



The Fourth Sunday in Lent March 27, 2022

8:30 a.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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The Rev. Glenn Mahaffey, *Priest*
Timothy E. Smith, *Organist & Choirmaster*

All are welcome!

Trinity Memorial Church is **handicapped accessible**.

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.

Visitors are invited to sign our guest book at the entrance to the church.

Please join us in the Hoyt Room for **coffee hour** after worship.

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 Sehr Langsam, from *Sonata III*

Paul Hindemith

Hymn 411 O Bless the Lord, O My Soul
(Hymns are found in the blue Hymnal 1982)

St. Thomas

A Penitential Order

Priest Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

People ***God's mercy endures forever.***

Priest If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. 1 John 1:8, 9

Priest Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

God of all mercy, we confess that we have sinned against you, opposing your will in our lives. We have denied your goodness in each other, in ourselves, and in the world you have created. We repent of the selfishness that enslaves us, the self-centered acts we have done, and those done on our behalf. Forgive, restore, and strengthen us through our Savior Jesus Christ, that we may abide in your love and serve only your will. Amen.

The Absolution

Priest

The almighty and merciful Lord 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***

Cantor or Choir



Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son. _____

All



Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son. _____

Cantor or Choir



Chri - ste e - le - i - son. _____

All



Chri - ste e - le - i - son. _____

Cantor or Choir *All*



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The Collect of the Day

Priest The Lord be with you.

People

And also with you.

Priest Let us pray.

Gracious Father, whose blessed Son Jesus Christ came down from heaven to be the true bread which gives life to the world: Evermore give us this bread, that he may live in us, and we in him; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. ***Amen.***

The Lessons

The First Reading: Joshua 5:9-12

The Lord said to Joshua, "Today I have rolled away from you the disgrace of Egypt." And so that place is called Gilgal to this day.

While the Israelites were camped in Gilgal they kept the passover in the evening on the fourteenth day of the month in the plains of Jericho. On the day after the passover, on that very day, they ate the produce of the land, unleavened cakes and parched grain. The manna ceased on the day they ate the produce of the land, and the Israelites no longer had manna; they ate the crops of the land of Canaan that year.

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

Psalm 32

Refrains after 4, 8, 12

Thom Robertson



Happy are those whose trans-gres-sions are for giv-en and whose sin is put a - way!

1 Happy are they whose transgressions are forgiven, *
and whose sin is put away!

2 Happy are they to whom the Lord imputes no guilt, *
and in whose spirit there is no guile!

3 While I held my tongue, my bones withered away, *
because of my groaning all day long.

4 For your hand was heavy upon me day and night; *
my moisture was dried up as in the heat of summer. REFRAIN

5 Then I acknowledged my sin to you, *
and did not conceal my guilt.

6 I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord." *

Then you forgave me the guilt of my sin.

7 Therefore all the faithful will make their prayers to you in time of trouble; *when the great waters overflow, they shall not reach them.

8 You are my hiding-place;

you preserve me from trouble; *

you surround me with shouts of deliverance. REFRAIN

9 "I will instruct you and teach you in the way that you should go; *

I will guide you with my eye.

10 Do not be like horse or mule, which have no understanding; *

who must be fitted with bit and bridle,

or else they will not stay near you."

11 Great are the tribulations of the wicked; *

but mercy embraces those who trust in the Lord.

12 Be glad, you righteous, and rejoice in the Lord; *

shout for joy, all who are true of heart. REFRAIN

The Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:16-21

From now on, we regard no one from a human point of view; even though we once knew Christ from a human point of view, we know him no longer in that way. If anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new! All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ, and has given us the ministry of reconciliation; that is, in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting the message of reconciliation to us. So we are ambassadors for Christ, since God is making his appeal through us; we entreat you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

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

Hymn 141 ***Wilt thou forgive that sin, where I begun*** *So giebst du nun*

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

People ***Glory to you, Lord Christ.***

The Holy Gospel: Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32

All the tax collectors and sinners were coming near to listen to Jesus. And the Pharisees and the scribes were grumbling and saying, "This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them." So Jesus told them this parable:

"There was a man who had two sons. The younger of them said to his father, 'Father, give me the share of the property that will belong to me.' So he divided his property between them. A few days later the younger son gathered all he had and traveled to a distant country, and there he squandered his property in dissolute living. When he had spent everything, a severe famine took place throughout that country, and he began to be in need. So he went and hired himself out to one of the citizens of that country, who sent him to his fields to feed the pigs. He would gladly have filled himself with the pods that the pigs were eating; and no one gave him anything. But when he came to himself he said, 'How many of my father's hired hands have bread enough and to spare, but here I am dying of hunger! I will get up and go to my father, and I will say to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son; treat me like one of your hired hands."' So he set off and went to his father. But while he was still far off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion; he ran and put his arms around him and kissed him. Then the son said to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son.' But the father said to his slaves, 'Quickly, bring out a robe--the best

one--and put it on him; put a ring on his finger and sandals on his feet. And get the fatted calf and kill it, and let us eat and celebrate; for this son of mine was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found!' And they began to celebrate.

"Now his elder son was in the field; and when he came and approached the house, he heard music and dancing. He called one of the slaves and asked what was going on. He replied, 'Your brother has come, and your father has killed the fatted calf, because he has got him back safe and sound.' Then he became angry and refused to go in. His father came out and began to plead with him. But he answered his father, 'Listen! For all these years I have been working like a slave for you, and I have never disobeyed your command; yet you have never given me even a young goat so that I might celebrate with my friends. But when this son of yours came back, who has devoured your property with prostitutes, you killed the fatted calf for him!' Then the father said to him, 'Son, you are always with me, and all that is mine is yours. But we had to celebrate and rejoice, because this brother of yours was dead and has come to life; he was lost and has been found.'"

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.

(You may be seated.)

Orison

Day by Day

Searle Wright

The People stand or kneel

The Prayers of the People

(Adapted from New Zealand BCP)

Father, enliven the Church for its mission

that we may be salt of the earth and light to the world.

We pray for Michael, our Presiding Bishop, for DeDe our Bishop, for Glenn our Priest and for all the lay leaders and members of this congregation. O Lord, breathe fresh life into your people.

Give us power to reveal Christ in word and action.

We pray for the world, especially for the hungry, the poor, the innocents who are

caught in the midst of conflict. Creator of all, lead us and every people into ways of justice and peace.

That we may respect one another in freedom and truth.

Awaken in us a sense of wonder for the earth and all that is in it.

Teach us to care creatively for its resources.

We pray for the community: especially for those who struggle with poverty and hunger. God of truth inspire with your wisdom those whose decisions affect the lives of others, especially our elected officials,
that all may act with integrity and courage.

We give thanks to those who are celebrating birthdays, especially Tim Chaffee, Katie Bowell, Marena Gonz and Nelson Pereira. Are there others? *Please share your prayers silently or aloud.* Give grace to all whose lives are linked with ours,
May we serve Christ in one another and love as he loves us.

We pray for those in need, especially; Diane; Christine; Catherine; Pam; Drieux; Sai Loksupcharoen; Katherine Bigelow; Michael Abbott Copeland; John & Marcy; Rudy; Nancy Campbell; Andrew & Mary; Rebecca Seager; Michael Lawler; Ida Fernandes; Michelle; Jeremy & Kristen; Bernice Georges; Chucky; Tom; Rose; Jeff & Nicole; Connie Alexander; Lorraine; Nick Carter, Charles Levchak, Virginia Chatterton; Mal Cohen; Robert Walkling, Are there others? *Please share your prayers silently or aloud.* God of hope, comfort and restore all who suffer in body, mind or spirit.

May they know the power of your healing love.

Make us willing agents of your compassion.

Strengthen us as we share in making people whole.

We remember those who have died, Sally Shumaker, are there others? *Please share your prayers silently or aloud.* Loving God,

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer C (BCP, p. 369)

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 our thanks and praise.***

Priest God of all power, Ruler of the Universe,
you are worthy of glory and praise.

People ***Glory to you for ever and ever.***

Priest At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of
interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this
fragile earth, our island home.

People ***By your will they were created and have their being.***

Priest From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and
blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the stewards
of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust;
and we turned against one another.

People ***Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.***

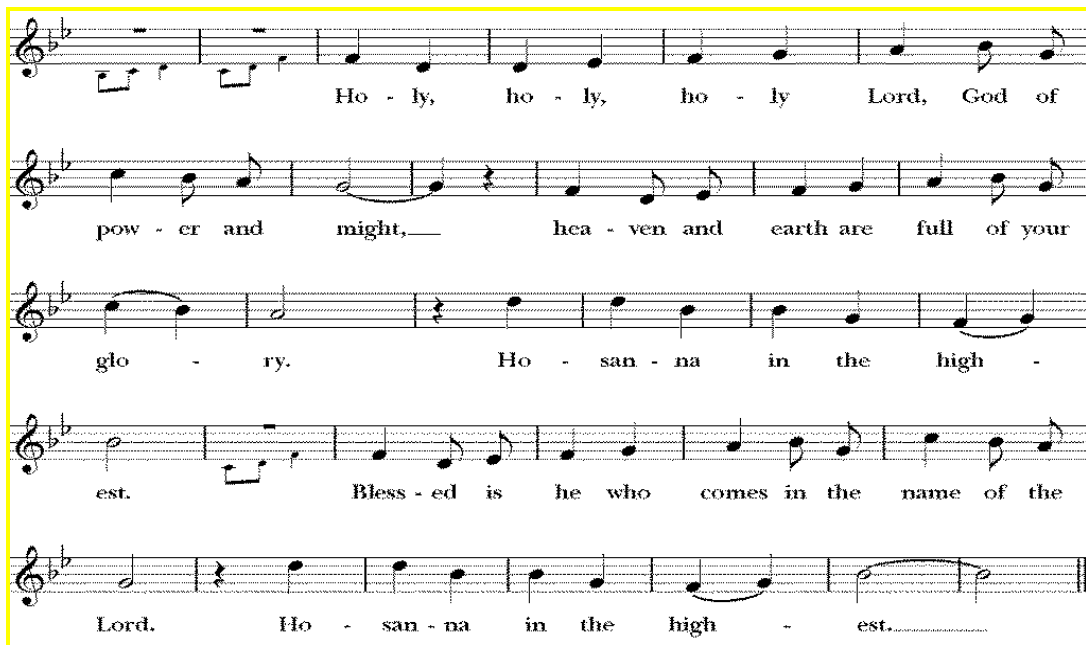
Priest Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and
sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time
you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to
open for us the way of freedom and peace.

People ***By his blood, he reconciled us. By his wounds, we are healed.***

Priest And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus,
with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those
in every generation who have looked to you in hope,
to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

(The People kneel or stand, as able.)

Sanctus and Benedictus: S127



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.

Priest

And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him,
and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these
gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit
to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing,
broke the bread, 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.”

After supper, he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, 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.”

Remembering now his work of redemption,
and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,

Priest and People

We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.

Priest

Lord God of our Ancestors; God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ:
Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us.
Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only,
and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal.
Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ,
that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

Priest and People

Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.

Priest

Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High
Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory,
and worship, from generation to generation. ***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.

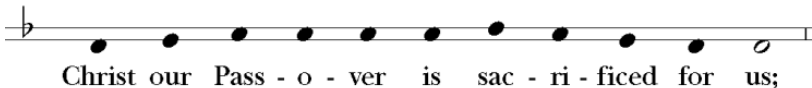
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,

for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

A period of silence is kept.

Christ Our Passover: S153



This setting may be sung full by all, or by the choir, or as a versicle and response.

Ministration of Communion

Priest

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

All are welcome to receive Communion.

Hymn 469 There's A Wideness in God's Mercy

St. Helena

Post Communion Prayer

Priest Let us pray.

Loving God,

we give you thanks

for restoring us in your image

and nourishing us with spiritual food

in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood.

Now send us forth

a people, forgiven, healed, renewed;

that we may proclaim your love to the world

and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

The Blessing

Hymn 686 **Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing**

Nettleton

Dismissal

Priest Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People ***Thanks be to God.***

Postlude **If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee**

J. S. Bach

You are invited to be seated for the postlude

PRAYER LIST

Please keep the following in your daily prayers.

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

Pray for the people of Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Elmira and the people of Grace Episcopal Church, Elmira;

Pray for the people of Misión San Romero de América, their priest, the Rev. Juan Pablo Alvarado, and their seminarian Mario Luna in our companion diocese of El Salvador. Pray for the people of the Diocese of South Dakota in the Episcopal Church; Pray for the people of the Anglican Church of Korea. Pray for our Jubilee Center; the people, wardens, vestry, and staff of this church.

Pray for the world, especially those in the tornado ravaged United States, the innocents who are caught in the midst of conflict, especially in the Ukraine.

Pray for those with special needs: Diane; Christine; Pam; Drieux; Catherine Gazda; Sai Loksupcharoen; Katherine Bigelow; Michael Abbott Copeland; John & Marcy; Rudy; Nancy Campbell; Andrew & Mary; Rebecca Seager; Michael Lawler; Ida Fernandes; Michelle; Jeremy & Kristen; Bernice Georges; Chucky; Tom; Rose; Jeff & Nicole; Connie Alexander; Lorraine; Nick Carter, Charles Levchak, Virginia Chatterton, Mal Cohen, Robert Walkling, Samantha & Mike McMullen, Rayleen Kie, Kristen and Lawrence.

Pray for those with continuing needs: Shawn Kaiser; Jessica; ;Nancy Pille; Sally; Marsha Brown; Danielle Robbins; Jon Walz Koeppel; Heavenly, Roselle Illsley; Nathaniel Green; Masha Britten; Linda Bobletz; Robert .

Pray for those celebrating birthdays this week: Tim Chaffee, Katie Bowell, Marena Gonz and Nelson Pereira.

Pray for all who govern: Joe, our president; Kathy, our governor; Jason, our

county executive, and Jared, our mayor.

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 and Seth Thomas.

Pray for those who have died: Sally Shumaker.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LIVE streaming:

The Fourth Sunday of Lent, March 27, 2022 at 10 a.m.

YouTube: bit.ly/trinitybinghamton

Calendar

- Sunday, March 27, 8:30 am Contemplative Eucharist,
10:00 am Eucharist with Music
- Sunday, March 27 at 11:30 am Forum Presentation on *Forsaken of Man*
- Wednesday, March 30, 10:00 am Virtual Staff Meeting
- Wednesday, March 30, 7 pm Choir and Su Casa
- Thursday, March 31, 7:00 pm Pickleball
- Saturday, April 2, 9:00 am Starting at the bottom

Assistance for Ukraine

The Mission and Ministry Committee of Trinity would like to assist those affected by the violence in Ukraine through donations to Episcopal Renewal and Development. Mission and Ministry is asking the congregation to ***contribute to Episcopal Relief and Development by writing a check to ERD*** and placing it in the alms basin, mailing it to the office, or handing it to our Ukraine spokesperson, Bill Palmer. Whatever donations to ERD are gathered at Trinity by ***Sunday, April 3, will be***

matched by Mission and Ministry funds up to \$2,000. Once we have collected the checks to ERD, we will mail them together to the Diocese as a Parish offering to assist in ministry to the Ukrainians.

Trinity Forum Sundays at 11:30 a.m.

In-person Forums will be in the Common Room and on TrinityZoom.org

At today’s forum Tim Smith and Bruce Borton, will be giving a presentation on *Forsaken of Man* which will be performed on April 3 at Trinity.

Worship Ministries

<i>March 27, 2022</i>	<i>10:00 a.m.</i>
<i>Altar Guild</i>	Gale Bump Fortner, Dawn Roessing, Ginny Nolan
<i>Acolyte</i>	Ken Lattimore
<i>Worship Leader</i>	Phyllis Amenda
<i>Eucharistic Ministers</i>	Phyllis Amenda, John Chaffee
<i>Lector</i>	Peter Koeppel
<i>Ushers</i>	Bruce Parmelee, Louise Akel
<i>Digital Minister</i>	Carl Betcher

Last Week’s Outreach

The Canteen Lunch on March 20th was prepared by Christ Church. They made 50 lunches for community members and handed them out through the Gym door.

CHOW NEWS!

Chow is in great need of donations to refill their shelves. We encourage everyone to please pick up a few non-perishable food items to bring with you next Sunday to add to your regular monetary offering. *Through Christ let us continually offer to God the sacrifice of praise, that is, the fruit of lips that acknowledge his Name. But do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.* (Hebrews 13:15, 16)

Canteen Schedule

<i>Date</i>	<i>Cooking</i>	<i>Site Manager</i>	<i>Host</i>	<i>P/U</i>
<i>March 27, 2022</i>	St. Marks	B. Parmelee	D. Parmelee	N/A

Stewardship

Our Capital Campaign is entering its final days and we are looking forward to closing it on Easter Sunday (April 17). We have received many much appreciated commitments to the campaign already; if you are planning to make a commitment, please do so before Easter! Pledge forms are available at both doors

- go to www.trinitymemorial.org and give through our web site.
- Mail in contributions: Trinity Memorial Church, 44 Main St., Binghamton, NY 13905
- give to the Clergy Discretionary fund to help those in need.. We greatly appreciate your faithfulness to the mission and ministry of Trinity Memorial Church.

Generosity Update

Required weekly contributions \$4,029

Last week contributions \$16,646

Required year to date contributions \$48,346

Contributions received year to date \$66,393

Year to date difference \$18,047

Music Ministry

Music is integral to the worship life of our parish. Our Choir is returning for passionate choral singing for special services during Lent and a jubilant service on Easter morning. The Choir recognizes what we have lost over the last two years. Thus, we urge you to join us in person!

- Palm Sunday, from Handel's Messiah
- Maundy Thursday, from Searle Wright's Communion Service
- Good Friday, the Reproaches of John Sanders
- Easter, music for brass and organ and choir

And, of course: wonderful choral music adorns our liturgy again every Sunday at 10:00

To get more music news, see the Trinity Times