9 & 11 AM

MORNING PRAYER, RITE II

Sunday, January 30

The Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany



TRINITY CHURCH
IN THE CITY OF BOSTON



Born to run? Our sister organization, Trinity Boston Connects, is accepting applications to join Team Trinity in the Boston Marathon. Learn more at trinityconnects.org/boston-marathon.



CHILDREN'S

Should I Fast?

CREATION CARE

As Never Before: Vulnerability, Sustainability, and the World to Come with Dr. Stephen Young

Tues., 2/15, 7 pm, on Zoom

New England is warming faster than the rest of the world, according to a study recently published by **Dr. Stephen Young** of

Salem State University's Department of Geography and Sustainability – research that has received intense local and national media coverage. Join us as we welcome Dr. Young to share his research, his spiritual journey, and images from his gallery exhibitions, including, 'The Earth Exposed' and 'Macro or Micro'.

Scan the QR code or visit trinitychurchboston.
org/calendar to access the Zoom link. To Or dial in with 1-646-5588656 and enter Meeting ID: 821 2826 6203.

Why Should I Feast

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FAMILIES

and Why Should I Fast? Sun., 2/6, 3 pm, on Zoom

Join us for a time of learning and engaging activities exploring the ideas of feasting and fasting. As Epiphany begins to shift towards Lent, we will ask: what can families do together to learn about the place of food in the life of the Spirit? We encourage all elementary-aged children (and their parents) to attend!

A Zoom link will be sent directly to families. If you would like to attend, contact Cathy Portlock Pacitto at cportlock@trinitychurchboston.org.

STEWARDSHIP



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New Year, New Info? Update Your Records Today!

"I am the Good Shepherd; I know my own and my own know me."

JOHN 10:14

Help Trinity know and stay connected with you so we can minister together most effectively. New address, phone, email info? Other changes in your household? Send in any updates as we refresh our database records. Please send an email to **directory@trinitychurchboston. org**. Thanks for your help in keeping us up to date!

WELCOME

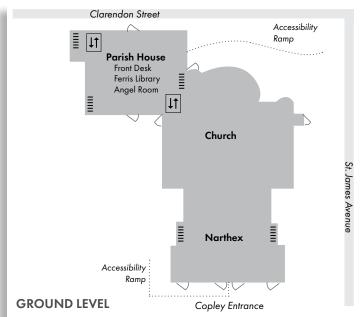


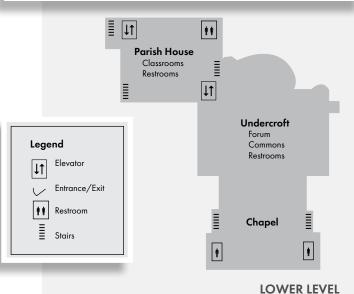
Whether you're new among us or you've been worshiping here for years, we look forward to helping you make a home for faith here at Trinity.

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

(Morning Prayer last Sunday of the month)

Includes Children's Homily

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

11 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II

(Morning Prayer last Sunday of the month) 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

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Each can be reached at bit.ly/TrinityVestry

Clergy & 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.

OPENING RITE

Prelude 'Adagio, from Symphonie V'

Charles-Marie Widor (1844-1937)

Hymn 535 'Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim'



Words: Charles Wesley (1707-1788), alt.

Music: Paderborn, melody from Catolisch-Paderbornisches Gesang-buch, 1765; harm. Sydney Hugo Nicholson (1875-1947)

Sentences of Scripture

Worship at Trinity

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

Confession & Absolution

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Most merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.

For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

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

Amen.

THE INVITATORY & PSALTER

Invitatory

Lord, open our lips.

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!

Canticle S-4 Venite'

Sung by all.



- O come, let us sing unto the Lord; *
 let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our sal vation.
- 2 Let us come before his presence with thanks giving, * and show ourselves glad in him with psalms. [Ant.]
- For the Lord is a great God, * and a great King a bove all gods.
- 4 In his hand are all the corners of the earth, * and the strength of the hills is his also.
- 5 The sea is his and he made it, and his hands pre pared the dry land. [Ant.]
- 6 O come, let us worship and fäll down * and kneel before the Lord our Maker.
- 7 For he is the Lord our God, *
 and we are the people of his pasture
 and the sheep of his hand. [Ant.]
- 8 O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness; * let the whole earth stand in awe of him.
- 9 For he cometh, for he cometh to 'judge the 'earth, *
 and with righteousness to judge the world
 and the 'peoples' with his 'truth. [Ant.]

(Gloria Patri may be added)

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, * and to the Holy Spirit:

As it was in the be ginning, is now, * and will be for ever. A men. [Ant.]

Psalm 71:1-6

In you, O Lord, have I taken refuge; * let me never be ashamed.

In your righteousness, deliver me and set me free; * incline your ear to me and save me.

Be my strong rock, a castle to keep me safe; * you are my crag and my stronghold.

Deliver me, my God, from the hand of the wicked, * from the clutches of the evildoer and the oppressor.

For you are my hope, O Lord God, * my confidence since I was young.

I have been sustained by you ever since I was born; from my mother's womb you have been my strength; * my praise shall be always of you.

THE LESSONS

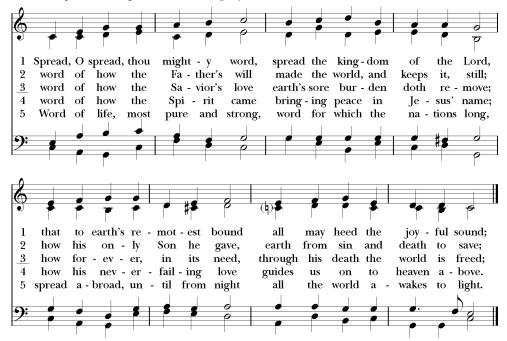
Reading James 3:1-12

Not many of you should become teachers, my brothers and sisters, for you know that we who teach will be judged with greater strictness. For all of us make many mistakes. Anyone who makes no mistakes in speaking is perfect, able to keep the whole body in check with a bridle. If we put bits into the mouths of horses to make them obey us, we guide their whole bodies. Or look at ships: though they are so large that it takes strong winds to drive them, yet they are guided by a very small rudder wherever the will of the pilot directs. So also the tongue is a small member, yet it boasts of great exploits. How great a forest is set ablaze by a small fire! And the tongue is a fire. The tongue is placed among our members as a world of iniquity; it stains the whole body, sets on fire the cycle of nature, and is itself set on fire by hell. For every species of beast and bird, of reptile and sea creature, can be tamed and has been tamed by the human species, but no one can tame the tongue—a restless evil, full of deadly poison. With it we bless the Lord and Father, and with it we curse those who are made in the likeness of God. From the same mouth come blessing and cursing. My brothers and sisters, this ought not to be so. Does a spring pour forth from the same opening both fresh and brackish water? Can a fig tree, my brothers and sisters, yield olives, or a grapevine figs? No more can salt water yield fresh.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Hymn 530 'Spread, O spread, thou mighty word'



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At the 9 am service, during this hymn, preschool and elementary aged children will meet members of our Children's Ministries staff beneath the pulpit to travel to homily in the Forum. Our Director of Children's Ministries, Cathy Portlock Pacitto, will then lead the children's return to the sanctuary during the Presentation Hymn.

Reading Luke 4:21-30

Jesus began to speak in the synagogue at Nazareth: "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing." All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They said, "Is not this Joseph's son?" He said to them, "Doubtless you will quote to me this proverb, 'Doctor, cure yourself!' And you will say, 'Do here also in your hometown the things that we have heard you did at Capernaum." And he said, "Truly I tell you, no prophet is accepted in the prophet's hometown. But the truth is, there were many widows in Israel in the time of Elijah, when the heaven was shut up three years and six months, and there was a severe famine over all the land; yet Elijah was sent to none of them except to a widow at Zarephath in Sidon. There were also many lepers in Israel in the time of the prophet Elisha, and none of them was cleansed except Naaman the Syrian." When they heard this, all in the synagogue were filled with rage. They got up, drove him out of the town, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their town was built, so that they might hurl him off the cliff. But he passed through the midst of them and went on his way.

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

The Apostles' Creed

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 PRAYERS

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** Let us pray.

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.

Suffrages B

Save your people, Lord, and bless your inheritance;

Govern and uphold them, now and always.

Day by day we bless you;

We praise your name for ever.

Lord, keep us from all sin today;

Have mercy upon us, Lord, have mercy.

Lord, show us your love and mercy;

For we put our trust in you.

In you, Lord, is our hope;

And we shall never hope in vain.

Collects & Intercessions

Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, you govern all things both in heaven and on earth: Mercifully hear the supplications of your people, and in our time grant us your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

Collects are prayers that "collect" our intentions for any given occasion. In addition to the "Collect of the Day," the Officiant will pray additional collects appropriate for this Sunday.

The Peace

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you.

Announcements



Words: Samuel Wolcott (1813-1886) Music: Moscow, melody Felice de Giardini (1716-1796); harm. The New Hymnal, 1916 based on Hymns Ancient and Modern, 1875, and Lowell Mason (1792-1872)

Sermon The Rev. Kit Lonergan, Priest for Welcome and Care

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.



Offertory Anthem 'The Call' Gail Randall (b.1955)

Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life:

Such a Way, as gives us breath:

Such a Truth, as ends all strife:

Such a Life, as killeth death.

Come, my Light, my Feast, my Strength:

Such a Light, as shows a feast:

Such a Feast, as mends in length:

Such a Strength, as makes his guest.

Come, my Joy, my Love, my Heart:

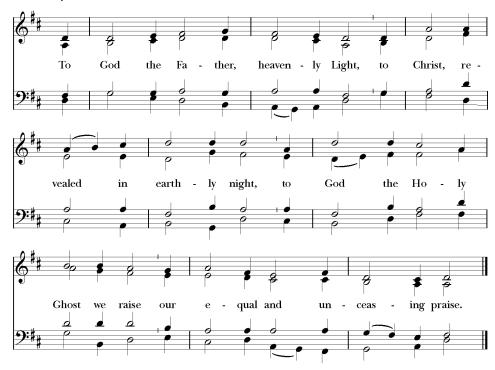
Such a Joy, as none can move:

Such a Love, as none can part:

Such a Heart, as joyes in love.

TEXT: GEORGE HERBERT (1593-1633)

Presentation Hymn



General Thanksgiving

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.

Blessing

Hymn 577 'God is love, and where true love is'





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The Dismissal

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Postlude 'Finale, from Symphonie VI'
Widor

