

**TRINITY CATHEDRAL  
OF THE DIOCESE OF NEW JERSEY**



**JUNE 15, 2025 – TRINITY SUNDAY - YEAR C  
HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!**

**8:30 AM - THE HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE ONE**

**CELEBRANT & PREACHER - THE REV. PHILIP CARR-JONES**

**Our Vision:**

**A visible agent of God's love in Christ, joyfully embracing all people.**

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*Trinity Cathedral Academy Pre-School*

## **Join us for two Community Gatherings!**

**Wednesday, June 18, 2025**

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| <b>10:30-11:30AM</b>  | <b>Trinity Cathedral Academy Stepping Up &amp; Moving On Celebration</b>  |
| <b>11:30AM-1:00PM</b> | <b>An information session on New Jersey Car Seat Law and child safety, with a demonstration by the Mercer County Sheriff's Department</b> |

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**Lunch will be provided  
Educational materials  
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WELCOME! We're honored that you're worshipping with us today. Masks are optional within the Cathedral buildings. Please use the hand sanitizer that is provided throughout the building before and after touching any surfaces. Thank you for helping us to remain as safe as possible while enjoying in-person worship. "This is how we love one another!"

*Please stand as indicated and be seated for lessons*

## **Liturgy of the Word**

**Prelude**

*Dr. Kerry Heimann, organ*

*All stand*

**Processional Hymn**

**Hymnal # 370  
vs. 1 & 7**

**I Bind Unto Myself Today**

*Celebrant:* Alleluia. Christ is risen.

*People:* **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

*Celebrant:* Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

*All say together*

**Gloria in Excelsis**

**Glory be to God on high,  
and on earth peace, good will towards men.**

**We praise thee, we bless thee,  
we worship thee,  
we glorify thee,  
we give thanks to thee for thy great glory,**

**O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.  
O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;  
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
that takest away the sins of the world,  
have mercy upon us.  
Thou that takest away the sins of the world,  
receive our prayer.  
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father,  
have mercy upon us.**

**For thou only art holy;  
thou only art the Lord;  
thou only, O Christ,  
with the Holy Ghost,  
art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

### **The Collect of the Day**

*Celebrant:* The Lord be with you.

***People:* And with thy spirit.**

*Celebrant:* Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, who hast given unto us thy servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of the Divine Majesty to worship the Unity: We beseech thee that thou wouldest keep us steadfast in this faith and worship, and bring us at last to see thee in thy one and eternal glory, O Father; who with the Son and the Holy Spirit livest and reignest, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

*The people are seated*

### **First Reading**

**A Reading from the book of Proverbs (8:1-4, 22-31)**

Does not wisdom call, and does not understanding raise her voice? On the heights, beside the way, at the crossroads she takes her stand; beside the gates in front of the town, at the entrance of the portals she cries out: "To you, O people, I call, and my cry is to all that live. The Lord created me at the beginning of his work, the first of his acts of long ago. Ages ago I was set up, at the first, before the beginning of the earth. When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no springs abounding with water. Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth—when he had not yet made earth and fields, or the world's first bits of soil. When he established the heavens, I was there, when he drew a circle on the face of the deep, when he made firm the skies above, when he established the fountains of the deep, when he assigned to the sea its limit, so that the waters might not transgress his command, when he marked out the foundations of the earth, then I was beside him, like a master worker; and I was daily his delight, rejoicing before him always, rejoicing in his inhabited world and delighting in the human race."

The Word of the Lord.

***People:* Thanks be to God.**

*All remain seated to say*

**Psalm 8**

O Lord our Governor, \*  
how exalted is your Name in all the world!  
Out of the mouths of infants and children \*  
your majesty is praised above the heavens.  
You have set up a stronghold against your adversaries, \*  
to quell the enemy and the avenger.  
When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, \*  
the moon and the stars you have set in their courses,  
What is man that you should be mindful of him? \*  
the son of man that you should seek him out?  
You have made him but little lower than the angels; \*  
you adorn him with glory and honor;  
You give him mastery over the works of your hands; \*  
you put all things under his feet:  
All sheep and oxen, \*  
even the wild beasts of the field,  
The birds of the air, the fish of the sea, \*  
and whatsoever walks in the paths of the sea.  
O Lord our Governor, \*  
how exalted is your Name in all the world!

*Remain seated*

**Second Reading**

**A Reading from Paul's letter to the Church in Rome (5:1-5)**

Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

The Word of the Lord.

**People:**      **Thanks be to God.**

*All stand, as able*

**Sequence Hymn**

**Hymnal # 362  
vs. 1 & 2**

**Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty**

*Remain standing*

**The Gospel: John 16:12-15**

*Deacon:* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

*People:* **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

Jesus said to his disciples, "I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you."

The Gospel of the Lord.

*People* **Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

**Sermon**

**The Rev. Philip Carr-Jones  
Associate Rector  
St. Luke's Church, Gladstone**

*All stand, as able*

**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.

*Remain standing*

**Prayers of the People**

*The Lector and People pray responsively*

*Deacon:* On this Trinity Sunday, let us lift our petitions to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, saying: Lord, hear our prayer.

*Lector:* For the ministers of the church, that they build a community of love which flows from the community of God, we pray to the Lord.

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Deacon:* We remember God's holy catholic church, including Sean, our Presiding Bishop and Primate; Sally, our Bishop; René, Dean of this Cathedral; Bruce, John, Peter and Noel, priest associates; Christopher, our Deacon, along with all other ministers in this congregation, lay and ordained; and all Anglican Christians around the world, especially La Iglesia Anglicana de Mexico; and for our brothers and sisters in this diocese, including Joe Morris, Sylvestre and William, retired Bishops; Holy Trinity Church in Collingswood, Ocean City, South River, Spring Lake, and Wenonah; Trinity Cathedral in Trenton; Trinity Church in Asbury Park, Cranford, Matawan, Moorestown, Princeton, Red Bank, Rocky Hill, Swedesboro, Vincentown and Woodbridge. We pray to the Lord.

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Lector:* For every member of the human family, that we be guided to all truth by the Spirit of truth, we pray to the Lord.

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Deacon:* We commend to your prayers this day all persons deployed in the service of our country. May they dwell safely under the protection of Almighty God. We pray to the Lord.

*People:* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Lector:* For the stewards of the earth, that they accept creation as a wondrous gift and work to preserve its beauty, we pray to the Lord.

**People:** Lord, hear our prayer.

**Lector:** For the sick, that their affliction lead to their endurance, their endurance to virtue, and their virtue to hope, we pray to the Lord.

**People:** Lord, hear our prayer.

**Deacon:** We remember before you those who are sick, or in any other special need, especially the residents of Hamilton Grove Care and Rehabilitation Center; along with **the People of Ukraine and Russia, the People of Israel and Palestine, the People of Haiti, Amarachi Ngozi Okere, Ellen Wanser, Andrew McDonald, Virginia Barbarin, Donald Brokate & Anthony Rabara, Bernadette Pizzarelli, Comfort Sparks, Tyler, Food for the poor donors & families, Anita Hill, David & Svetlana, Barbara Mari, Cyndy Brown, Richard Hartman, Barbara & John Scarfo, Rolf & Sheri, Matthew deRosa, Kim Minton, Michelle Gollapalli, President Biden, Supreme Kendrick, Sheinelle Jones & family, Jay Morales, the Milgrim, Lischinsky, Wagner, Khabir and Hulig families, the Brooks family, Israel Rose, Isis Rose, Larry, Edna White, Bill Pollock, Robin & John, Noel Amadi, Richard Cook, and Darryl Francomacaro.** We pray to the Lord.

**People:** Lord, hear our prayer.

**Deacon:** We remember those who have died, especially those lost in the airplane crash in India, the victims of the ongoing wars around the world, and the victims of violence in our neighborhoods. We pray to the Lord.

**People:** Lord, hear our prayer.

**Lector:** For those who celebrate community here, that our labors spread joy and our witness bring peace, we pray to the Lord.

**People:** Lord, hear our prayer.

**Deacon:** We remember those with whom we give thanks, especially those who celebrate birthdays and anniversaries this week: **Anthony Wootson, The Very Rev. René & Andrea John, Erica Warner, The Very Rev. René John, Susan Zitofsky, James & Lynn Palmer and Rosemary Luttrell.** We pray to the Lord.

**People:** Lord, hear our prayer.

*The People may add their own petitions.*

**Celebrant:** O God, our Father from whom good things flow, we thank you and praise you, singing Holy. Answer our prayer and bring us hope through Christ your Son, who celebrates life with you in the unity of the Spirit, now and forever. **Amen.**

*Please remain in your pew for the Peace.*

**The Peace**

**Celebrant:** The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**People:** And with thy spirit.



# Holy Communion

*Remain standing*

**Offertory Hymn**

**Hymnal # 368**

**Holy Father, Great Creator**

**The Great Thanksgiving:  
Eucharistic Prayer II**

*Celebrant:* The Lord be with you.

*People:* **And with thy spirit.**

*Celebrant:* Lift up your hearts.

*People:* **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

*Celebrant:* Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

*People:* **It is meet and right so to do.**

*Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds*

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God. For with thy co-eternal Son and Holy Spirit, thou art one God, one Lord, in Trinity of Persons and in Unity of Substance; and we celebrate the one and equal glory of thee, O Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

*All say together*

**Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts:**

**Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.**

**Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.**

**Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

*All kneel or stand, as able*

*Celebrant:* All glory be to thee, O Lord our God, for that thou didst create heaven and earth, and didst make us in thine own image; and, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there a full and perfect sacrifice for the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

For in the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks to thee, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat, this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for

you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me.”

Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, we thy people do celebrate and make, with these thy holy gifts which we now offer unto thee, the memorial thy Son hath commanded us to make; having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; and looking for his coming again with power and great glory. And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us, and, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, to bless and sanctify these gifts of bread and wine, that they may be unto us the Body and Blood of thy dearly-beloved Son Jesus Christ.

And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness to accept this, our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, whereby we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, ourselves, our souls and bodies. Grant, we beseech thee, that all who partake of this Holy Communion may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, and be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; and also that we and all thy whole Church may be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord; By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. **Amen.**

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

***Celebrant and 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 Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept. Then may be said*

***Celebrant:*** Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

***People:*** Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

*All say together*

## **Agnus Dei**

**O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.**

**O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us.**

**O Lamb of God, that takest away the sins of the world, grant us thy peace.**

*The People may join in saying*

We do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table. But thou art the same Lord whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. **Amen.**

*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 baptized persons are welcome to receive Holy Communion.*

## **Communion Solo**

*Dr. Kerry Heimann, organ*

*All say together*

## **Post-communion Prayer**

**Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.**

## **Announcements**

## **Blessing**

*Celebrant:* May God the Holy Trinity make you strong in faith and love, defend you on every side, and guide you in truth and peace; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

## **Dismissal**

*Deacon:* Let us go forth in the name of the Risen Christ. Alleluia. Alleluia.

*People:* **Thanks be to God. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

**WE WISH A HAPPY FATHER'S DAY TO ALL OF OUR FATHERS, AND ALL WHO FATHER US!**

**WE WELCOME BACK THE REV. PHILIP CARR-JONES!**

Today, during both services; Fr. Phil Carr-Jones is our supply priest. Originally from Metuchen, Phil retired last year after 37 years serving as Rector of the Church of the Holy Spirit in Lebanon. He has served on most diocesan commissions over those years and currently serves as Treasurer for the international think tank, Associated Parishes for Liturgy and Mission. He is an associate and weekly priest celebrant for the past 20 years with the sisters of the Anglican order of the Community of St. John the Baptist in Mendham, NJ.

Phil has written hymns, children's books and poetry, and is an artist in wood, metal and glass - the 9/11 Memorial here at the Cathedral was commissioned by Bishop Joslin and made by Phil, including the seating and metal sculpture.

## **Altar Guild Shop Update –**



**Don't forget your Dads & Grads!**



**Stop in for nice gift ideas! Featuring Ball Caps,  
Golf themed picture frames, Mugs, Jewelry & Devotionals!**

**The Shop will be open Sunday, June 1<sup>st</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>  
After the 8:30 a.m. & 10 a.m. Services**

The Shop will be closed in July & August, but if you  
would like something, contact Lucy Adams at  
[trinitycathedralags@gmail.com](mailto:trinitycathedralags@gmail.com) or leave  
a message in the Cathedral Office.

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**Following Christ, joining the Cathedral** – We invite you to accept the invitation to follow Christ, to become a Christian and to become a member of Trinity Cathedral. We encourage you to fill in one of the pew cards and place it in the offering plate, or please contact one of the clergy.



**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Lectors for the 10:00 am Mass on 6/22 are:

**Youth for Family Sunday**

**Chalice bearer: Judith Miller**


The Ushers/Greeters for Sunday, 6/22 (4<sup>th</sup> Sunday) are:

**Edward Greenfield (Greeter/Usher) & Samuel Richards (alternate)**

**The Cathedral will be closed on Thursday, June 19<sup>th</sup> in observance of Juneteenth (TASK volunteers will still distribute food at the usual time.)**

**The Trinity Cathedral Food Pantry needs reusable grocery bags!** Strong, clean, new or gently used bags would be appreciated. Please leave bags in the collection bin in Synod Hall.

**The next Food Pantry distribution date is – Saturday, June 28<sup>th</sup> (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays this month) from 9-11:00 am. Each Thursday, we distribute hot dinners “to go” from 4:15–5:30pm at the Overbrook Avenue entrance as a satellite location for the Trenton Area Soup Kitchen.**

	<p>Are you ready for some fun? Do you like helping out? If yes, then we <u>need you</u> on July 3<sup>rd</sup> to assist with a picnic that the Cathedral is hosting for <u>our</u> Urban Promise summer campers and their families!</p> <p><u>We need</u> greeters, food servers, game players, set-up, &amp; clean-up crews. There's something for everyone to do, even if it's not a physical task. Contact Lucy Adams or Larry Spears today or leave a message in the Cathedral Office.</p>
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# Cooking with Chef Pearl!

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FUN COOKING DEMONSTRATIONS

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- **HEALTH-FOCUSED MENUS** that are easy to make at home.
- **FREE DINNER-AND-A-Movie EVENT** featuring topics of environmental interest.
- **RAFFLE PRIZE** at each event!

When:

- **COOKING CLASSES:** Second Tuesday of each month, from March 11, 2025 to December 2025 • 5:30 — 8 pm
- **DINNER-AND-A-Movie EVENT:** Last Tuesday of each month, from March 25, 2025 to December 2025 • 5:30 — 8 pm

Where:

- **TRINITY EPISCOPAL CATHEDRAL**  
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(Given the popularity of these events and limited seating, we ask that you **do not** register for all 16 workshops. To ensure as many residents as possible can participate, we recommend signing up for **two workshops in the same month.**)

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### **THIS WEEK'S CATHEDRAL SCHEDULE**

#### **TODAY (6/15)**

**8:30 am**

9:15 am

**10:00 am**

10:30a – 12:30p

**The First Sunday after Pentecost: Trinity Sunday ~ Happy Father's Day!**

Altar Guild Shop open ~ last week before summer break

**Rite I Eucharist in All Saints' Chapel (in-person only)**

Choir warm-up (last before summer break)

**Rite II Eucharist in the Cathedral (+ livestreamed, when available)**

Full Gospel Community Church service – CHP

#### **Wed. (6/18)**

10:30am

11:30 am

Academy Pre-School Graduation – CATH

Community Information Session/Luncheon on Car Seat Safety – join us! - SH

#### **Thurs. (6/19)**

4:15 – 5:30 pm

8:00 pm

**All closed in observance of Juneteenth**

TASK Meals – SH

Society of Mary Rosary Devotions via Zoom and phone access: Please E-mail Erica Warner at [yassose@aol.com](mailto:yassose@aol.com) for information on how to join us

#### **Fri. (6/20)**

Last Day for Academy Pre-School students

First day of summer: summer office hours begin (9:00 am – 4:00 pm)

#### **Sat. (6/21)**

9:30am – 12:30pm Stretto rehearsals – CATH

#### **Sun. (6/22)**

**10:00 am**

10:30a – 12:30p

1:00 – 4:00 pm

**The Second Sunday after Pentecost ~ Family Sunday**

**Rite II Eucharist in the Cathedral (+ livestreamed, when available)**

Full Gospel Community Church service – CHP

Private event - SH