

# THE LAST SUNDAY AFTER



## PENTECOST- CHRIST THE KING

NOVEMBER 21, 2021 - 10:00 AM

**THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE ANNUNCIATION**

*A welcoming parish loving and serving others in the name of Jesus Christ*

<http://www.annunciationoradell.org/>

We hope that you will find spiritual nourishment and fellowship with us this morning.

This bulletin will guide you through today's service step-by-step

# WELCOME

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

### Hymn 616 – Hail to the Lord’s Anointed

*The people standing, the Officiant says*

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

*From the 1979 Book of Common Prayer*

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

### Confession

If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. *1 John 1:8,9*

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Silence may be kept.*

### 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.

*Officiant*

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 Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

## THE PEACE

Officiant    The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**People    And also with you.**

*Then the Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.*

## THE GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to his people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world:  
have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

## THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

*The Presider says to the people*

                  The Lord be with you.  
**People    And also with you.**

Presider    Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Lector            A Reading from the Book of Daniel

As I watched, thrones were set in place, and an Ancient One took his throne, his clothing was white as snow, and the hair of his head like pure wool; his throne was fiery flames, and its wheels were burning fire. A stream of fire issued and flowed out from his presence. A thousand thousands served him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood attending him. The court sat in judgment, and the books were opened.

As I watched in the night visions, I saw one like a human being coming with the clouds of heaven. And he came to the Ancient One and was presented before him. To him was given dominion and glory and kingship, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not pass away, and his kingship is one that shall never be destroyed.

Lector            The word of the Lord.

**People            Thanks be to God.**

The Lord is King;  
he has put on splendid apparel; \*  
the Lord has put on his apparel  
and girded himself with strength.

He has made the whole world so sure \*  
that it cannot be moved;

Ever since the world began, your throne has been established; \*  
you are from everlasting.

The waters have lifted up, O Lord,  
the waters have lifted up their voice; \*  
the waters have lifted up their pounding waves.

Mightier than the sound of many waters,  
mightier than the breakers of the sea, \*  
mightier is the Lord who dwells on high.

Your testimonies are very sure, \*  
and holiness adorns your house, O Lord,  
for ever and for evermore.

## SECOND READING

Revelation 1:4b-8

Lector A reading from The Revelation to St. John The Divine.

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth.

To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen.

“I am the Alpha and the Omega,” says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

Lector The word of the Lord  
People Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn 645 - The King of Love, My Shepherd Is

## THE HOLY GOSPEL

John 18:33-37

Officiant The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to John  
People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, “Are you the King of the Jews?” Jesus answered, “Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?” Pilate replied, “I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?” Jesus answered, “My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here.” Pilate asked him, “So you are a king?” Jesus answered, “You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice.”

Officiant The Gospel of Jesus Christ.  
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

## SILENCE FOR REFLECTION

## THE NICENE CREED

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,  
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.**

**THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE** (*Form 3 BCP, p. 387*)

*Leader*

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;  
**That we all may be one.**

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and  
humbly serve you;  
**That your Name may be glorified by all people.**

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;  
**That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.**

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations  
of the world;  
**That there may be justice and peace on the earth.**

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;  
**That our works may find favor in your sight.**

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;  
**That they may be delivered from their distress.**

Give to the departed eternal rest.  
**Let light perpetual shine upon them.**

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;  
**May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.**

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

We pray especially for or all those who are suffering during this pandemic, for all victims of COVID-19. We also pray for all those providing care at this time, that you may safeguard them as they work on our behalf.

We pray for: **Ginny Baird, L.J. Barnbas, Linda Bestok, Kate Bondy, Karen Brusati, Karen Bullen, Alex Casella, Eric Cedeno, Celia & Jerome Chandler, Marjorie Considine, Isabelle Corbelan, Bob Dziemian, Alexander, Edward Ester, Rosie Flippo, Allison Ginglia, Brenda Guevarra, Michael Hernandez, Ann Hoffman, Diane Holdsworth, Susan Itaas, Jessica Juliano, Lisa Kocik, Lance Kovar, Mary Kennedy, Nick LaSaracina, Arnel Lucero, Karen Luchs, Sarina Machi, Jill Macker, Barbara Maggio, Salvador Maldonado, Mikail Malik, Louise Malusis, Amie & Miguel Marcelo, Marino Family, William & Eileen McIntyre, Janet Mercado, Sue & Frank Merritt, Daniel & Sarina Mulci, Koji Naono, David Oliff, Priscilla Omori, Bogdan Orzechowski, Marc Osborn, Archie Palmer, Mary Paul, Bob Poiani,**

**Eric Pranza, Peter Prusina, Joe Ruscalleda, Patty Sayre, Michael Sciame, Phil Sciame, Shira Shatzkes, Regina Shomer, Glen Shoudy, Jenny Shumer, Valerie Simpson, Gloria Slaman, Tyler Smith, Madison Stager, Edgar & Ara Tanglao, Cenzy Thornton, Angelina & Jenny Walters, Ron Welker, Catherine Wells, Guida West, Melanie Yabut, Sorina Yang, Shannon & Dane Zisa.**

Heavenly Father, you have promised to hear what we ask in the Name of your Son: Accept and fulfill our petitions, we pray, not that we ask in our ignorance, nor as we deserve in our sinfulness, but as you know and love us in your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us, an offering and sacrifice to God. *Ephesians 5:2 (Please place your offering in the alms basin)*

## **The Liturgy of the Table – Rite II – Eucharistic Prayer A    BCP p. 361**

The Lord be with you

*People*

### **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

*The Presider says*

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

**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 against us.**

**And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory for ever and ever. Amen.**

Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

*Therefore, let us keep the feast.*

The Gifts of God for the People of God.  
Take them in remembrance that Christ died for  
you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith,  
with thanksgiving.

The Body of Christ, the bread of heaven. [*Amen.*]  
The Blood of Christ, the cup of salvation. [*Amen.*]

Let us pray.  
*Celebrant and People*  
Eternal God, heavenly Father,  
you have graciously accepted us as living members  
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,  
and you have fed us with spiritual food  
in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.  
Send us now into the world in peace,  
and grant us strength and courage  
to love and serve you  
with gladness and singleness of heart;  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## **CELEBRATIONS/ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **THE BLESSING**

**Hymn 433 - We gather together**

**DISMISSAL** “Let us go forth...”

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Church of the Annunciation will have a priest for the following services: Dec.5 & 19 and Christmas morning at 10 o'clock.

### **WORSHIP SERVICE FOR NOV.21**

The service for today, Nov. 21 will be a Communion service with the Rev. Wade Renn as the visiting priest.

### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR HABITAT FOR HUMANITY'S RESTORE**

We are organizing a day or two, where volunteers from Annunciation work at Habitat for Humanity's ReStore in Westwood (121 Carver Ave). It could be a day, Monday through Saturday, 9:45-3:30, although shorter availability can work as long as it's a minimum of two hours.

Volunteer job options vary such as customer support, phones, grounds or loading dock. Anyone interested can text or call Liz Rooney at 201-310-3139.

### **CHRISTMAS SPONSORSHIP**

We are sponsoring Jake, an 8 year old child with cancer, and his Mom this Christmas through Tomorrow's Children. Jake would like long sleeve t-shirts and a Kindle Fire tablet. Anyone wishing to contribute please see Sue Dziemian or call her at (201) 835-4328.

### **CHRISTMAS POTLUCK DINNER DECEMBER 11**

Save the date for our annual Christmas Potluck dinner. More details to follow...

### **CHRISTMAS MEMORIAL FLOWERS DECEMBER 19**

Envelopes for Christmas Memorial Flowers are available. Please return them by December 19.

### **WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

**First Sunday of the Month:** Liturgy of the Word Led by Pastor Karen

**Second Sunday:** Attend Worship At Another Church (*we will share our experiences on the following week during our virtual coffee hour*)

**Third Sunday:** Liturgy of the Word led by Grace Oliff

**Fourth Sunday:** Liturgy of the Word led by Sue Dziemian

## ONLINE WORSHIP RESOURCES

On the Sundays that we will not be holding a virtual worship service for our own church, here are several resources to choose from if you are looking for another place to “attend” on those Sunday mornings.

- Here is a full list of the churches in our diocese that have submitted their online resources: <https://dioceseofnewark.org/covid-19/worship>
- Diocese of New Jersey: <https://dioceseofnj.org/online-worship-schedule/>
- Ways to practice faith at home: <https://dioceseofnewark.org/resource-general/ways-practice-faith-home>
- Holy Eucharist at Washington National Cathedral via Youtube or Facebook (11:15am on Sundays): <https://cathedral.org/event/holy-eucharist>
- The Cathedral Church of St. John the Divine is hosting Morning and Evening Prayer daily via Zoom and a live streamed Sunday service at 11am. <https://www.stjohndivine.org/calendar/>

To enhance your weekly devotions and prayer, here are some helpful resources, that include a downloadable BCP:

[Virtual Resources for Devotion and Prayer](#)

## WE NEED YOU!

At our parish meeting, it was decided to work collaboratively to re-engage the mission and ministry of this church in the hope that Christ is leading us to keep it open. To this end, we need all hands on deck to overcome a nearly \$2,000/month deficit, and to energize our gospel call in Oradell. Everyone needs to commit to one or more of the following efforts:

- ❖ Evangelism – which is not about bringing people into our church, but about a spiritual practice of joy in our faith that is infectious.
- ❖ Fundraising – to address the financial issues we face.
- ❖ Outreach – to continue our ministry and mission in the community and beyond.
- ❖ Stewardship – which is far more than pledging. It is also about care of our facilities, of our lives in Christ, of one another, and of the environment.

Please contact Rahul Dass to sign up, if you have not done so already.

## CHECK US OUT!

We are now on many social media platforms. Check out our new website, our Facebook page, or find us on Instagram & Twitter:

<https://www.annunciationoradell.org/>

<https://www.facebook.com/AnnunciationOradell>

<https://twitter.com/AnnunciationO>

<https://www.instagram.com/annunciationoradell/>

## AROUND THE DIOCESE

Save the date for the following events:



For information on all that is happening in the Diocese of Newark, go to the website: <https://dioceseofnewark.org/>

There you can sign up to receive important news, events and seasonal meditations from your diocese.

## STEWARDSHIP

We now have the ability to accept credit card and e-check payments on our website via a secure program provided by Vanco, and used across our diocese. It is so easy to use, and you can set up your pledge to pay automatically, or donate to our outreach fund. Just go to this page on our website and click the Donate button:

<https://www.annunciationoradell.org/support-us.html>

or mail them to:

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**Outreach Fund:** Donations to the Outreach Fund will be designated for the 4<sup>th</sup> BCEF Call which will provide financial support for security upgrades to Trinity & St Philip's Cathedral, Newark, like lighting, new door locks and security cameras. You can make a donation via check, or as noted above, on our website. You can make a donation via check, or as noted above, on our website. Just select "Outreach" and the amount you would like to donate. If you, or someone you know, is in need, please inform Warden Rahul Dass. The Laura Fund and the Rector's Discretionary Account are parish resources directed by the Clergy & Vestry, and may be available when needed. Additional contributions can be made to these funds payable to Church of the Annunciation with Laura Fund or RDF on the memo line.

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