

# January 19, 2025 The Second Sunday after the Epiphany 10:00 a.m. – Holy Eucharist (Rite II)

# A WARM WELCOME TO ALL

At Trinity Church, we believe God's love is expansive and unconditional and that through Christ, God has called us to love one another as God loves us. We welcome all people regardless of gender, race, age, culture, ethnic background, sexual orientation, economic circumstances, family configuration, or difference of ability. We celebrate the worth, dignity, and gifts of every person as a child of God. Variations on a Dutch Tune

Johann Pachelbel



Words: Sts. 1-3, Christopher Wordsworth (1807-1885); st. 4, F. Bland Tucker (1895-1984) Music: *Salzburg*, melody Jakob Hintze (1622-1702); harm. Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

# THE WORD OF GOD

all stand as able

CelebrantBlessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.PeopleAnd 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.





## THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

## And also with you.

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

People

Almighty God, whose Son our Savior Jesus Christ is the light of the world: Grant that your people, illumined by your Word and Sacraments, may shine with the radiance of Christ's glory, that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**.

#### THE FIRST LESSON

For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until her vindication shines out like the dawn, and her salvation like a burning torch. The nations shall see your vindication, and all the kings your glory; and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the Lord will give. You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the Lord, and a royal diadem in the hand of your God. You shall no more be termed Forsaken, and your land shall no more be termed Desolate; but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her, and your land Married; for the Lord delights in you, and your land shall be married. For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your builder marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice over you.

Lector	The Word of the Lord.
People	Thanks be to God.



<sup>5</sup> Your love, O LORD, 'reaches to the heavens, \* and your faithfulness to the clouds.

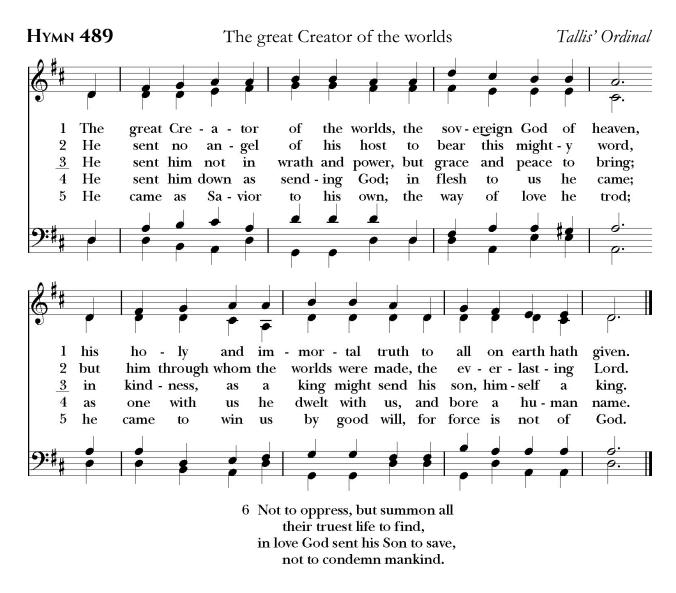
- 6 Your righteousness is like the strong mountains, your justice like the grëat deep; \* you save both man and beast, O LORD.
- 7 How priceless is your love, O'God! \* your people take refuge under the shadow of your wings.
- 8 They feast upon the a<sup>l</sup>bundance of your <sup>l</sup>house; \* you give them drink from the <sup>l</sup>river of <sup>l</sup>your de<sup>l</sup>lights.
- 9 For with you is the well of life, \* and in your light we see light.
- 10 Continue your loving-kindness to those who know you, \* and your favor to those who are true of heart.

# SECOND LESSON

## 1 Corinthians 12:1-11

Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. You know that when you were pagans, you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak. Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking by the Spirit of God ever says "Let Jesus be cursed!" and no one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit. Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

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



Words: *Epistle to Diognetus*, ca. 150; tr. F. Bland Tucker (1895-1984), rev. Music: *Tallis' Ordinal*, Thomas Tallis (1505?-1585)

## Gospel

John 2:1-11

GospellerThe Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.PeopleGlory to you, Lord Christ.

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come." His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. He said to them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward." So they took it. When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now." Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

GospelerThe Gospel of the Lord.PeoplePraise to you, Lord Christ.

## THE SERMON

Karl LaClair Chaplain & Coordinator of Christian Life, Brandeis University

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People

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**

*Intercessor* Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world. Lord in your mercy

People hear our prayer.

*Intercessor* Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good. Lord in your mercy

People hear our prayer.

- *Intercessor* Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory. Lord in your mercy
- People hear our prayer.
- Intercessor
  Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation. We pray especially for those on our parish prayer list: Ellie, Barbara, Colby, Susie, Nigel, Christine, Ryan & Kim, Peter, Nancy, Joan, Caroline, Jinna, Barbara, Jim, Cameron, Irina, Kent, Andrew, Miriam, Arthur, Frank, Nan, Jenny, Donald, David, Will, Spencer, Kathy, Jim, Anna, David, John, Allan, Tim, Duncan, Paul, Michael, Colby, Chris, Andrew, Ray, Helen, Adrianna, Dan, Ben, Ryan, Barbara, Ellen, and Cynthia. Lord in your mercy

People hear our prayer.

*Intercessor* Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us. Lord in your mercy

People hear our prayer.

*Intercessor* We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom. Lord in your mercy

People hear our prayer.

*Intercessor* O God, our refuge and strength, our help in times of trouble. Have mercy on the lands damaged by fires. Guard and protect first responders and those who care for others in danger. Protect those who evacuate houses, and give them shelter and encouragement to face the days to come. Strengthen those who rebuild hope, so that entire communities may face the future without fear. Lord in your mercy

#### People hear our prayer.

*Intercessor* Grant, O God, that your holy and life-giving Spirit may so move every human heart, and especially the hearts of the people of this land, that barriers which divide us may crumble, suspicions disappear, and hatreds cease; that our divisions being healed, we may live in justice and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Lord in your mercy** (Book of Common Prayer, p. 823)

People hear our prayer.

*Celebrant* O God, by the leading of a star you manifested your only Son to the peoples of the earth: Lead us, who know your now by faith, to your presence, where we may see your glory face to face; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.** 

## **CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION**

*Celebrant* Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

- PeopleMost merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in<br/>thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we<br/>have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we<br/>have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and<br/>we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have<br/>mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and<br/>walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.
- *Celebrant* 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

CelebrantThe peace of the Lord be always with you.PeopleAnd also with you.

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

# THE HOLY COMMUNION

#### ANTHEM

*Jesu dulcis memoria* Tomás Luis de Victoria Jesu dulcis memoria, dans vera cordis gaudia, sed super mel et omnia, ejus dulcis praesentia.

Jesus sweet memory, you give true joy to the heart, But more than honey and everything, is your sweet presence.





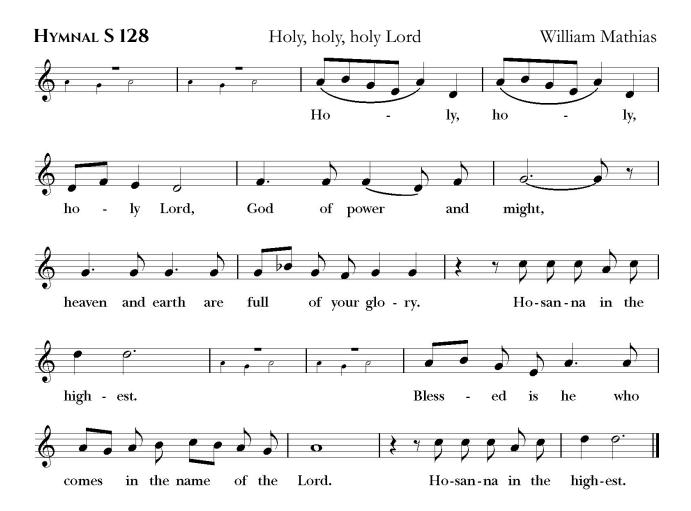
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*Celebrant* Generous God, creator, redeemer, sustainer, at your table we present bread and wine and this money, symbol of the work you have given us to do; use it, use us, in the service of your world to the glory of your name. **Amen**.

## EUCHARISTIC PRAYER B all stand as able

Celebrant	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.

*Celebrant* It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your son Jesus Christ our Lord. 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:



CelebrantWe give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you<br/>have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your<br/>people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the<br/>Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to<br/>be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the<br/>world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to<br/>stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth,<br/>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 Father, People We remember his death, We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory;

*Celebrant* 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 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. Amen.

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

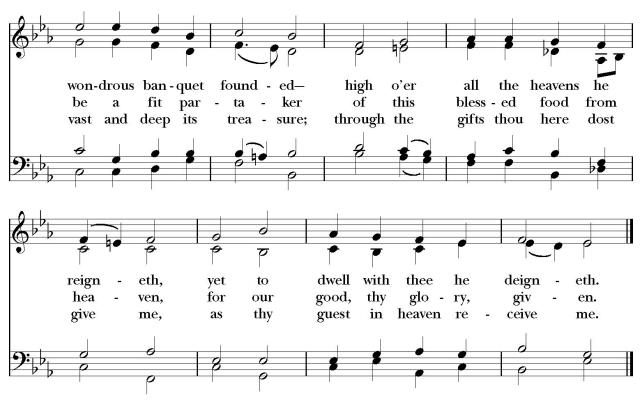
CelebrantAlleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;PeopleTherefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

## INVITATION AND COMMUNION

*Celebrant* The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

All are welcome to receive Holy Eucharist as One Body in Christ. Please come forward as directed by the ushers. You are welcome to receive wine from the common cup, but there is no intinction. If you are at home, please eat your pre-consecrated host now, in communion with all our brothers and sisters in Christ who share in the healing of His Body. We are always ONE Body in Christ.





Words: Johann Franck (1618-1677); tr. Catherine Winkworth (1827-1878), alt. Music: Schmücke dich, melody Johann Cruger (1598-1662); harm. The English Hymnal, 1906

#### THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER all stand as able

Officiant Let us pray.

People

God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

## THE **B**LESSING

*Officiant* May God, by the power that turned water into wine at the wedding feast at Cana, transform your lives and make glad your hearts. And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. **Amen.** 





Words: Kathleen Thomerson (b. 1934) Music: *Houston*, Kathleen Thomerson (b. 1934)

# THE DISMISSAL

Celebrant	Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
People	Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Final variation on a Dutch Tune

Johann Pachelbel

Altar Guild & Flowers

Carolynn Luby April Prewitt, flowers Debbie Scarff

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Carol Burroughs

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Preacher

Karl LaClair, Chaplain & Coordinator of

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Celebrant The Rev. Nancy J. Hagner

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Special thanks to Trinity's Choirs for the musical offerings. Our liturgy this morning is from the Book of Common Prayer.

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