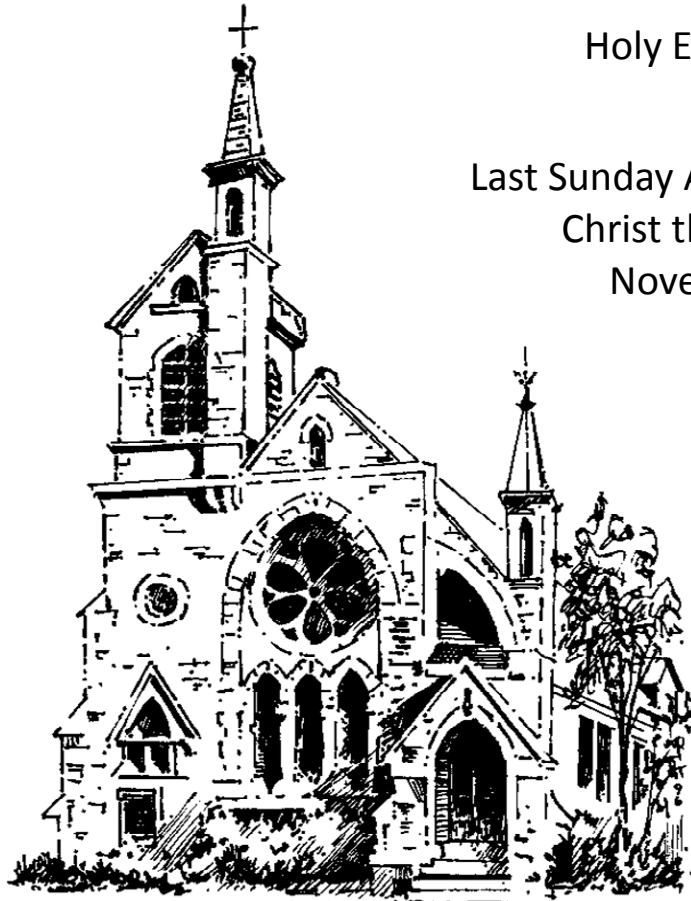


Trinity Episcopal Church Parkersburg, WV

Holy Eucharist, Rite II
10:30am

Last Sunday After Pentecost
Christ the King Sunday
November 22, 2015



*“The Mission of Trinity Episcopal Church is to seek and share
the love of God made known through Jesus Christ
with all people through the guidance of the Holy Spirit.”*

Welcome! We are delighted to have you worship with us today. If you are new to Trinity or to the Episcopal Church this program will guide you through the service. Or if you wish, you may follow the service beginning on page 355 of the *Book of Common Prayer*—the red book with a gold cross found in your seat and abbreviated **BCP** in the program. Congregational music for the service can be found in the red hymnal and is also found in your seat, unless otherwise noted. Music marked with **S-###** in the program corresponds to music found in the front of the hymnal. Times where kneeling is appropriate are marked with an asterisk. Activity packs for our younger visitors can be found in the back of the church, however child care is also available. Feel free to ask a greeter for any assistance.

Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Prelude ***Now Thank We All Our God*** ***Sigfrid Karg-Elert***

Processional Hymn ***Engelberg*** ***Hymnal 420***

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
Response **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever.
 Amen.**

Collect for Purity ***BCP 355***

Gloria in Excelsis ***Hymnal S-278***

The Liturgy of the Word

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
Response **And also with you.**
Celebrant Let us pray.

Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

First Lesson

Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14

As I watched,
thrones were set in place,
 and an Ancient One took his throne,
his clothing was white as snow,
 and the hair of his head like pure wool;
his throne was fiery flames,
 and its wheels were burning fire.
A stream of fire issued
 and flowed out from his presence.
A thousand thousands served him,
 and ten thousand times ten thousand stood attending him.
The court sat in judgment,
 and the books were opened.
As I watched in the night visions,
I saw one like a human being
 coming with the clouds of heaven.
And he came to the Ancient One
 and was presented before him.
To him was given dominion
 and glory and kingship,
that all peoples, nations, and languages
 should serve him.
His dominion is an everlasting dominion
 that shall not pass away,
and his kingship is one
 that shall never be destroyed.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

Response **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 93

The LORD is King;
he has put on splendid apparel; *
**the LORD has put on his apparel
and girded himself with strength.**

He has made the whole world so sure *
that it cannot be moved;

Ever since the world began, your throne has been established; *
you are from everlasting.

The waters have lifted up, O LORD,
the waters have lifted up their voice; *
the waters have lifted up their pounding waves.

Mightier than the sound of many waters,
mightier than the breakers of the sea, *
mightier is the LORD who dwells on high.

Your testimonies are very sure, *
**and holiness adorns your house, O LORD,
for ever and for evermore.**

Glory to the Father, and the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;*
As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever.

Second Lesson

Revelation 1:4b-8

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth.

To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen.

"I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
Response **Thanks be to God**

Gospel Hymn

St. Magnus

Hymnal 483 (vv 1-5)

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to John.
Response **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

The Gospel

John 18:33-37

Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, "Are you the King of the Jews?" Jesus answered, "Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?" Pilate replied, "I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?" Jesus answered, "My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here." Pilate asked him, "So you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.
Response **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Gospel Hymn

St. Magnus

Hymnal 483 (v 6)

The Sermon

The Rev. Art Bennett

The Nicene Creed

BCP 358

Prayers of the People* Form 5

BCP 389

Confession and Absolution*

BCP 360

The Peace

BCP 360

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.
Response **And also with you.**

Communion Hymn

Palmer Church

Hymnal 327

Post Communion Prayer*

BCP 366

Celebrant Let us pray.

Response 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.

Blessing

Recessional Hymn

Diademata

Hymnal 494

Dismissal

BCP 366

Response *Thanks be to God.*

Choral Benediction
ter

God Be in My Head

John Rut-

Postlude

*Thank you for your visit! We would love to know you a little more, so please feel free to join us for refreshments in the Parish Hall at this time.
One of our greeters would be happy to direct you.*

Serving Today

Celebrant: The Rev. Art Bennett (8:00 am & 10:30 am)

Readers: Charlotte Bee (8:00 am); Dianna Quick, Barbara Full, Allan Zipf (10:30 am)

Chalice: Joe Handlan (8:00am); Dennis Ramsay, Susie Fitcher (10:30am)

Ushers: Forbes Hiehle, Jim Batten

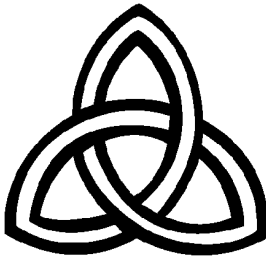
Altar Guild: Altar Guild: Sue Ellen Johnson, Betty Earl, Loretta McGregor (Sunday); Marjorie Thomas, Joan Ramsay (Sat.)

Coffee Hour: Linda and Larry Tucker

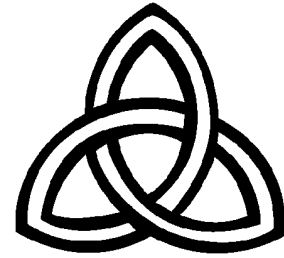
Shepherds: Becky and John Roberts

The Altar Flowers today are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of MaryJo Zipf and Susan Louise Zipf, by Allan Zipf.

This week we celebrate the anniversaries of Connie and Bernard Bookman, Wendy and John Ralsten, Midge and Van Simperts and Katharine and Larry Nutter.



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