TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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The Fifth Sunday after Pentecost June 23, 2024

If you are visiting, please fill out a Visitor Card and put it in the offering plate or hand it to a greeter. Restrooms are located downstairs.

Kid's bags are in the narthex. Please return the bags and they will be refilled for next Sunday.

Please remember that many are preparing for worship with prayer before the service.

Hymn in Procession WLP # 812 (standing as you are able)

I, the Lord of sea and sky,
I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in deepest sin
My hand will save.
I who made the stars of night,
I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them?
Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me,
I will hold your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain,I have borne my people's pain.I have wept for love of them,They turn away.I will break their hearts of stone,Give them hearts for love alone.I will speak my word to them.Whom shall I send?

Refrain

I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame. I will set a feast for them, My hand will save. Finest bread I will provide Till their hearts be satisfied. I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?

Refrain

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy

Spirit.

People And blessed be his kingdom, now and for

ever. Amen.

The Collect for Purity

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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 Hymn Taize # 10

In the Lord I'll be ever thankful, in the Lord I will rejoice!
Look to God, do not be afraid.
Lift up your voices, the Lord is near; lift up your voices, the Lord is near.

The Celebrant says to the people

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

The Collect

O Lord, make us have perpetual love and reverence for your holy Name, for you never fail to help and govern those whom you have set upon the sure foundation of your loving-kindness; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

The First Lesson: 1 Samuel 17: (1a, 4-11, 19-23), 32-49

The Philistines gathered their armies for battle. And there came out from the camp of the Philistines a champion named Goliath, of Gath, whose height was six cubits and a span. He had a helmet of bronze on his head, and he was armed with a coat of mail; the weight of the coat was five thousand shekels of bronze. He had greaves of bronze on his legs and a javelin of bronze slung between his shoulders. The shaft of his spear was like a weaver's beam, and his spear's head weighed six hundred shekels of iron; and his shield-bearer went before him. He stood and shouted to the ranks of Israel, "Why have you come out to draw up for battle? Am I not a Philistine, and are you not servants of Saul? Choose a man for yourselves, and let him come down to me. If he is able to fight with me and kill me, then we will be your servants; but if I prevail against him and kill him, then you shall be our servants and serve us." And the Philistine said, "Today I defy the ranks of Israel! Give me a man, that we may fight together." When Saul and all Israel heard these words of the Philistine, they were dismayed and greatly afraid.

Now Saul, and they, and all the men of Israel, were in the valley of Elah, fighting with the Philistines. David rose early in the morning, left the sheep with a keeper, took the provisions, and went as Jesse had commanded him. He came to the encampment as the army was going forth to the battle line, shouting the war cry. Israel and the Philistines drew up for battle, army against army. David left the things in charge of the keeper of the baggage, ran to the ranks, and went and greeted his brothers.

As he talked with them, the champion, the Philistine of Gath, Goliath by name, came up out of the ranks of the Philistines, and spoke the same words as before. And David heard him.]

David said to Saul, "Let no one's heart fail because of him; your servant will go and fight with this Philistine." Saul said to David, "You are not able to go against this Philistine to fight with him; for you are just a boy, and he has been a warrior from his youth." But David said to Saul, "Your servant used to keep sheep for his father; and whenever a lion or a bear came, and took a lamb from the flock, I went after it and struck it down, rescuing the lamb from its mouth; and if it turned against me, I would catch it by the jaw, strike it down, and kill it. Your servant has killed both lions and bears; and this uncircumcised Philistine shall be like one of them, since he has defied the armies of the living God." David said, "The Lord, who saved me from the paw of the lion and from the paw of the bear, will save me from the hand of this Philistine." So Saul said to David, "Go, and may the Lord be with you!" Saul clothed David with his armor; he put a bronze helmet on his head and clothed him with a coat of mail. David strapped Saul's sword over the armor, and he tried in vain to walk, for he was not used to them. Then David said to Saul, "I cannot walk with these; for I am not used to them." So David removed them. Then he took his staff in his hand, and chose five smooth stones from the wadi, and put them in his shepherd's bag, in the pouch; his sling was in his hand, and he drew near to the Philistine.

The Philistine came on and drew near to David, with his shield-bearer in front of him. When the Philistine looked and saw David, he disdained him, for he was only a youth, ruddy and handsome in appearance. The Philistine said to David, "Am I a dog, that you come to me with sticks?" And the Philistine cursed David by his gods. The Philistine said to David, "Come to me, and I will give your flesh to the birds of the air and to the wild animals of the field." But David said to the Philistine, "You come to me with sword and spear and javelin; but I come to you in the name of the Lord of hosts, the God of the armies of Israel, whom you have defied. This very day the Lord will deliver you into my hand, and I will strike you down and cut off your head; and I will give the dead bodies of the Philistine army this very day to the birds of the air and to the wild animals of the earth, so that all the earth may know that there is a God in Israel, and that all this assembly may know that the Lord does not save by sword and spear; for the battle is the Lord's and he will give you into our hand."

When the Philistine drew nearer to meet David, David ran quickly toward the battle line to meet the Philistine. David put his hand in his bag, took out a stone, slung it, and struck the Philistine on his forehead; the stone sank into his forehead, and he fell face down on the ground.

The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 9:9-20 Confitebor tibi

- 9 The Lord will be a refuge for the oppressed, * a refuge in time of trouble.
- Those who know your Name will put their trust in you, *
 for you never forsake those who seek you, O Lord.
- Sing praise to the Lord who dwells in Zion; * proclaim to the peoples the things he has done.
- 12 The Avenger of blood will remember them; * he will not forget the cry of the afflicted.
- Have pity on me, O Lord; *
 see the misery I suffer from those who hate me,
 O you who lift me up from the gate of death;
- 14 So that I may tell of all your praises and rejoice in your salvation * in the gates of the city of Zion.
- The ungodly have fallen into the pit they dug, * and in the snare they set is their own foot caught.
- The Lord is known by his acts of justice; * the wicked are trapped in the works of their own hands.
- 17 The wicked shall be given over to the grave, * and also all the peoples that forget God.
- For the needy shall not always be forgotten, * and the hope of the poor shall not perish for ever.

- Rise up, O Lord, let not the ungodly have the upper hand; *
 let them be judged before you.
- 20 Put fear upon them, O Lord; * let the ungodly know they are but mortal.

The Second Lesson: 2 Corinthians 6:1-13

As we work together with Christ, we urge you also not to accept the grace of God in vain. For he says,

"At an acceptable time I have listened to you, and on a day of salvation I have helped you."

See, now is the acceptable time; see, now is the day of salvation! We are putting no obstacle in anyone's way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, but as servants of God we have commended ourselves in every way: through great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, beatings, imprisonments, riots, labors, sleepless nights, hunger; by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, holiness of spirit, genuine love, truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left; in honor and dishonor, in ill repute and good repute. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; as unknown, and yet are well known; as dying, and see-- we are alive; as punished, and yet not killed; as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing everything.

We have spoken frankly to you Corinthians; our heart is wide open to you. There is no restriction in our affections, but only in yours. In return-- I speak as to children-- open wide your hearts also.

The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Sequence Hymn # 488 (standing as you are able)

- 1 Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart; all else be nought to me, save that thou art—thou my best thought, by day or by night, waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.
- 2 Be thou my wisdom, and thou my true word; I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord; thou my great Father; thine own may I be; thou in me dwelling, and I one with thee.
- 3 High King of heaven, when victory is won, may I reach heaven's joys, bright heaven's Sun! Heart of my heart, whatever befall, still be my vision, O Ruler of all.

Celebrant The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

The Gospel: Mark 4:35-41 (stand as you are able)

When evening had come, Jesus said to his disciples, "Let us go across to the other side." And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him.

A great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped. But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Peace! Be still!" Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. He said to them, "Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?"

And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, "Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?"

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon The Very Rev. Sarah Carper Morris

The Nicene Creed (standing as you are able)

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.

The Prayers of the People Form III (standing as you are able)

The Leader and People pray responsively

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church; *That we all may be one.*

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

That your Name may be glorified by all people.

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons; That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake; *That our works may find favor in your sight.*

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

That they may be delivered from their distress.

Give to the departed eternal rest; *Let light perpetual shine upon them.*

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy; May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

Silence

The People may add their own petitions.

The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.

Confession of Sin

The Deacon or Celebrant says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept.

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.

The Celebrant concludes with an absolution or a suitable Collect.

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 BCP 360

All stand. The Celebrant says to the people

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

Announcements

(8:30 service only)

Offertory

Celebrant All things come of Thee, O Lord.

People And of thine own have we given

Thee.

(10:30 service only)

Offertory and Doxology (standing)
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.
Amen, amen, amen

Eucharistic Prayer B

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Stand as you are able. The Celebrant faces the people and sings or says

The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds

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

Preface

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

Holy, holy, holy Lord: Sanctus

Holy, holy, holy Lord God of pow'r and might, Heav'n and earth are full Full of your glory Hosanna in the highest. Bless'd is he who comes In the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest

Stand or kneel as you are able

Then the Celebrant continues

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.

At the following words concerning the bread, the Celebrant is to hold it or lay a hand upon it; and at the words concerning the cup, to hold or place a hand upon the cup and any other vessel containing wine to be consecrated.

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 Father,

Celebrant and People

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

The Celebrant continues

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

People AMEN.

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

People and Celebrant

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.

A period of silence is kept.

Facing the people, the Celebrant says the following Invitation

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

The ministers receive the Sacrament in both kinds, and then immediately deliver it to the people.

All are welcome at the Lord's Table. If you do not wish to receive the bread and wine, please cross your arms across your chest to receive a blessing. Gluten-free wafers are available. If you need communion brought to you, please let an usher know.

The Bread and the Cup are given to the communicants with these words

The Body of Christ, the bread of heaven. [Amen.] The Blood of Christ, the cup of salvation. [Amen.]

Communion Meditation Taize #11

Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom. Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.

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 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.

Blessing

Celebrant

Life is short, and we do not have much time to gladden the hearts of those who make the journey with us. So be swift to love, and make haste to be kind. And the blessing of God, who made us, who loves us, and who travels with us, be with you now and for ever.

People Amen.

Hymn in Procession # 362

- 1 Holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
 Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee:
 Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty,
 God in three Persons, blessèd Trinity.
- 2 Holy, holy! All the saints adore thee, casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea; cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee, which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.
- 3 Holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee, though the sinful human eye thy glory may not see, only thou art holy; there is none beside thee, perfect in power, in love, and purity.
- 4 Holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
 All thy works shall praise thy Name, in earth, and sky, and sea;
 Holy, holy! Merciful and mighty,

Dismissal

Let us go forth into the world rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

People Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

God in three Persons, blessèd Trinity.

PRAYERS AND REMEMBRANCES OF THE WEEK

Bill R. Pendleton Larry Wirick **Immediate Needs:** Marv Rev. Bill Pendleton Jerry Wuenscher Bishop Michael Curry **Long Term Needs:** Joanie Robbins Doris Fawcett Ann Cochrane Locke Rowe Carol Ford Candace Sammons Steve Hines Jennifer Green Denny Shelton John Moore Scott Green Summer Stage Wade Nichols Jeffrev Holt Matthew Stevens Lorene Ramsey Carrie Krahn Celeste Tsaklis Betty Town Gus Lewis Scarlett Vaughn Vicky Town Cynthia Light Kelli Vincen John Townsend Kitty Martin Joe Waddell

Kenneth Matthews Henrietta Williams

Angie Nolfo

TRINITY FAMILY IN THE ARMED SERVICES OF OUR COUNTRY

Amanda Eads, Wesley Frye, Corbin Humphrey, Matt Kroupa, Glenn Lynch, Gordon Lynch, Haley Muething, John Nichols, Christopher Noble, Robert Poole

DIOCESAN CYCLE OF PRAYER

St. Bartholomew's, Pittsboro St. Cyprian's, Oxford St. Stephen's, Oxford

BIRTHDAYS

June 21st Jane Ciancio, 24th Frances Fawcett Rodenbough 26th Polly Kidwell

FLOWERS

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God and in thanks to the discernment committee: Jane Ciancio, Steve Delecroix, Jan Frye-Hill and Kevin Wilson by Jessica Simandle.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Backyard Bible Study will begin on Tuesday, June 25th at 6:00 p.m. We will study the book of James. Wendy Tatman has offered to host the first meeting at her home at 1891 Simpson Mill Rd. Mount Airy. Please bring a dish to share and join us for our Bible study and fellowship. Please let us know if you would like to host. The following dates are available: July 16 & 30, August 13 & 27.

Staples is collecting kid-friendly food for our youth group. Most students have breakfast and lunch at school and with the summer break they would have to go someplace to pick up the food. We would like to pack bags that would get them through the summer break. No child should go hungry. We will keep a box upstairs in the Narthex if you would like to contribute. Suggested items would be ready to eat products such as pop tarts, cereal, granola bars, chips, crackers, etc. and items they can warm in the microwave such as soups, ramen cups, macaroni and cheese, and Chef Boyardee pastas.

Diocesan News: The 81st General Convention started this week in Louisville. Learn more about it in the new Disciple. Among other things, we will elect a new Presiding Bishop this year as Michael Curry's term is ending. Please pray for wisdom for our delegates, clergy, and bishops as they gather to make decisions. You can listen at bit.ly/HODPocast to hear about resolutions and topics that will be discussed. You can subscribe to the General Convention newsletter: bit.ly/GCONews

Birthdays and Anniversaries- If you would like to share those dates with us we would love to celebrate you.

There will be a **Heresies to Doctrines** theology "Encore" presentation at Trinity Episcopal Church, Mt. Airy, on Saturday, June 29, 9:30 A.M. – Noon. This session will be electronically enhanced with Power Point. Topics are "Church Doctrines" and the "Nature of Jesus." Cost is \$10 donation at the door, **no cost** for anyone wishing to attend a 2nd time. No registration needed. *Walk-ins* welcome but it would help with planning if you would inform the church office (336) 786-6067 of your intent to attend.

Book Group will not start a new book this summer but will meet on July 17th and discuss any books you have been reading. Join us in the Parish Hall at 10:30 a.m. for fellowship and great discussion.

A Note of Thanks

Jan and I want to express our deepest gratitude for the delicious meals, calls, cards, and prayers during my recent surgery. We are blessed by your presence in our lives!

All our love, Deacon Bill

MINISTERS FOR THE 8:30 SERVICE

Today	Ministry	Next Sunday
Vicky Town	LECTOR	Jessica Simandle
Jim Couture	CHALICE BEARER	Vicky Town
Jessica Simandle	GREETER	Ted Ashby
Jim Couture	ACOLYTE	Vicky Town

MINISTERS FOR THE 10:30 SERVICE

This Sunday	Ministry	Next Sunday
Lucinda Fallin	LECTOR	Brenda Goings
Wendy & Jesse	CHALICE BEARER	Roxann & Brenda
Bill & Janet	GREETERS	Gloria & Larry
Pam & Jane	ALTAR GUILD	Margie Martin
Ross Borders	VESTRY	Ann Vaughn
Wyatt & Jesse	ACOLYTE	Nemo & Roxann

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

8:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
10:00 a.m.	Loan Closet
3:00 p.m.	Youth Group
6:00 p.m.	Backyard Bible Study
5:30 p.m.	Holy Eucharist
8:30 a.m.	Staples
1:00 p.m.	Art Group
3:00 p.m.	Loan Closet
4:00 p.m.	Caregiver/Grief Support
9:30 a.m.	Heresies to Doctrines Theology
8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist Holy Eucharist
	10:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m. 8:30 a.m. 1:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m. 9:30 a.m.

TRINITY VESTRY

Ross Borders, Roxann Moore, Jessica Simandle, Wendy Tatman, Ann Vaughn, Mike Wilson, Lee Wilsonwithers No matter where you come from or where you're going
No matter what you believe or what you doubt
No matter what you feel or just don't feel today
No matter whom you love
You are welcome into this space to be met by a God
Who knows you by name, who knows your heart, who knows
your mind, and...
Who wants to have a relationship with you