



**Order of Worship**  
**Sung Holy Eucharist Rite II**  
**The First Sunday of Advent**

**Sunday, Nov. 30, 2014**

**10:00 am**

**Welcome to your Spiritual Home**

*All are welcome at our Table*

Whatever your religious background and however you have come to be here, we welcome you to the Trinity Community. We hope that you will feel spiritually fulfilled and strengthened to meet the challenges of your daily life. And we hope these notes about our worship will be helpful to you.

We are Trinity Episcopal Church of Hamburg: One Community, united in Jesus' Name.

**Trinity's Red Doors – Safety and Refuge**

*Hospitality, Healing and Hope*

Trinity Episcopal Church's doors, painted a brilliant red, following ancient tradition, signify our Sanctuary as a place of safety and refuge. Red doors lead to the holy ground within them, protecting people from both physical and spiritual harm.

Today many Episcopal churches proclaim with their red doors that our churches are a haven for emotional and spiritual healing, and are a place of refuge and safety, forgiveness and reconciliation -- in other words, red doors invite the passers-by into a space filled with the Holy Spirit.

May Trinity be for you such a place.

*The Beling Memorial Bell calls us to worship five minutes before the hour.*

*The People are seated for*

**The Organ Prelude:** *Veni, veni, Emmanuel - Robert Lau*

## THE WORD OF GOD

*At the sound of the organ, the People stand to sing*

**Hymn 56** (*blue book*) “O come, O come, Emmanuel” - *Veni, veni, Emmanuel*

*The People remain standing for*

**The Opening Acclamation, BCP 355 (red book)**

*Celebrant:* Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

*People:* **And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever.**

*The Celebrant then prays*

**The Collect for Purity, BCP 355 (red book)**

*The People then sing*

**Trisagion, – S-100** (*blue book*) or BCP 356 (*red book*)

*The Celebrant then prays*

**The Collect of the Day: Advent I, BCP 211 (red book)**

*Celebrant:* The Lord be with you

*People:* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant:* Let us pray.

Almighty God, give us grace to cast away the works of darkness, and put on the armor of light, now in the time of this mortal life in which your Son Jesus Christ came to visit us in great humility; that in the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious majesty to judge both the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

*All are then seated for*

## The Readings from the Bible

**Hebrew Scriptures**      *Isaiah 64:1-9*

O that you would tear open the heavens and come down, so that the mountains would quake at your presence—as when fire kindles brushwood and the fire causes water to boil—to make your name known to your adversaries, so that the nations might tremble at your presence! When you did awesome deeds that we did not expect, you came down, the mountains

quaked at your presence. From ages past no one has heard, no ear has perceived, no eye has seen any God besides you, who works for those who wait for him. You meet those who gladly do right, those who remember you in your ways. But you were angry, and we sinned; because you hid yourself we transgressed. We have all become like one who is unclean, and all our righteous deeds are like a filthy cloth. We all fade like a leaf, and our iniquities, like the wind, take us away. There is no one who calls on your name, or attempts to take hold of you; for you have hidden your face from us, and have delivered us into the hand of our iniquity. Yet, O Lord, you are our Father; we are the clay, and you are our potter; we are all the work of your hand. Do not be exceedingly angry, O Lord, and do not remember iniquity forever. Now consider, we are all your people.

*Lector:* The Word of the Lord.

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

*At the sound of the organ, the People stand to sing*

**Psalm 80:1-7, 16-18**

- 1 Hear, O Shepherd of Israel, leading Joseph like a flock; \*  
shine forth, you that are enthroned upon the cherubim.
- 2 In the presence of Ephraim, Benjamin, and Manasseh, \*  
stir up your strength and come to help us.
- 3 Restore us, O God of hosts; \*  
show the light of your countenance, and we shall be saved.
- 4 O Lord God of hosts, \*  
how long will you be angered  
despite the prayers of your people?
- 5 You have fed them with the bread of tears; \*  
you have given them bowls of tears to drink.
- 6 You have made us the derision of our neighbors, \*  
and our enemies laugh us to scorn.
- 7 Restore us, O God of hosts; \*  
show the light of your countenance, and we shall be saved.
- 16 Let your hand be upon the man of your right hand, \*  
the son of man you have made so strong for yourself.
- 17 And so will we never turn away from you; \*  
give us life, that we may call upon your Name.
- 18 Restore us, O Lord God of hosts; \*  
show the light of your countenance, and we shall be saved.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and  
to the Holy Spirit\*  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

*All are then seated for*

**Letters to the First Christians** *1 Corinthians 1:3-8*

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. I give thanks to my God always for you because of the grace of God that has been given you in Christ Jesus, for in every way you have been enriched in him, in speech and knowledge of every kind just as the testimony of Christ has been strengthened among you— so that you are not lacking in any spiritual gift as you wait for the revealing of our Lord Jesus Christ. He will also strengthen you to the end, so that you may be blameless on the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. God is faithful; by him you were called into the fellowship of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

*Lector:* The Word of the Lord.

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

*At the sound of the Organ, all stand to sing*

**Hymn 615** (*blue book*) “Thy kingdom come on bended knee” – *St. Flavian*

*The People turn towards the Gospeler for the proclamation of*

**The Holy Gospel** *Mark 13:24-37*

*Gospeler:* The +Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

*People:* +++**Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus said, “In those days, after that suffering, the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light, and the stars will be falling from heaven, and the powers in the heavens will be shaken. Then they will see ‘the Son of Man coming in clouds’ with great power and glory. Then he will send out the angels, and gather his elect from the four winds, from the ends of the earth to the ends of heaven. From the fig tree learn its lesson: as soon as its branch becomes tender and puts forth its leaves, you know that summer is near. So also, when you see these things taking place, you know that he is near, at the very gates. Truly I tell you, this generation will not pass away until all these things have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away. But about that day or hour no one knows, neither the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father. Beware, keep alert; for you do not know when the time will come. It is like a man going on a journey, when

he leaves home and puts his slaves in charge, each with his work, and commands the doorkeeper to be on the watch. Therefore, keep awake—for you do not know when the master of the house will come, in the evening, or at midnight, or at cockcrow, or at dawn, or else he may find you asleep when he comes suddenly. And what I say to you I say to all: Keep awake.”

*Gospeler:* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People:* Praise to you, Lord Christ.

## We Respond to God's Word

*The Preacher then invites the People to sit for*

### The Sermon

*The People then stand to pray*

**The Nicene Creed**, BCP 358 (*red book*)

*The People then stand or kneel for*

### The Prayers of the People

*In the course of the silences, the People add their own petitions or thanksgivings*

*Leader:* Lord, in your mercy,

*People:* Hear our prayer.

*Conclusion:* To you O Lord.

*The Celebrant then invites the People to*

**The Confession**, BCP 360 (*red book*)

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

*The Celebrant and Ministers then kneel*

*The People then stand for the exchange of*

**The Peace**, BCP 360 (*red book*)

*The People are then seated for*

**The Rector's Welcome & Parish Announcements**

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

*The People remain seated for*

**Offertory Anthem:** Advent Alleluia - Christopher

*Bless you for your generous financial tithes and offerings which ensure the continuation of the Ministries at Trinity Hamburg, the Diocese of Western New York and in the surrounding communities.*

*The flowers at the Altar are given to the greater Glory of God by:*

Nina in loving memory of her parents **Dr. Arnold & Gladys Lamont**; and  
by David & Linda Banks in loving memory of  
Linda's parents **Cyril & Charlotte Wittmeyer** and  
David's grandparents **Louise & John Haug** and **Jessie & Leslie Banks**

*May the Souls of the Faithful Departed, through the mercies of God, rest in peace. Amen.*

## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

*At the sound of the Organ, the People stand to sing verse three of  
**Hymn 380** (blue book) “From all that dwell” - Old 100<sup>th</sup>*

*The People’s offerings are presented at the Altar.*

*The People remain standing to pray*

Eucharistic Prayer A – BCP 361 (red book)

*The People then sing*

**The Sanctus - Hymn S-129** (blue book) *Holy, Holy, Holy*

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

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**+Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

*The People stand or kneel as Eucharistic Prayer A continues – BCP 362 (red book)*

*The Celebrant and People then proclaim*

**The Acclamation – BCP 363 (red book)**

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

*The Celebrant and People then pray*

**The Lord’s Prayer (traditional), BCP 364 (red book)**

**The Breaking of the Bread**

*The Celebrant then breaks the consecrated Bread.  
A period of silence is kept before singing*

## **The Fraction Anthem**

Who- ev-er comes to me shall not hunger,  
and who ev- er be- lieves in me shall nev-er thirst;

*The Celebrant then invites the People to Communion saying  
The Gifts of God for the People of God.*

*The People are then directed by the Ushers to come forward to receive Communion.*

## **Receiving the Bread and the Cup at Trinity**

- ❖ *There is no one who is ineligible or unwelcome from receiving the Sacrament of Holy Communion. Adults and children are - without exception - warmly invited to come forward with the Trinity Family.*
- ❖ *We extend a special welcome to our Protestant & Roman Catholic Sisters and Brothers visiting with us this morning to join us at God's Table.*

**Hymn 324 (blue book)** ‘Let all mortal flesh keep silence’ -Picardy

*Following Communion, all pray*

**The Prayer after Communion, BCP 365 (red book)**

*At the sound of the organ, all sing*

**Hymn 486 (blue book)** “Hosanna to the living Lord” - Hosanna

*As the Processional cross passes, all turn to face the Narthex for*

**The Dismissal from the Font, BCP 366 (red book)**

*Celebrant Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia! Alleluia!*

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

**The Organ Postlude:** Rejoice, Rejoice Believers - Paul Manz





## THE WEEK AT TRINITY

**Sunday, 11/30**

- 8:00 am Spoken Eucharist – Rite I in the Church  
9:00 am Joint Coffee Hour in the Parish Hall  
**9:10 am Adult Forum in the Parish Hall Annex**  
*Topic: “Can you Drink the Cup?”*

**9:10am Children’s Sunday School**

- 10:00 am Choral Eucharist – Rite II in the Church  
7:30 pm Open AA Meeting – “Carry the Message”  
7:30 pm Boy Scouts

**Tuesday, 12/2**

**Weds, 12/3**

- 10:00 am Book Club  
11:00 am Holy Eucharist in the Chapel of our  
Lady of Walsingham.

**Thurs. 12/4**

- 7:00 pm Senior Choir Rehearsal in the Choir Room  
9:00 am Bible Study in the Parish Hall  
10:30 am Holy Eucharist at Elderwood in Hamburg  
5:15 pm Irish Dance Class in the Undercroft  
8:30 pm Men’s Sobriety Discussion Group

**Sunday, 12/7**

- 8:00 am Spoken Eucharist – Rite I in the Church  
9:00 am Joint Coffee Hour in the Parish Hall  
**9:10 am Adult Forum in the Parish Hall Annex**  
*Topic: “Can you Drink the Cup?”*  
**9:10am Children’s Sunday School**  
10:00 am Choral Eucharist – Rite II in the Church  
7:30 pm Open AA Meeting – “Carry the Message”

## **Serving at today's Liturgy**

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| Beling Memorial Bell Ringer | Mrs. Gretchen Zollendeck                    |
| Eucharistic Ministers       | Mrs. Maggie Campbell<br>Mrs. Susan Minekime |
| Crucifer                    | Ms. Corrine Bugenhagen                      |
| Lectors                     | Ms. Allison Lavis<br>Ms. Meghan Lavis       |
| Ushers                      | Mr. Mike Baczkowski<br>Ms. Suzanne Kovic    |
| Preacher                    | The Rev. Brother Blane Frederik OLW         |
| Celebrant                   | The Rev. Canon William Wipfler              |

## **Serving at a future Liturgy**

If you would like to discuss the possibility of serving at the Mass as:

- ❖ A Eucharistic Minister assisting at God's Table
- ❖ An Acolyte carrying the Cross, a Torch or assisting at the Altar
- ❖ A Lector reading from the Lectionary
- ❖ A member of the Trinity Choir
- ❖ A "Master of Ceremonies"
- ❖ A Bell-Ringer
- ❖ A Greeter & Usher

please consult with Brother Blane Frederik who will be happy to provide advice, training and support.

# TRINITY COMMUNITY NEWS AND NOTES

**Coffee & Conversation at Nine in the Parish Hall** – We extend a warm invitation to our Parishioners, visitors and new members to join us each Sunday at 9:00am in the Parish Hall for shared coffee and conversation prior to the Mass. Thank you to **Patti Lukasiewicz, Doreen Nuessle, & Colleen Zimmerman** today's hospitality hosts.

**Adult Forum at 9:10am in the Parish Hall Annex – Adult Forum at 9:10am in the Parish Hall Annex** – Next Sunday we continue our Advent Reading Series led by Father Bill+. Please purchase your personal copy of Nouwen's "Can You Drink The Cup" from the Parish Administrator, Sandy Gawron, for this five-week sacramental exploration. Copies will also be available at the Forum.

**Thanksgiving Food Basket Offering** - This past Tuesday we distributed produce to the clients of Operation Good Neighbor in North Evans and Angola to help fill their Thanksgiving Tables. We Spent \$789.35 and served 106 families with a total of 277 persons and not one cranberry was left over. This is the time of year that the Food Bank of Western New York finds the shelves empty, so your gift of canned goods is especially welcomed. We have always tried to offer our clients extra food for the holidays, so our expenses are increased by about 30% at this time of year. Your generosity is valued more than you can know. Bless you for all you do for these wonderful, needy people.

**Trinity's Mitten Tree** – is decorated with hats, mittens, scarves, gloves and other things you bring to keep little ones warm this winter. We will take it down on Dec. 15<sup>th</sup> and distribute the donated items to those in need of warmth and cheer.

**Trinity's Annual Christmas Cookie Sale** – Attention bakers and cookie lovers! Trinity's cookie sale will be held on Sunday, Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 a.m. to noon. Sign-up sheets for bakers can be found on the bulletin board in the parish hall. Please deliver cookies on Saturday, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> from 10 a.m. to noon. Anyone with questions may call Linda Bautz at 649-3403. This is a wonderful opportunity to purchase a wide variety of holiday cookies. Proceeds will be donated to the Trinity Produce Pantry.

**2014 Vestry & Warden Nominations** – Nomination forms are available in the Parish Hall Annex on the shelf. We will be electing 1 warden for a two year term, 3 vestry members for three year terms, and 1 vestry member for a one year unexpired term. Nominations will be accepted through Dec. 8<sup>th</sup>.

**2015 Flower Chart** is on the bulletin board in the parish hall. Please print your name on the date you wish to have flowers on the altar and specify the name of those you are honoring. The donation for flowers is \$30 and checks should be made payable to Trinity Altar Guild and mailed to the parish office prior to your Memorial date.

**The ECW is collecting personal care items for Paradise House.** Collections will continue through December 15<sup>th</sup>. Please place your items in the box in the parish hall. Items accepted include: makeup, body lotions, soaps, nail and hair care products, face lotions, and target gift cards. Thank you for supporting this valuable ministry that helps women in need.

**The Choir is jammin' in the Parish Hall during Coffee Hour**

For a mere \$4.00 a jar, please choose from a selection of delicacies benefitting the Trinity Choir. Bless you buying early and often, and for returning your empty jars.

**The ECW Christmas Luncheon** is on Wednesday, Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> at noon at JP Fitzgerald's Restaurant in Hamburg. Menu selections are: Shepherd's Pie \$20, Pasta Primavera \$21, Lemon Pepper Chicken \$21. Meal includes main course, salad, dessert, pop, coffee & gratuity. There will be a cash bar. Please send your meal choice and check to Leslie Kintner, 130 E. Prospect, Hamburg by Dec. 10<sup>th</sup>.



## Trinity Prayer Roll

*Of your charity, please pray for:*

### The Anglican Communion ~

The Extra-Provincial Diocese of Bermuda

### The Episcopal Church ~

Pray for Christ Church, Albion; St. Luke's, Attica;  
St. James', Batavia

### Those in any need or trouble ~

Pray for Ginny, Rod, Carol Kohn, Nancy Dennis,  
Barbara Burke, Mary McWhorter, Dorothy  
Forrest, David Blank, Carly & Ceil

### Those who are absent from us ~

Pray for Harvey Burton; Susan Nickerson; Don  
Cooper; Isobelle Jeffrey; Alice MacKinnon; Sally  
Klipfel; Peggy Hynes, Ann Dunn, Irene Spencer,  
Jane Koron, Mark Hubbard, David Blank &  
Winnie Romeril.

*To add a name to the Trinity Prayer Roll, or to arrange for Home  
Communion, please contact Rich and Judee Emerling, Pastoral  
Care Leaders, at (716) 649-5015*

## Electronic Giving at Trinity

We use PayPal to securely process your one-time or recurring tax-deductible donations. You can complete your on-line giving with just a few clicks.

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### Parish Office Hours

Monday – Friday

8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

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