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HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II Sunday, November 21

Reign of Christ



TRINITY CHURCH
IN THE CITY OF BOSTON



The Call of the House of Ushers:

Our special holiday concerts and services are wonderful times to welcome people into Trinity. Interested?

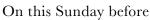


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FORMATION

What Leadership Means in the Reign of Christ

Sun., 11/21, 7 pm, Via Zoom



Advent, Christians of many denominations celebrate the "Reign of Christ." Join us for some insight into Jesus' particular teachings on authority — as well as for connections into our own working lives, and a preview of Trinity's soon-to-bereleased ministry leadership guide.

Scan the QR code, or visit trinitychurchboston.org/ calendar to access the Zoom link.

You can also dial in at 1 646 558 8656 and enter Meeting ID: 821 2826 6203

ADVENT

Advent Wreath-Making and Pop-Up Shop

Sun., 11/28, 10 am, Clarendon Porch

We invite Trinitarians

of every age to bundle up in their winter wear and come together between our morning services for an outdoor Advent wreathmaking event. Greens will be provided, and a supply of Advent candles and wreath forms will be available. Feel free to bring your own as well. Coffee, cocoa, and cookies, too!

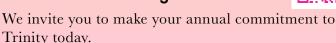
During the Advent Wreath-Making Event, a Pop-Up Shop will have Trinity-themed Christmas decorations available for purchase in the Clarendon Street Vestibule. All proceeds support the ministries of Trinity Church.





STEWARDSHIP

Sustaining the Life of the World to Come: Make Your Pledge Now



Though we are all defining what the life of the world to come may be, we can almost be certain that we will all have to give something to live into it. All gifts, large and small, are needed to create and sustain the life we envision and to lovingly and faithfully respond to what is next.



Make your pledge now via a pledge card, the QR code above, or at trinitychurchboston.org/ 2022-annual-pledge

MUSIC

RSVP Now for Paid and Free Candlelight Carols & Messiah Tickets

Messiah: Sun., 12/5, 2 pm Candlelight Carols: Sat., 12/18, 4 & 7 pm; Sun., 12/19, 2 pm

Paid and free seats for

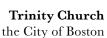


Candlelight Carols and Messiah are on sale now at trinitychurchboston.org/news or by scanning the QR code. This year, seating is limited and we are asking people to pre-register — so please, RSVP for these beloved concerts today!

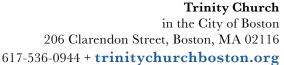
Please note: Trinity Church will be closed on 11/25 and 11/26 for Thanksgiving.

We encourage you to attend Thanksgiving Compline on 11/25 at 8:30 pm on Zoom via the QR code, or dial in at 1-646-558-8656 and entering Meeting ID 206 654 379.

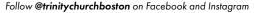




















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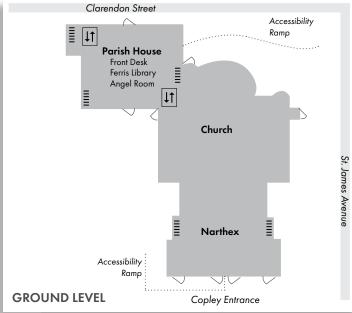


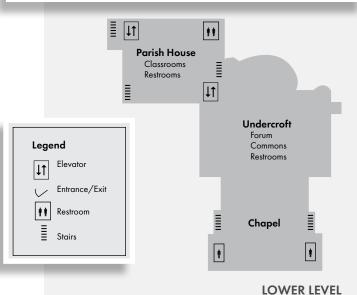
Whether you're new among us or you've been worshiping here for years, we look forward to helping you make a home for faith here at Trinity.

Fill out the form at **trinitychurchboston.org/ welcome** so we can get to know you better. You can also scan the QR code to get to the form.



FINDING YOUR WAY





HOURS & INFORMATION

Sunday Worship

9 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II

indoor, masked*, socially-distanced, pre-registration required; streaming at trinitychurchboston.org/live-worship and facebook.com/trinitychurchboston

11 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II

indoor, masked*, socially-distanced,

pre-registration required

5 pm Holy Eucharist, Rite II

indoor, masked*, socially-distanced,

pre-registration required

Weekday Worship at Trinity

Tuesday/Thursday

8:30 pm Online Compline

join us on Zoom at bit.ly/tcbTTcompline

and enter Meeting ID 206 654 379

Vestry

Mark Morrow ('23), Senior Warden •
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('24) • Sarah E. McGinty ('24) • Christopher Parris ('23)
• Peter Renner ('25) • Pam Waterman ('25) • Ania
Wieckowski ('23)

Each can be reached at bit.ly/TrinityVestry

Staff can be reached at bit.ly/TrinityStaff

*Masks can be cloth with filter, surgical, or N95, and must cover the entire nose and mouth. Bandanas, scarves, and gaiters do not meet the CDC-recommended standard and will not be allowed.

STATEMENT OF AFFIRMATION

Trinity Church in the City of Boston is a congregation of the Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts and welcomes and honors everyone. In accordance with our baptismal covenant, we affirm the inherent worth and dignity of every person. We strive to include all persons without regard to sexual orientation, race, nationality, gender, family configuration, ethnic background, economic circumstances, difference in ability, culture, or age. Our love and acceptance of each other embody our commitment to unity with God and each other in Christ.

WORD OF GOD

Prelude 'Antiphon V: How fair and how pleasant art thou' Marcel Dupré (1886-1971)

Hymn 494 'Crown him with many crowns'



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Worship at Trinity

When the text of this worship booklet is in **bold**, it is spoken or sung by all.

Opening Acclamation & Collect for Purity

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

And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

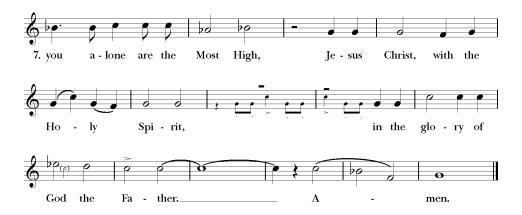
Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Song of Praise



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Collect of the Day

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen.

Reading Revelation 1:4b-8

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth.

To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail.

So it is to be. Amen.

"I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The Lord is King;

he has put on splendid apparel; *
the Lord has put on his apparel
and girded himself with strength.

He has made the whole world so sure * that it cannot be moved;

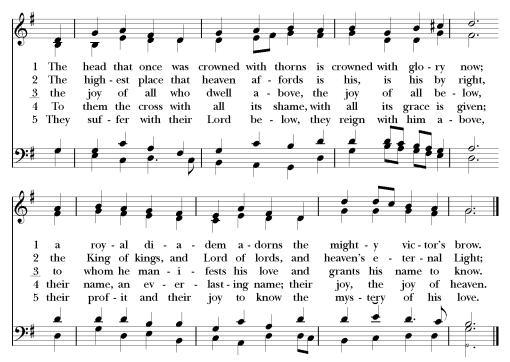
Ever since the world began, your throne has been established; * you are from everlasting.

The waters have lifted up, O Lord, the waters have lifted up their voice; * the waters have lifted up their pounding waves.

Mightier than the sound of many waters, mightier than the breakers of the sea, * mightier is the Lord who dwells on high.

Your testimonies are very sure, *
and holiness adorns your house, O Lord,
for ever and for evermore.

Hymn 483 'The head that once was crowned with thorns'



6 The cross he bore is life and health, though shame and death to him: his people's hope, his people's wealth, their everlasting theme.

Words: Thomas Kelly (1769-1855)

Music: St. Magnus, melody from Divine Companion, 1707; harm. William Henry Monk (1823-1889), after John Pyke Hullah (19th cent.)

Gospel John 18:33-37

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John. **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, "Are you the King of the Jews?" Jesus answered, "Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?" Pilate replied, "I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?" Jesus answered, "My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here." Pilate asked him, "So you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon The Rev. Morgan S. Allen, Rector

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

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

For all people in their daily life and work;

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

For 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, Alan and Gayle, our Bishops; and for all bishops and other ministers;

For all who serve God in God's Church.

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

Silence

Hear us, Lord;

For your mercy is great.

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

Silence

We will exalt you, O God our King;

And praise your Name for ever and ever.

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

Silence

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

Who put their trust in you.

Confession & Absolution

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

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.

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

Amen.

The Peace

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

Announcements

A slight bow, with hands crossed over the chest, or joined in a prayerful "namaste-style," are healthy, loving ways for one to pass the Peace in these times.

HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory 'Let all mortal flesh keep silence' Edward C. Bairstow (1874-1971)

> Let all mortal flesh keep silence and stand with fear and trembling, and lift itself above all earthly thought. For the King of kings and Lord of lords, Christ our God, cometh forth to be our oblation, and to be given for Food to the faithful.

Before Him come the choirs of angels with every principality and power; the Cherubim with many eyes, and wingèd Seraphim, who veil their faces as they shout exultingly the hymn: Alleluia!

TEXT: LITURGY OF ST. JAMES

Presentation

All things come of Thee, O Lord.

And of Thine own have we given Thee.

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

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

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

All we have and all we are is of God, and everyone has a faithful offering to make. All gifts received today will support Trinity's ministry, empower our service to the community, and sustain our historic buildings.

To make a gift online, please click here or use the QR code below to be taken to the secure form on our website.



Alternatively, you may also give in-person via the basket passed during the Offertory.



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 God,

We remember his death, We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory;

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

AMEN.

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

The Lord's Prayer

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.

At this time, Communion will be offered in one kind (the bread) and at the altar rail. Following the guidance of Ushers, please access the rail and return to your pews through the vestibules (porches) on the side where you are sitting.

Breaking of the Bread

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us; Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

Agnus Dei S-164



Invitation

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Communion Anthem 'E'en so, Lord Jesus, quickly come'

Paul Manz (1919-2009)

Peace be to you and grace from Him

Who freed us from our sins,

Who loved us all and shed His blood

that we might saved be.

Sing holy, holy to our Lord,

the Lord, Almighty God,

Who was and is and is to come;

sing holy, holy, Lord!

Rejoice in heaven, all ye that dwell therein,

rejoice on earth, ye saints below,

for Christ is coming, is coming soon!

E'en so, Lord Jesus, quickly come,

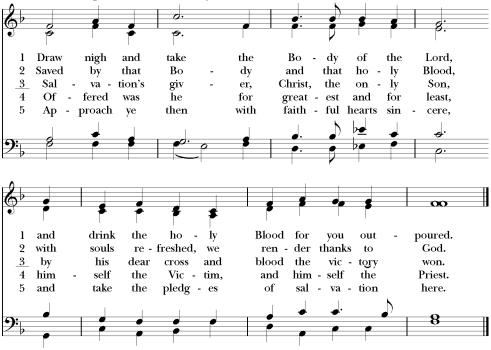
and night shall be no more;

they need no light nor lamp nor sun,

for Christ will be their all.

TEXT: RUTH MANZ (1919-2008)

Hymn 328 'Draw nigh and take the Body of the Lord'



- 6 He that his saints in this world rules and shields to all believers life eternal yields;
- 7 with heavenly bread he makes the hungry whole, gives living waters to the thirsting soul.
- 8 Alpha-Omega, unto whom shall bow all nations at the doom, is with us now.

Words: Bangor Antiphoner, ca. 690; tr. John Mason Neale (1818-1866), alt.
Music: Song 46, melody and bass Orlando Gibbons (1583-1625); harm. The English Hymnal, 1906

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Postcommunion Prayer

Let us pray.

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom.

And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord.

To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever.

Amen.

Blessing

Hymn 544 'Jesus shall reign'



Dismissal

Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

Thanks be to God.

Postlude 'Carillon de Westminster' Louis Vierne (1870-1937)

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