



Trinity Episcopal Church

The Fifth Sunday of Easter

Holy Eucharist

18 May 2025 at 10:30 AM

Welcome to Trinity Church! We are glad you have chosen to worship with us today. We invite you to observe a period of silent contemplation before the service begins. Please refrain from cell phone use before and during the service. Page numbers marked **BCP** are from the Book of Common Prayer in your pew rack. The music for our service can be found in the red **Hymnal 1982**. Numbers marked with an **S** are found in the front section of the Hymnal. If you need any assistance, please feel free to ask a neighbor.

PRIVATE PRAYERS BEFORE WORSHIP

O Almighty God, who pours out on all who desire it the spirit of grace and supplication: Deliver us, when we draw near to you, from coldness of heart and wanderings of mind, that with steadfast thoughts and kindled affections we may worship you in spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Be present, be present, O Jesus, our great High Priest, as you were present with your disciples, and be known to us in the breaking of bread; who live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. Amen.

A PRAYER FOR OUR PARISH

Almighty and everlasting God, who governs all things in heaven and earth, mercifully hear your servants' prayers, and grant to our parish all things that are necessary for its spiritual welfare; enlighten and guide its priest; strengthen and increase the faithful; visit and relieve the sick; turn and soften the wandering; rouse the careless; recover the fallen; restore the penitent; remove all hindrances to the advancement of your Gospel; bring all to be of one heart and one mind within the fold of your holy Church; to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

COVER ART

The workshop of Pieter van Aelst (1502-1550), after Raphael
The Preaching of St. Paul (circa 1510s), tapestry
The Vatican Museums

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

RITE II

The Liturgy begins on page 351 of the Book of Common Prayer.

PRELUDE

Please stand for the Processional Hymn.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

For the Beauty of the Earth

Insert

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant ☩ Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

BCP 355

THE GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

Insert

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty God, whom truly to know is everlasting life: Grant us so perfectly to know your Son Jesus Christ to be the way, the truth, and the life, that we may steadfastly follow his steps in the way that leads to eternal life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Please be seated for the Lessons.

FIRST LESSON

Acts 13.44-52

The next sabbath after Paul first spoke in the synagogue at Antioch of Pisidia, almost the whole city gathered to hear the word of the Lord. But when the Jews saw the crowds, they were filled with jealousy; and blaspheming, they contradicted what was spoken by Paul. Then both Paul and Barnabas spoke out boldly, saying, "It was necessary that the word of God should be spoken first to you. Since you reject it and judge yourselves to be unworthy of eternal life, we are now turning to the Gentiles. For so the Lord has commanded us, saying, 'I have set you to be a light for the Gentiles,

so that you may bring salvation to the ends of the earth.'"

When the Gentiles heard this, they were glad and praised the word of the Lord; and as many as had been destined for eternal life became believers. Thus the word of the Lord spread throughout the region. But the Jews incited the devout women of high standing and the leading men of the city, and stirred up persecution against Paul and Barnabas, and drove them out of their region. So they shook the dust off their feet in protest against them, and went to Iconium. And the disciples were filled with joy and with the Holy Spirit.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

GRADUAL – Psalm 148

Laudate Dominum

The Psalm is recited responsively by whole verse.

- 1 Hallelujah!
Praise the LORD from the heavens; *
praise him in the heights.
- 2 Praise him, all you angels of his; *
praise him, all his host.**
- 3 Praise him, sun and moon; *
praise him, all you shining stars.
- 4 Praise him, heaven of heavens, *
and you waters above the heavens.**
- 5 Let them praise the Name of the LORD; *
for he commanded, and they were created.
- 6 He made them stand fast for ever and ever; *
he gave them a law which shall not pass away.**
- 7 Praise the LORD from the earth, *
you sea-monsters and all deeps;
- 8 Fire and hail, snow and fog, *
tempestuous wind, doing his will;**
- 9 Mountains and all hills, *
fruit trees and all cedars;
- 10 Wild beasts and all cattle, *
creeping things and winged birds;**
- 11 Kings of the earth and all peoples, *
princes and all rulers of the world;
- 12 Young men and maidens, *
old and young together.**
- 13 Let them praise the Name of the LORD, *
for his Name only is exalted,
his splendor is over earth and heaven.
- 14 He has raised up strength for his people
and praise for all his loyal servants, *
the children of Israel, a people who are near him.
Hallelujah!**

SECOND LESSON

Revelation 19.1, 4-9

After this I heard what seemed to be the loud voice of a great multitude in heaven, saying, "Hallelujah! Salvation and glory and power to our God", And the twenty-four elders and the four living creatures fell down and worshiped God who is seated on the throne, saying, "Amen. Hallelujah!" And from the throne came a voice saying, "Praise our God, all you his servants, and all who fear him, small and great." Then I heard what seemed to be the voice of a great multitude, like the sound of many waters and like the sound of mighty thunderpeals, crying out, "Hallelujah! For the Lord our God, the Almighty reigns. Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory, for the marriage of the

Lamb has come, and his bride has made herself ready; to her it has been granted to be clothed with fine linen, bright and pure"--for the fine linen is the righteous deeds of the saints. And the angel said to me, "Write this: Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of the Lamb." And he said to me, "These are true words of God."

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand for the Sequence Hymn and the Gospel

SEQUENCE HYMN 583

O Holy City, Seen of John

TUNE: *Morning Song*

THE GOSPEL

St. John 13.31-35

Priest The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to St. John.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

At the last supper, when Judas had gone out, Jesus said, "Now the Son of Man has been glorified, and God has been glorified in him. If God has been glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself and will glorify him at once. Little children, I am with you only a little longer. You will look for me; and as I said to the Jews so now I say to you, 'Where I am going, you cannot come.' I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."

Priest The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Please be seated.

THE SERMON

Fr. Geoffrey Mackey

Please stand for the Creed.

THE NICENE CREED

BCP 358

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE – FORM 4

BCP 388

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

BCP 360

THE PEACE

BCP 360

Celebrant The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Announcements may be made at this time.

THE OFFERTORY

The Celebrant begins the Offertory with a sentence of Scripture.

During the Offertory Anthem, a collection is taken.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM – *The Lone, Wild Bird*

MUSIC: Walker's *Southern Harmony* (1835); harm. by David N. Johnson

WORDS: Henry Richard McFayden, Marty Haugen

The lone, wild bird in lofty flight
is still with you, nor leaves your sight.
And I am yours!

I rest in you,
Great Spirit, come, rest in me, too.

The ends of earth are in your hand,
the sea's, dark, deep and far-off land.
And I am yours!

I rest in you,
Great Spirit, come, rest in me, too.

Each secret thought is known to you,
the path I walk my whole life through;
my days, my deeds, my hopes, my fears,
my deepest joys, my silent tears.

In secret depths you knit my frame,
before my birth you spoke my name;
within my soul, as close as breath,

so near to me, in life, in death.

O search me, God, my heart reveal,
renew my life, my spirit heal;
for I am yours, I rest in you,
Great Spirit, come, rest in me, too.

(Bryar Greene and Isabella Wolfe, soloists)

Please stand as the Offerings are brought forward and we sing

THE DOXOLOGY

TUNE: *Lasst uns erfreue*

Praise God from whom all bless-ings flow; praise him, all crea-tures here be - low: Al - le -

lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise him a - bove ye heav'n - ly host; praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly

Ghost: O praise him, O praise him, al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Celebrant The Lord be with you. *People* And al - so with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts. *People* We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

SANCTUS ET BENEDICTUS

SETTING: *Missa Simplex*, Malcolm Archer (b. 1952)

Con moto (♩ = 88)

mf
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,

cresc. *f*
hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

mf *cresc.*
Bles-sed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -

f
san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

The People may remain standing or kneel after the Sanctus

THE CONSECRATION

BCP 373

THE LORD'S PRAYER (*Traditional*)

BCP 364

THE FRACTION

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.
People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

AGNUS DEI

SETTING: *Missa Simplex*, Malcolm Archer (b. 1952)

(♩ = 66)

Lamb of God, you take a - way the

sins of the world: have mer - cy, have mer - cy on us.

Lamb of God, you take a - way the

sins of the world: grant us, grant us peace.

THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

The ministers receive the Sacrament in both kinds, and then immediately deliver it to the people.

COMMUNION MUSIC

THE POST COMMUNION PRAYER

BCP 365

THE PASCHAL BLESSING

RECESSIONAL HYMN 529

In Christ There is No East or West

TUNE: *McKee*

THE DISMISSAL

BCP 366

POSTLUDE



This Week at Trinity

May 19th – 25th

MONDAY	11:00 a.m.	Monday Feeding Ministry (Trinity Hall)
	5:45 p.m.	Finance Committee (Conference Room)
	6:30 p.m.	Vestry Meeting (Conference Room)
TUESDAY	8:00 a.m.	Men's Breakfast (Bob Evans, Traffic Circle)
	10:00 a.m.	Clergy Bible Study (Conference Room)
WEDNESDAY	12:15 p.m.	Healing Eucharist (Adams Chapel)
THURSDAY	10:00 a.m.	Bible Study (Conference Room)
SATURDAY	9:00 a.m.	Private Gathering (Trinity Hall)
	5:30 p.m.	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
	7:00 p.m.	A.A. Meeting (Trinity Hall)
SUNDAY	8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist, Rite I
	9:00 a.m.	Sunday School (Youth)
	9:30 a.m.	Choir Rehearsal (Nave)
	10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist, Rite II
	11:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour (Trinity Hall)

*The loose offering this weekend is for the Rector's
Discretionary Fund*

Serving This Week

Presider: Fr. Geoffrey Mackey (5:30p, 8a & 10:30a)

Lectors: Tim Northrup (5:30p); J.T. Thomas (8a); Roland Mezick, Kim Couch (10:30a)

Lay Eucharistic Ministers: Tim Northrup (5:30p); Connie Bookman (8a); Jennifer Currey, Scott Ramsay (10:30a)

Crucifer: Scott Ramsay (10:30a)

Altar Guild: Jennie Brannon (8a); Betty Earl, Pam McGraw (10:30a); Mickie Richardson (Tuesday); Linda Tucker (Wednesday); Joan Ramsay, Marjorie Thomas (Friday); Jeannie Gallagher (5:30p)

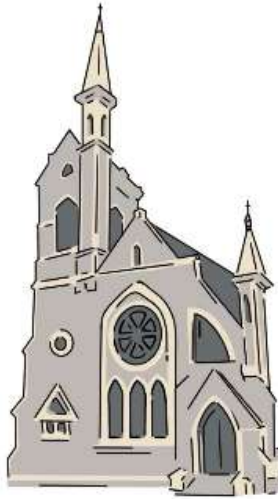
Ushers: Volunteer Needed (5:30p); Joe Handlan (8a); Mark Edwards, Kevin Oliphant, Jr. (10:30a)

Musicians: Lori Clark (guitarist, vocalist), Bob Harris (vocalist) (5:30p); Marie Mallory (organist, pianist) (10:30a)

Coffee Hour: Julie & Tom Gyongyosi

This week we celebrate the birthdays of Lynne Francis (**S**), Grace Staats (**T**), Jack Ralsten (**F**), and the anniversaries of Margie & Mark Miller (**M**), Liz & Scott Ramsay (**SA**).

*The Altar Flowers this week are given by Margie & Mark Miller
to the Glory of God and in Thanksgiving for their 52nd Wedding Anniversary.*



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