Trinity Sunday Morning Prayer Rite II

Worship Preparation

Preparing for worship at home is a different process than coming to worship in our church, where the space is set up for us with candles and time for prayer before the service begins. As a result, it might be harder to get ourselves ready for worship. So as you prepare yourself for worship this morning, we invite and encourage you to light a candle and say the following prayer:

Generous God, this day and all its possibilities are your gifts to me. Make me ready to receive your grace this morning and every morning.

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude	O Lord Most High	Performed by Holy Apostles Choir
Opening Song	Trinity of Blessed Light	Sung by Nobuki Momma

Opening Sentence

Presider Holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty, who was, and is and is to come!

Confession of Sin

- PresiderDearly beloved, we have come together in the presence of Almighty God our
heavenly Father, to set forth his praise, to hear his holy Word, and to ask, for
ourselves and on behalf of others, those things that are necessary for our life and
our salvation. And so that we may prepare ourselves in heart and mind to worship
him, let us sit in silence, and with penitent and obedient hearts confess our sins,
that we may obtain forgiveness by his infinite goodness and mercy.
- All 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

PresiderAlmighty 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 Spirit
keep you in eternal life. Amen.

The Invitatory & Psalter

Presider	Lord, open our lips.	
People	And our mouth shall proclaim your praise.	
All	Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was i beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen. Alleluia!	
Presider	Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God: Come let us adore him.	
Jubilate	Sung by Motomi Tanaka	
	O be joyful in the Lord all ye lands; serve the Lord with gladness	
	and come before his presence with a song.	
Be ye	e sure that the Lord he is God; it is he that hath made us and not we ourselves;	
	we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.	
0	go your way into his gates with thanksgiving and into his courts with praise:	
	be thankful unto him and speak good of his Name.	
	For the Lord is gracious; his mercy is everlasting;	
	and his truth endureth from generation to generation.	
	Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:	
	As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.	

Canticle 13 A Song of Praise

Sung by Hirona Amamiya

Glory to you, Lord God of our fathers; you are worthy of praise; glory to you. Glory to you for the radiance of your holy Name; we will praise you and highly exalt you forever. Glory to you in the splendor of your temple; on the throne of your majesty, glory to you. Glory to you, seated between the Cherubim; we will praise you and highly exalt you forever. Glory to you, beholding the depth; in the high vault of heaven.

Glory to you, beholding the depth; in the high vault of heaven. Glory to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; we will highly exalt you. Glory to you!

All 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.

The Lessons

A reading from Paul's second letter to the Corinthians Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you. The word of the Lord Thanks be to God. People

A reading from the Gospel of Matthew.

The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age." The word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Homily

The Apostles Creed I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Read by Deacon John Musco

Said in unison

Read by Brenda Alleyne

We now sing together our praise to God in thanksgiving for the generosity of this parish for the continued giving to the church and for the abundant giving to our brothers and sister at PS 15.

DoxologySung by allPraise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise him all creatures here below,
Praise him above ye heav'nly hosts,
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.The PrayersLed by Ida Love

Intecessor In the power of the Holy Trinity, who aids us in our weakness and teaches us to pray, let us offer to God our intercessions, thanksgivings, and all the prayers of our hearts.

Silence is kept for a moment.

Intercessor In this time of bewilderment and fear, we ask you to give us the courage to take care of one another as Jesus did. For those who are ill, especially those who are frightened and alone, for those who cannot access healthcare, for those who are homeless and lost; In your mercy: **Hear our prayer.**

In the midst of our sadness and grief, we ask you to give us words to comfort one another. For those who are dying, and for those who have already died from this virus, for those who care for them and for those with no one to care for them. In your mercy: **Hear our prayer.**

In the midst of our own anxiety, we ask for the courage to support one another as you would. For those who are poor, hungry, and homeless; for those who have lost their employment; those who fear the present and the future; for our government and financial institutions and those who lead them; In your mercy: **Hear our prayer.**

In the midst of our brokenness, we pray that the peace of the risen Christ may heal the wounds of all victims of injustice and exploitation, we pray that the strength of the Holy Spirit helps us to recognize how we are complicit in systems of injustice; we pray to God for the grace to allow room for grieving and sadness. In your mercy: **Hear our prayer.**

In the midst of our struggle to ensure a healthy future for all people, we ask you to give us the hope that surpasses our current understanding. For healthcare workers, spiritual leaders and our faith communities, for protestors, for artists and poets, for prophets and teachers; In your mercy: **Hear our prayer.**

Remembering that you have promised to hear our prayers, we offer our intercessions and thanksgivings:

** we will unmute all for intercessions. Please give silence after each person speaks before you add your petition. If you do not have a petition or if there is too much background noise in your home, <u>please mute yourself.</u> You can also write your prayer in the chat.

The Lord's PrayerLEVAS-264Sung by allOur Father, which art in heaven, hallowed by 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given to us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of your divine Majesty to worship the Unity: Keep us steadfast in this faith and worship, and bring us at last to see you in your one and eternal glory, O Father; who with the Son and the Holy Spirit live and reign, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

Said by all

The General Thanksgiving Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks for all your goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all whom you have made. We bless you for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for your immeasurable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies, that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up our selves to your service, and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.

A Prayer of St. Chrysostom

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O

Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. Amen.

The Benediction

Presider

WS Coffin May God give you Grace never to sell yourself short; Grace to risk something big for something good; Grace to remember that the world is too dangerous for anything but truth and too small for anything but love; The Blessing of God Almighty, Father, Son and Holy Spirit be with us now and remain with us this day and always. Amen.

Closing Hymn: We Shall Overcome

Sung by all

We shall overcome, we shall overcome, we shall overcome someday; Oh, deep in my heart I do believe, we shall overcome someday.

We are not afraid, we are not afraid, we are not afraid today; Oh, deep in my heart I do believe, we are not afraid today.

We shall live in peace, we shall live in peace, we shall live in peace someday; Oh, deep in my heart I do believe, we shall overcome someday.

Parting Hymn

May the Lord, mighty Lord, bless you and keep you forever Bind your heart to his heard, with a bond that nothing can sever Give you light on the uphill road, and courage in every endeavor May the Lord, mighty Lord, bless you and keep you forever.

Passing of the Peace

Time for Check-In