



EASTER 7

May 12, 2024 - 9:00 am

Welcome to Trinity Episcopal Church. Thank you for joining our community in worship today.

If you are interested in baptism or wish to become a member of the parish, please speak to a member of the staff. We would be delighted to have you join our family. If you are not yet an Episcopalian, please feel free to ask someone near you for assistance during the worship service. Visitors, please sign the guest book.

The entire text for the Eucharist may be found in the **Book of Common Prayer**.

The Word of the God - pages 355-358

Holy Communion - Eucharistic Prayer A - pages 361-363

The Breaking of the Bread and Post Communion Prayer - page 364-365

The hymns with numbers are found in the **Hymnal 1982**.

ENTRANCE RITE

Voluntary

Prayer from Christ Ascending to the Father

Olivier Messiaen

Opening Hymn 450

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

CORONATION

1 All hail the power of Je - sus' Name! Let an - gels pros-trate
2 Crown him, ye mar - tyrs of our God, who from his al - tar
3 Hail him, the Heir of Da - vid's line, whom Da - vid Lord did
* 4 Ye heirs of Is - rael's cho - sen race, ye ran - sored of the
* 5 Sin - ners, whose love can ne'er for - get the worm-wood and the

1 fall; bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem, and
2 call: praise him whose way of pain ye trod, and
3 call, the God in - car - nate, Man di - vine, and
4 fall, hail him who saves you by his grace, and
5 gall, go, spread your tro - phies at his feet, and

1 crown him Lord of all! bring forth the roy - al
2 crown him Lord of all! praise him whose way of
3 crown him Lord of all! the God in - car - nate,
4 crown him Lord of all! hail him who saves you
5 crown him Lord of all! go, spread your tro - phies

1 di - a - dem, and crown him Lord of all!
 2 pain ye trod, and crown him Lord of all!
 3 Man di - vine, and crown him Lord of all!
 4 by his grace, and crown him Lord of all!
 5 at his feet, and crown him Lord of all!

6 Let every kindred, every tribe,
 on this terrestrial ball,
 to him all majesty ascribe,
 and crown him Lord of all!

Words: Edward Perronet (1726-1792)
 Music: *Coronation*, Oliver Holden (1765-1844)

Easter Acclamation

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

The Celebrant continues

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 Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

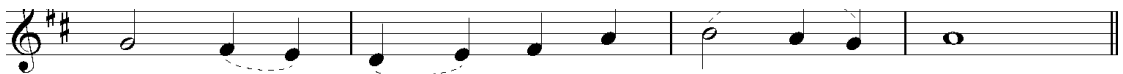
Hymn of Praise 417

This is the Feast of Victory of our God

FESTIVAL CANTICLE

This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
 For the Lamb who was slain has be -

1 Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose
 2 Pow - er, rich - es, wis - dom, and strength, and
 3 Sing with all the peo - ple of God, and
 4 Bless - ing, hon - or, glo - ry, and might be to
 5 For the Lamb who was slain has be -



1 blood set us free to be peo - ple of God. [Ant.]
 2 hon - or, bless - ing, and glo - ry are his. [Ant.]
 3 join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion. [Ant.]
 4 God and the Lamb for ev - er. A - men. [Ant.]
 5 gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia! [Ant.]

Final Antiphon



This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Words: Revelation 5:12-13; adapt. John W. Arthur (1922-1980)

The Collect of the Day

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

O GOD, the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: Do not leave us comfortless, but send us your Holy Spirit to strengthen us, and exalt us to that place where our Savior Christ has gone before; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen.**

THE WORD OF GOD

The First Lesson

Acts 1:15-17, 21-26

In those days Peter stood up among the believers (together the crowd numbered about one hundred twenty persons) and said, “Friends, the scripture had to be fulfilled, which the Holy Spirit through David foretold concerning Judas, who became a guide for those who arrested Jesus—for he was numbered among us and was allotted his share in this ministry. So one of the men who have accompanied us during all the time that the Lord Jesus went in and out among us, beginning from the baptism of John until the day when he was taken up from us-- one of these must become a witness with us to his resurrection.” So they proposed two, Joseph called Barsabbas, who was also known as Justus, and Matthias. Then they prayed and said, “Lord, you know everyone’s heart. Show us which one of these two you have chosen to take the place in this ministry and apostleship from which Judas turned aside to go to his own place.” And they cast lots for them, and the lot fell on Matthias; and he was added to the eleven apostles.

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

People

Psalm 1



1 Happy are they who have not walked in the counsel of the | wicked, *
nor lingered in the way of sinners, nor sat in the seats of the |
scornful!

2 Their delight is in the law of the | LORD, *
and they meditate on his law day and | night.

3 They are like trees planted by streams of water,
bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that do not | wither; *
everything they do shall | prosper.

4 It is not so with the | wicked; *
they are like chaff which the wind blows a- | way.

5 Therefore the wicked shall not stand upright when judgment | comes, *
nor the sinner in the council of the | righteous.

6 For the LORD knows the way of the | righteous, *
but the way of the wicked is | doomed.

The Second Lesson

1 John 5:9-13

If we receive human testimony, the testimony of God is greater; for this is the testimony of God that he has testified to his Son. Those who believe in the Son of God have the testimony in their hearts. Those who do not believe in God have made him a liar by not believing in the testimony that God has given concerning his Son. And this is the testimony: God gave us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life. I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, so that you may know that you have eternal life.

The Word of the Lord.

People

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Alleluia

CELTIC ALLELUIA

All sing the Antiphon.



Cantor: You are the Christ Everlasting. Born for us all of a virgin.
You have conquered death opened the heaven to all believers. *All sing the Antiphon.*

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

Jesus prayed for his disciples, “I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. Now they know that everything you have given me is from you; for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them. And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one. While I was with them, I protected them in your name that you have given me. I guarded them, and not one of them was lost except the one destined to be lost, so that the scripture might be fulfilled. But now I am coming to you, and I speak these things in the world so that they may have my joy made complete in themselves. I have given them your word, and the world has hated them because they do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. I am not asking you to take them out of the world, but I ask you to protect them from the evil one. They do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth. As you have sent me into the world, so I have sent them into the world. And for their sakes I sanctify myself, so that they also may be sanctified in truth.”

The Sermon

The Rev. Denzil J. Luckritz

The Nicene Creed

All standing

**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.**

The 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, especially for Michael, our Presiding Bishop and Paula our Bishop, for all 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.

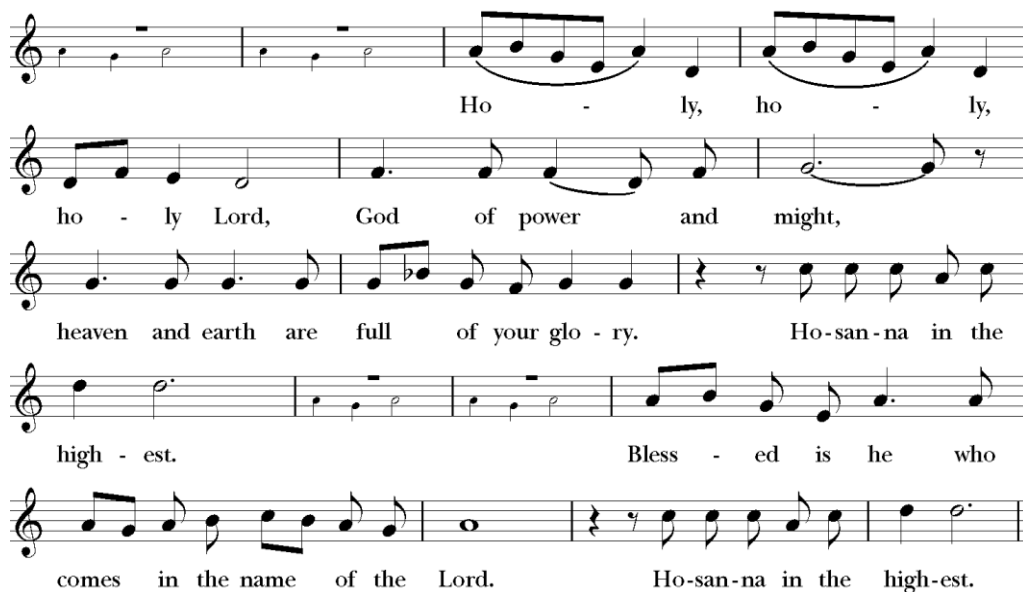
Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble, especially those on our parish prayer list,
and those whose names are offered at this time, either aloud or in silence; *Interval*
That they may be delivered from their distress.

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

We praise you for all 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 may be kept.*

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly,
 ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,
 heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho-san-na in the
 high - est. Bless - ed is he who
 comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high-est.

The People stand and the Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he 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 shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

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

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food

and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace: and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to sing,

HYMNAL S119

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 Breaking of the Bread

This setting is not used in Lent.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
Christ our Pass - o - ver is sac - ri - ficed for us;
there - fore let us keep the feast.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

The musical score consists of four staves of music in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with lyrics written below the notes. The first staff contains the first line of the Alleluia. The second staff contains the beginning of the second line. The third staff contains the beginning of the third line. The fourth staff contains the second line of the Alleluia.

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

The people will be instructed how they will be receiving the Sacrament.

Communion Anthem

King of All Ages, Throned on High

Paul Isom

King of all ages, throned on high, Yet savior too of those with faith, Death at your onslaught died in fear And grace triumphant rules supreme. Risen from death, the heavenly Christ Receives from God the Father's hand Power over all created things: A gift he could not know on earth. The at your coming on the clouds With shining strength to be our judge, Cancel the debt we owe you still, Give back the glory we have lost. Glory to O Christ our Lord, Exalted far beyond our sight, Reigning in bliss for evermore, With Father and with Paraclete. *

*Holy Spirit

Post-Communion Prayer

After Communion, the Celebrant says

Let us now rise and pray.

ETERNAL GOD, heavenly Father,
You have graciously accepted us as living members
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,
and you have fed us with spiritual food
in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.
Send us now into the world in peace,
and grant us strength and courage
to love and serve you
with gladness and singleness of heart;
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Blessing

Brothers and Sisters, remember that life is short, and we have little time to gladden the hearts of those who travel with us. So, be swift to love and make haste to be kind. Rest assured that God is infinitely more concerned with the promise of our future than the mistakes of our past. And may the blessing of God Almighty, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, Creator, Redeemer, and Sanctifier be with you now and always. Amen.

Closing Hymn 494

Crown Him with Many Crowns

DIADEMATA

1 Crown him with man - y crowns, the Lamb up - on his throne; Hark!
2 Crown him the Son of God be - fore the worlds be - gan, and
3 Crown him the Lord of life, who tri - umphed o'er the grave, and
4 Crown him of lords the Lord, who o - ver all doth reign, who
5 Crown him the Lord of heaven, en - throned in worlds a - bove; Crown

1 how the heaven - ly an - them drowns all mu - sic but its own; a -
 2 ye, who tread where he hath trod, crown him the Son of man; who
 3 rose vic - to - rious in the strife for those he came to save; his
 4 once on earth, the in - car - nate Word, for ran - somed sin - ners slain, now
 5 him the King, to whom is given the won - drous name of Love. Crown

1 wake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee, and
 2 ev - ery grief hath known that wrings the hu - man breast, and
 3 glo - ries now we sing who died, and rose on high, who
 4 lives in realms of light, where saints with an - gels sing their
 5 him with man - y crowns, as thrones be - fore him fall, crown

1 hail him as thy match - less King through all e - ter - ni - ty.
 2 takes and bears them for his own, that all in him may rest.
 3 died, e - ter - nal life to bring, and lives that death may die.
 4 songs be - fore him day and night, their God, Re - deem - er, King.
 5 him, ye kings, with man - y crowns, for he is King of all.

Words: Matthew Bridges (1800-1894)
 Music: *Diademata*, George Job Elvey (1816-1893)

The Dismissal

Celebrant

Let us go forth in the name of Christ! Alleluia, Alleluia!

People

Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Alleluia!

Voluntary

Outburst of Joy

Olivier Messiaen

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TODAY'S MUSIC: *The Ascension Suite* composed by the twentieth century French composer Olivier Messiaen, was originally written for the organ at **LaTrinité** where he was organist. Later, he transcribed it for orchestra. The *Prayer from Christ Ascending Toward His Father*, has the additional text, “*And now, O Father, I have manifested Thy name unto men...and now, I am no more in the world, but these are in the world, and I come to Thee.*” (from the Gospel of St. John). This suite, published in 1934, certainly has a very contemporary quality. This is music that is best heard with ears that are listening to the “painting in sound” that is produced, the use of jazz chords, and advanced harmonies prevail. The use of colorful harmonies is present, as in all French music.

Outburst of Joy concludes *The Ascension Suite*. The complete title is **Outburst of Joy before the Glory of Christ which is its own Glory**. Messiaen seeks to portray in sound the picture of the great joy we have at the Lord's ascending up to heaven. Sometimes gentle breezes carry Jesus up, sometimes the winds shine in glory. In the final section, joy and the wind carrying Jesus to heaven are combined in one great flurry of notes. The piece ends in triumphal majesty.

✠ **This week we pray for** ✠

Our parish friends in need: Ron, Caleb, Dave, Marrienne, Sue, Rick, Sheila, Cindy, Alondra, Sara, Danna, Beth, Ashley, Pat, Bruce, Julie, Deb, Dee, Paula, Judy, Marnie, Patrick, LC, Peggy, Nilda, Kenzie, Barbara, John, Jerri, Dorothy, Barb G., Tim, Tom, Francis, Nigel, Matthew, Gaelyn, Sandy, Barb, Nikki, Melanie, George, Cathy, Ken, Shasha, Jamie, Krystal, Michelle, Janet, Margaret, Cecilia, Anthony, Andrea, Robert, Maggie, Mary Ellen, Shirley, Daneal, Inga, Gary, Al, Donna, Anita, RJ, Larry, Bobbie, Bill, Elaine, Connie, Mary, Marilou, Eileen, Joe, Amy, Abby, Kai, Ann, Bud, Cathie, Tammy, Fr. Tom, Robert, Sr., Bob, Kevin, Val, Chireen, Mike, Char, David, Richard, Danielle, Rob, Paulette, Jane, Thomas, Wanda, Irene, Joseph, Wally, Robin, Christie, Tim, Lisa, Don, Virg, Kim, Kris, Connor, Anne, Sr. Jean, James, Phyllis, Ella, Bill, Rose, Talon, Taylor, Linda J, Ty, Roberta, Malcolm, Signe, Paul, Charles, Charlene, Denise, Greg, Phil, Lynn, Gloria, Lauren, Ron, and Laura.

✠ **The Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God** ✠

In Thanksgiving for Mothers

✠ **The Sanctuary Candle is given to the Glory of God** ✠

In Loving Memory of Tristan Trudeau

Birthdays and Anniversaries this week

Aiden Lantgen and Ruth Waters

If we have missed your birthday or anniversary, please let us know

THIS WEEK'S WORSHIP ONLINE @ ZOOM
<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/3889192038>

OR JOIN US ON FACEBOOK @ TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH, AURORA, IL GROUP

MORNING PRAYER 9AM – EVENING PRAYER 7PM
MONDAY-THURSDAY

Flower Charts 2024 Flower Charts are located on the bulletin board in the Parish Hall. Please sign up if there are special dates on which you would like to have flowers on the altar in memory of a loved one or in thanksgiving for a birthday, anniversary, or other important event. (Suggested donation for flowers is \$40.)

Sanctuary Candle 2024 Sanctuary Candle Sign-Up is now available. Please sign up if there are special dates which you would like to have the candle lit in memory of a loved one or in thanksgiving for a birthday, anniversary, or other important event. Donation for the candle is \$5.

Neighbor Box We are placing non-perishable food in the Box weekly. The Box is secured so that items in plastic or paper can also be donated. Parishioners can help by routinely picking up an extra item when shopping, donating money by cash or accessing the Neighbor Box donation tab on our website; www.trinityaurora.com on the online giving page. Collections baskets are at the back of the church.

Happy Mother's Day Please do pick up a geranium! IF you'd like more than just the one, do see Linda Barber, and she'll see you get them!



‡ SERVING TODAY ‡

Serving: Mariann Evans
Lector – Lesson 1: Cathie Patterson
Lector – Lesson 2: Linda Barber
Intercessor: Linda Barber
Ushers: Dick & Gale Blogg
Malcolm Blogg

‡ SERVING NEXT SUNDAY ‡

Serving: Linda Barber
Lector – Lesson 1: Melissa Athos
Lector – Lesson 2: Wendy Stewart
Intercessor: Wendy Stewart
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