# Daily Morning Prayer: Rite Two Day of Pentecost / Whitsunday



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## Welcome to Trinity Episcopal Church.

Whoever you are and wherever you may be on your spiritual journey, we are glad you have joined us for worship. May you know the presence of the living God who welcomes you here. You are invited to participate in worship by using the **red Book of Common Prayer (BCP)** and **blue Hymnal**, as indicated in this leaflet and you are invited to sit, stand, or kneel as you are able.

A note on children, or anyone else who might find it difficult to sit through an hourlong service: Jesus welcomed the little children, and so do we! We can abide with a little "joyful noise" at Trinity. If you need to step out for any reason, the Upper Parish Hall (found through a doorway in the front left of the sanctuary, behind the organ console) has restrooms, one with a changing table (the restroom on the left), as well as an area with couches and a children's

Prelude Come, Oh Come, Thou Quickening Spirit

J. Christoph Bach Setting by Camil Van Hulse

As the prelude is played, please maintain silence in the sanctuary for prayer and reflection

Standing

Officiant:

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

People:

The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Officiant:

You shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be my witness in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.

Acts 1:8

Opening Hymn 225 Hail thee, festival day!

The Invitatory and Psalter

Officiant:

Lord, open our lips.

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Tune: Salve festa dies

All:

And our mouth shall proclaim your praise. Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever.

Amen. Alleluia.

Officiant:

Alleluia. Christ the Lord has ascended into heaven:

People:

Come, let us adore him.

The Venite Psalm 95:1-7

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Officiant and People together, all standing

Come, let us sing to the Lord; let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation.

Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving

and raise a loud shout to him with psalms.

For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods.

In his hand are the caverns of the earth, and the heights of the hills are his also.

The sea is his, for he made it, and his hands have molded the dry land.

Come, let us bow down, and bend the knee, and kneel before the Lord our Maker.

For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand.

Oh, that today you would hearken to his voice!

Officiant:

Alleluia. Christ the Lord has ascended into heaven:

People:

Come, let us adore him.

All are seated

The Psalm 104:25-35, 37

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Benedic, anima mea

- 25 O LORD, how manifold are your works! \* in wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.
- 26 Yonder is the great and wide sea with its living things too many to number, \* creatures both small and great.
- 27 There move the ships, and there is that Leviathan, \* which you have made for the sport of it.
- 28 All of them look to you \* to give them their food in due season.
- 29 You give it to them; they gather it; \* you open your hand, and they are filled with good things.
- 30 You hide your face, and they are terrified; \* you take away their breath, and they die and return to their dust.
- 31 You send forth your Spirit, and they are created; \* and so you renew the face of the earth.
- 32 May the glory of the LORD endure for ever; \* may the LORD rejoice in all his works.

- 33 He looks at the earth and it trembles; \* he touches the mountains and they smoke.
- 34 I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; \*
  I will praise my God while I have my being.
- 35 May these words of mine please him; \* I will rejoice in the LORD.
- 37 Bless the LORD, O my soul. \* Hallelujah!

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: \* as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

# The Lessons

#### The First Lesson: Acts 2:1-21

When the day of Pentecost had come, the disciples were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine."

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,

and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams.

Even upon my slaves, both men and women,

in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy.

And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist.

The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day.

Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'

Reader: The Word of the Lord. People: Thanks be to God.

#### The Second Lesson: Romans 8:14-17

All who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ~ if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

Tune: Song of the Holy Spirit

Reader: The Word of the Lord. People: Thanks be to God.

Hymn 230 A mighty sound from heaven

All may be seated for the

# The Third Lesson: John 14:8-17 (25-27)

Philip said to Jesus, "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied." Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

"If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you."

["I have said these things to you while I am still with you. But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid."]

Reader: The Word of the Lord. People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Dr. Jessica Magda

Offertory Hymn 509 Spirit divine, attend our prayers

Tune: Nun danket all und bringest Her

At this time, we gratefully offer back to God a portion of what God has given us through the hymn sung by the congregation and the money and gifts we give. You are invited to give as you feel called, either by placing your offering in the plate as it is passed around or by going to our website, <a href="www.trinity-torrington.org/donate">www.trinity-torrington.org/donate</a>

Presentation Hymn 380 verse 3

# The Prayers

The Apostles' Creed

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Officiant and People together, all standing

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth;

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

The People stand or kneel

Officiant:

The Lord be with you.

People:

And also with you.

Officiant:

Let us pray.

All:

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.

Officiant:

Save your people, Lord, and bless your inheritance;

People:

Govern and uphold them, now and always.

Officiant: Day by day we bless you;

People: We praise your name for ever.

Officiant: Lord, keep us from all sin today;

People: Have mercy upon us, Lord, have mercy.

Officiant: Lord, show us your love and mercy;

People: For we put our trust in you. Officiant: In you, Lord, is our hope;

People: And we shall never hope in vain.

Officiant: O God, from whom all good proceeds: Grant that by your inspiration we may

think those things that are right, and by your merciful guiding may do them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy

Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Officiant: O God, you make us glad with the weekly remembrance of the glorious resurrection

of your Son our Lord: Give us this day such blessing through our worship of you,

Tune: Bridegroom

that the week to come may be spent in your favor; through Jesus Christ our

Lord. Amen.

Hymn 513 Like the murmur of the dove's song

The Prayers of the People

Leader: In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

For all people in their daily life and work;

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

Leader: For this community, the nation, and the world; People: For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

Leader: For the just and proper use of your creation;

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

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

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

Leader: For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

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

Leader: For Sean, our Presiding Bishop, and Jeff and Laura, our Bishops, and for all bishops

and other ministers.

People: For all who serve God in his Church.

Leader: For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

The People are invited to add their own prayers, aloud or silently.

Leader:

We also pray for those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries this week.

## A Prayer for Birthdays

O God, our times are in your hands: Look with favor, we pray, on your servant N. as *she* begins another year. Grant that *she* may grow in wisdom and grace and strengthen *her* trust in your goodness all the days of *her* life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### A Prayer for Anniversaries

O God, you have so consecrated the covenant of marriage that in it is represented the spiritual unity between Christ and his Church. Send therefore your blessing upon these your servants, that they may so love, honor, and cherish each other in faithfulness and patience, in wisdom and true godliness, that their home may be a haven of blessing and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Parish Announcements and Vestry Greeting

All are seated

The General Thanksgiving

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Officiant and People together, all standing

Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks for all your goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all whom you have made.

We bless you for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for your immeasurable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.

And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies, that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up our selves to your service, and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.

Officiant

Let us bless the Lord.

People:

Thanks be to God.

Officiant

May the God of hope fill us with all joy and peace in believing through the power of

the Holy Spirit.

Romans 15:13

People:

Amen

#### Postlude

Improvisation on Veni Creator Spiritus

Plainsong, Vesperale Romanum Setting by Alfred V Fedak

As the postlude is played, please maintain silence in the sanctuary for prayer and reflection

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