, we pray to you, O Lord.
People Lord, have mercy.

Intercessor For all who have commended themselves to our prayers; for our families, friends, and neighbors; that being freed from anxiety, they may live in joy, peace, and health, we pray to you, O Lord.
People *Lord, have mercy.*

Intercessor For all who have died in the communion of your Church, especially Steve Smith, in whose memory the Aumbry candle is lit this week, and those whose faith is known to you alone, that, with all the saints, they may have rest in that place where there is no pain or grief, but life eternal, we pray to you, O Lord.
People *Lord, have mercy.*

Intercessor Rejoicing in the fellowship of all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life to Christ our God.
People *To you, O Lord our God.*

The people are invited to add their petitions silently or aloud.

The Presider adds a concluding Collect.

THE PEACE

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People *And also with you.*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE OFFERTORY SENTENCE

OFFERTORY MUSIC Said Judas to Mary Sydney Carter
George Chien, soloist

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer I Enriching Our Worship

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 our thanks and praise.*

Presider It is truly right, and good and joyful, to give you thanks, all-holy God, source of life and fountain of mercy. You bid your faithful people cleanse their hearts, and prepare with joy for the Paschal feast; that, fervent in prayer and in works of mercy, and renewed by your Word and Sacraments, they may come to the fullness of grace which you have prepared for those who love you.

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:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God of Hosts: Heaven and

earth are full of thy glo - ry. Glo-ry be to thee, O Lord Most High.

Bless - ed is he that com - eth in the name of the

Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Presider

Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love. You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards and show forth your bountiful grace.

But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love. Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people.

Through Abraham and Sarah you called us into covenant with you. You delivered us from slavery, sustained us in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation. Then, in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

On the night before he died for us, Our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

As supper was ending, Jesus 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 poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All *Christ has died.*
 Christ is risen.
 Christ will come again.

Presider Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ's Body in the world. Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your children, that with all your saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever.

People Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
 to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever.
 AMEN.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Presider And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say:
All *Our Father in heaven,*
 hallowed be your Name,
 your kingdom come,
 your will be done,
 on earth as in heaven.
Give us this day 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 Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.



O Lamb of God, that ta - kest a -
way the sins of the world, have mer - cy up -
on us. O Lamb of God, that
ta - kest a - way the sins of the world, have
mer - cy up - on us. O Lamb of
God, that ta - kest a - way the sins of the
world, grant us thy peace.

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.

COMMUNION MUSIC

Prière après la Communion

Olivier Messiaen (1908-1992)

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Enriching Our Worship

Presider

Let us pray.

All

Loving God, we give you thanks for restoring us in your image and nourishing us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood. Now send us forth a people, forgiven, healed, renewed; that we may proclaim your love to the world and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

SOLEMN PRAYER OVER THE PEOPLE

Presider Bow down before the Lord.

Look with compassion, O Lord, upon this your people; that, rightly observing this holy season, they may learn to know you more fully, and to serve you with a more perfect will; through Christ our Lord.

People *Amen.*

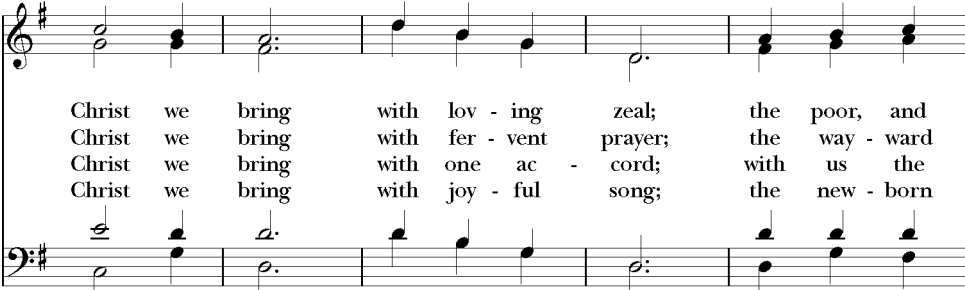
CLOSING HYMN

Christ for the World We Sing

Hymnal 1982 #537



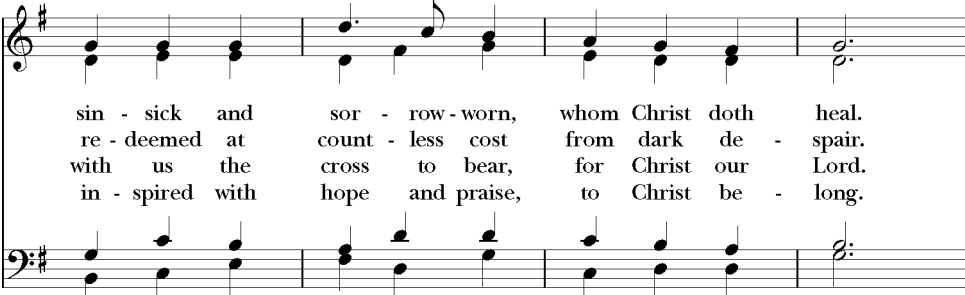
1 Christ for the world we sing! The world to
 2 Christ for the world we sing! The world to
 3 Christ for the world we sing! The world to
 4 Christ for the world we sing! The world to



Christ we bring with lov - ing zeal; the poor, and
 Christ we bring with fer - vent prayer; the way - ward
 Christ we bring with one ac - cord; with us the
 Christ we bring with joy - ful song; the new - born



them that mourn, the faint and o - ver - borne,
 and the lost, by rest - less pas - sions tossed,
 work to share, with us re - proach to dare,
 souls, whose days, re - claimed from er - ror's ways,



sin - sick and sor - row - worn, whom Christ doth heal.
 re - deemed at count - less cost from dark de - spair.
 with us the cross to bear, for Christ our Lord.
 in - spired with hope and praise, to Christ be - long.

THE DISMISSAL

Presider Let us bless the Lord.

People *Thanks be to God.*

POSTLUDE

Fantasy on "Christ for the World We Sing" Philip Moore (b.1943)

TODAY'S LITURGICAL LEADERS +

The Rev. D. Littlepage – Presider (8:00 am) and Preacher

The Rev. Horace Johnson – Presider (10:00 am)

Readers

Cecelia Timothy (8:00 am)

Amy Arlin (10:00 am)

Boo Morton (10:00 am)

Intercessor

Cecelia Timothy (8:00 am)

Lawretta Onoh (10:00 am)

Ministers of Communion

Suzanne Blancaflor (10:00 am)

Music Director

Michelle Horsley

Virtual Vergers

Casey Rousseau, Jake Troiano

Intercessory Prayer Team

Janet Wilkinson, Bill Kofalk

Welcome/Announcements

Heather Kramer

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ADULT CHRISTIAN FORMATION

Today!

In a quick moment, the topic of organ transplants has gone from an abstract idea to a deeply personal one for us at Trinity, as we have been asked to pray for our beloved Jacqui Lucier, who needs a kidney. We have also been asked to consider being screened as a potential donor.

Today's Adult Forum will be on the topic of organ donation. Jacqui, who brought this subject to our attention will speak to us about her journey. Rebecca Bourret, a friend of our parish, will share her story of donating a kidney for transplant. We will also hear from New England Donate Life. Please plan to join us via Zoom.

Join Zoom Meeting

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LET US PRAY

In our Parish Cycle of Prayer we pray for Linda Eckert; Bert, Lori, Max and Tess Eckert; Ray Mima, Bella, Sasha and Sophiya Esponda.

In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for Holy Trinity, Middletown; St. Andrew's, Milford; St. Peter's, Milford; Trinity, Milton; Collaborative ministries and all Ministry Networks; ECCT Regions, Region Leadership Teams, and Region Missionaries.

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for **The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion)**.

We pray for

Neil Foster
Christopher White
Jim Bradley
Jacqui Lucier
John E. Robinson
Grace Crooks
Jay W
Philip Green (son of Peter & Anne Green)
Al and Nora Baldwin
Stephanie Holland (niece of Kitty Peterson)
Elizabeth Mackie
Sandy Cone Foley
Rosie Isabell
John Harris
J.B. Parke
Laurie Lavoie
Paulette McCurdy
Rhonda McKenzie

Carmen Belgrave
The Nielsen Family
Linda Cushner
Ann Deely
Kate Smith
Sam Hines and Yoleanna Russo
Juli Porter
Juhudi Mgombo
Fred Margeson
Jennifer Stephens
Zechariah Stephens
Katie Reynolds
Mavis Bennett
Ginny Catanzaro
Tori and Trevor Henry
Louise Krippenstapel
Carlene Lewis
Judy Miller
Margaret Moore
Valentina Moore

Jo-Ann Sadosky
Helen Strassner
Lindsey Tengtanga
Alice Turcotte
Richard Green (brother of Peter Green)
Donald Bowens (son of Dianne Bowens-Waller)
Bill McMunn
Richard Alan Garver
Diane Bowens-Waller
Bruce Tatge (father of Anne Green)
Polly Thomas
Peter Vreeland
Raldah Stephens
Joan and Ean Walsh (family of Jennifer Stephens)

The Aumbry candle in the chapel is lit this week to the glory of God and in loving memory of Steve Smith, by his wife, Martha Freimuth.

Special Prayer Request

A member of our parish, Jacqui Lucier has advanced kidney disease and is in need of a transplant.

As we pray for Jacqui, we also ask that you prayerfully consider being screened as a potential kidney donor. **For more information about living organ donation and to sign up to be screened, please visit <https://nkr.org/SBB483>** . Please encourage your friends and family to consider donor screening.

We pray for the people of Ukraine. As we pray, you are strongly encouraged to support efforts to assist Ukrainian refugees by donating to the International Rescue Committee (www.rescue.org) or another reputable agency on the ground.

Music at Trinity Church

We are delighted to announce that as the buildings are opening, we are welcoming concerts back into the church. You are invited to attend these free concerts that Trinity will be hosting:

Today at 4:30pm: The Hartt School Choir Concert.

Tuesday, April 5th, at 7:30 pm: The Chamber Singers from the University of Connecticut and Mt. San Antonio College in California UConn Choir Concert.

Messages from the House of Bishops

A statement from the House of Bishops on the conflict in Ukraine can be found [here](#) (at Trinityhartford.org/hobukraine)

Resolution adopted by the House of Bishops voicing love and support for transgender and non-binary people and their families can be found [here](#).

Communion Ministers and Acolytes Training – 9 April

Have you previously served as a Communion Minister but have not served in a while?
Are you interested in being a Communion Minister but want to know more about what that means?
Are you a young person or the parent/guardian of a young person who is interested in being an acolyte?

Communion Ministers, Acolytes, and those who are interested in learning more about those ministries are invited to come to a time of connecting and training on Saturday, April 9th.

Communion Ministers will gather from 10am-12pm with Acolytes joining from 10:30am-12pm.
If you have any questions please reach out to Rev. D.

Needed for our Afghan family: Bicycles

Ferooz has now begun a full-time day job, so he will need to attend another venue to take ESOL lessons in place of those at Hartford Public Library he took during the day. The new venue is about a mile from the family home, and he would like a bicycle so that he can get there and back as quickly as possible. The resettlement team is looking for a **26" used bicycle in good condition.**

Also, if anyone has access to **used tricycles**, those would be great for the 3- and 4-y/o boys. The 6-y/o boy and 8-y/o girl also need **kids' bicycles**; training wheels should not be needed, as both are athletic and will, we think, quickly learn to ride.

If you have any of these items to donate to the Dadwall family, please contact me.
Anne Rapkin, for the Outreach Committee; 860-521-5992; anne.rapkin@gmail.com

Lenten Lay Preaching Renewal

Trinity has a tradition of being blessed by a variety of voices from the pulpit. We are excited that several lay members of the congregation have offered themselves to share their theological reflections by preaching on Sunday mornings. To celebrate this gift and as a renewal of the tradition of a broader range of preaching voices, we will have a series of lay preachers during Lent, Holy Week, and the beginning of Easter, and they will continue to regularly be a part of the preaching rotation.

Good Friday (15 April): Anne Rapkin

Easter (24 April): Kate Byroade

Wednesdays in Lent – 6 April at 7:00 pm

During the season of Lent, you are invited to join us as we study Howard Thurman's landmark work, *Jesus and the Disinherited*.

The central question that Thurman wrestles with is, "What does the religion of Jesus offer to those with their backs against the wall?" While this book was published in 1949, Thurman's thoughts remain relevant today as we continue to seek to faithfully follow Jesus and share his Good News in a world that desperately needs it.

As you read Chapter 4, you are invited to reflect on the following questions:

- What spoke to your heart? How did you feel while you're reading the chapter.
- Did you find yourself struggling with or wanting to push back against any of what you read? If so, what do you think caused that reaction?

Information for all of the Lenten sessions can be found at trinityhartford.org/lent2022

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89967177405?pwd=d0R3TlpmL2dUcC9wU3JYeVBqaHhPUT09>

Meeting ID: 899 6717 7405

Passcode: 689058

Dial in by phone

929 436 2866

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Baptism at Trinity Church

Are you interested in being baptized? Do you have a child you would like baptized? The Great Vigil of Easter is a traditional time for Baptism, and this year it is on April 16th. If you are interested in learning more about Baptism, please contact Rev. D. at 860-986-3289

Open meeting of Companions of the Holy Cross, 9 April, 10 am to 12 noon

The Companions of the Holy Cross will be discussing the book: *Sacred Earth Sacred Soul* by John Philip Newell at an open meeting on Saturday April 9. As time permits, we hope to discuss the chapters on St. Brigid and Alexander John Scott. Join us even if you haven't read the book. What is Celtic Christianity all about? Contact Kate Smith at kate48smith@comcast.net and you will be sent the online link closer to the day.

Lenten Giving Opportunity To Benefit College Students

Christ Church Cathedral invites members of the Parishes of the North Central Region of the Diocese to collect weekly one personal care hygiene item for each week of Lent (March 6-April 17) to benefit the Capital Community College (CCC) Food Pantry.

While many college students are beneficiaries of SNAP Vouchers (formerly called Food Stamps), the vouchers do not allow for the purchase of personal care hygiene products.

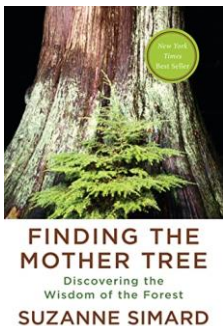
The Director of the CCC Food Pantry has identified the following as the most needed products: Soap; Conditioner; Shampoo; Feminine care items; Deodorant

Members of Trinity may participate in three ways:

- **At Trinity:** place your purchased items in the large basket in the Baptistry;
- **Online:** purchase items and have them sent to:
Christ Church Cathedral
(Attn: Deacon Bonnie Matthews)
45 Church Street, Hartford, CT 06103
- **At the Cathedral:** purchased items may be delivered in-person to the Cathedral
 - Wednesday 4/20 to Friday 4/22, from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
 - Sunday 4/24 from 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Items collected at Trinity will be transported to the Cathedral by Faith in Action/Outreach volunteers.

For more information, you may contact Cathedral Deacon Bonnie Matthews at bmatthews228@comcast.net, or Trinity parishioner Penny Pearson at pennypearson@comcast.net



All are invited to attend the meeting of Trinity's Book Group on Friday, April 22nd, 7:00-9:00 pm, to discuss *Finding the Mother Tree: Discovering the Wisdom of the Forest* by Suzanne Simard. The author is a top forest ecologist who writes about trees and their connections to each other and to other living things in the forest. The book is a moving, deeply personal journey of discovery. The meeting, which begins with refreshments, will take place at the home of Mark and Linda MacGougan. For more information, or to let them know you're planning to attend, contact them at macgougans@gmail.com.

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, April 3rd

8:00 A.M.
10:00 A.M.
11:30 P.M.
4:30 P.M.

The Fifth Sunday in Lent

Holy Eucharist Rite II (Church)
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Adult Christian Formation Forum (Zoom)
The Hartt School Spring Concert (Church)

Tuesday, April 5th

2:00 P.M.
6:00 P.M.
7:30 P.M.

Women Together (St. John's)
Choir School Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
UConn/Mt. San Antonio Chamber Singers (Church)

Wednesday, April 6th

6:00 P.M.
7:00 P.M.

Property Team Meeting (Zoom)
Lenten Series (Zoom)

Thursday, April 7th

12:00 P.M.
6:00 P.M.
7:00 P.M.
7:00 P.M.

Holy Eucharist (Church)
Choir School Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
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Intercessory Prayer Team Meeting (Library)

Friday, April 8th

7:00 P.M.

NA Group Meeting (Huntington Hall)

Saturday, April 9th

10:00 A.M.
10:30 A.M.
5:00 P.M.

Communion Ministers Training (Church)
Acolytes Training (Church)
Anambra State Indenes of CT Meeting (Library)

Sunday, April 10th

8:00 A.M.
10:00 A.M.
11:30 A.M.

Palm Sunday

Holy Eucharist Rite II (Church)
Holy Eucharist Rite II (Church)
Tour of the Church Buildings (Church)

Vestry of Trinity Church

Mark MacGougan, Warden * Kitty Peterson, Warden * Alan Rice, Clerk
Casey Rousseau, Treasurer * Jake Troiano, Assistant Treasurer
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