

Holy Trinity Geneva

TRINITY SUNDAY & GIFT DAY Choral Evensong 18h00 - 26th May 2024



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PROCESSIONAL HYMN - NEH 336 Angel voices ever singing We stand

Welcome

A sentence of scripture

There are three that testify in heaven, The Father, the Word and the Holy Spirit, And these three are one.

1 John 5.7

Preces - Radcliffe

PSALM 104, v1-10

- 1 Praise the Lord 'O my 'soul : O Lord my God thou art become exceedingly glorious, thou art 'clothed with 'majesty and 'honour.
- 2 Thou deckest thyself with light as it 'were with a 'garment : and spreadest out the 'heavens 'like a 'curtain.
- 3 Who layeth the beams of his chambers ' in the ' waters : and maketh the clouds his chariot, and walketh up'on the ' wings of the ' wind.

- 4 He maketh his 'angels 'spirits : and his 'ministers a 'flaming 'fire.
- 5 He laid the foundations 'of the 'earth : that it never should 'move at 'any 'time.
- 6 Thou coveredst it with the deep, like as 'with a 'garment : the 'waters' stand in the 'hills.
- 7 At thy re'buke they 'flee: at the voice of thy 'thunder' they are a'fraid.
- 8 They go up as high as the hills, and down to the 'valleys be'neath : even unto the place which 'thou hast ap'pointed 'for them.
- 9 Thou hast set them their bounds which they 'shall not 'pass: neither turn a'gain to 'cover the 'earth.
- 10 He sendeth the springs 'into the 'rivers : which 'run a'mong the 'hills.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son : and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be : world without end. A'men.

First Lesson

Ezekiel 1.4-10,22-28a

We sit

The First Lesson is taken from the prophet Ezekiel, chapter 1, beginning at the 4th verse.

As I looked, a stormy wind came out of the north: a great cloud with brightness around it and fire flashing forth continually, and in the middle of the fire, something like gleaming amber. In the middle of it was something like four living creatures. This was their appearance: they were of human form. Each had four faces, and each of them had four wings. Their legs were straight, and the soles of their feet were like the sole of a calf's foot; and they sparkled like burnished bronze. Under their wings on their four sides they had human hands. And the four had their faces and their wings thus: their wings touched one another; each of them moved straight ahead, without turning as they moved. As for the appearance of their faces: the four had the face of a human being, the face of a lion on the right side, the face of an ox on the left side, and the face of an eagle;

Over the heads of the living creatures there was something like a dome, shining like crystal, spread out above their heads. Under the dome their wings were stretched out straight, one towards another; and each of the creatures had two wings covering its body. When they moved, I heard the sound of their wings like the sound of mighty waters, like the thunder of the Almighty, a sound of tumult like the sound of an army; when they

stopped, they let down their wings. And there came a voice from above the dome over their heads; when they stopped, they let down their wings.

And above the dome over their heads there was something like a throne, in appearance like sapphire; and seated above the likeness of a throne was something that seemed like a human form. Upwards from what appeared like the loins I saw something like gleaming amber, something that looked like fire enclosed all round; and downwards from what looked like the loins I saw something that looked like fire, and there was a splendour all round. Like the bow in a cloud on a rainy day, such was the appearance of the splendour all round. This was the appearance of the likeness of the glory of the LORD.

Here endeth the First Lesson.

Magnificat Byrd 2nd Service

We stand

Second Lesson Revelation Ch.4

We sit

The Second Lesson is taken 4th chapter of the Revelation of St John the Divine, beginning at the 1st verse.

After this I looked, and there in heaven a door stood open! And the first voice, which I had heard speaking to me like a trumpet, said, 'Come up here, and I will show you what must take place after this.' At once I was in the spirit, and there in heaven stood a throne, with one seated on the throne! And the one seated there looks like jasper and cornelian, and around the throne is a rainbow that looks like an emerald. Around the throne are twenty-four thrones, and seated on the thrones are twenty-four elders, dressed in white robes, with golden crowns on their heads. Coming from the throne are flashes of lightning, and rumblings and peals of thunder, and in front of the throne burn seven flaming torches, which are the seven spirits of God; and in front of the throne there is something like a sea of glass, like crystal.

Around the throne, and on each side of the throne, are four living creatures, full of eyes in front and behind: the first living creature like a lion, the second living creature like an ox, the third living creature with a face like a human face, and the fourth living creature like a flying eagle. And the four living creatures, each of them with six wings, are full of eyes all around and inside. Day and night without ceasing they sing, 'Holy, holy, holy,

the Lord God the Almighty,

who was and is and is to come."

And whenever the living creatures give glory and honour and thanks to the one who is seated on the throne, who lives for ever and ever, the twenty-four elders fall before the one who is seated on the throne and worship the one who lives for ever and ever; they cast their crowns before the throne, singing,

'You are worthy, our Lord and God,
to receive glory and honour and power,
for you created all things,
and by your will they existed and were created.'

Here endeth the Second Lesson.

Nunc Dimittis Byrd 2nd Service We stand

The Apostles' Creed

Responses - Radcliffe

Collect of the Day

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 stedfast in this faith, and evermore defend us from all adversities, who livest and reignest, one God, world without end. Amen.

Anthem - Tallis: O Lord, give thy Holy Spirit

O Lord, give thy holy spirit into our hearts, and lighten our understanding, that we may dwell in the fear of thy name, all the days of our life: that we may know thee, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom thou hast sent.

Anon 1566

Homily - Canon Daphne Green

Intercessions

HYMN - NEH 148 omit vv 2,3,5 The God of Abraham praise We stand

The Blessing

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 Ghost, be amongst you and remain with you always. Amen.

Music after the Service

Prayer Requests

R.I.P. Max Badia
We pray for Jill, their family and friends as they mourn

R.I.P. Heather Menhiott
We pray for Armorel, her family and friends as they mourn

We pray for the sick who are known to us, and those caring for them, especially for Irene Tretheway, Joan Tye, Annemarie Hester, Louise Cellerier, André Vivas, Mark Faber, Timothy Creffield, Tianna Dagher, Edith Tanner, Livia Varju, Brenda Hand, Valerie Offord, Phil Thomas, Diana Mason, Robin Bailey, Judi Cianci, Ruth Wyler, Germain, Samuel Kalibala, Joyce McNulty, Trevor Thomas, Diana Dickinson, Denise Muhlethaler, Nathan Zabula, Maya Mortimer, Rosabelle de Silva, Silvio -Morson, Anna Porraccin, Valerie Slessor, Frances Boo, Jenny Syratchev, George Thomasz, Lorensz Ranasinghe.

Pray for the Church of Norway and we give thanks for our local cooperation in ministry as part of the Poovoo Communion.

Give thanks and pray for our fellowship with the French Lutheran and Reformed Churches (Reuilly Common Statement).

Pray for our partnership with CMS.

Everything comes from you, and we have given you only

what comes from your hand. (1 Chronicles 29:14)

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Wednesday	5 June	10h CW Eucharist Online
Thursday	6 June	10h BCP Eucharist in Church
Sunday	9 June	9h CW Eucharist in Church 10h30 CW Eucharist in Church & Online 18h Choral Eucharist in Church
Wednesday	12 June	10h BCP Eucharist Online
Thursday	13 June	10h BCP Eucharist in Church
Sunday	16 June	9h Choral Matins 10h30 CW Eucharist in Church & Online 18h Community Choir Concert
Wednesday	19 June	10h CW Eucharist Online
Thursday	20 June	10h BCP Eucharist in Church
Sunday	23 June	9h CW Eucharist in Church 10h30 CW All Age Eucharist in Church & Online and Admission of candidates for First Communion 18h Choral Evensong in Church
Wednesday	26 June	10h BCP Eucharist Online
Thursday	27 June	10h BCP Eucharist in Church
Sunday	30 June	9h CW Eucharist in Church 10h30 CW Eucharist in Church & Online 18h Choir Concert

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