

Trinity Episcopal Church

York Harbor, Maine

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August 6, 2017 10:30 a.m.

Transfiguration Sunday

The Reverend Calvin F. Lyons Sanborn, *Pastor*
The Venerable Aaron Perkins, *Archdeacon of Maine*
Terrie Harman, *Organist & Choir Director*

Celebrating and Preaching Today:
The Reverend Dr. D. Stuart Dunnan
Headmaster, St. James School, St. James, MD



Trinity Episcopal Church, York Harbor, Maine, circa 1908

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THE HOLY EUCHARIST, RITE II

Prelude

Nun Bitten Vir Den Heiliger Geist; Johann Gottfried Walther

Please stand as able and turn towards the entrance.

Processional Hymn

Glorious things of thee are spoken; H-523

Opening Acclamation & Collect

BCP p. 355

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

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

Priest 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.***

Gloria

S-280

1. Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and
peace to his peo - ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heaven - ly
King, al - mighty - y God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we
give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus
Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you
take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy

on us; 5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re -
 ceive our prayer. 6. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One,
 you a - lone are the Lord, 7. you a - lone are the Most
 High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the
 glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

Collect of the Day

Priest The Lord be with you.

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

Priest Let us pray.

O God, who on the holy mount revealed to chosen witnesses your well-beloved Son, wonderfully transfigured, in raiment white and glistening: Mercifully grant that we, being delivered from the disquietude of this world, may by faith behold the King in his beauty; who with you, O Father, and you, O Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. ***Amen.***

You may be seated

Reading from Hebrew Scripture

Exodus 34:29-35

Moses came down from Mount Sinai. As he came down from the mountain with the two tablets of the covenant in his hand, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God. When Aaron and all the Israelites saw Moses, the skin of his face was shining, and they were afraid to come near him. But Moses called to them; and Aaron and all the leaders of the

congregation returned to him, and Moses spoke with them. Afterward all the Israelites came near, and he gave them in commandment all that the LORD had spoken with him on Mount Sinai. When Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil on his face; but whenever Moses went in before the LORD to speak with him, he would take the veil off, until he came out; and when he came out, and told the Israelites what he had been commanded, the Israelites would see the face of Moses, that the skin of his face was shining; and Moses would put the veil on his face again, until he went in to speak with him.

The Word of the Lord.

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

Psalm

Psalm 99

- 1 The LORD is King;
 let the people tremble; *
 he is enthroned upon the cherubim;
 let the earth shake.
- 2 The LORD is great in Zion; *
 he is high above all peoples.
- 3 Let them confess his Name, which is great and awesome; *
 he is the Holy One.
- 4 O mighty King, lover of justice,
 you have established equity; *
 you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob."
- 5 Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God
 and fall down before his footstool; *
 he is the Holy One.
- 6 Moses and Aaron among his priests,
 and Samuel among those who call upon his Name, *
 they called upon the LORD, and he answered them.
- 7 He spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud; *
 they kept his testimonies and the decree that he gave them.
- 8 O LORD our God, you answered them indeed; *
 you were a God who forgave them,
 yet punished them for their evil deeds.

9 Proclaim the greatness of the LORD our God
and worship him upon his holy hill; *
for the LORD our God is the Holy One.

Epistle

2 Peter 1:13-21

I think it right, as long as I am in this body, to refresh your memory, since I know that my death will come soon, as indeed our Lord Jesus Christ has made clear to me. And I will make every effort so that after my departure you may be able at any time to recall these things. For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty. For he received honor and glory from God the Father when that voice was conveyed to him by the Majestic Glory, saying, "This is my Son, my Beloved, with whom I am well pleased." We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven, while we were with him on the holy mountain. So we have the prophetic message more fully confirmed. You will do well to be attentive to this as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts. First of all you must understand this, that no prophecy of scripture is a matter of one's own interpretation, because no prophecy ever came by human will, but men and women moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.

The Word of the Lord.

People *Thanks be to God.*

Sequence Hymn

I want to walk as a child of the light; H-490

Gospel

Luke 9:28-36

Please stand as you are able

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.

People *Glory to you, Lord Christ.*

Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. Now Peter and his companions were

weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, "Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah" —not knowing what he said. While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, "This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!" When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen.

The Gospel of the Lord.

People *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

Sermon

The Reverend Dr. D. Stuart Dunnan

The people stand as able for the Creed and stand or kneel as able for the prayers

Nicene Creed

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All *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:
by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the
Virgin Mary, and was made man.
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 and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.*

*He 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.*

Prayers of the People & Confession

BCP p. 392, form VI

Peace

Priest The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People ***And also with you.***

Welcome & Announcements

Offertory Anthem

Psalm 98; Alan Hovhannes

Doxology

H-380 (v3), H-717 (v. 4)

*Praise God, from whom all
blessing flow;
Praise him all creatures
here below;
Praise him above, ye
heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and
Holy Ghost.*

*Our father's God, to thee,
Author of liberty,
To thee we sing;
Long may our land be
bright
With freedom's holy light;
Protect us by thy might,
Great God, our King*

Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A

Priest The Lord be with you.
People ***And also with you.***
Priest Lift up your hearts.
People ***We lift them to the Lord.***
Priest Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People ***It is right to give our thanks and praise.***

Priest It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. For you are the source of light and life, you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus

Richard Proulx, S-125

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,
 heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
 san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
 Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
 san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Remain standing or kneel as able, and the priest continues.

Priest Holy and Gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world. On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he

broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." 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. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All ***Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.***

The priest continues

Priest We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O God, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.
Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.
All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. ***Amen.***

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

Lord's Prayer

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The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.

Priest Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
People ***Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.***

Priest 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.

During Holy Communion

Motet

Creator, Spirit by Whose Aid; Henry Carey

Hymn

Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendor; H-307

Prayer of Thanksgiving

BCP p. 365

Please stand as able

Priest Let us pray.

All *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.*

Blessing

Recessional Hymn

Put forth, O God, thy Spirit's might; H-521

Dismissal

Deacon Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People *Thanks be to God.*

Organ Postlude

On Leone, Gordon Young

Service Participants

Today's readers are Ala Reid and Ruth Ann Swaincott

Today's ushers are Ala Reid, Kathleen Hofer, Susan Metcalf, Kathleen Davis

Altar and flower preparation Kitty Davis and Susan Meffert

Refreshments provided by Kitty Davis and Mary Harding

The Service Guild has many helping hands thanks to all those who volunteer throughout the summer. However, there are still opportunities to help with altar set-up, flowers and ushers. Please contact Anne Driscoll at 207-337-2362 or annedriscoll@maine.rr.com or Cindy Perkins at 207-475-6506 or at cindy@dunesonthewaterfront.com for more information.

2017 Summer Concert Series

All concerts take place Sunday evenings at 5:00 p.m. Concerts are gratis; free will offering gratefully received.

Anne Corriveau & Gina Connolly, Sopranos, August 6th

As beautiful to see as to hear, this well-matched pair sing a wide range of duets, arias, and art songs, with Terrie Ilaria at the keyboard.

Organ Recital by Famed Maestro John Fenstermaker, August 13th

After his studies at Wesleyan, Washington National Cathedral, and the Sorbonne, he served as long-time organist at Grace Cathedral, San Francisco and is currently the Director of Music at Trinity-by-the-Cove in Naples, Florida.

Announcements

If you are a new visitor to Trinity Church, please make your presence known after the service so we may welcome you. As a Summer Chapel, we are guided by our pastor, the Rev. Calvin Sanborn. However, we have guest priests throughout the summer.

The visiting Celebrant & Preacher next Sunday will be The Most Reverend Michael Bruce Curry, *Presiding Bishop and Primate of The Episcopal Church.*

The Trinity Church Service Guild's 2017 Backpack Collection will enable needy elementary and middle school students in York to start school well equipped. To take part please purchase a sturdy, gender neutral backpack and stock it with a pack of pencils, a small pencil sharpener, a ruler, and a binder with paper. Other optional items may include crayons, glue stick, scissors, tissues and high

lighters. No expensive electronic devices, please. For questions, or ideas for local shopping sources, contact Kitty Davis at 363-1145 or kdaviswriter@gmail.com. There are many online shopping sources as well and many retailers have already begun back to school sales. Our goal is to deliver the backpacks to York Community Service Association during the last week of August. Please bring your backpacks with supplies to the church narthex on Sundays. Our final collection Sunday will be August 20th. Our goal this year is to deliver 40 or more backpacks. Thank you for your support!

Zucchini overload? Too many tomatoes? The Service Guild Outreach Committee would love to take them off your hands! Bring what your harvest to church on September 3rd and the Service Guild will distribute them to the workforce housing residents at the Carriage House. They were so grateful to receive our bountiful harvest last year! There will be a basket in the narthex. Can't make it then? We'd be delighted to pick up your donations. We would also be happy to pick up further donations after Labor Day as well! Please contact Mary Behnke 363-2599, leebenhke@gmail.com or Janie Sweeney, 363-1657, janie@seatur.com to arrange.

Our own Terrie Harman will be performing at 11:00a.m. at the Merrill Auditorium on August 12 as part of the 105th birthday celebration for the Kotzschmar Organ. The "performathon" event is from 10:00a.m. through 5:00p.m., features 14 talented organists, and includes opportunities to tour the magnificent Kotzschmar Organ. More information at www.foko.org.

The Service Guild cookbook is now available for sale. The cookbooks will be on sale each Sunday. Where? Under the Beech Tree, of course! For more information: Mary Behnke, 207-363-2599

York Food Pantry donations are always welcome every Sunday and will be collected for delivery to the food pantry on July 27 and August 31. Please leave nonperishable food and toiletry donations, in or next to the basket in the narthex. You may also place a check made out to YCSA (memo: Food Pantry) in the offering plate

Please join us after the service for refreshments under the beech tree.

Restroom facilities. A porta-potty is available in the lower garden. If you need assistance to get there or to find the restroom in the choir room, one of the ushers will be happy to assist you.