CHURCH OF THE TRINITY Coatesville in the Episcopal Diocese of Pennsylvania

Church of the Trinity is a congregation rooted in the faith and love of Christ, unified in diversity, seeking to grow and nourish the Trinity family and our Coatesville community.



"Beware that no one leads you astray."

November 14, 2021

9:30 AM

Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost, Proper 28

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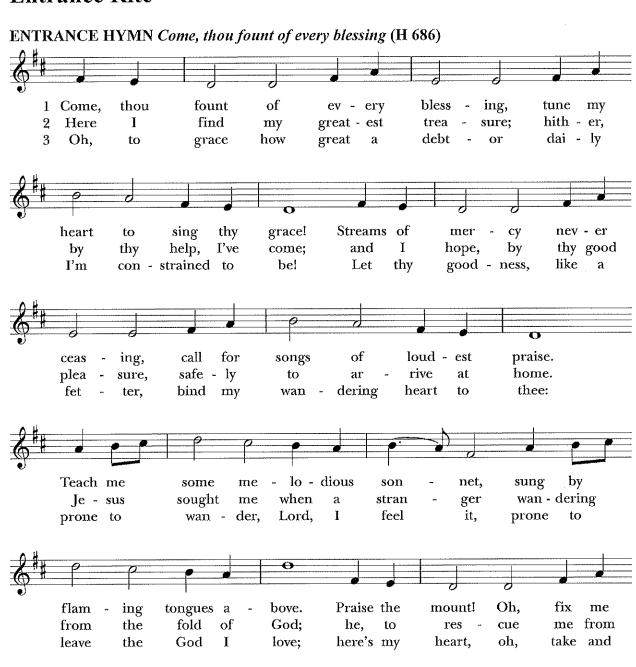
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OPENING ACCLAMATION

The people standing, the Celebrant says

Blessed be God: most holy, glorious, and undivided Trinity.

People

And blessed be God's reign, now and for ever. Amen.

SONG OF PRAISE (LEVAS #58)

The following is sung, all standing

The Lord is my light and my salvation, the Lord is my light and my salvation, the Lord is my light and my salvation, whom shall I fear?

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant

The Lord be with you.

People

And also with you.

Celebrant

Let us pray.

Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: Grant us so to hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

The Lessons

FIRST READING: Daniel 12:1-3

The people sit.

A Reading from the book of Daniel.

¹At that time Michael, the great prince, the protector of your people, shall arise. There shall be a time of anguish, such as has never occurred since nations first came into existence. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone who is found written in the book. ²Many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. ³Those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky, and those who lead many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever.

Reader

The Word of the Lord.

People

Thanks be to God.

Silence may follow.

PSALM: Psalm 16

Remain seated.

- 'Protect me, O God, for I take refuge in you; *
 I have said to the Lord, "You are my Lord,
 my good above all other."
- ²All my delight is upon the godly that are in the land, * upon those who are noble among the people.
- ³But those who run after other gods * shall have their troubles multiplied.
- ⁴Their libations of blood I will not offer, *
 nor take the names of their gods upon my lips.
- ⁵O LORD, you are my portion and my cup; * it is you who uphold my lot.
- ⁶My boundaries enclose a pleasant land; * indeed, I have a goodly heritage.
- ⁷I will bless the LORD who gives me counsel; * my heart teaches me night after night.
- ⁸I have set the LORD always before me; * because he is at my right hand, I shall not fall.
- ⁹My heart, therefore, is glad, and my spirit rejoices; * my body also shall rest in hope.
- ¹⁰For you will not abandon me to the grave, * nor let your holy one see the Pit.
- in your presence there is fullness of joy, and in your right hand are pleasures for evermore.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION Halle, Halle, Hallelujah (Caribbean/Sedio) All stand.

Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

GOSPEL: Mark 13:1-8

All stand.

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

¹As he came out of the temple, one of his disciples said to him, "Look, Teacher, what large stones and what large buildings!" ²Then Jesus asked him, "Do you see these great buildings? Not one stone will be left here upon another; all will be thrown down."

³When he was sitting on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter, James, John, and Andrew asked him privately, ⁴"Tell us, when will this be, and what will be the sign that all these things are about to be accomplished?" ⁵Then Jesus began to say to them, "Beware that no one leads you astray. ⁶Many will come in my name and say, 'I am he!' and they will lead many astray. ⁷When you hear of wars and rumors of wars, do not be alarmed; this must take place, but the end is still to come. ⁸For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. This is but the beginning of the birth pangs."

Deacon

The Gospel of the Lord.

People

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON BY THE REV. SHERRY DEETS

THE NICENE CREED

All stand.

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

All remain standing.

Images of cosmic disaster in today's readings fill us with fear, but also with hope. Terrifying as the signs may be, the time of Michael will bring life to those who have been faithful, just, and wise. Aware of the need for a new order, let us pray that God's reign will come in its fullness, saying: May your reign come; Lord, hear our prayer.

We pray for the leaders of this world, that, turning away from the terrible power of nuclear weapons, they may trust and turn instead to ways of peace. May your reign come; *Lord, hear our prayer*.

We pray for the church, that it may always be a sign of your loving presence and a sign of hope even in the darkest times. May your reign come; *Lord*, *hear our prayer*.

We pray for victims of warfare and natural disasters, that you may comfort them in their suffering. May your reign come; *Lord, hear our prayer*.

We pray for all who suffer from despair, especially young people, that you may give them the courage to build for the future. May your reign come; *Lord*, *hear our prayer*.

We pray for the sick and suffering of the world, those effected by the coronavirus and for those listed here who are near to our hearts, and those we name silently or out loud (a period of silence):

Violet Armstead, Clair Armstrong, Angie Ashe, Molly Baldwin, Marsha Barley, Velda Baynard, Chrissie Belamarich, Marie Hyacinthe Bribal, Anthony Brogan, Lashoni Brown, Walter Bryant, Carol, Carolyn, Lola Clarke, Millie Connor, Didi, Dorothy, Andrea Dudley, Charles Emmett, Morris Ferguson, Karen Fisher, Mary Fleck, Cassie Foreman, Kyla Foreman, Jacob Furlong, Bianca Giannotti, Ruth Gardiner, Linda Graber, Samantha Griggs, Livi Guthridge, Lillian Hadler, Susan Hanft, Scott Hansberry, Margaret Harrell, Mary Harris, Esther Harvey, Matt Hess, Janice, Danyell Jackson, Jay, Diane Kitson, Jodi Lancaster, John and Lindsay, Lisa Kivett, Sye Lamar, Melanie Lifer, Olivia Lyons, Paige McClean, Mia, Mickey, Brian Miller, Adam Nolt, Jessica Nupponen, Meredith Olseski, Ben Phillips, Stephen Phillips, Barbara Post, Lynn Pullman, Arlene Purnsley, Michael Rayner, Cheryl Robinson, Jacob Rockoff, Flora Rutledge, Judy Skoniczin, Mary Shidlowski, Erma Sinsabaugh, Stephen Smelter, Calvin Smith, Stephanie, Linda Still, Sue, Becky Swaggart, Dihona Talton and children, JoAnn Tarrant, Bill Terry, Tom, Norman Walters, Cyndi Walters, Isaac Warnick, Sally Warren, Paul Wayne, Mary Nell Weiss, Chanel Wiest, Ruby Williams, Art Wyatt

May your reign come; Lord, hear our prayer.

For all who protect and serve, as well as their families: the police, the firefighters, emergency medical personnel and those serving in the military, especially those listed here who are near to our hearts and those we name silently or out loud (a period of silence):

Police: Sgt Lori and Jeff Kistle

Military: PVT Austin Combs, PO2 Jason Combs, PO3 Andrew Combs, 1CPT Corey Combs, MAJ Alex Deets, Seaman William Dowling, 1st LT Frank Furman, Jr., PFC Shane McWilliams, MGSgt Troy Meacham, PVT Kaleel Pernsley, Specialist Jason Sage, CPL Ryan Sage, CPT Jeremy Smith, LCMDR Michael Sracic MC, MSgt Rewa Price and Capt. Greg Wuestner,

May your reign come; Lord, hear our prayer.

For those in our parish family celebrating birthdays this week: Patricia Kirkner, Stuart Deets and Michael Lemodetis; and for those celebrating anniversaries this week: Robin and Bill McWilliams. May your reign come; *Lord, hear our prayer*.

We pray for this community of faith, that we may learn to respond to the signs of the times with wisdom and grace. May your reign come; *Lord*, *hear our prayer*.

Let us be mindful of the dead, especially Carolyn Gordy Swett, for whom the altar flowers are given; and for Barbara Thompson, for whom the side altar flowers are given. That they may come into the fullness of life, united with God in the communion of the faithful. May your reign come; *Lord, hear our prayer*.

Silence

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

Loving God, you know our hopes and fears even before we speak them; hear the prayers of your people. Help us in our struggle to stay alert that we may be ready for the hour of your coming. We ask this through Jesus, your Son. Amen.

CONFESSION OF SIN

The Deacon or Celebrant says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept.

Minister and People

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

The Priest stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen*.

THE PEACE

All stand.

Celebrant

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People

And also with you.

Then the Ministers and the People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

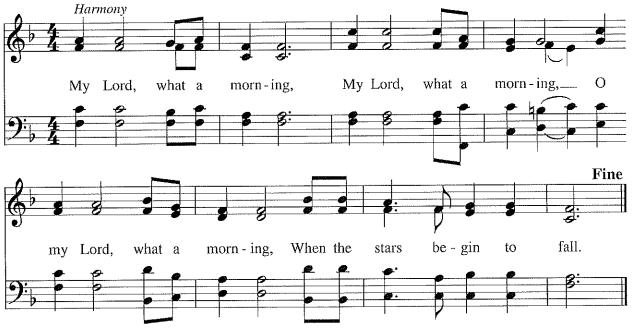
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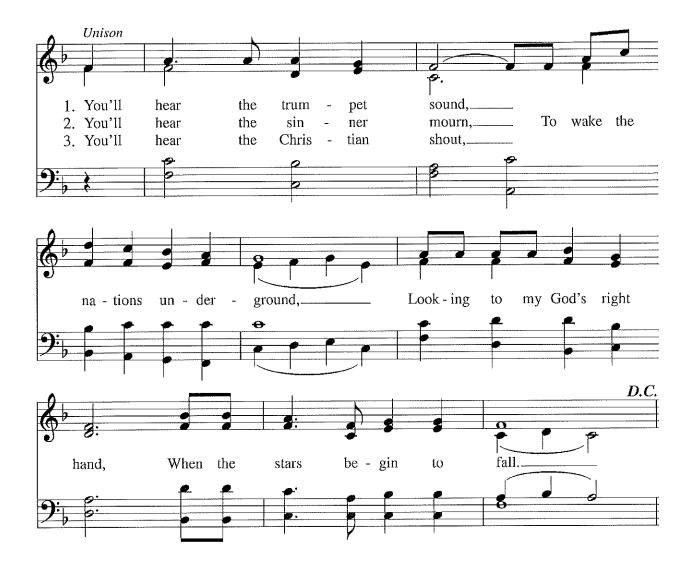
OFFERTORY SENTENCE

The Celebrant says

Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God. Ephesians 5:2

OFFERTORY HYMN My Lord, What a Morning (LEVAS 13)





The Great Thanksgiving

The People remain standing.

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

PeopleAnd also with you.CelebrantLift 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 our thanks and praise.

Celebrant It is truly right, and good and joyful, to give you thanks, all-holy God, source of life

and fountain of mercy.

You have filled us and all creation with your blessing and fed us with your constant love; you have redeemed us in Jesus Christ and knit us into one body. Through your Spirit you replenish us and call us to fullness of life.

Therefore, joining with Angels and Archangels and with the faithful of every generation, we lift our voices with all creation as we sing (say):

SERVICE MUSIC 1982 HYMNAL #S125

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might.
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

The Celebrant continues

Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love. You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards and show forth your bountiful grace.

But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love. Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people.

Through Abraham and Sarah you called us into covenant with you. You delivered us from slavery, sustained us in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation. Then, in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

On the night before he died for us, Our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, and said:

"Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

As supper was ending, Jesus 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 poured out for you and for all 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.

The Celebrant continues

Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ's Body in the world. Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your daughters and sons, that with Cyril, our Patron Saint, and all your saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever.

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 LEVAS #264

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now sing.

People and Celebrant

Our Father, which 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

FRACTION ANTHEM

Alleluia! Be known to us Lord Jesus in the breaking of the bread.

Be known to us Lord Jesus in the breaking of the bread. Alleluia!

INVITATION

The Celebrant says

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

COMMUNION HYMN Jesus, We Want to Meet (LEVAS 81)





POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

After Communion, the Celebrant says

Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

BLESSING

CLOSING HYMN God of our fathers, whose almighty hand (National Hymn) (H 718) In honor of Veterans Day



DISMISSAL

People

Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit. Alleluia! Alleluia! Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!

POSTLUDE

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TODAY Brief Veterans Recognition Service at the Flagpole Shortly after Worship Service

The flowers are placed on the altar to the Glory of God and in loving memory of

Carolyn Gordy Swett

by Tom Swett

The flowers are placed on the side altar to the Glory of God and in loving memory of

Barbara Thompson

by Michael Thompson

Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord; and let light perpetual shine upon them. May their souls, and the souls of all the departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace

Announcements:

- * Healing Service on **Thursday, November 18**th at Noon via Zoom. Commemorating Hilda, Abbess of Whitby, 680.
- *Funeral Service for Judy Vennell on Sunday, November 28th at 11:30 a.m.
- *Coatesville Christmas Parade, Saturday, December 4th
- *Family/Contempory Worship Service at 11:15 a.m., Sunday, December 5th
- *Caroling through downtown Coatesville, Sunday, December 5th at 2 p.m. Meet in front of the steps at Trinity at 1:45 p.m.
- *Breakfast with Santa, Saturday, December 11th
- *Christmas Eve Service, Friday, December 24th at 7 p.m.

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