Help me O Holy One to rejoice in the gift of this new day. Wherever I am on my journey of faith, through our worship together this day, may the light of your presence set our hearts on fire with love for you, that we might love one another and ourselves in your name.

“For you alone, O God, my soul waits in silence, for my hope is in you.” Psalm 62:5

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Prelude

Ubi Caritas

Trinity Choir and Trinity Ringers

Arr. by Paul Halley

Opening Hymn

The First Song of Isaiah

Jack Noble White

Refrain

Surely it is God who saves me; I will trust in him and not be afraid. For the

Lord is my stronghold and my sure defense and he will be my Savior.

Verse One

1. Therefore you shall draw water with rejoicing from the springs of salvation. And on that

day you shall say, Give thanks to the Lord, and call upon his Name;

Repeat Refrain

Verse Two

2. Make his deeds known among the peoples; see that they remember that his Name is exalted.

Sing the praises of the Lord, for he has done great things, and this is known in all the world.

Repeat Refrain

Verse Three

3. Cry aloud, inhabitants of Zion, ring out your joy, for the
great one in the midst of you is the Holy One of Israel.

Repeat Refrain
OPENING SENTENCES

Presider   Blessed be the one, holy, and living God.
People     Glory to God for ever and ever.
Presider   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

Presider   God be with you.
People     And also with you.
Presider   Let us pray.

Grant us, Lord, not to be anxious about earthly things, but to love things heavenly; and even now, while we are placed among things that are passing away, to hold fast to those that shall endure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

THE SCRIPTURE READINGS

First Reading: Jonah 3:10—4:11

Reader    A reading from the Book of Jonah.

When God saw what the people of Nineveh did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it.
But this was very displeasing to Jonah, and he became angry. He prayed to the LORD and said, “O LORD! Is not this what I said while I was still in my own country? That is why I fled to Tarshish at the beginning; for I knew that you are a gracious God and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love, and ready to relent from punishing. And now, O LORD, please take my life from me, for it is better for me to die than to live.” And the LORD said, “Is it right for you to be angry?” Then Jonah went out of the city and sat down east of the city, and made a booth for himself there. He sat under it in the shade, waiting to see what would become of the city.

The LORD God appointed a bush, and made it come up over Jonah, to give shade over his head, to save him from his discomfort; so Jonah was very happy about the bush. But when dawn came up the next day, God appointed a worm that attacked the bush, so that it withered. When the sun rose, God prepared a sultry east wind, and the sun beat down on the head of Jonah so that he was faint and asked that he might die. He said, “It is better for me to die than to live.”

But God said to Jonah, “Is it right for you to be angry about the bush?” And he said, “Yes, angry enough to die.” Then the LORD said, “You are concerned about the bush, for which you did not labor and which you did not grow; it came into being in a night and perished in a night. And should I not be concerned about Nineveh, that great city, in which there are more than a hundred and twenty thousand persons who do not know their right hand from their left, and also many animals?”

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People Thanks be to God.
Psalm 145: 1-8

1 I will exalt you, O God my King, *
and bless your Name for ever and ever.

2 Every day will I bless you *
and praise your Name for ever and ever.

3 Great is the Lord and greatly to be praised; *
there is no end to his greatness.

4 One generation shall praise your works to another *
and shall declare your power.

5 I will ponder the glorious splendor of your majesty *
and all your marvelous works.

6 They shall speak of the might of your wondrous acts, *
and I will tell of your greatness.

7 They shall publish the remembrance of your great goodness; *
they shall sing of your righteous deeds.

8 The Lord is gracious and full of compassion, *
slow to anger and of great kindness.
1 Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord!
2 Tell out, my soul, the greatness of his Name!

Unnumbered blessings give my spirit voice;
Make known his might, the deeds his arm has done;

Tender to me the promise of his word;
His mercy sure, from age to age the same;

In God my Savior shall my heart rejoice.
His holy Name—the Lord, the Mighty One.
Jesus said, “The kingdom of heaven is like a landowner who went out early in the morning to hire laborers for his vineyard. After agreeing with the laborers for the usual daily wage, he sent them into his vineyard. When he went out about nine o’clock, he saw others standing idle in the marketplace; and he said to them, ‘You also go into the vineyard, and I will pay you whatever is right.’ So they went. When he went out again about noon and about three o’clock, he did the same. And about five o’clock he went out and found others standing around; and he said to them, ‘Why are you standing here idle all day?’ They said to him, ‘Because no one has hired us.’ He said to them, ‘You also go into the vineyard.’ When evening came, the owner of the vineyard said to his manager, ‘Call the laborers and give them their pay, beginning with the last and then going to the first.’ When those hired about five o’clock came, each of them received the usual daily wage. Now when the first came, they thought they would receive more; but each of them also received the usual daily wage. And when they received it, they grumbled against the landowner, saying, ‘These last worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us who have borne the burden of the day and the scorching heat.’ But he replied to one of them, ‘Friend, I am doing you no wrong; did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage? Take what belongs to you and go; I choose to give to this last the same as I give to you. Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or are you envious because I am generous?’ So the last will be first, and the first will be last.”

Reader The Gospel of Christ.
People Praise to you, O Christ.
GOSPEL HYMN 437

Tell Out, My Soul

3 Tell out, my soul, the greatness of his might!
4 Tell out, my soul, the glories of his word!

Powers and dominions lay their glory by.
Firm is his promise, and his mercy sure.

Proud hearts and stub-born wills are put to flight,
Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord

the hungry fed, the humble lifted high.
to children's children and for ever more!

THE SERMON

The Rev. Thomas Traylor
THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Presider  Let us offer the prayers of the people from the people.

The Leaders and People pray responsively

God of Love, we thank you for our families and friends who care for us. We know that through the blessing of relationships we become more fully ourselves. Show us, in these times, how to love one another, as Christ has loved us.

God of Hope, comfort and heal those in sorrow, need, sickness or any other trouble. Give them courage and hope in their distress, and bless those who minister to them.

Creator of all, we remember with gratitude your many gifts to us in creation and in the beauty of this land which we call home. Help us and our leaders to act with justice, and wisely care for the resources of the earth.

God our Father, we pray for your Church throughout the world, and thank you for all who serve the body of Christ. Unite us through your Holy Spirit, that we who confess your name may also reflect your glory.

God of Mercy, we remember with thanksgiving all who have died, and we rejoice recalling stories of your saints in every age. May we enter with them into the eternal joy of your heavenly kingdom.

God of many names, we give you thanks for the diversity of the human family, and especially for our Trinity community. Create in us a deep appreciation of that which unites us, and help us to see in each person a reflection of your divine love.

The clergy will offer intercessions from our Virtual Prayer Board.
The Presider offers a concluding Collect.
THE CONFESSION

Presider   Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

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

Presider   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

THE PEACE

Presider   The peace of Christ be always with you.
People     And also with you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS
ANTHEM

Hold To God’s Unchanging Hand

Susan Powers, soloist

Arr. by Paul Halley

Time is filled with swift transition,
Naught of earth unmoved can stand.
Build your hopes on things eternal,
And hold to God’s unchanging hand.

You better hold to His hand,
God’s unchanging hand.

Hold to His hand,
God’s unchanging hand.

Build your hopes on things eternal,
And hold to God’s unchanging hand.

Trust in Him who will not leave you
Whatsoever years may bring,
And if by earthly friends forsaken
Still more closely to Him cling.

A Remembrance of the Last Supper

Presider

Dear People of God: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to God, who by water and the Spirit has made us new people in Jesus Christ our Lord, to show forth his glory in all the world.

We remember that this same Jesus the Christ gathered with his friends on the night of his arrest for a Passover meal. At table with them he took bread, gave thanks, broke the bread, and gave it to his disciples, saying, “Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you.” 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.” He told his friends that whenever they gathered together they should eat of this bread and drink of this cup in remembrance of him.
And so, the Church down through the centuries has been faithful to Christ’s command, celebrating the Eucharist together and sharing in the mystical communion between Christ and his people. In this season, when the community of faith cannot gather at the Lord’s Table, we remember the Last Supper of Jesus with his friends and we give thanks for the gift of the Eucharist that was given to us on that night. As we eagerly await the day when we can share the Bread and Cup together again, we remember that the mystical communion between Christ and his Church, and between us as members of Christ’s Body, remains unbroken. And so, mindful of this deep bond in the Spirit, let us unite ourselves to Christ and to one another as we sing together the prayer that our Savior Christ has taught us:

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be thy 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 forever. Amen. Amen.
THE BLESSING
The priest blesses the people.

CLOSING HYMN 376
Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

Hymn to Joy

1 Joyful, joyful, we adore thee, God of glory, Lord of love;
Hearts unfold like flowers before thee, praising thee, their sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness; drive the dark of doubt away;
Giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day.

2 All thy works with joy surround thee, earth and heaven reflect thy rays,
Stars and angels sing around thee, center of unbroken praise.
Field and forest, vale and mountain, blooming meadow, shining sea,
Chanting bird and flowing fountain, call us to rejoice in thee.

3 Thou art giving and forgiving, ever blessing, ever blest,
Well-spring of the joy of living, ocean-depth of happy rest!
Thou our Father, Christ our Brother: all who live in love are thine;
Teach us how to love each other, lift us to the joy divine.
THE DISMISSAL

Priest Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit!
Alleluia, alleluia!

People Thanks be to God! Alleluia, alleluia!

POSTLUDE

Celtic Alleluia

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