

THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JULY 3, 2022

TRINITY EPISCOPAL PARISH

8:00 AM



THE SEASON IS - the Season after Pentecost-sometimes called Ordinary Time. This season begins after the feast of Pentecost and runs through to the first Sunday of Advent. The focus of the season is the daily Christian life - life lived in the light of the resurrection, in the faith that nothing can separate us from the love of God in Christ. The liturgical color of the season is green.

STEWARDSHIP- *"the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control.* Quite a list for those who wish to be his disciples, stewards, and friends. Do you agree that we all have no shortage of things on which to work?

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OUR PRAYER LIST

Prayer requests for the bulletin should be sent to the parish office by Wednesday to appear in the Sunday bulletin. The clergy and members of our church are happy to pray with you on the phone if you would like.

SERVICE PARTICIPANTS

The Reverend Patricia Downing-Rector
The Reverend Charles Lane Cowen-Associate Rector
David Simmons-Director of Music
Jerry Lucas-Reader/Intercessor/Server
Team 2: Toni Spille, Sarah Berninger, Rachel Berninger-Altar Guild

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The flowers today are given in memory of of Gordon W. and Elise Green Hindy.
Altarflowers arranged by Catherine Dean.

If you would like to give online to Trinity Parish, please scan the QR code on the right.



HOLY EUCHARIST

Prelude

Entrance Hymn 522

Glorious Things Of Thee Are Spoken

The musical score is written in a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat) and a common time signature (C). It consists of four systems of music, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The lyrics are printed below the vocal line. The first system includes four numbered verses. The second system contains two lines of lyrics. The third system contains three lines of lyrics. The fourth system contains three lines of lyrics. The piano accompaniment features a steady bass line and chords that support the vocal melody.

1 Glo - rious things of thee are spo - ken, Zi - on, ci - ty
2 See! the streams of liv - ing wa - ters, spring - ing from e -
3 Round each ha - bi - ta - tion hov - ering, see the cloud and
4 Blest in - hab - it - ants of Zi - on, washed in the Re -

of our God; he whose word can - not be
ter - nal love, well sup - ply thy sons and
fire ap - pear for a glo - ry and a
deem - er's blood! Je - sus, whom their souls re -

bro - ken formed thee for his own a - bode;
daugh - ters and all fear of want re - move.
cov - ering, show - ing that the Lord is near.
ly on, makes them kings and priests to God.

on the Rock of A - ges found - ed, what can shake thy
Who can faint, when such a riv - er ev - er will their
Thus de - riv - ing from their ban - ner, light by night, and
'Tis his love his peo - ple rais - es o - ver self to

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sure re - pose? With sal - va - tion's walls sur -
 thirst as - suage? Grace which, like the Lord, the
 shade by day, safe they feed up - on the
 reign as kin_g_s: and as priests, his sol - emn

round - ed, thou may'st smile at all thy foes.
 giv - er nev - er fails from age to age.
 man - na which he gives them when they pray.
 prais - es each for a thank - of - fering brings.

The Word of God

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People *And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.*

The Collect for Purity *Celebrant and People*

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.

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The Collect of the Day

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

Almighty God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone: Grant us so to be joined together in unity of spirit by their teaching, that we may be made a holy temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and *ever. Amen.*

Lord God Almighty, you have made all the peoples of the earth for your glory, to serve you in freedom and in peace: Give to the people of our country a zeal for justice and the strength of forbearance, that we may use our liberty in accordance with your gracious will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and *ever. Amen.*

The Lesson

2 Kings 5:1-14

Naaman, commander of the army of the king of Aram, was a great man and in high favor with his master, because by him the Lord had given victory to Aram. The man, though a mighty warrior, suffered from leprosy. Now the Arameans on one of their raids had taken a young girl captive from the land of Israel, and she served Naaman's wife. She said to her mistress, "If only my lord were with the prophet who is in Samaria! He would cure him of his leprosy." So Naaman went in and told his lord just what the girl from the land of Israel had said. And the king of Aram said, "Go then, and I will send along a letter to the king of Israel." He went, taking with him ten talents of silver, six thousand shekels of gold, and ten sets of garments. He brought the letter to the king of Israel, which read, "When this letter reaches you, know that I have sent to you my servant Naaman, that you may cure him of his leprosy." When the king of Israel read the letter, he tore his clothes and said, "Am I God, to give death or life, that this man sends word to me to cure a man of his leprosy? Just look and see how he is trying to pick a quarrel with me." But when Elisha the man of God heard that the king of Israel had torn his clothes, he sent a message to the king, "Why have you torn your clothes? Let him come to me, that he may learn that there is a prophet in Israel." So Naaman came with his horses and chariots, and halted at the entrance of Elisha's house. Elisha sent a messenger to him, saying, "Go, wash in the Jordan seven times, and your flesh shall be restored and you shall be clean." But Naaman became angry and went away, saying, "I thought that for me he would surely come out, and stand and call on the name of the Lord his God, and would wave his hand over the spot, and cure the leprosy! Are not Abana and Pharpar, the rivers of Damascus, better than all the waters of Israel? Could I not wash in them, and be clean?" He turned and went away in a rage. But his servants approached and said to him, "Father, if the prophet had commanded you to do something difficult, would you not have done it? How much more, when all he said to you was, 'Wash, and be clean?'" So he went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, according to the word of the man of God; his flesh was restored like the flesh of a young boy, and he was clean.

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church. *Thanks be to God.*

Psalm 30

*I will exalt you, O Lord, because you have lifted me up *
and have not let my enemies triumph over me.*

*O Lord my God, I cried out to you, *
and you restored me to health.*

*You brought me up, O Lord, from the dead; *
you restored my life as I was going down to the grave.*

*Sing to the Lord, you servants of his; *
give thanks for the remembrance of his holiness.*

*For his wrath endures but the twinkling of an eye, *
his favor for a lifetime.*

*Weeping may spend the night, *
but joy comes in the morning.*

*While I felt secure, I said, "I shall never be disturbed. *
You, Lord, with your favor, made me as strong as the mountains. "*

*Then you hid your face, *
and I was filled with fear.*

*I cried to you, O Lord; *
I pleaded with the Lord, saying,*

*"What profit is there in my blood, if I go down to the Pit? *
will the dust praise you or declare your faithfulness?"*

*Hear, O Lord, and have mercy upon me; *
O Lord, be my helper. "*

*You have turned my wailing into dancing; *
you have put off my sack-cloth and clothed me with joy.*

*Therefore my heart sings to you without ceasing; *
O Lord my God, I will give you thanks for ever.*

The Epistle

Galatians 6: 1-16

My friends, if anyone is detected in a transgression, you who have received the Spirit should restore such a one in a spirit of gentleness. Take care that you yourselves are not tempted. Bear one another's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ. For if those who are nothing think they are something, they deceive themselves. All must test their own work; then that work, rather than their neighbor's work, will become a cause for pride. For all must carry

their own loads. Those who are taught the word must share in all good things with their teacher. Do not be deceived; God is not mocked, for you reap whatever you sow. If you sow to your own flesh, you will reap corruption from the flesh; but if you sow to the Spirit, you will reap eternal life from the Spirit. So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest-time, if we do not give up. So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all, and especially for those of the family of faith. See what large letters I make when I am writing in my own hand! It is those who want to make a good showing in the flesh that try to compel you to be circumcised-- only that they may not be persecuted for the cross of Christ. Even the circumcised do not themselves obey the law, but they want you to be circumcised so that they may boast about your flesh. May I never boast of anything except the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. For neither circumcision nor uncircumcision is anything; but a new creation is everything! As for those who will follow this rule-- peace be upon them, and mercy, and upon the Israel of God.

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The Gospel *People stand as they are able.*

Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

The Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. He said to them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. Whatever house you enter, first say, 'Peace to this house!' And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the laborer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; cure the sick who are there, and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, 'Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near.' "Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me." The seventy returned with joy, saying, "Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!" He said to them, "I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."

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

The Sermon

The Reverend Patricia Downing

The Nicene Creed

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

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church; in the Anglican cycle of prayer, we pray for the Anglican Church of Tanzania, and in our own diocese for St. Paul's Church, Georgetown.
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, priests, and deacons. We pray for Michael our Presiding Bishop, Kevin our Bishop, and Patty and Charles our priests;
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 Sherri, Patricia, Tom, Alyse, David, Katie, Betty, Jay, Sarah, Jake, Yadira, Robert, the people of Ukraine, and all those suffering from the coronavirus;
That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest, especially Al Kohart;
Let light perpetual shine upon them.

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;
May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

We give thanks for all those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries, especially Cee, Michael, Kalisha, John, Camila, Esmeralda, Emilia, Grafton & Deenie, and Jim & Kim.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

Celebrant

Lord Jesus Christ, you said to your apostles, "Peace I give to you; my own peace I leave with you:" Regard not our sins, but the faith of your Church, and give to us the peace and unity of that heavenly City, where with the Father and the Holy Spirit, you live and reign, now and for ***ever. Amen.***

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

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

The peace of Christ be always with you. ***And also with you.***

The Holy Communion

All are invited to join us in receiving Communion.

All things come of thee, O Lord, ***and of thine own have we given thee.***

Offertory

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

Lift up your hearts.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

And also with you.

We lift them to the Lord.

It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

For you are the source of light and life; you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

***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 people stand or kneel. Then 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.***

The Celebrant continues

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.**

Celebrant And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say:

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.

Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us; ***Therefore let us keep the feast Alleluia!***
The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Post Communion Prayer

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/or 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.

The Blessing

Live without fear: your Creator has made you holy, has always protected you, and loves you as a mother. Go in peace to follow the good road and may God's blessing be with you always.
Amen.

Recessional Hymn See page 12

This Is My Song, O God Of All The Nations

The Dismissal

Let us go forth in the name of Christ.
Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Recessional Hymn

This Is My Song, O God Of All The Nations

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Verses 1 and 2: Lloyd Stone, 1912-1993

Jean Sibelius, 1865-1957

Verse 3: Susan Briehl

Arr. by Marty Haugen



1. This is my song, O God of all the na - tions,
 2 My coun-try's skies are blu-er than the o - cean,
 3. Teach us to sing, O God of all ere - a - tion,



a song of peace for lands a - far and mine.
 and sun-light beams on clo - ver - leaf and Pine;
 a song of hope for o - cean, sky, and pine.



This is my home, the coun - try where my heart is;
 but oth - er lands have sun - light, too, and clo - ver,
 Teach us to walk the way that ends di - vi - sion,



here are my hopes, my dreams, my ho - ly shrine.
 and skies are ev - 'ry - where as blue as mine.
 till ev - 'ry land and na - tion love en - twines.



But oth - er hearts in oth - er lands are beat - ing
 So hear my song, O God of all the na - tions,
 Then will all peo - pies see your glo - rious vi - sion:



with hopes and dreams as true and high as mine.
 a song of peace for their land and for mine.
 the world at peace, be - lov - ed and di - vine.

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Announcements

Children's Peace Rally Against Gun Violence will be held on Monday, July 11th at 5pm in Rodney Square. Parents, grandparents, and community leaders who care are encouraged to join in solidarity to rally against violence, look to ways of preventing violence, and pray for peace in our city.

Come join us for an evening of baseball on Friday July 22nd at the Wilmington Blue Rocks. The game starts at 6:30 pm. Stick around after the game for a post-game fireworks extravaganza, presented by Orbit Energy and Power! We have a box on hold for Trinity so that we can all sit together. Please reach out to Andrew Vavala to reserve tickets, or if you have any questions. You can reach Andrew at (302) 438-4741 (*Please feel free to leave a voicemail*) or email andrew.vavala@gmail.com.

Hershey Park with Trinity-Join us on Saturday, August 6 as we take a parish trip to Hershey Park. Those confirmed in 2021 and 2022 may go for free, and anyone can join us for the group rate of \$45/person. Scholarships are available. Our plan is to rent a bus to go together, have a picnic at the park before entering, and be back in Wilmington around 7: 15 pm. Please sign up at church or email office@trinityparishde.org with the names of youth and adults attending by July 17th.

At-home Summer Church Packets are available on our website or in the church. We know that many families travel during the summer months, so we've put together packets for families to engage with the gospel lessons for each Sunday. In 10 - 15 minutes your family can pray together, read a kid-friendly version of the gospel, and engage in a simple but fun activity. We hope this makes living into our Baptismal Covenant to continue in the apostles' teaching and in the prayers easy and fun, even while at the beach! Visit trinityoldswedes.church to download the file or contact the church office.

Memorial flowers at Old Swedes: You are invited to consider donating flowers for use on the altar at Old Swedes. Open dates are July 17, September 25, and November 20. The donor is asked to contribute \$60 and to list the names of those being honored or the occasion being celebrated on the check or in the same envelope. If you have questions, please call Ashlin Bray at 302-658-5821. Thank you.

From Our Director of Music- Beginning this summer, David Simmons, Trinity's Director of Music, is establishing his piano and organ studio here in Wilmington. If you and or anyone you know would be interested in taking organ or piano lessons, please contact David at david@trinityparishde.org

Meals for Clark House and Epiphany House: Trinity provides dinner on the 1st Monday of each month for the men at Clark House and on the 3rd Wednesday of each month for the women at Epiphany House. Time to sign up for the Fall meals at Clark and Epiphany Houses! Please contact Sarah Berninger at berninger59@comcast.net or 302-351-2422.

Upcoming Events at Trinity and Old Swedes

Ongoing

Bible Study at Noon on Mondays via Zoom

Knitters - every 2nd & 4th Monday at 9:30 am at Trinity

Upcoming

July 4 - Independence Day-Parish Office Closed

July 12 - Vestry Meeting -Trinity Church at 7 pm

July 17 - Worship Service at Old Swedes Church at 9:30 am

July 22-Trinity heads to the Blue Rocks

August 6 - Hershey Park Outing

August 9 - Vestry Meeting-Trinity Church at 7 pm

August 21 - Worship Service at Old Swedes Church at 9:30 am

September 5 - Labor Day-Parish Office Closed

September 11 - Hispanic Heritage Festival Parade

September 13 - Vestry Meeting -Trinity Church at 7 pm

September 18 - Annual Meeting and Picnic

October 9 - The Arts at Trinity Concert



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