

Trinity Episcopal Church
Collinsville, CT

May 5, 2024

9:00 a.m.

Service of Antecommunion Rite II



MISSION STATEMENT: "With God's love, we joyfully welcome and nourish all; with God's help, we serve our community and beyond."

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Welcome to Trinity

We welcome all who worship with us at Trinity Episcopal Church in Collinsville, CT -- those here in our sanctuary and those who join us by live-streaming.

Please know that your presence and your prayers are a beloved gift to this faith community. We pray that you sense the love of Christ, the stirring of the Holy Spirit, and God's presence here.

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www.TrinityCollinsville.org

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Sunday, May 5, 2024
Antecommunion Rite II
Presider: Stan Moraski
Homilist: Mimi McGill

Prelude

Opening Hymn: Praise to the Lord #390

Words: Joachim Neander, Music: Craig Sellar Lang

1 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation;
O my soul, praise Him, for he is thy health and salvation:
Join the great throng,
Psaltery, organ, and song,
Sounding in glad adoration.

2 Praise to the Lord; over all things he gloriously reigneth:
Borne as on eagle-wings, safely his saints he sustaineth.
Hast thou not seen
How all thou needest hath been
Granted in what he ordaineth?

3 Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy way and defend
thee;
Surely his goodness and mercy shall ever attend thee;
Ponder anew
What the Almighty can do,
Who with his love doth befriend thee.

4 Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore him!
All that hath life and breath come now with praises before
him!

Let the "Amen"

Sound from his people again

Gladly forever adore him.

Welcome

Opening Acclamation

Presider: Alleluia. Christ is Risen.

People: The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.

Collect for Purity (in unison)

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 Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Gloria

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Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect of the Day

Presider: The Lord be with you

People: And also with you.

Presider: Let us pray.

O God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as surpass our understanding: Pour into our hearts such love towards you, that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.
Amen.

First Reading

Acts 10:44-48

While Peter was still speaking, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who heard the word. The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astounded that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the Gentiles, for they heard them speaking in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter said, "Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?" So he ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they invited him to stay for several days.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

The Psalm

Psalm 98

Reader: Sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things.

People: With his right hand and his holy arm has he won for himself the victory.

Reader: The LORD has made known his victory; his righteousness has he openly shown in the sight of the nations.

People: He remembers his mercy and faithfulness to the house of Israel, and all the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.

Reader: Shout with joy to the LORD, all you lands; lift up your voice, rejoice, and sing.

People: Sing to the LORD with the harp, with the harp and the voice of song.

Reader: With trumpets and the sound of the horn shout with joy before the King, the LORD.

People: Let the sea make a noise and all that is in it, the lands and those who dwell therein.

Reader: Let the rivers clap their hands, and let the hills ring out with joy before the LORD, when he comes to judge the earth.

People: In righteousness shall he judge the world and the peoples with equity.

The Epistle

1 John 5:1-6

Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the parent loves the child. By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. For the love of God is this, that we obey his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, for whatever is born of God conquers the world. And this is the victory that conquers the world, our faith. Who is it that conquers the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another."

Presider: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Homily

Mimi McGill

Choir Anthem: Beloved, Let Us Love One Another

Music: William Dailey

The Nicene Creed (in unison) (all stand) BCP p. 358

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:
by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from
the Virgin Mary, and was made man.

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 and the Son.

With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.

He 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.

Choral Call to Prayer: "O Lord, Hear My Prayer"

Words and Music by Francesco Blackmore

The Prayers of the People

Form III BCP p. 387

Reader: Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;

People: **That we all may be one.**

Reader: Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

People: **That your Name may be glorified by all people.**

Reader: We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;

People: **That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.**

Reader: We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

People: **That there may be justice and peace on the earth.**

Reader: Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

People: **That our works may find favor in your sight.**

Reader: Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

People: **That they may be delivered from their distress.**

Reader: Give to the departed eternal rest.

People: **Let light perpetual shine upon them.**

Reader: We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

People: **May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.**

Reader: We pray especially for those on our intercession list _____, and for those named here (pause for the congregation to add their intercessions).

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Reader: Let us pray for our congregation and our Vestry as we seek a new priest for our faith community. Guide us and give us wisdom and patience, that we may discern your will for us, and that we will call a priest who will inspire us, care for us and bring us closer to you.

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Reader: In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, let us pray for St. John's, New Haven; St. Luke's, New Haven; St. Paul and St. James, New Haven; and retirement communities, especially Armsmear;

chaplains at retirement communities; and Retired Clergy Chaplains. We also pray for the Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil.

People: Lord, hear our prayer.

Reader: Let us pray for peace in the world:
God of peace and justice, we pray for peace in the world, especially in Ukraine and the Middle East, and in Haiti and the Dominican Republic. We pray for those with power over war or peace, for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions. We pray for all in these wars who have died, are wounded or missing. We pray for all who grieve, live in fear, and wait anxiously for the return of their loved ones. We pray for those who protect and defend our country. May your kingdom of justice and peace reign throughout the world. Amen

Presider: O Lord our God, accept the fervent prayers of your people; in the multitude of your mercies, look with compassion upon us and all who turn to you for help; for you are gracious, O lover of

souls, and to you we give glory, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Offering

Presider: Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave of himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God.

Offertory Hymn: The Great Creator of the Worlds #489

Words: F. Bland Tucker, Music: Thomas Tallis

1 The great Creator of the worlds,
the sovereign God of heaven,
his holy and immortal truth
to all on earth hath given.

2 He sent no angel of his host
to bear this mighty word,
but him through whom the worlds were made,
the everlasting Lord.

3 He sent him not in wrath and power,
but grace and peace to bring;
in kindness, as a king might send
his son, himself a king.

4 He sent him down as sending God;
in flesh to us he came;
as one with us he dwelt with us,
and bore a human name.

5 He came as Savior to his own,
the way of love he trod;
he came to win us by good will,
for force is not of God.

6 Not to oppress, but summon all
their truest life to find,
in love God sent his Son to save,
not to condemn mankind.

Doxology

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Hymn 380 Verse 3

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise Him all creatures here below
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

Presider: All things come of thee, O Lord,

People: **and of thine own have we given thee. Amen.**

Presider: And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we
are bold to say:

The Lord's Prayer (in unison)

**Our 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.

The Peace

Presider: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you.

Announcements

The Grace

Presider: The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all, now and forever. **Amen.**

Closing Hymn: All Creatures of Our God and King #400

Words: Francis of Assisi Music: Ralph Vaughan Williams

1 All creatures of our God and King,
lift up your voices, let us sing:
Alleluia, alleluia!
Bright burning sun with golden beams,
pale silver moon that gently gleams,

Refrain:

O praise him, O praise him,
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

2 Great rushing winds and breezes soft,
you clouds that ride the heavens aloft,
O praise him, Alleluia!
Fair rising morn, with praise rejoice,
stars nightly shining, find a voice: [Refrain]

3 Swift flowing water, pure and clear,
make music for your Lord to hear,
Alleluia, alleluia!
Fire, so intense and fiercely bright,
you give to us both warmth and light, [Refrain]

5 All you with mercy in your heart,
forgiving others, take your part,
O sing now: Alleluia!
All you that pain and sorrow bear,
praise God, and cast on him your care: [Refrain]

7 Let all things their creator bless,
and worship him in humbleness,
O praise him, Alleluia!
Praise God the Father, praise the Son,
and praise the Spirit, Three in One: [Refrain]

The Dismissal

Presider: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
Alleluia, Alleluia.

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia.

Postlude

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The Altar Flowers and Sanctuary Lamp are
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Celebrating the Worship Service:

The People of God gathered in Trinity Church and at home

Presider:	Stan Moraski
Homilist:	Mimi McGill
Reader:	Sharon Corthouts
Usher:	Elaine Eno
Altar Guild:	Jan Atkins and Deb Asaro
Music:	Francesco Blackmore, Director and the Trinity Choir

Trinity's Calendar

Sunday, May 5

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

The Sixth Sunday of Easter

The Service of Antecommunion, Rite II

Presider: Stan Moraski

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Monday, May 6

6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

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Canton Food Bank open

Miriam's Closet Betsy Jahne attending

Tuesday, May 7

7:30 - 11:30 a.m.

8:00 - 11:30 a.m.

Canton Food Bank Open

Miriam's Closet Maryellen Prudhomme attending

Wed, May 8

7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Zoom Bible Study with Rick Richardson

Sunday, May 12

9:00 – 10:00 a.m.

The Seventh Sunday of Easter and

The Sunday after Ascension Day

The Service of the Holy Eucharist

Celebrant is the Reverend Tim Hodapp,

Canon for Transition Ministry

10:00 a.m.

Coffee Hour

Rev. Hodapp will be with us at Coffee Hour to chat with us. Please join us for this important event.

Sunday, May 12

Happy Mother's Day

Trinity Office Hours: Tues., Wed. and Thurs. 8:30 am-3:30 pm

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