# TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

ENTECOST MORNING PRAYER
8:00 A.M. IN-PERSON IN THE MEMORIAL GARDEN
10:00 A.M. VIA ZOOM

AUGUST 23, 2020

# A PLACE OF WELCOME, HOPE & HEALING



# From the Wardens, August 2020

The Sunday morning schedule will be as follows:

- Morning Prayer will be said at 8:00 am in the Memorial Garden.
- Morning Prayer will be broadcast at 10:00 am via Zoom.
- You may participate in either the 8:00 am in person worship or the 10:00 am Zoom, or both.

Here is a summary of the mechanics of Sunday morning gathering in the garden:

# Gathering.

- Masks are required to be worn by the congregation. A limited supply of masks will be available for those who do not have one.
- Entrance and exit to the Memorial Garden will be through the Sigourney Street garden gate only.
- Upon entrance, an Usher will ask you if you have registered for the 8:00 am service.
- IMPORTANT: Please sign-in using the book by the garden gate entrance.
- Chairs are set up with 6 ft distance between. Please sit in one of the open spaces, keeping 6 feet between you and others not of your household.
- Restrooms in the Narthex are available if needed.

## Worship.

- Single use Bulletins will be provided. Please take your bulletin home with you.
- There will be no congregational singing.
- An Offering plate will be provided on the steps going up to the church inside the Memorial Garden; plates will not be passed.
- There is no coffee hour.

#### PLEASE NOTE:

If you are not feeling well, running a fever, coughing, etc., you should not attend church until you are well and have completed a 14-day self- quarantine. The same is true for those who have come into contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19. If you have, you must complete a 14-day self- quarantine before attending church. Those in vulnerable populations should carefully consider whether or not to attend Sunday public worship.

For those who cannot come to church, webcasts and Zoom offerings will continue. A 10:00 am Zoom Morning Prayer service continues on Sunday. Noonday Prayer continues via Zoom on Thursdays.

Faithfully, Martha Freimuth and Tom Oberholtzer

#### **MORNING PRAYER: RITE TWO**

# 8:00 A.M. IN PERSON IN THE MEMORIAL GARDEN 10:00 A.M. WITH MUSIC VIA ZOOM

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

WELCOME - Officiant



Officiant Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept.

All Most merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned against you

in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done,

and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.

We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways,

to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Officiant Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins

through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen us in all

goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life.

AllAmen.

THE INVITATORY AND PSALTER

Officiant Lord, open our lips;

AllAnd our mouth shall proclaim your praise.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is

now, and will be forever. Amen. Alleluia!

The earth is the Lord's for he made it: Come let us adore him. Officiant

THE INVITATORY:

Psalm 100 **JUBILATE** Please read in unison.

> Be joyful in the Lord, all you lands; \* serve the Lord with gladness and come before his presence with a song.

Know this: The Lord himself is God; \* he himself has made us, and we are his; we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving; go into his courts with praise; \* give thanks to him and call upon his Name.

For the Lord is good; his mercy is everlasting; \* and his faithfulness endures from age to age.

#### Psalm 138

Please read responsively by verse.

- 1 I will give thanks to you, O Lord, with my whole heart; \* before the gods I will sing your praise.
- 2 I will bow down toward your holy temple and praise your Name, \* because of your love and faithfulness;
- 3 For you have glorified your Name \* and your word above all things.
- 4 When I called, you answered me; \* you increased my strength within me.
- 5 All the kings of the earth will praise you, O Lord, \* when they have heard the words of your mouth.
- 6 They will sing of the ways of the Lord, \* that great is the glory of the Lord.
- 7 Though the Lord be high, he cares for the lowly; \* he perceives the haughty from afar.
- 8 Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you keep me safe; \* you stretch forth your hand against the fury of my enemies; your right hand shall save me.
- 9 The Lord will make good his purpose for me; \* O Lord, your love endures for ever; do not abandon the works of your hands.

Please read in unison.

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.

# FIRST LESSON Romans 12:1-8

I appeal to you therefore, brothers and sisters, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what is the will of God-- what is good and acceptable and perfect.

For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of yourself more highly than you ought to think, but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned. For as in one body we have many members, and not all the members have the same function, so we, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually we are members one of another. We have gifts that differ according to the grace given to us: prophecy, in proportion to faith; ministry, in ministering; the teacher, in teaching; the exhorter, in exhortation; the giver, in generosity; the leader, in diligence; the compassionate, in cheerfulness.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

#### Canticle 11: Third Song of Isaiah

Please read in unison.

Arise, shine, for your light has come, \* and the glory of the Lord has dawned upon you.

For behold, darkness covers the land; \* deep gloom enshrouds the peoples.

But over you the Lord will rise, \* and his glory will appear upon you.

Nations will stream to your light, \*

and kings to the brightness of your dawning.

Your gates will always be open; \*

by day or night they will never be shut.

They will call you, The City of the Lord, \*

The Zion of the Holy One of Israel.

Violence will no more be heard in your land, \* ruin or destruction within your borders.

You will call your walls, Salvation, \* and all your portals, Praise.

The sun will no more be your light by day; \*

by night you will not need the brightness of the moon.

The Lord will be your everlasting light, \* and your God will be your glory.

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 16: 13-20

When Jesus came into the district of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, "Who do people say that the Son of Man is?" And they said, "Some say John the Baptist, but others Elijah, and still others Jeremiah or one of the prophets." He said to them, "But who do you say that I am?" Simon Peter answered, "You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God." And Jesus answered him, "Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah! For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father in heaven. And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not prevail against it. I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven." Then he sternly ordered the disciples not to tell anyone that he was the Messiah.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.

SERMON THE REV. GEORGE A. CHIEN (UMC, MCC) (8:00 A.M.)

THE REV. DR. FRANK G, KIRKPATRICK (10:00 A.M.)

Silence for reflection.

THE APOSTLES' CREED BCP p. 96

AllI believe in God, the Father almighty,

creator of heaven and earth;

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit

and born of the Virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven,

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy catholic Church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins

the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

#### THE PRAYERS

The Lord be with you. Officiant All

And also with you.

Officiant Let us pray.

Silence

AllOur 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.

For thine is the kingdom,

and the power, and the glory,

for ever and ever. Amen.

#### **SUFFRAGES**

- V. Save your people, Lord, and bless your inheritance;
- R. Govern and uphold them, now and always.
- V. Day by day we bless you;
- R. We praise your name for ever.
- V. Lord, keep us from all sin today;
- R. Have mercy upon us, Lord, have mercy.
- V. Lord, show us your love and mercy;
- R. For we put our trust in you.
- V. In you, Lord, is our hope;
- R. And we shall never hope in vain.

## Officiant

Grant, O merciful God, that your Church, being gathered together in unity by your Holy Spirit, may show forth your power among all peoples, to the glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

#### All Amen.

# Officiant

O God, whom saints and angels delight to worship in heaven: Be ever present with your servants who seek through art and music to perfect the praises offered by your people on earth; and grant to them even now glimpses of your beauty, and make them worthy at length to behold it unveiled for evermore; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### All Amen.

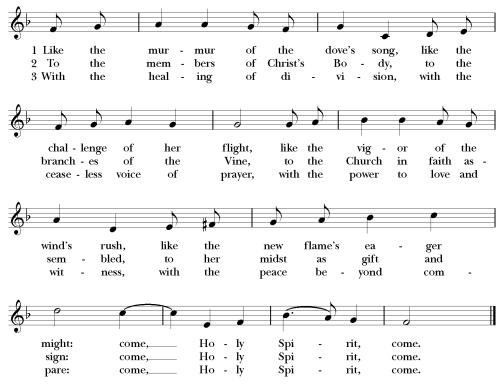
## Officiant

Lord God, almighty and everlasting Father, you have brought us in safety to this new day: Preserve us with your mighty power, that we may not fall into sin, nor be overcome by adversity; and in all we do, direct us to the fulfilling of your purpose; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

#### All Amen.

CHORISTERS' PRESENTATION (8:00 A.M.)

Offertory Message – Lily Miller (10:00 A.M.)



Phrase 1 of each stanza may be sung by one group, with a contrasted group singing phrase 2, and all joining for the final phrase.

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#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE FORM III

The Leader and People pray responsively

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church; That we all may be one.

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you; That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons; That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world; That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake; That our works may find favor in your sight.

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble; That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest. Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy; May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom. Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions.

CHORISTER'S PRAYER (8:00 A.M. SERVICE) Please pray in unison.

Bless us O Lord, your servants who minister in your temple. Grant that what we say and sing with our lips we may believe in our hearts, and what we believe in our hearts we may show forth in our lives. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Officiant Let us join together in the words of the General Thanksgiving.

THE GENERAL THANKSGIVING

Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks for all your goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all whom you have made. We bless you for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for your immeasurable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies, that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up our selves to your service, and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.

A Prayer of St. Chrysostom

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Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting.

All Amen.



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Let us bless the Lord. Officiant AllThanks be to God.

Officiant May the God of hope fill us with all joy and peace in believing

through the power of the Holy Spirit.

ORGAN POSTLUDE

**ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

OUR WORSHIP AS A GATHERED COMMUNITY IS OVER.

OUR WORSHIP, THROUGH SERVICE TO THE WORLD AS GOD'S PEOPLE, BEGINS ANEW.

#### + ASSISTING AT WORSHIP THIS MORNING +

Officiants The Rev. George A. Chien, (UMC, MCC) – 8:00 AM Service The Rev. Dr. Frank G. Kirkpatrick – 10:00 AM Service

#### Readers

Peter Green(8:00 A.M.) Kate Smith (10:00 A.M.) Roy McAlpine (10:00 A.M.)

#### Intercessor

Anne Green (8:00 A.M.) Jim Bradley (10:00 A.M.)

> Offertory Message Lilv Miller

Musician at 10:00 A.M. Tom Oberholtzer

> Virtual Vergers Jake Troiano

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#### **LET US PRAY**

In our Parish Cycle of Prayer we pray for Georges, Marthe & Joseph Annan-Kingsley; Phyllis Appadu and Amy Arlin & Dan Foster.

In our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for Trinity, Southport; Grace Church, Stafford Springs Church musicians: organists; choirs and choir directors; bands; community chorister programs; parish and diocesan committees on liturgy, music, and worship 30.

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for the Church of the Province of South East Asia The Most Revd Melter Tais - Archbishop of South East Asia & Bishop of Sabah.

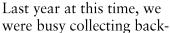
We pray for Jennifer Stephens, Zechariah Stephens, Jo-Ellen Jansing, Katie Reynolds, Mavis Bennett; Ginny Catanzaro; Tori Henry; Louise Krippenstapel; Carlene Lewis; Judy Miller; Margaret Moore; Valentina Moore; Al Pereira; Jo-Ann Sadosky; Al Shuckra; Diane, Helen Strassner; Lindsey Tengatenga; Alice Turcotte; Richard Green (brother of Peter Green), Donald Bowens (Dianne Bowens-Waller), Joseph Negrelli Jr. and his family, Bill McMunn and Richard Alan Garver, Diane Bowens-Waller, Bruce and Jane Tatge (parents of Anne Green), Polly Thomas, Rebecca Bourret, Peter Vreeland, Amy Williams, Ken Rousseau (Casey Rousseau's dad), and Diana Perkins (friend of Suzanne and Boo), Percy Williamson, Anne Marie Richards, The Rev. Jon Widing, Raldah Stephens, Joan and Ean Walsh (family of Jennifer Stephens) and those affected by mental and physical ailments, violence, natural disasters, and immigration and refugee policies, and their families; and for those who mourn for loved ones.

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom. We pray for the repose of the souls of homicide victims in our city of Hartford, and beyond. We pray for those who will die this week, that they may meet their Lord in faith and hope. We pray for ourselves and for our departed loved ones, that rejoicing with them in God's kingdom where every tear is wiped away, we may as one family sing praise forever and ever.

#### PLEASE BE MINDFUL

In this time of pandemic, with reduced foot and auto traffic in the Asylum Hill area, there has been an increase in the incidence of vandalism. We have experienced vandalism on our campus, and have learned that other area churches have also had damage done to their buildings and grounds. The police are as present in the neighborhood as they are able. If you need to be on the Trinity campus, it is important that you follow our protocols: let the Church Office know when you will be present, sign the log book when you enter the building (there's one at each entrance) and be mindful during your time on campus.

# TRINITY ACADEMY NEEDS





to-school supplies for Trinity Academy. A lot has changed in the past few months, so we won't collect backpacks and school supplies as we did last year.

But it is almost fall, and Trinity Academy will begin the school year remotely on August 31, and return to inperson classes on October 5. You can help Trinity Academy students continue their phenomenal growth and learning in this difficult time. Here are some of the ways you can help:

- School supplies are still needed, even though we can't put them in brand new backpacks. If you'd like to help with school supplies, you can send a check to Trinity Academy, 120 Sigourney Street, Hartford, 06105 and put "School Supplies" in the memo line. Or, go onto the Trinity Academy website www.trinityday.org and click on the Donate button.
- About 40% of Trinity Academy students live in families that experience food insecurity. You can send a check to Trinity Academy, 120 Sigourney Street, Hartford, 06105 and put "Food Security" in the memo line. The Academy's administration will purchase grocery store gift cards and get them to the families who need them.

Thank you for your generosity!

## Assistance Available to Apply for Food Benefits and Husky Medical Benefits

With no end in sight for extending the supplemental federal unemployment benefit, more and more people are in need of assistance to buy food or pay their health insurance premiums. If you would like to have assistance filing an application for food benefits or Husky, please contact Anne Rapkin at a.rapkin@snet.net or 860-521-5992. PLEASE NOTE: Your conversation with me and all information related to your application will remain COMPLETELY CONFIDENTIAL.

You and I will be on the telephone together as I complete your on-line application form. If the benefits agency requests a phone interview, I can be present on speaker phone to help you answer the interviewer's questions.

# Weekly Calendar

Sunday, August 23<sup>rd</sup> - Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

8:00 A.M. Morning Prayer – Memorial Garden

10:00 A.M. Morning Prayer- via Zoom

Choir School Parents Meeting after 8:00 A.M. service

Monday, August 24th

Tuesday, August 25th

9:00 A.M. Memorial Garden open till 11:00 am

5:15 P.M. Bible Study - via Zoom

Wednesday, August 26th

7:00 P.M. Regathering Committee - via Zoom

Thursday, August 27th

9:00 A.M. Memorial Garden open till 11:00 am

12:00 Noon Noonday Prayer – via Zoom

 $5{:}00$  P.M. Adult Christian Formation Committee Meeting – via Zoom

Saturday, August 29th

Sunday, August 30th - Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

8:00 A.M. Morning Prayer – Memorial Garden

10:00 A.M. - Morning Prayer via Zoom

Fran Times-Mack, Parish Financial Manager
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