TRINITY PRO-CATHEDRAL

HOW MANY TIMES SHALL I FORGIVE MY BROTHER?

MATTHEW 18:21

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SEPTEMBER 13, 2020
Guidelines:

We are following the diocesan parameters in *Returning to Our Buildings: Guidance and Direction for Worshipping Communities in the Time of Covid-19*.

- Face masks must be worn inside, and 6-foot physical distance observed.
- Use Trinity Place entrance. The handicapped doors in the chapel and parish hall are for egress only. Our “Health Safety Minister” ushers can open the handicap doors if needed.
- Attendance will be taken to facilitate potential contact tracking.
- There will be no singing.
- Bow or wave to others during the *Peace* from your pew.
- Collection will be put in the provided alms basin.
- Fr. Ken will distribute the blessed communion wafers at individual pews and chairs.
- Exiting will be by row.

This schedule will be updated as restrictions are lifted. Thanks for your patience and faithfulness.

**Midweek Services by Zoom**

Noonday Prayer, Tuesdays at 12:15 pm

Compline, Thursdays at 8 pm

[https://zoom.us/j/4108747702](https://zoom.us/j/4108747702)

To join by phone, call 1-646-558-8656, meeting ID: 410 874 7702, password: 53787
PRELUDE

Wenn wir in höchsten Nöten sein  J. S. Bach

HYMN

O bless the Lord, my soul  ST. THOMAS (WILLIAMS)

OPENING PROCLAMATION AND COLLECT FOR PURITY

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
All And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Celebrant 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.
All Amen.

THE GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King
Almighty God and Father,
We worship you, we give you thanks,
We praise you for your glory.
Lord, Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
You take away the sin of the world:
Have mercy on us;
You are seated at the right hand of the Father:
Receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One,
You alone are the Lord,
You alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
In the glory of God the Father. Amen.

**SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY**

Celebrant  God be with you.

*All*  And also with you.

Celebrant  Let us pray.

*All*  O God, because without you we are not able to please you, mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

**FIRST LESSON**

Exodus 14:19-31  

**RESPONSE**

Exodus 15:1b-11, 20-21

“I will sing to the Lord, for he has triumphed gloriously; horse and rider he has thrown into the sea.

The Lord is my strength and my might,
and he has become my salvation;

this is my God, and I will praise him,
my father's God, and I will exalt him.

The Lord is a warrior;
the Lord is his name.
“Pharaoh's chariots and his army he cast into the sea; his picked officers were sunk in the Red Sea.

The floods covered them; they went down into the depths like a stone.

Your right hand, O Lord, glorious in power—your right hand, O Lord, shattered the enemy.

In the greatness of your majesty you overthrew your adversaries; you sent out your fury, it consumed them like stubble.

At the blast of your nostrils the waters piled up, the floods stood up in a heap; the deeps congealed in the heart of the sea.

The enemy said, 'I will pursue, I will overtake, I will divide the spoil, my desire shall have its fill of them. I will draw my sword, my hand shall destroy them.'

You blew with your wind, the sea covered them; they sank like lead in the mighty waters.

“Who is like you, O Lord, among the gods? Who is like you, majestic in holiness, awesome in splendor, doing wonders?"

Then the prophet Miriam, Aaron's sister, took a tambourine in her hand; and all the women went out after her with tambourines and with dancing.

And Miriam sang to them:

“Sing to the Lord, for he has triumphed gloriously; horse and rider he has thrown into the sea.”

SECOND LESSON

Romans 14:1-12  Bible 1190

GRADUAL HYMN

Forgive our sins as we forgive  DETROIT
THE NICENE CREED

All

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,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary
and became truly human.
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,  
who with the Father and the Son  
is worshiped and glorified,  
who 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 VI

Lector  In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.  

Silence is kept.

Lector  For all people in their daily life and work;  
All  For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.

Lector  For this community, the nation, and the world;  
All  For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.

Lector  For the just and proper use of your creation;  
All  For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.

Lector  For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;  
All  For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.

Lector  For the peace and unity of the Church of God;  
All  For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.

Lector  For our Presiding Bishop, Michael, our Bishop, Audrey, our Rector, Ken, our staffs, and in our Diocesan Calendar of Prayer  
for St. James Exchange and St. John in the Wilderness, Eagles Mere and in our Anglican Fellowship of Prayer for South America, and for Our Parish Partner, Saint Magnus of Lerwick, Shetland Islands, Scotland.  

All  For all who serve God in his Church.
Lector For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

Silence is kept.

The People may add their own petitions.

Lector Hear us, Lord;
All For your mercy is great.

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

Silence is kept.

The People may add their own thanksgivings.

Lector We will exalt you, O God our King;
All And praise your Name for ever and ever.

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

Silence is kept.

The People may add their own petitions.

Lector Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;
All Who put their trust in you.

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

Silence is kept.

All 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.

THE PEACE AND GREETINGS

Celebrant The peace of Christ be always with you.
All And also with you.

One half of the loose offering and any designated gifts go to the Mission of the Month. September’s designated mission is CROP Walk.
**BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY PRAYERS & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

*All* Watch over your children, O God, as their days increase. Strengthen them where they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall and in their hearts may your peace that passes all understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ in the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

**OFFERTORY**

Liebster Jesu, wir sind hier

J. S. Bach

**AT THE PRESENTATION**

All things come of thee, O Lord, and of thine own have we given thee.

**EUCHARISTIC PRAYER 3**

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.
*All* And also with you.

*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts.
*All* We lift them to the Lord.

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

*Celebrant* All thanks and praise are yours at all times and in all places, our true and loving God; through Jesus Christ, your eternal Word, the Wisdom from on high by whom you created all things. You laid the foundations of the world and enclosed the sea when it burst out from the womb; You brought forth all creatures of the earth and gave breath to humankind.

Wondrous are you, Holy One of Blessing, all you create is a sign of hope for our journey; And so as the morning stars sing your praises we join the heavenly beings and all creation as we shout with joy:
All
Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

Celebrant
Glory and honor are yours, Creator of all, your Word has never been silent; you called a people to yourself, as a light to the nations, you delivered them from bondage and led them to a land of promise. Of your grace, you gave Jesus to be human, to share our life, to proclaim the coming of your holy reign and give himself for us, a fragrant offering.

Through Jesus Christ our Redeemer, you have freed us from sin, brought us into your life, reconciled us to you, and restored us to the glory you intend for us.

We thank you that on the night before he died for us Jesus took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, gave it to his friends and said: “Take, eat, this is my Body, broken for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

After supper Jesus took the cup of wine, said the blessing, gave it to his friends and said: “Drink this, all of you: this cup is the new Covenant in my Blood, poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

And so, remembering all that was done for us: the cross, the tomb, the resurrection and ascension, longing for Christ’s coming in glory, and presenting to you these gifts your earth has formed and human hands have made, we acclaim you, O Christ:

All
Dying, you destroyed our death.
Rising, you restored our life.
Christ Jesus, come in glory!

Celebrant
Send your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these gifts of bread and wine that they may be to us the Body and Blood of your Christ. Grant that we, burning with your Spirit’s power, may be a people of hope, justice and love.
Giver of Life, draw us together in the Body of Christ, and in the fullness of time gather us with [blessed ________, and] all your people into the joy of our true eternal home.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, we worship you our God and Creator in voices of unending praise.

_All_ Blessed are you now and for ever. Amen.

**THE LORD’S PRAYER**

_Celebrant_ As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray.

_All_ Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen.

**AT THE FRACTION**

_Celebrant_ Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

_All_ Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

_Celebrant_ We break this bread to share in the Body of Christ.

_All_ We who are many are one body,
for we all share in the one bread.

_Celebrant_ God of promise, you have prepared a banquet for us.

_All_ Happy are those who are called to the Supper of the Lamb.

_Celebrant_ This is the true bread which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.

_All_ Whoever eats this bread will live for ever.
INVITATION TO 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.

THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Celebrant  Let us pray.  
All  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 earth. Now send us forth in the power of your 
Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world 
and continue forever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. 
Amen.

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

Celebrant  The Wisdom of God, the Love of God and the Grace of God 
strengthen you to be Christ’s hands and heart in this world, in 
the name of the Holy Trinity.  
All  Amen.  
Celebrant  Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the 
Spirit.  
All  Thanks be to God.

HYMN

Now thank we all our God  

NUN Danket alle Gott

VOLUNTARY

Nun danket alle Gott (from Cantata 79)  

J. S. Bach
New Schedule – We have returned to two services, an 8 am spoken service in the chapel and a 10 am music service in the main church. The parish hall will be used for overflow if we have more than 25 people. The 10 am service will be livestreamed on facebook and available for later viewing.

The Backhouse Café Bible Study will meet at the church for now using masks & social distancing (outside when we can) starting Wednesday, September 16 at 5:30-6:45 pm.

Bible Basics meets on the 2nd and 4th Fridays at 9:30 am.

Habitat for Humanity – Our next workday at 702 Diamond Street in Newberry is September 23. Sign up to help at https://lycominghabitat.org/

Pledge Sunday - Please bring your pledge card on September 27 to the 8:00 or 10:00 service, or email or mail your pledge to the church. We encourage everyone to keep their pledge payments current. If you cannot regularly attend, please mail a check to the church, or give online at https://diocesecpa.org/stewardship. You may also contact Sherri to set up auto debit. Thank you!

Our September Mission of the Month is the CROP Walk. The CROP Walk is scheduled for Sunday, October 11 at 1 pm at the River Walk. Registration and the walk begin at St. Mark’s Lutheran. Walkers can walk 3, 6 or 9 miles. Walkers may also walk other routes on their own. For more info, go to www.crophungerwalk.org/williamsportpa or contact Fr. Ken.

A Blood Drive will be held at Trinity on Wednesday, October 14 from 1-6 pm with social distancing guidelines. You must pre-register to give blood; no walk ins allowed.

Diocesan Convention will be held virtually on October 17. Trinity’s delegates are Fr. Ken, Gretchen Weaver, Robin Knauth and Daisy Thomas.

Daylight Saving Time ends on Sunday, November 1. Be sure to set your clocks BACK one hour.

On All Saints’ Sunday, November 1, we will honor the lives of those who have preceded us into Glory. Please drop off or email the names you wish to be remembered by October 25.
United Thank Offering (UTO) - Sunday, November 1
The power of the Blue Box is unlimited! It is such a simple thing to take a moment each day to pause, reflect upon the many blessings in our lives, give thanks to God and put aside a few coins as blessings to the lives of others.

Remembrance Day—Sunday, November 8

Blessing Box—Thanks for your continued donations of food and money.

2 Million by 2025, the campaign for the Trinity Growth Fund, has been put on hold due to the pandemic. Our goal is still to raise 2 million by 2025, but due to covid we realize resources may be limited and employment uncertain. Any gifts made to the Trinity Growth Fund will be matched by the Konjevoda bequest up to $125,000.

Children’s Education - More information is coming soon on Sunday School and Youth Group which will start up in October.

Church Publishing is offering books and free resources for the fall. For more info go to https://www.churchpublishing.org/freeresources

Calendar
Vestry – September 15, 6:30 pm (Zoom)
Habitat Workday – September 23
Outreach – September 23, 2 pm (Zoom)
Pledge Sunday – September 27
Ecumenical Youth – October 4, 6 pm (Zoom)
W Branch Convocation – October 7, 6 pm (Virtual)
CROP Walk – October 11, 1 pm
Blood Drive – October 14, 1-6 pm
Diocesan Convention – October 17 (Virtual)
Oxford House – October 21, 3 pm (Zoom)
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**Today’s Altar Flowers**

are in memory of
Verus & Ruth Loner, Sarah Boatman, Jessica Snook,
Sarah C. Loner, and Delores A. Loner
by Cris Loner.

**Today is Grandparents' Day!**

Gifts were made to the Trinity Growth Fund:

In memory of Wilbur G. & Martha Winter,
and John H. Sr. & Fay Archer by John Archer III

In memory of Kenneth E. & Martha V. Pizza, Sr.
and in honor of Richard & Molly Wagner
by Ken & Becky, and Zachary and Alex Wagner-Pizza

In memory of Jacob & Mary Lovett
and Foster & Sarah Herman by Mary Ann Stine
As a member of the Oxford House I would like to thank anyone and everyone for the donations and just everything that has been received that has benefitted this house. Because of you this house is becoming my home for now. So thank you for everything.

Sincerely,
Monique

Thank you for all that you and everyone has done. You have given me a second chance at life which I am eternally grateful for.

Deana

I would like to say thank you so much on behalf of the Oxford House and myself for all you have done for us. You’ve helped us more than you know with what we all call home. Words cannot express how grateful we are.

Love,
Krista

Thank you so much for the gift card. It was greatly appreciated. It was thoughtful and helped tremendously.

Yvette

Thank you for all your help and all you do for us. Helping me know what it is like to have a home and people who care about me. I am grateful and super appreciative.

Thank you,
Autumn