



The Church of the Holy Trinity

An Episcopal Church in the Diocese of New York

March 24, 11:00AM

The Sunday of the Passion: Palm Sunday

Welcome to Holy Trinity

This leaflet includes an order of service for worship and other important information.

Assistance. If you need assistance in any way, an usher at the entrance can help you. Restrooms are located in the Mission House building basement, accessible through the Cloister Corridor or across the garden and into the westernmost building.

New to Holy Trinity? We would love to be able to greet you properly. Please fill out a visitor card, located in the pews, and place it in the offering plate or give it to one of the clergy or ushers.

Giving. As Christians, we believe that all we have, from our talents, to our energy, to our financial resources, is a gift from God. If you would like to know more about how to give of your talents and energy, please let a member of our clergy know and they will gladly connect you with the various ministries of the parish. You can make a financial gift through the offering plate, online at holytrinity-nyc.org or by texting COHT316 to 73256.

Our Mission. To show and share the love of God.

Our History. Since 1899 The Church of the Holy Trinity has opened its doors to those of the Anglican Faith, of other faiths, and of no faith. Through hospitality, service, and worship, we seek to “do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with God.”

Palm Sunday:

The Sunday of the Passion

Holy Week begins today. The Liturgy of the Palms recalls the celebrative atmosphere in Jerusalem as Jesus rode into the city just before the Passover feast. Palms are blessed and the clergy and choir process around the church, remembering the spirit of celebration and expectation that greeted Jesus. The service continues with the Liturgy of the Word and the reading of the Passion according to St. Mark. Unlike many readings of the Passion (the account of Jesus’s mock trial and murder), the words of Jesus are read by the whole congregation. This invites us to identify with Jesus, to remember his humanity, and to imagine what it means for Christians to be “his body” in the world today. After the Passion, the Holy Eucharist continues as usual but especially foreshadows the events of Holy Week.

The color used for Palm Sunday is some shade of red. At Holy Trinity, we use our oxblood vestments and dorsal curtain. The red reminds us of the blood of the martyrs, of all innocent victims, and of the heart of Christ.

Join us this Holy Week, if you can. The various services invite us to move with Jesus through struggle, through the Cross, and into Resurrection.

The Reverend John F. Beddingfield, Rector

The Liturgy of the Palms

The service follows the liturgy beginning on page 270 of The Book of Common Prayer.

Voluntary

Entrée

Théodore Dubois (1837–1924)

Welcome

Opening Acclamation and Collect

Celebrant Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord.

People **Peace in heaven and glory in the highest.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Assist us mercifully with your help, O Lord God of our salvation, that we may enter with joy upon the contemplation of those mighty acts, whereby you have given us life and immortality; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

People **Amen.**

The Palm Gospel

Mark 11:1-11

When they were approaching Jerusalem, at Bethphage and Bethany, near the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two of his disciples and said to them, “Go into the village ahead of you, and immediately as you enter it, you will find tied there a colt that has never been ridden; untie it and bring it. If anyone says to you, ‘Why are you doing this?’ just say this, ‘The Lord needs it and will send it back here immediately.’” They went away and found a colt tied near a door, outside in the street. As they were untying it, some of the bystanders said to them, “What are you doing, untying the colt?” They told them what Jesus had said; and they allowed them to take it. Then they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks on it; and he sat on it. Many people spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut in the fields. Then those who went ahead and those who followed were shouting,

"Hosanna!

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!

Blessed is the coming kingdom of our ancestor David!

Hosanna in the highest heaven!"

Then he entered Jerusalem and went into the temple; and when he had looked around at everything, as it was already late, he went out to Bethany with the twelve.

The Blessing of the Palms

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

The Celebrant continues

It is right to praise you, Almighty God, for the acts of love by which you have redeemed us through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. On this day he entered the holy city of Jerusalem in triumph, and was proclaimed as King of kings by those who spread their garments and branches of palm along his way. Let these branches be for us signs of his victory, and grant that we who bear them in his name may ever hail him as our King, and follow him in the way that leads to eternal life; who lives and reigns in glory with you and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever.

People **Amen.**

Celebrant Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

People **Hosanna in the highest.**

The Procession

Celebrant Let us go forth in peace.

People **In the name of Christ. Amen.**

The People remain in their pews. As the altar party and Choir process through the church, we recall the joyful celebration as Jesus entered into Jerusalem.

Hymn


Valet will ich dir geben

All are invited to sing.

Refrain



All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or to thee, Re - deem - er, King!

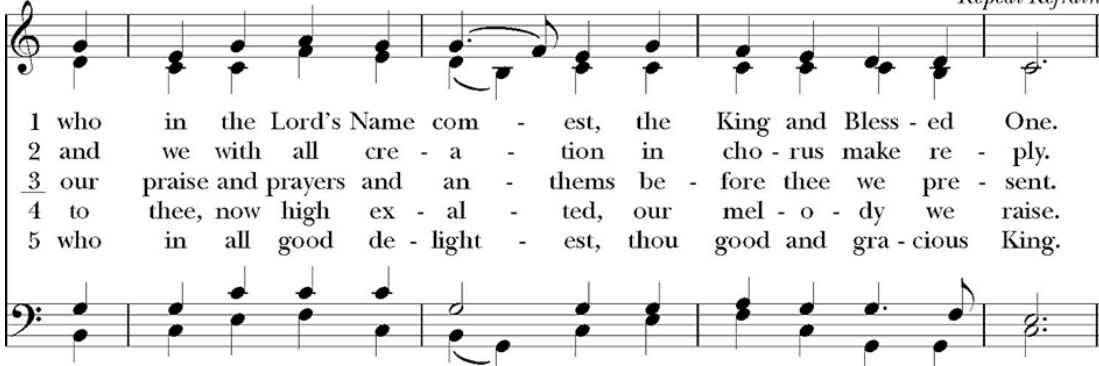


to whom the lips of chil - dren made sweet ho - san - nas ring.



1 Thou art the King of Is - ra - el, thou Da - vid's roy - al Son,
2 The com - pa - ny of an - gels is prais - ing thee on high;
3 The peo - ple of the He - brews with palms be - fore thee went;
4 To thee be - fore thy pas - sion they sang their hymns of praise;
5 Thou didst ac - cept their prais - es; ac - cept the prayers we bring,

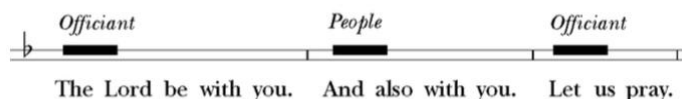
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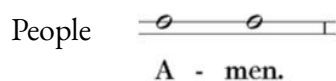
1 who in the Lord's Name com - est, the King and Bless - ed One.
2 and we with all cre - a - tion in cho - rus make re - ply.
3 our praise and prayers and an - thems be - fore thee we pre - sent.
4 to thee, now high ex - al - ted, our mel - o - dy we raise.
5 who in all good de - light - est, thou good and gra - cious King.

The Liturgy of the Passion

The Collect of the Day



Almighty and everliving God, in your tender love for the human race you sent your Son our Savior Jesus Christ to take upon him our nature, and to suffer death upon the cross, giving us the example of his great humility: Mercifully grant that we may walk in the way of his suffering, and also share in his resurrection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.



The People are invited to be seated for the Lessons.

The First Lesson from Scripture

Isaiah 50:4-9a

Lector A Reading from the book of the Prophet Isaiah.

The Lord God has given me the tongue of a teacher, that I may know how to sustain the weary with a word. Morning by morning he wakens--wakens my ear to listen as those who are taught. The Lord God has opened my ear, and I was not rebellious, I did not turn backward. I gave my back to those who struck me, and my cheeks to those who pulled out the beard; I did not hide my face from insult and spitting. The Lord God helps me; therefore I have not been disgraced; therefore I have set my face like flint, and I know that I shall not be put to shame; he who vindicates me is near. Who will contend with me? Let us stand up together. Who are my adversaries? Let them confront me. It is the Lord God who helps me; who will declare me guilty?

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 31:9-16

Peter R. Hallock (1924–2014)

The antiphon will be introduced by the choir and then sung by all.



Choir: Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I am in trouble; my eye is consumed with sorrow, and also my throat and my belly. For my life is wasted with grief, and my years with sighing; my strength fails me because of affliction, and my bones are consumed.

All join in singing the antiphon.

Choir: I have become a reproach to all my enemies and even to my neighbors, a dismay to those of my acquaintance; when they see me in the street they avoid me. I am forgotten like a dead man, out of mind; I am as useless as a broken pot.

All join in singing the antiphon.

Choir: For I have heard the whispering of the crowd; fear is all around; they put their heads together against me; they plot to take my life. But as for me, I have trusted in you, O Lord. I have said, “You are my God.”

All join in singing the antiphon.

Choir: My times are in your hand; rescue me from the hand of my enemies, and from those who persecute me. Make your face to shine upon your servant; and in your loving kindness save me.”

All join in singing the antiphon.

The Second Lesson from Scripture

Philippians 2:5-11

Lector A reading from the Letter of Paul to the Philippians.

Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death—even death on a cross. Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

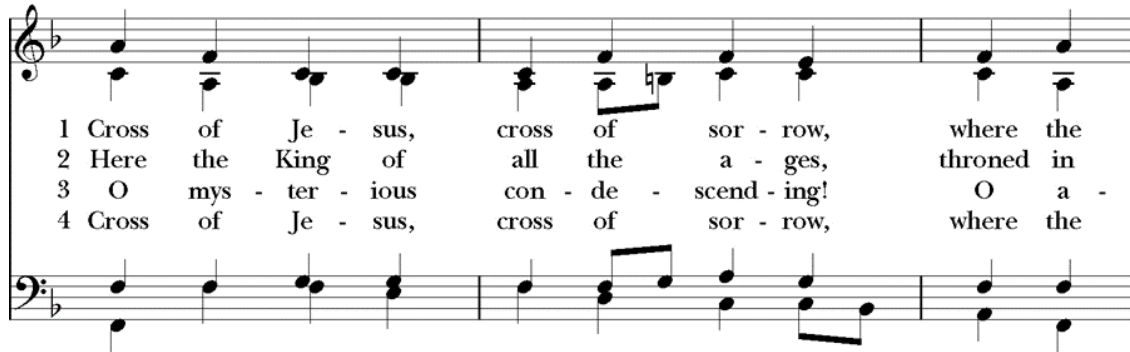
Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

All are invited to stand for the singing of the hymn.

The Hymn at the Sequence

Cross of Jesus



1 Cross of Je - sus, cross of sor - row, where the
2 Here the King of all the a - ges, throned in
3 O mys - ter - ious con - de - scend - ing! O a -
4 Cross of Je - sus, cross of sor - row, where the



blood of Christ was shed, per - fect Man on
light ere worlds could be, robed in mor - tal
ban - don - ment sub - lime! Ve - ry God him -
blood of Christ was shed, per - fect Man on



thee did suf - fer, per - fect God on thee has bled!
flesh is dy - ing, cru - ci - fied by sin for me.
self is bear - ing all the suf - fer - ings of time!
thee did suf - fer, per - fect God on thee has bled!

The Gospel

Mark 15:1-39

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark
People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

After the announcement of the Gospel, the people may be seated until the reader signals that those who are able may stand. The People will speak the part of Jesus as indicated.

Deacon As soon as it was morning, the chief priests held a consultation with the elders and scribes and the whole council. They bound Jesus, led him away, and handed him over to Pilate. Pilate asked him, "Are you the King of the Jews?" He answered him,

People **"You say so."**

Deacon Then the chief priests accused him of many things. Pilate asked him again, "Have you no answer? See how many charges they bring against you." But Jesus made no further reply, so that Pilate was amazed. Now at the festival he used to release a prisoner for them, anyone for whom they asked. Now a man called Barabbas was in prison with the rebels who had committed murder during the insurrection. So the crowd came and began to ask Pilate to do for them according to his custom. Then he answered them, "Do you want me to release for you the King of the Jews?" For he realized that it was out of jealousy that the chief priests had handed him over.

But the chief priests stirred up the crowd to have him release Barabbas for them instead. Pilate spoke to them again, "Then what do you wish me to do with the man you call the King of the Jews?" They shouted back, "Crucify him!" Pilate asked them, "Why, what evil has he done?" But they shouted all the more, "Crucify him!" So Pilate, wishing to satisfy the crowd, released Barabbas for them; and after flogging Jesus, he handed him over to be crucified.

Then the soldiers led him into the courtyard of the palace (that is, the governor's headquarters); and they called together the whole cohort. And they clothed him in a purple cloak; and after twisting some thorns into a crown, they put it on him. And they began saluting him, "Hail, King of the Jews!" They struck his head with a reed, spat upon him, and knelt down in homage to him. After mocking him, they stripped him of the purple cloak and put his own clothes on him. Then they led him out to crucify him.

They compelled a passer-by, who was coming in from the country, to carry his cross; it was Simon of Cyrene, the father of Alexander and Rufus.

Those who are able are invited to stand.

Deacon Then they brought Jesus to the place called Golgotha (which means the place of a skull). And they offered him wine mixed with myrrh; but he did not take it. And they crucified him, and divided his clothes among them, casting lots to decide what each should take.

It was nine o'clock in the morning when they crucified him. The inscription of the charge against him read, "The King of the Jews." And with him they crucified two bandits, one on his right and one on his left. Those who passed by derided him, shaking their heads and saying, "Aha! You who would destroy the temple and build it in three days, save yourself, and come down from the cross!" In the same way the chief priests, along with the scribes, were also mocking him among themselves and saying, "He saved others; he cannot save himself. Let the Messiah, the King of Israel, come down from the cross now, so that we may see and believe." Those who were crucified with him also taunted him. When it was noon, darkness came over the whole land until three in the afternoon. At three o'clock Jesus cried out with a loud voice,

People **"Eloi, Eloi, lema sabachthani?"**

Deacon which means, "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?" When some of the bystanders heard it, they said, "Listen, he is calling for Elijah." And someone ran, filled a sponge with sour wine, put it on a stick, and gave it to him to drink, saying, "Wait, let us see whether Elijah will come to take him down." Then Jesus gave a loud cry and breathed his last.

Those who are able are invited to kneel for silent prayer. All rise as the Celebrant stands.

Deacon And the curtain of the temple was torn in two, from top to bottom. Now when the centurion, who stood facing him, saw that in this way he breathed his last, he said, "Truly this man was God's Son!"

There were also women looking on from a distance; among them were Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James the younger and of Joses, and Salome. These used to follow him and provided for him when he was in Galilee; and there were many other women who had come up with him to Jerusalem.

When evening had come, and since it was the day of Preparation, that is, the day before the sabbath, Joseph of Arimathea, a respected member of the council, who was also himself waiting expectantly for the kingdom of God, went boldly to Pilate and asked for the body of Jesus. Then Pilate wondered if he were already dead; and summoning the centurion, he asked him whether he had been dead for some

time. When he learned from the centurion that he was dead, he granted the body to Joseph. Then Joseph bought a linen cloth, and taking down the body, wrapped it in the linen cloth, and laid it in a tomb that had been hewn out of the rock. He then rolled a stone against the door of the tomb. Mary Magdalene and Mary the mother of Joseph saw where the body was laid.

The Sermon

The Rev. John F. Beddingfield, *Rector*

The Prayers of the People

Form I

The Deacon bids the prayers and the people, which are then led by the lector.

Deacon With all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord, saying "Lord, have mercy."

Lector For the peace of the world, for the welfare of the Holy Church of God, and for the unity of all peoples, let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Lector For our Bishops and for all the clergy and people, let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Lector For our President, for the leaders of the nations, and for all in authority, let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Lector For the City of New York, for every city and community, and for those who live in them, let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Lector For the good earth which God has given us, and for the wisdom and will to conserve it, let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Lector For the aged and infirm, for the widowed and orphans, and for the sick and the suffering, especially [the lector includes names] and those we include in silence or aloud . . . [silence] . . . let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Lector For the poor and the oppressed, for the unemployed and the destitute, for prisoners and captives, and for all who remember and care for them,
let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Lector For all who have died in the hope of the resurrection, and for all the departed, especially those we name aloud or in silence . . . [silence] . . .
let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Lector For deliverance from all danger, violence, oppression, and degradation, let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Lector That we may end our lives in faith and hope, without suffering and without reproach,
let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Lector For our link parish of St. Stephens with St. John's in the Diocese of London, for the clergy, parishioners, visitors, and programs,
let us pray to the Lord.

People **Lord, have mercy.**

Lector For those concerns we now name in the silence of our hearts . . .
The celebrant concludes with a final petition ending with all saying together, Amen.

The Peace

Celebrant The Peace of the Lord be always with you.
People **And also with you.**

The ministers and people may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Announcements

The People are seated for the announcements.

The Holy Communion

The Offertory Sentence

As the anthem is sung, an offering is received for the work and mission of the Church.

At the Offertory, Anthem

Ride on

Grayston Ives (b. 1948)

Ride on, ride on in majesty! Hark, all the tribes hosanna cry, thy humble beast pursues his road with palms and scattered garments strowed. Ride on, ride on in majesty! In lowly pomp ride on to die, O Christ thy triumph now begin o'er captive death and conquered sin. Ride on, ride on in majesty! The winged squadrons of the sky look down with sad and wond'ring eyes to see the approaching sacrifice. Ride on, ride on in majesty! Thy last and fiercest strife is nigh; the Father on his sapphire throne awaits his own anointed Son. Ride on, ride on in majesty! In lowly pomp ride on to die, bow thy meek head to mortal pain, then take O God, thy power, and reign.

Text: Henry Milman (1791-1868)

At the Presentation, The Doxology

As the gifts of bread, wine, and money are brought forward, those who are able stand to sing.

Erbalt uns, Herr

*5 O Fa - ther, Son, and Spi - rit blest, to
5 thee be ev - ery prayer ad - dressed, who art in three - fold
5 Name a - dored, from age to age, the on - ly Lord.


The People may stand or kneel as 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."

Celebrant



There - fore we pro - claim the mys - ter - y of faith:

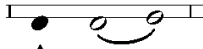
Celebrant and People



Christ has died. Christ is ris - en. Christ will come a - gain.

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, and in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.

People 
A-men.

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.

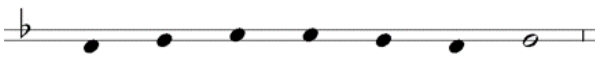
The Breaking of the Bread

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread and a moment of silence is kept.

Fraction Anthem

Ambrosian Chant

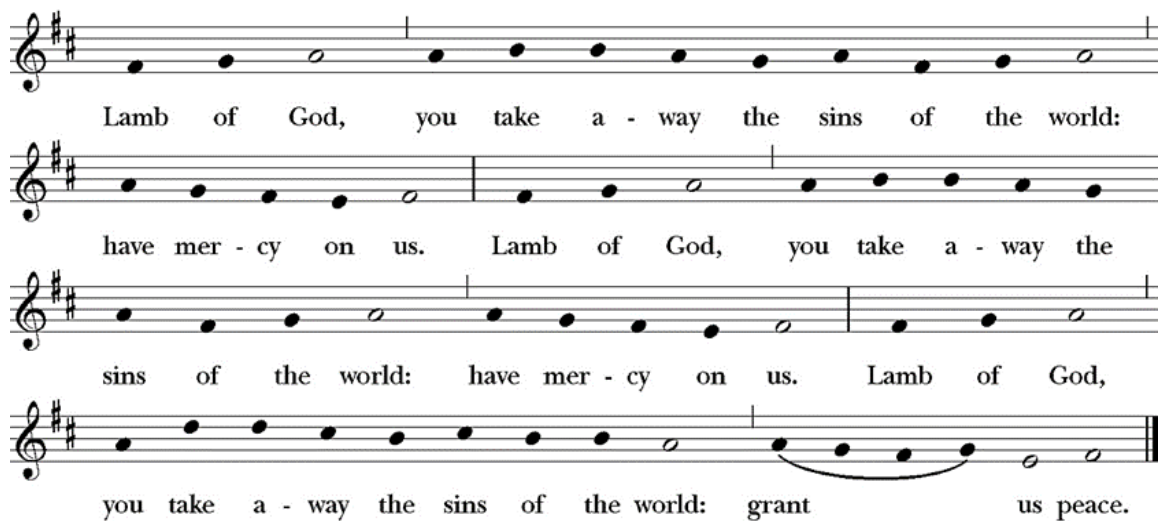
Celebrant 
Christ our Pass - o - ver is sac - ri - ficed for us;

People 
There - fore let us keep the feast.

Agnus Dei

New Plainsong, David Hurd

All join in singing.



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world:
have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the
sins of the world: have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God,
you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

The Reception of Communion

It is the tradition here at the Church of the Holy Trinity to invite all who wish to come forward to receive Holy Communion, the sacrament of the Body and the Blood of Christ in the form of bread and wine. Follow the directions of the ushers and the practice of your fellow worshippers. If you would like to receive a blessing, please come forward at the same time, and cross your hands over your chest to indicate that you wish to receive a blessing only.

At the Communion, Anthem

John 3:16

Brittney E. Boykin (b. 1989)

For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten son,
that whosoever believeth in him shall not perish but have everlasting life.

For God so loved the world.

Text: The Gospel according to John

At the Communion, Hymn

Tomter

All are invited to sing the hymn.



1 In the cross of Christ I glo - ry, tower - ing o'er the
2 When the woes of life o'er - take me, hopes de - ceive, and
3 When the sun of bliss is beam - ing light and love up -
4 Bane and bless - ing, pain and plea - sure, by the cross are
* 5 In the cross of Christ I glo - ry, tower - ing o'er the



1 wrecks of time; all the light of sa - cred
2 fears an - noy, nev - er shall the cross for -
3 on my way, from the cross the ra - diance
4 sanc - ti - fied; peace is there that knows no
5 wrecks of time; all the light of sa - cred



1 sto - ry gath - ers round its head sub - lime.
2 sake me: lo, it glows with peace and joy.
3 stream - ing adds new lus - ter to the day.
4 mea - sure, joys that through all time a - bide.
5 sto - ry gath - ers round its head sub - lime.

Post Communion Prayer

After Communion, the Celebrant says

Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son and our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen

The Blessing

*The Celebrant blesses the People, and the People respond **Amen.***

Hymn

Herzlich tut mich verlangen

All are invited to sing the hymn.

1 O sa - cred head, sore wound - ed, de - filed and put to scorn;
2 Thy beau - ty, long - de - sir - ed, hath va - nished from our sight;
3 In thy most bit - ter pas - sion my heart to share doth cry,
*4 What lan - guage shall I bor - row to thank thee, dear - est friend,
*5 My days are few, O fail not, with thine im - mor - tal power,

1 O king - ly head, sur - round - ed with mock - ing crown of thorn:
2 thy power is all ex - pir - ed, and quenched the light of light.
3 with thee for my sal - va - tion up - on the cross to die.
4 for this thy dy - ing sor - row, thy pi - ty with - out end?
5 to hold me that I quail not in death's most fear - ful hour;

1 what sor - row mars thy gran - deur? Can death thy bloom de - flower?
2 Ah me! for whom thou di - est, hide not so far thy grace:
3 Ah, keep my heart thus mov - ed to stand thy cross be - neath,
4 Oh, make me thine for - ev - er! and should I faint - ing be,
5 that I may fight be - friend - ed, and see in my last strife

1 O coun - te - nance whose splen - dor the hosts of heaven a - dore!
 2 show me, O Love most high - est, the bright - ness of thy face.
 3 to mourn thee, well - be - lov - ed, yet thank thee for thy death.
 4 Lord, let me nev - er, nev - er, out - live my love for thee.
 5 to me thine arms ex - tend - ed up - on the cross of life.

The Dismissal

The Deacon dismisses the People.

Deacon Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People 
 Thanks be to God.

Voluntary

Herzlich tut mich verlangen

Johannes Brahms (1833-1897)

The Choir of the Church of the Holy Trinity

Soprano: Amy Cover, Carol Haley, Kate Hornstein, Maria Oesterreich, Abigail Raiford

Alto: Allison Bishop, Madeline Coffey, Alfred Schwab, Kendra Wieneke

Tenor: Samuel Friedman, BJ Hillinck, David Morton

Bass: Brian Alvarado, Patrick Valdes-Dapena, Blake Hurlburt, Samuel Rachmuth

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**125th ANNIVERSARY
SPECIAL EVENTS INCLUDE**

Sunday, April 21, 2024

4:00 PM

Festive Evensong

The Rev. Zachary Thompson, Preaching
Rector of St. James Church

Saturday, May 4, 2024

Day of Service to the Community
Various Locations

Sunday, May 5, 2024

Festive Worship

11:00 AM

The Rt. Rev. Matthew Foster Heyd, Bishop of New York, Presiding
Premiere of Commissioned Anniversary Anthem
Special Reception Following

Saturday, May 18, 2024

7:00 PM

Friends of Music Cabaret & Silent Auction

SERVING TODAY

Ushers: Gretchen Dolan, Paul Chernick

Subdeacon: Simone Crockett

Acolytes: Yvonne O'Neal, Susan Valdes-Dapena

Altar Guild: Susan Valdes-Dapena

Lector: Wendy Wright

Celebrant & Preacher:

The Rev. John F. Beddingfield

Coffee Hour: Kate Hornstein, Alden Prouty

Sunday Tours: Mary Jane Gocher

IN OUR PRAYERS

We pray for Jean, Roman, Tom, Susan, Sean, Bob, Bethany, Christopher, Vanessa, Karen, Kari, Margo, Victoria, Joe, John, Bea, Emma, Mary, Megan, Jackie.

The sympathy and love of the parish are offered to Eddison Tang upon the death of his father, Hin Heng Tang, on March 21. Pray for the repose of the soul of Hin Heng, for Eddison, Deacon Pam, and their family, and for all who mourn.

Praying with our Link Parish in London of St. Stephen with St. John. We especially pray for the clergy, parishioners, and all the programs of the parish.

Keeping our Prayer List Current. Names remain on the list through the end of the calendar month, but are refreshed for the first Sunday of each month.

HOLY GOSSIP

Sunday, March 17, 2024 attendance: 8:00 AM: 9; 11:00 AM: 87; 6:00 PM 30. . . Please make a pledge for 2024 if you have not...Check for recordings of our Sunday Worship Services; <https://facebook.com/holytrinitynyc>. . . Thanks to everyone who joined us in person and online for Afternoon Tea last Sunday and our "Slow Art" conversation with St. Stephen's, London, looking at the Bruegel painting, "Procession to Calvary"

Easter Memorials

We invite you to dedicate the flowers to the memory of your loved ones, or in thanksgiving for particular people, or blessings (there are many!) Please use a yellow Easter Memorial Gift envelope, or contribute online. (Envelopes are on the information tables in the back of the church.) Please include the names to be listed "In Memory of..." or "In Thanksgiving for. . .The list will be included in the Easter bulletins. Please place your envelope in the Sunday collection or send it to the parish office no later than Tuesday, March 26. Thank you!

WORSHIP AND MUSIC

Are you interested in singing in the Holy Trinity Choir? If you or somebody you know (singers do not need to be members of Holy Trinity) would be interested in joining the Holy Trinity Choir, please email Adam Koch: apkoch@holytrinity-nyc.org.

Annual (Eggless) Easter Day Hunt! Following the 11:00 AM service on Easter Day, Math 31, we will have an eggless Easter Egg Hunt for the children.

SUNDAY TOURS

Join us for an in-person 15 Minute Guided Tour. Tours are free! Meet the tour guide in the Narthex, (just inside the main entrance). Tours are given most Sundays after

the 11:00 AM service. Free copies of booklets are located on the wall at the main entrance: *A Short History of Holy Trinity*, and *The Windows of Holy Trinity*. For further information please visit the Holy Trinity website. Holy Trinity's windows are featured in George B. Brant's 2023 book: *Henry Holiday: His Stained Glass Windows for Gilded Age New York*.

STEWARDSHIP

It's not too late to pledge! Stewardship packets are in the back of the church, and it's also possible to make a pledge on the church website. We have received 93 pledges totaling \$340,600.58 Our goal for 2024 is \$350,815.00

OUTREACH & SOCIAL JUSTICE (Holy Trinity Neighborhood Center, Inc.)

HTNC - HTNC serves sit-down, cooked meals to our neighborhood guests who join us on Saturdays at 5:15 PM. To volunteer by helping to cook or set up, come to the basement of the Mission House (the large building to the west of the main church) Saturday between 3:00 PM and 3:30 PM. Last Saturday, HTNC served 96 neighbors! Contact Joe Lipuma. (jlipuma27@gmail.com)

HTNC Fundraiser with Whisky Tasting

Saturday, April 20, 2024, 7:00 PM to 10:00 PM, Holy Trinity Rectory. Paired with tasty morsels, great company, conversation, and a bagpiper on the front steps, this evening is one of the favorite fundraising and community-building events of Holy Trinity Neighborhood Center. The event

takes place in the Holy Trinity Rectory, a French Gothic landmark built in 1899, given (with the church) by Serena Rhineland, and designed by J. Stewart Barney. Tickets are \$100 in advance and \$125 at the door, though capacity is limited. To purchase tickets or make a donation, see the church website.

COMMUNITY LIFE

Yoga at Holy Trinity. Join us for yoga in the main church on Tuesdays from 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM. All levels are welcome. The class is free, though donations are welcome and go to support the programs of HTNC. For questions, contact registered yoga teacher, parishioner Liz Poole at lizpoolenyc@hotmail.com.

GET INVOLVED

Acolytes: Susan Valdes-Dapena; susan@valdes-dapena.net

Altar Guild: Alden Prouty; alden.prouty@gmail.com

Choir & Music: Adam Koch directs the 11:00 AM choir: apkoch@holytrinity-nyc.org. Calvyn du Toit leads the 6:00 PM band: calvyn@protonmail.com

Holy Trinity Neighborhood Center (lunch, dinner, shelter or other programs): www.htnccnyc.org

Lectors (serve as readers in worship services): Yvonne O'Neal; Yvonne.oneal@gmail.com

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Ushers (volunteer to greet people at worship services and offer hospitality): Liz Poole; lizpoolenyc@hotmail.com

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The Vestry (with year of term ending listed)

Wardens: Christopher Abelt (2026)

Jeanne Blazina (2025)

General Members of the Vestry:

Joseph Aylett-Bullock (2027)

Hal Barth (2024)

Paul Chernick, secretary (2025)

Lydia Colon (2025)

Amelia Cover (2027)

Christina Dhanuja (2027)

Jean Geater (2027)

Steve Knight (2024)

Joseph Lipuma (2024)

Marlin Mattson (2025)

Fabio Mejia (2025)

Liz Poole (2024)

Christine du Toit, treasurer, *ex officio*



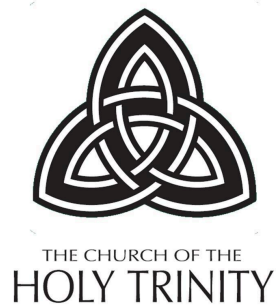
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HOLY WEEK & EASTER, MARCH 24 – MARCH 31

Palm Sunday, 8:00 AM, 11:00 AM, & 6:00 PM

Monday–Friday, Morning Prayer at 8:30 AM

Wednesday, Service of Tenebrae (Readings & Silence) 7:00 PM

Maundy Thursday, Holy Eucharist & Foot Washing 7:00 PM

Good Friday

The Great Three Hours (Music, Prayer, Scripture & Silence) Noon – 3:00 PM
The Good Friday Liturgy (Passion, Veneration of the Cross, Eucharist) 7:00 PM

Holy Saturday, Easter Eve Garden Communion 7:00 PM

EASTER DAY

Sunrise Communion 6:00 AM at Carl Schurz Park Promenade
Holy Communion at 8:00 AM, 11:00 AM (music), & 6:00 PM (music)