

Trinity Episcopal Church
Collinsville, CT

**Service of Holy Eucharist and
Spiritual Communion**

July 18, 2021
10:00 a.m.



Eighth Sunday
after
PENTECOST

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

**Please take this service leaflet with you when you
leave the building.**

Welcome to Trinity Episcopal Church for this service of Spiritual Communion and Holy Eucharist. If you're new to the Episcopal Church or to Trinity, we hope you'll feel the love of Christ in and through all those you'll encounter here. If you're returning, we welcome you back. You are invited to participate in this service as much as you are comfortable, by sitting and standing as indicated, and reading the prayers. This service leaflet has page numbers for parts of the service which can be found in the red Book of Common Prayer (BCP). Please take this leaflet with you when you leave.

For the safety of those around you, please remain masked for the duration of the service. Our sanctuary has two sections, one side for those who wish to remain at a 6' distance from other households, and one side where those who are fully vaccinated against COVID-19 can choose to sit together. Communion will be offered this morning (in one kind - bread only), as well as a prayer for Spiritual Communion for those who wish to receive in this manner. Please listen for the announcements preceding communion.

As a final note, this service is being livestreamed on YouTube. Those worshiping in person will be heard throughout the service, but will not be visible to the camera. When communion is being distributed, the camera is turned off for the privacy of those receiving communion. If you have any questions, please be in touch after the service with our camera operator.

Musical Prelude

Welcome

Opening Hymn: *Dear Lord and Father of Mankind* Hymn 653

Words: John Greenleaf Whittier

Music: Hubert Parry

*Dear Lord and Father of mankind, forgive our foolish ways!
Re-clothe us in our rightful mind,
in purer lives thy service find,
in deeper reverence, praise; in deeper reverence, praise.*

*In simple trust like theirs who heard, beside the Syrian sea,
the gracious calling of the Lord,
let us, like them, without a word,
rise up and follow thee, rise up and follow thee.*

*O Sabbath rest by Galilee! O calm of hills above,
where Jesus knelt to share with thee
the silence of eternity
interpreted by love, interpreted by love!*

*Drop thy still dews of quietness, till all our strivings cease;
take from our souls the strain and stress,
and let our ordered lives confess
the beauty of thy peace, the beauty of thy peace.*

Continued...

The Word of God

Opening Acclamation

BCP 355

Collect for Purity

BCP 355

Song of Praise *Gloria in Excelsis Deo*

Setting and paraphrase: copyright 1983 Mike Anderson

Refrain: Gloria, Gloria in excelsis deo! (2x)

*Lord God, heavenly king, peace you bring to us;
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we sing our song of praise. (Refrain)*

*Jesus, savior of all, Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away our sins, O Lord,
have mercy on us all. (Refrain)*

*At the Father's right hand, Lord, receive our prayer,
for you alone are the Holy One,
and you alone are Lord. (Refrain)*

*Glory, Father and Son, glory, Holy Spirit,
to you we raise our hands up high,
we glorify your name. (Refrain)*

Collect of the Day

BCP 357

Presider: Almighty God, the fountain of all wisdom, you know our necessities before we ask and our ignorance in asking: Have compassion on our weakness, and mercifully give us those things which for our unworthiness we dare not, and for our blindness we cannot ask; through the worthiness of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

The First Reading

2 Samuel 7:1-14a

The Psalm

Psalm 89:20-37

The Second Reading

Ephesians 2:11-22

Sequence Hymn: *The Lord is My Shepherd*

LEVAS 104

Words: James Montgomery

Music: Thomas Koschat

*The Lord is my Shepherd, no want shall I know;
I feed in green pastures, safe-folded I rest;
He leadeth my soul where the still waters flow,
Restores me when wand'ring, redeems when oppressed.*

*Through the valley and shadow of death though I stray,
Since thou art my guardian, no evil I fear;
Thy rod shall defend me, thy staff be my stay;
No harm can befall, with my comforter near.*

Continued...

*In the midst of affliction my table is spread;
With blessings unmeasured my cup runneth o'er;
With perfume and oil thou anointest my head;
O what shall I ask of thy providence more?*

*Let goodness and mercy, my bountiful God,
Still follow my steps till I meet Thee above;
I seek by the path which my ancestors trod,
Through the land of their sojourn, thy kingdom of love.*

All stand for the alleluia verse:



Al-le-lu-ia; A-lle-lu-ia; Al-le-lu-ia.

The Gospel

Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

The Sermon

The Rev. Joseph Pace

The Nicene Creed

BCP 358

The Prayers of the People

Form IV BCP 388

Those joining from home are invited at this time to place your prayer requests in the online "chat box"; they will be lifted up during the Intercessions.

Confession

BCP 360

You are invited to share the Peace of Christ with others outside your household verbally or with gestures. Those joining us from home are invited to share the Peace of Christ in the chat.

Announcements

The Holy Communion

*At the offertory, we gratefully offer back to God some of what God has given us, symbolically in the bread and wine, and in the money we give. All are invited to make a gift to support Trinity's ministry of sharing God's love in our neighborhood and the world by placing your offering in the plate at the back of the sanctuary or by giving online at **TrinityCollinsville.org/give**. Our offerings are placed on the altar to be blessed as the altar is prepared for Holy Communion.*

Offertory Hymn: I Come with Joy to Meet My Lord Hymn 304

Words: Brian A. Wren © 1971 by Hope Publishing Company

Music: Annabel Morris Buchanan © 1938 by J. Fischer & Bro., a division of Belwin-Mills Publishing Corp.

*I come with joy to meet my Lord, forgiven, loved, and free,
in awe and wonder to recall his life laid down for me.*

*I come with Christians far and near to find, as all are fed,
the new community of love in Christ's communion bread.*

Continued...

As Christ breaks bread, and bids us share, each proud division ends.

The love that made us, makes us one, and strangers now are friends.

And thus with joy we meet our Lord. His presence, always near, is in such friendship better known, we see and praise him here.

Together met, together bound, we'll go our different ways and as his people in the world, we'll live and speak his praise.

Doxology "Old Hundredth"

Hymn 380 verse 3

Words: Thomas Ken

Music: Louis Bourgeois

*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.*

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer EOW 2

Presider: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Presider: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Presider: We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant. From before time you made ready the creation...

...And so this day we join with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we sing:

Sanctus

Setting: Richard Proulx, S125

*Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.*

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The Presider continues

Glory and honor and praise to you, holy and living God. To deliver us from the power of sin and death...

... Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever. **AMEN.**

The Lord's Prayer

BCP 364

The Breaking of the Bread

A period of silence is kept.

Fraction Anthem

Setting: David Hurd, S154

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Christ our passover is sacrificed for us:

Therefore let us keep the feast.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Invitation to Communion

BCP 364

All those who want to receive physical communion are now invited forward to the altar at this time. While wearing your mask, please form one line, six feet between households, to receive communion in one kind (bread only). Please move back to your pew before consuming the bread. Those who do not want to receive physical communion are invited to pray the following words, or other meditations as you desire:

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. I love you above all things, and long for you in my soul. Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. As though you have already come, I embrace you and unite myself entirely to you; never permit me to be separated from you. Amen.

Communion Hymn: *Now the Silence* Hymn 333

Words: Jaroslav J. Vajda © 1969 Hope Publishing Company

Music: Carl Schalk © 1969 Hope Publishing Company

*Now the silence Now the peace
Now the empty hands uplifted
Now the kneeling Now the plea
Now the Father's arms in welcome*

*Now the hearing Now the power
Now the vessel brimmed for pouring*

*Now the body Now the blood
Now the joyful celebration*

*Now the wedding Now the songs
Now the heart forgiven leaping*

*Now the Spirit's visitation
Now the Son's epiphany
Now the Father's blessing
Now Now Now*

Prayer After Communion

BCP 365

Blessing

Closing Hymn: *I Have Decided to Follow Jesus* LEVAS 136

Words: attr. Sadhu Sundar Singh, as sung in Garo, Assam

Music: Indian folk melody

I have decided to follow Jesus, (3x)

No turning back, no turning back!

Though no one join me, still I will follow, (3x)

No turning back, no turning back!

The world behind me, the cross before me, (3x)

No turning back, no turning back!

Dismissal

BCP 366

Postlude

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*This week's Altar Flowers and Sanctuary Lamp are given to the
Glory of God*

*Following the service, the sanctuary will remain open for private
prayer (maintaining social distancing.)*

Servers:

Presider: The Rev. Joseph Pace

Music: Alex Kirstukas

Camera: Stan Moraski

Reader: Jack Henne

Ushers: Elaine Howland
and Gary Nicksa

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