

*Trinity Lutheran
Church*

Brewster, NY



Christ the King

Last Sunday of Pentecost

November 20, 2022

9:30 AM

Welcome as we gather in the name of God! Whether we are physically present with one another or gathering remotely, we know that Christ is truly present in our midst.

We welcome our visitors today. If you are looking for a church home and want to know more about living together as Christians, please contact Pastor Boyd during the week.

If you know of others who are in need of signs of God's love and grace, who are curious and/or questioning, who would like to experience the peace of Christ – please invite them to join us for worship in person or through our social media channels. They may also contact the church office (trinklutheranoffice@yahoo.com) and/or Pastor Jen (revjedyer1@yahoo.com).

You are invited to worship with us each week. There is a spoken in-person service on Thursdays at 12 noon and on Sundays at 9:30 a.m. as well as via Facebook Live on Trinity's Facebook page. The service will be posted later on our YouTube page. The weekly bulletin is posted on our website (links at the end of the bulletin)

Precautions: Wearing masks is now optional but we are encouraging you to wear them around children and if you are unsure of someone's health status. We do have extra masks for those who need them

*The complete order for worship is printed in this worship folder. Congregational responses are in **bold**. Music for the hymns are in ELW (red hymnal) in the rack in front of you. If you require an enlarged print bulletin or an assistive listening device, please ask an usher.*

PARENTS: *Please help your children follow the worship service, including standing up with the assembly. Thank you.*

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INTRODUCTION: King Hezekiah was terrified when the Assyrian army was at the doorstep of Jerusalem. Do not fear, said Isaiah. God would be with God's people.

+ GATHER +

Prelude: *Largo from Sonata in F*
Benedetto Marcello Juergen Tempel-violoncello

Welcome and Announcements

THE ASSEMBLY STANDS

CALL TO WORSHIP/CONFESSION

Jesus reigns in heaven and on earth!

Jesus reigns in justice and peace!

Jesus calls us into the presence of God,

And teaches us God's wonderful ways.

Jesus guides us in the paths of God,

And brings forth justice in all the world.

We will lay down our weapons,

And turn them into life-giving tools.

We will no longer do violence to our neighbors,

But will live in peace.

Jesus reigns in heaven and on earth!

Jesus reigns in justice and peace!

As we come before our God, we bow humbly to confess the times when we have not lived into the image in which we have been created. We pause to confess our sins before God and one another.

Pause for silence and reflection.

Gracious God, **We have sinned against you and our neighbors. We have taken what is not ours, and justified our actions. We have turned away from your wisdom. We have not done justice, loved kindness, nor walked humbly with you. Forgive us for the harms we have caused through word and action, and restore us to the joy of following your will for us.**

God knows our every weakness and yet loves us without ceasing. Rejoice and be glad, for the God of grace and mercy forgives you all your sins. May the blessing of the Father, of the + and the Son and the Holy Spirit rest on you always. **Amen.**

GATHERING HYMN: *At the Name of Jesus* ELW 416

**At the name of Jesus ev'ry knee shall bow,
Ev'ry tongue confess him king of glory now.
It is God's good pleasure we should call him Lord,
Who from the beginning was the mighty Word.**

**At his voice creation sprang at once to sight,
All the angel faces, all the hosts of light,
Thrones and dominations, stars upon their way,
All the heav'nly orders in their great array.**

**Humbled for a season, to receive a name
From the lips of sinners unto whom he came,
Faithfully he bore it spotless to the last;
Brought it back victorious when from death he passed.**

**In your hearts enthrone him; there let him subdue
All that is not holy, all that is not true.
Crown him as your captain in temptations' hour;
Let his will enfold you in its light and pow'r.**

**Christians, this Lord Jesus shall return again
On the clouds of glory, with his angel train;
For all wreaths of empire meet upon his brow,
And our hearts confess him king of glory now.**

Text: Caroline M. Noel, 1817-1877

Music: Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1872-1958

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REETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

Kyrie



- 1 Have mer - cy on us, Lord, and hear our sol - emn prayer.
- 2 Have mer - cy on us, Christ, and wash a - way our sin.
- 3 Have mer - cy on us, Lord; make sin and shame de - part.



We come to hear your liv - ing word; it saves us from de - spair.
Pour out your grace and make us whole that new life may be - gin.
Re - new us with your sav - ing pow'r; cre - ate in us new hearts!

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

God of deliverance, **you promised prosperity and peace to the exiles of Jerusalem. Grant us to prosper, not for riches, but for faith, so that our lives may be a blessing to all. We pray these things in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

THE ASSEMBLY IS SEATED

*The B-I-B-L-E,
Yes that's the book for me
I stand upon the word of God
The B-I-B-L-E*

+ WORD +

READING: Isaiah 2:1-4

2The word that Isaiah son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem.

² In days to come

the mountain of the Lord's house
shall be established as the highest of the mountains,
and shall be raised above the hills;
all the nations shall stream to it.

³ Many peoples shall come and say,
'Come, let us go up to the mountain of the Lord,
to the house of the God of Jacob;
that he may teach us his ways
and that we may walk in his paths.'

For out of Zion shall go forth instruction,
and the word of the Lord from Jerusalem.

⁴ He shall judge between the nations,
and shall arbitrate for many peoples;
they shall beat their swords into ploughshares,
and their spears into pruning-hooks;
nation shall not lift up sword against nation,
neither shall they learn war any more.

Word of God; Word of Life

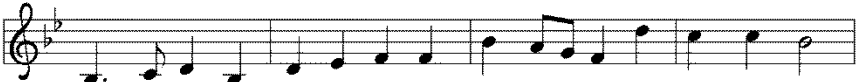
Thanks be to God

THE ASSEMBLY STANDS

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



Al - le - lu - ia! Lord and Sav - ior: o - pen now your sav - ing word.



Let it burn like fire with - in us; speak un - til our hearts are stirred.



Al - le - lu - ia! Lord, we sing for the good news that you bring.

GOSPEL: MATTHEW 5:14-16

The Holy Gospel according to Matthew the 5th chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

‘You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill cannot be hidden. No one after lighting a lamp puts it under the bushel basket, but on the lampstand, and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven.

The Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, O Christ.

THE ASSEMBLY IS SEATED

SERMON

Pastor Jennifer Boyd

THE ASSEMBLY STANDS

HYMN OF THE DAY: *Jerusalem, My Happy Home* ELW 628

**Jerusalem, my happy home,
When shall I come to thee?
When shall my sorrows have an end?
Thy joys when shall I see?**

**O happy harbor of the saints,
O sweet and pleasant soil!
In thee no sorrow may be found,
No grief, no care, no toil.**

**Thy gardens and thy gallant walks
Continually are green;
There grow such sweet and pleasant flow'rs
As nowhere else are seen.**

**There trees forevermore bear fruit
And evermore do spring;
There evermore the angels sit
And evermore do sing.**

**Jerusalem, Jerusalem,
God grant that I may see
Thine endless joy, and of the same
Partaker ever be!**

Text: F. B. P., 16th cent.

Music: North American traditional; arr. hymnal version

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NICENE CREED

With the whole church, let us confess our faith.

**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 and the Son,
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.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Confident in the promises of our covenant God, we pray for the church, the world, and all those in need.

A brief silence.

Faithful God, you proved your loyalty to the people of Judah by delivering them from Assyrian conquest. Remind us daily that you are the great deliverer, even when we are unable to recognize it. Merciful God, **hear our prayer.**

Your faithfulness sustains all creation. Teach us to nurture your creation so that it can sustain life for generations to come. Merciful God, **hear our prayer.**

Strengthen our leaders that they might stand up to injustice and lead us forward in the way of peace. Merciful God, **hear our prayer.**

Bring healing to all who suffer ailments of body, spirit, and mind. We pray especially today for...(pause) as well as for **Michael, Charlie, Tom, Kristen, David, Mary, Elizabeth, Barbara, Kyle, Joseph, Tony and Justin and all those who have no one to name them and those who do not know Christ's name.** Do for all who are sick what we cannot do for ourselves. Merciful God, **hear our prayer.**

Help us to live in peace with our neighbors both near and far. Teach us to live with justice, mercy, and love. Merciful God, **hear our prayer.**

We remember all your saints, O God, who proclaimed your action in their lives. May we join them in trusting you, until we see them in the flesh. Merciful God, **hear our prayer.**

Here other petitions may be offered silently, aloud or online in the comments.

Pastor: Into your hands, O Lord, we commend these prayers – spoken aloud and whispered in our hearts – trusting in your divine will revealed through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

SHARING OF PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always **And also with you**

You are invited to share signs of peace with others Please check with those around you if they are comfortable with a handshake, elbow bump or other physical signs before reaching out. Peace signs and humble bows are a healthy alternative.

THE ASSEMBLY SITS

Offering

You are invited to use this time as moments of silence for prayer and reflection. You are also encouraged to continue to share your offering with Trinity be mailing them to the church office or by donating online via our website: www.trinitybrewsterny.org)



+ MEAL +

Anthem: *Allegro from Sonata in F*

Benedetto Marcello Juergen Tempel-violoncello

OFFERING SONG: *Take my life that I may be* ELW #685 (vs: 1, 5, 6 only)

**Take my life, that I may be
Consecrated, Lord, to thee'
Take my moments and my days;
Let them flow in ceaseless praise.**

**Take my will and make it thine;
It shall be no longer mine.
Take my heart, it is thine own;
It shall be thy royal throne.**

**Take my love; my Lord, I pour
At thy feet its treasure store;
Take myself, and I will be
Ever, only, all for thee.**

Text: Frances R. Havergal, 1836-1879, alt.

Music: William H. Havergal, 1793-1870

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STEWARDSHIP/OFFERING PRAYER

God of peace, you call us to be the light of the world. We offer these gifts that, with them, you might shine the light of hope on all who are in need. Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

PROPER PREFACE

It is indeed our right, responsibility and joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior, Jesus Christ Who on this day overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened the way to everlasting life

And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and might,
 heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san - na in the high - est.
 Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
 san-na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

You are indeed holy, almighty and merciful God.

You are most holy, and great is the majesty of your glory.

You so loved the world that you gave your only Son,

So that everyone who believes in him may not perish but have eternal life

We give you thanks for his coming into the world to fulfill for us your holy will

And to accomplish all things for our salvation.

In the night in which he was betrayed...do this in remembrance of me.

For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Remembering, therefore, his salutary command, his life-giving passion and death, his glorious resurrection and ascension and the promise to come again,

We give thanks to you, Lord God Almighty, not as we ought but as we are able;

We ask you mercifully to accept our praise and thanksgiving

**And with your Word and Holy Spirit to bless us, your servants
and these your gifts of bread and wine,**

So that we and all who share in the body and blood of Christ may
be filled with heavenly blessing and grace,

**And receiving the forgiveness of sin, may be formed to live as
your holy people**

and be given our inheritance with all your saints

To you, O God, O Living One, with the Holy Spirit, in your holy
church, now and forever.

Amen.

We pray with and for all people, joining in the prayer Christ
taught, saying...

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,

And lead us not into temptation,

But deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power,

And the glory, forever and ever.

Amen

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

All the nations stream to the house of the Lord to turn away from
war and strife. We, too, have a place at this holy table. Come, join
with the whole human family in the feast of God's peace and
justice. **Thanks be to God!**

LAMB OF GOD



1 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
2 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
3 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;



you suf-fered death our lives to save: have mer-cy now, we pray.
you set us free from guilt and grave: have mer-cy now, we pray.
e - ter-nal peace with God you made: give us your peace, we pray.

THE ASSEMBLY IS SEATED

Distribution of Communion and Blessings

All the baptized are welcome to feast in the Eucharist. You may receive only the bread or wine and still experience the full benefit of our Lord's meal. Those who do not receive bread or wine are invited to come for a blessing. You are invited to kneel or stand at the altar rail. Pastor Jen will place a wafer in your hand and the assistant will give you a pre-filled glass with wine (grape juice is available; please indicate to Pastor Jen if you would like that). You may either partake of it there or when you return to your seat. The cups may be placed in the empty trays on the stands by the pews.

Communion Hymn: *Now We Join in Celebration* ELW 462

**Now we join in celebrations
At our Savior's invitation,
Dressed no more in spirit somber,
Clothed instead in joy and wonder;
For the Lord of all existence,
Putting off divine transcendence,
Stoops again in love to meet us,
With his very life to feed us.**

Lord, as round this feast we gather,
Fill our hearts with holy rapture!
For this bread and cup of blessing
Are for us the sure possessing
Of your loving deed on Calv'ry,
Of your living self, our vict'ry,
Pledge of your unfailing presence,
Foretaste here of heav'nly gladness.

Lord, we share in this communion
As one fam'ly of God's children,
Reconciled through you, our brother,
One in you with God our Father.
Give us grace to live for others,
Serving all, both friends and strangers,
Seeking justice, love, and mercy
Till you come in final glory.

Text: Joel W. Lundgreen, 1918-1990

Music: Johann Cruger, 1598-1662

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*Words for additional Communion hymns may be found on the card
inside the back cover of your hymnal.*

AFTER ALL HAVE RETURNED TO THEIR PLACES, THE ASSEMBLY STANDS.

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and
keep you in his grace. **Amen.**

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

O God, our life, our strength, our food, we give you thanks for
sustaining us with the body and blood of your Son. By your Holy

Spirit, enliven us to be his body in the world, that more and more we will give you praise and serve your earth and its many peoples, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen**

+ SENDING +

Mission and Ministry Announcements

THE ASSEMBLY STANDS

BLESSING

SENDING HYMN: *Lead on, O King Eternal* ELW 805

**Lead on, O King eternal! The day of march has come;
Henceforth in fields of conquest your tents will be our home.
Through days of preparation your grace has made us strong;
And now, O King eternal, we lift our battle song.**

**Lead on, O King eternal, till sin's fierce war shall cease,
And holiness shall whisper the sweet amen of peace;
For not with swords loud clashing, nor roll of stirring drums,
But deeds of love and mercy the heav'nly kingdom comes.**

**Lead on, O King eternal: we follow, not with fears,
For gladness breaks like morning where'er your face appears.
Your cross is lifted o'er us; we journey in its light;
The crown awaits the conquest; lead on, O God of might!**

Text: Ernest W. Shurtleff, 1862-1917

Music: Henry T. Smart, 1813-1879

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DISMISSAL

The worship has ended, let the service begin!

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord!

Thanks be to God!

Postlude: *Psalm XX* Benedetto Marcello



Worship notes: Portions of the worship service has been adapted by Pastor Jen from the following resources:

- ✦ Introduction, Call to Worship/Confession, Prayers of Intercession, Offering prayer, Invitation to Communion (Clergy stuff)
- ✦ Prayer of the Day (Working Preacher website)
- ✦ Other parts of worship are from the hymnal, Evangelical Lutheran Worship and All Creation Sings

Music Notes:

Benedetto Giacomo Marcello (1686 – 1739) was an Italian composer, writer, advocate, magistrate, and teacher. Born in Venice, Benedetto Marcello was a member of a noble family and in his compositions; he is frequently referred to anonymously as Patrizio Veneto (Venetian patrician). Although he was a music student of Antonio Lotti and Francesco Gasparini, his father wanted Benedetto to devote himself to law. Benedetto managed to combine a life in law and public service with one in music. In 1711 he was appointed a member of the Council of Forty (in Venice's central government), and in 1730 he went to Pola as Provveditore (district governor). Due to his health having been "impaired by the climate" of Istria, Marcello retired after eight years in the capacity of Camerlengo (chamberlain) to Brescia where he died of tuberculosis in 1739. Benedetto Marcello was the brother of Alessandro Marcello, also a notable composer. On 20 May 1728, Benedetto Marcello married his singing student Rosanna Scalfi in a secret ceremony. However, as a nobleman, his marriage to a commoner was unlawful; after his death, the marriage was declared null by the state. Rosanna was unable to inherit his estate, and filed suit in 1742 against Benedetto's brother Alessandro, seeking financial support.

WELCOME VISITORS!

Please sign the guest register and complete a Record of Communion card.

| | | <i>Assisting Minister</i> | <i>Usher(s)</i> |
|---------------|------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|
| Nov 20 | 9:30 A.M. | Kathie Ruhs | |

LET US WISH HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

Georgina Marek, 11/21
Erin Minieri, 11/21
Lamorna Coyle, 11/22
Cynthia Simon, 11/22
Kristi Torlish, 11/23
John Nicoletti, 11/24
Nicholas Stathis, 11/24

Ken Mongold, 11/25
Tatum Bettcher, 11/26
Heidi Kuhland, 11/26
Bruce Foley, Sr., 11/28
Kristina McKenzie, 11/29
Stephanie Howard, 11/30
Lynn Stoecker, 11/30



Today's Altar Flowers are given by:

Carol & Fred Fendt in thanksgiving to God for His many blessings!



WORSHIP WITH US!

Sunday, Nov 20 Holy Communion, 9:30 AM, Christ The King
Sunday, Nov 27 Holy Communion, 9:30 AM, Advent Begins

A complete **CALENDAR** can be found at www.trinitybrewsterny.org

PARENTS OF INFANTS AND YOUNG CHILDREN: Restless or unhappy children can be taken to the Narthex, where worship can be heard over speakers. Busy bags with activities are available in the narthex for our youngest worshippers. Please return the bags at the end of the service.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT:

AS A PEOPLE OF GOD, WE DESIRE TO EXPERIENCE THE PRESENCE OF GOD IN OUR LIVES THAT WE MIGHT BE THE PRESENCE OF GOD IN THE LIVES OF OTHERS.

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