



Twenty Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

(Proper 28, Year A)

November 19, 2023

8:30a.m. Contemplative Eucharist

10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist, with music

Trinity Memorial Church

*An Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York
and a Jubilee Ministry Center*

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All are welcome!

Trinity Memorial Church is **handicapped accessible**, please enter through the glass doors on Oak Street, a **lift** to the sanctuary level is available in the far corner of the gym.

Accessible restrooms with a **changing station** are located in the Hoyt Room through the large double doors on the right of the sanctuary.

Hearing assistive devices & large print bulletins are available. Please speak with an usher.

Parents are welcome to use the Children's Corner in the Hoyt Room. There are also soft toys and activities that children can use in the pew or in the Children's chapel.

Visitors! Please sign our guest book at the entrance to the church.

Our Mission: *To serve Christ passionately through self, family, parish and community.*

Our Identity: *A diverse people responding to God through worship and music, friendship and formation, generosity and service.*

The Gathering

Prelude *2 Settings of Now Thank We All God* P. Manz, M Drischner

Welcome and Announcements

*Please note that the text in **bold italics** is said by the whole congregation and the hymns are found in the blue Hymnal 1982 in the pews.*

Stewardship Minute

Hymn 290 **Come, ye thankful people, come** *St. Georges, Windsor*

Opening Acclamation and Collect for Purity

Priest Blessed be God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit

People ***And blessed be God's kingdom now and forever. AMEN***

Priest Let us pray.

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 to God S-280

Robert Powell

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.***

Collect of the Day

Priest The Lord be with you.

People ***And also with you.***

Priest 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

The First Lesson: I Chronicles 16:23-34

Sing to the LORD, all the earth. Tell of his salvation from day to day. Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all the peoples.

For great is the LORD and greatly to be praised; he is to be revered above all gods.

For all the gods of the peoples are idols, but the LORD made the heavens.

Honor and majesty are before him; strength and joy are in his place.

Ascribe to the LORD, O families of the peoples, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength. Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering and come before him. Worship the LORD in holy splendor; tremble before him, all the earth.

The world is firmly established; it shall never be moved. Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice, and let them say among the nations, "The LORD is king!"

Let the sea roar and all that fills it; let the field exult and everything in it. Then shall the trees of the forest sing for joy before the LORD, for he comes to judge the earth. O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever.

Lector The Word of the Lord. *People* ***Thanks be to God.***

Psalm 90:1-8, 12 (read responsively)

1 Lord, you have been our refuge *
from one generation to another.

***2 Before the mountains were brought forth,
or the land and the earth were born, *
from age to age you are God.***

3 You turn us back to the dust and say, *
"Go back, O child of earth."

***4 For a thousand years in your sight are like yesterday when it is past *
and like a watch in the night.***

5 You sweep us away like a dream; *
we fade away suddenly like the grass.

***6 In the morning it is green and flourishes; *
in the evening it is dried up and withered.***

7 For we consume away in your displeasure; *
we are afraid because of your wrathful indignation.

***8 Our iniquities you have set before you, *
and our secret sins in the light of your countenance.***

12 So teach us to number our days *
that we may apply our hearts to wisdom.

The Epistle: 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11

Now concerning the times and the seasons, brothers and sisters, you do not need to have anything written to you. For you yourselves know very well that the day of the Lord will come like a thief in the night. When they say, "There is peace and security," then sudden destruction will come upon them, as labor pains come upon a pregnant woman, and there will be no escape! But you, beloved, are not in darkness, for that day to surprise you like a thief; for you are all children of light and children of the day; we are not of the night or of darkness. So then let us not fall asleep as others do, but let us keep awake and be sober; for those who sleep sleep at night, and

those who are drunk get drunk at night. But since we belong to the day, let us be sober, and put on the breastplate of faith and love, and for a helmet the hope of salvation. For God has destined us not for wrath but for obtaining salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ, who died for us, so that whether we are awake or asleep we may live with him. Therefore encourage one another and build up each other, as indeed you are doing.

Lector The Word of the Lord. *People* ***Thanks be to God.***

Hymn 433 **We Gather Together** *Kremser*

Priest The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew
People ***Glory to you Lord Christ.***

The Gospel: Matthew 25:14-30

Jesus said, “It is as if a man, going on a journey, summoned his slaves and entrusted his property to them; to one he gave five talents, to another two, to another one, to each according to his ability. Then he went away. The one who had received the five talents went off at once and traded with them and made five more talents. In the same way, the one who had the two talents made two more talents. But the one who had received the one talent went off and dug a hole in the ground and hid his master’s money. After a long time, the master of those slaves came and settled accounts with them. Then the one who had received the five talents came forward, bringing five more talents, saying, ‘Master, you handed over to me five talents; see, I have made five more talents.’ His master said to him, ‘Well done, good and trustworthy slave; you have been trustworthy in a few things, I will put you in charge of many things; enter into the joy of your master.’ And the one with the two talents also came forward, saying, ‘Master, you handed over to me two talents; see, I have made two more talents.’ His master said to him, ‘Well done, good and trustworthy slave; you have been trustworthy in a few things, I will put you in charge of many things; enter into the joy of your master.’ Then the one who had received the one talent also came forward, saying, ‘Master, I knew that you were a

harsh man, reaping where you did not sow, and gathering where you did not scatter seed; so, I was afraid, and I went and hid your talent in the ground. Here you have what is yours.’ But his master replied, ‘You wicked and lazy slave! You knew, did you, that I reap where I did not sow, and gather where I did not scatter? Then you ought to have invested my money with the bankers, and on my return, I would have received what was my own with interest. So, take the talent from him, and give it to the one with the ten talents. For all those who have, more will be given, and they will have an abundance; but from those who have nothing, even what they have will be taken away. As for this worthless slave, throw him into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.’”

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

Sermon

The Rev. Glenn Mahaffey

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.*

Prayers of the People

Form VI, BCP p. 392

The Leader and People pray responsively

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

Silence

For all people in their daily life and work;

For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

For peace in our world, especially in places where the innocent are displaced and in danger because of wars, for St. John's Episcopal Church in Marcellus, St. Matthew's in Moravia, for the Diocese of Newark and the Church of Burma, lead us to your place of peace this community, the nation, and the world;

For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

For the just and proper use of your creation;

For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

For Michael our Presiding Bishop, and for Dede our Bishop and

For Glenn our Priest, for all bishops and ministers;

For all who serve God in his Church.

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation, especially those who have asked for our prayers: Kristen, Drieux, Masha, Carol Betcher, Chucky Corse, Bruce and Nan Borton, Diane Lange, Karl, Oliver Zubalsky-Peer,

Catherine Corse, Pam Keeler, Gail, Rev. Paul and Marjorie Metzger, Kathryn Bailey, Ginny Hough, Jason Munn, Jeffrey Weyant, Carolyn Albaugh, Judy P, Joe Sharkey, Sandra Michael, Tom and Roselle and Jan Bigelow.

The People may add their own petitions

Hear us, Lord;

For your mercy is great.

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life, for those celebrating Birthdays this week: Phil Evans and Carolyn Albaugh.

Silence

The People may add their own thanksgivings

We will exalt you, O God our King;

And praise your Name for ever and ever.

We pray for all who have died, especially Joe Sharkey who died recently, we pray that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom. The flowers on the altar today have been given by Barbara Bowell in memory of Jim and in honor of his 80th birthday.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

Who put their trust in you.

We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

Silence may be kept.

Leader and People

Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;

in your compassion forgive us our sins,

known and unknown,

things done and left undone;

and so uphold us by your Spirit

that we may live and serve you in newness of life,

to the honor and glory of your Name;

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Priest concludes with an absolution or a suitable Collect.

The Peace

Priest The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People ***And also with you.***

All greet one another in the name of the Lord.

The Holy Communion

The Offertory Sentence

Offertory Anthem

Cantate Domino

Giuseppe Pitoni

Conducted by *Stephen Crowle*

Cantate Domino canticum novum,
laus ejus in ecclesia sanctorum.
Lætetur Israel in eo qui fecit eum,
et filii Sion exultent in rege suo.

Psalm 149:1-2

*Sing to the Lord a new song.
His praise in the assembly of the saints.
Let Israel rejoice in He who made them,
and the people of Zion rejoice in their King.*

Presentation Hymn 544, st. 5 Duke Street

*Let every creature rise and bring Peculiar honors to our King;
angels descend with songs again, and earth repeat the loud Amen.*

The Great Thanksgiving (Eucharistic Prayer B) (P. 367 in Prayer Book)

Priest The Lord be with you.
People ***And also with you.***
Priest Lift up your hearts.
People ***We lift them to the Lord.***

Priest Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People ***It is right to give God thanks and praise.***

Priest

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 by water and the Holy Spirit, you have made us a new people in Jesus Christ our Lord, to show forth your glory in all the world.

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:

Sanctus S-124

David Hurd

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might, hea - ven 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.

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the priest continues

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days, you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world.

In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, 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, according to his command, O Father,

Priest and People

We remember his death,

We proclaim his resurrection,

We await his coming in glory;

The Priest continues

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine. We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation. 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.**

The Lord's Prayer

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.*

Fraction Anthem (8:30am)

Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

Therefore let us keep the feast, Alleuia!

Fraction Anthem (10am)

The disciples knew the Lord Jesus

Michael McCarthy (b. 1966)

The dis - ci - ples knew the Lord Je - sus in the break - ing of the bread.

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Ministration of Communion

Priest The Gifts of God for the People of God.

All are welcome to receive Communion.

Please feel free to receive either the bread or the wine, as you so choose. If you wish to dip your bread, please use the small chalices offered, or feel free to drink from the larger chalice.

Communion Hymn 325 Let Us Break Bread Together

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Priest Let us pray.

*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.*

The Blessing

Hymn 291 **We plow the fields, and scatter** *Wir pflugen*

The Dismissal

Priest Go in peace to love and serve the Lord
People ***Thanks be to God.***

Postlude *Now Thank We All Our God* S. Karg-Elert

PRAYER LIST

Pray for our church: For Justin, archbishop of Canterbury, for Michael, presiding bishop, DeDe, our bishop, Glenn, our priest. Pray for our Vestry.

For Parishes in our Diocese: We pray for St. John's Episcopal Church in Marcellus and St. Matthew's in Moravia.

For our Companion Diocese of El Salvador

The Episcopal Church: The Diocese of Newark.

In the Anglican Communion: The Anglican Church of Burma.

Pray for those with special needs: Kristen, Drieux, Masha, Carol Betcher, Chucky Corse, Bruce and Nan Borton, Diane Lange, Karl, Oliver Zubalsky-Peer, Catherine Corse, Pam Keeler, Gail, Rev. Paul and Marjorie Metzger, Kathryn Bailey, Ginny Hough, Jason Munn, Jeffrey Weyant, Carolyn Albaugh, Judy P, Joe Sharkey, Sandra Michael, Tom and Roselle and Jan Bigelow.

Pray for those with continuing needs: Nancy Campbell, Michelle, Nelson Pereira, Shawn Kaiser, Jessica, Jon Walz Koeppel, Missy Greene, Karen Gazda, Milton and Heavenly.

Pray for those celebrating birthdays: Phil Evans and Carolyn Albaugh.

Pray for members, loved ones, and their families in the military: Kurt Albaugh, Laura & Nick Carter, Darlene Croston, Colin Davis, Wendy Finley, David Komar, Joshua Loch, Marshall Cohen, Ben Sherwood Evans, Seth Thomas, Aaron Brady and Evan Hesco.

Pray for those who have died: Jim Bowell in honor of his 80th birthday for whom altar flowers have been given and for Joe Sharkey who passed recently.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Calendar

- Sunday, November 19 Noon: Canteen Lunch- Dining Room
- Monday, November 20 10:00am Barb Kaufman Group- Music Room
- Thursday, November 23 HAPPY THANKSGIVING
- OFFICES CLOSED Thursday and Friday in observation of Thanksgiving
- Saturday, November 25 10:00am Starting from the Bottom N/A
- Sunday, November 26 8:30 am Contemplative Eucharist
- Sunday, November 26 10am Holy Eucharist with music



Worship Ministries

<i>November, 19 2023</i>	<i>10:00 a.m.</i>
<i>Altar Guild</i>	Barbara Bowell, Cynthia Evans
<i>Acolyte</i>	Daniel Aribisala
<i>Worship Leader</i>	Bill Palmer
<i>Eucharistic Ministers</i>	Phyllis Amenda, Daniel Aribisala, Ken Lattimore, Bill Palmer, Debbie Parmelee
<i>Lector</i>	Kathy Corse
<i>Ushers</i>	Rox-Anne and John Lynn
<i>Digital Minister</i>	Carl Betcher
<i>Coffee Hour</i>	Masha Britten

Last Week's Outreach

Port Dickinson/St. Pat's served 34 sit down meals and 33 grab and go lunches.

Canteen Schedule

<i>Date</i>	<i>Cooking</i>	<i>Site Manager</i>	<i>Host</i>
<i>November, 19 2023</i>	SUNY Binghamton	C. Hanes	S. Hanes

Trinity Forums

November 19. Les Aylesworth, Director of Chow, will speak on "Food Insecurity in Broome County and how CHOW is helping to Cover the Need."

Advent Series: Please join us on December 3rd. Fr. Glenn will lead a forum on being an Episcopalian in 2023. December 10th Being an Anglican in 2023 and concluding on December 17th Being a Christian in 2023. What does it all mean...



Celebrate Dio CNY: On December 2 at Grace Church in Utica, our whole diocese is invited to gather to celebrate the ways God is working among us. The day begins with a social time at 8 a.m. followed by a welcome from Bishop DeDe and Presiding Bishop Curry who will be present on-site at 9 a.m. The celebration concludes with a festive Eucharist that will begin at 3:30 p.m. and the time in between will be marked by different learning opportunities and a generous amount of time for connecting and re-connecting with our friends and family from across the Diocese in this, our first major on-site gathering since COVID. For people who cannot attend on-site, online participation options are available. Space is limited, so register soon! Registration and full schedule details are available online at cnyepiscopal.org/celebrate.