



**Trinity United Church  
of Christ  
Seventh Sunday of  
Easter  
May 24, 2020**

**See below for worship on-line on ZOOM**

Today's Theme: "Love is Our Witness"

**Instructions for Zoom.com Worship:**

- 1. If you are NEW to zoom, ahead of the service on Sunday: go to zoom.com and download zoom**
- 2. before 10:30 a.m. Sunday, open this bulletin on your computer or go the e-mail from [pastortucc@comcast.net](mailto:pastortucc@comcast.net) and click on the https link to ZOOM.com**
- 3. you will be asked to join the meeting and then**
- 4. you click on computer by video AND by audio**

**ToDay:** If you're doing your worship in a quiet personal setting with this bulletin, then let's worship on this 7th Sunday of Easter:

pastortucc@comcast.net is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting. Topic: Trinity UCC worship 5-24-20  
Time: May 24, 2020 10:30 AM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

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**WE GATHER**

*During this worship, we encourage you to know and to remember that you have created a **Quiet Meditative Space**, that this is a **Safe and Loving Place**, a **"Sanctuary"** for worship, praise and reflection; and to remember that **'No Matter Who You Are or Where You Are on Life's Journey, You are Welcome Here!***

**Welcome to This "at home" personal worship bulletin. Maybe, you'd like to light a candle as you worship with this bulletin...especially if you have gathered your family with you.**

*(If you have prayer requests which you would like mentioned in the bulletin/newsletter, please send a note to Pastortucc@comcast.net)*

**NOTE: WE CONTINUE TO KEEP THE TRINITY UCC FACILITIES CLOSED FOR WORSHIP AND SMALL COMMITTEE/GROUP ACTIVITIES. Diane continues to work in the office three days a week on a varied schedule. Pastor Gerry has some office hours.**

### **Call to Worship**

Leader: God of the open road,

**One: God of the twisting path,**

Two: God of the narrow and upward way, your people are gathered for worship!

**Three: Even though we see each other in the “Hollywood Squares-Look-a-like boxes we are still gathered for worship.**

Four: In this virtual space, give us provision for the journey:

**ALL: Courage, faith, compassion, power and hope!**

Five: In these days, our endurance to face any hardship is made more sure by our time together and with You, O God.

**Six: Open our eyes to see you walking beside us, protecting us, encouraging us, loving us.**

Leader: We pray this in the name of Jesus, who moves us, Amen

### **Gathering Prayer**

**Hymn** “All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name”

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UyPT3IVSpmo>

### **Our Prayer of Renewal**

Pastor: Loving, Working God, on this Sunday we ask your special blessing on all people who labor, either for pay or as volunteers, in jobs or at school, in the workplace or at home, in the U.S. and around the world.

**ALL: Hear our Prayers, O Lord.**

Pastor: We especially pray for your blessings on workers who do not have jobs and for those whose inadequate pay does not allow them to live the full life you intend for each of us.

**ALL: Hear our Prayers, O Lord.**

Pastor: Creator God, help us to build a new world in the midst of the old. A world where all workers are valued.

A world where those who clean houses are also able to buy houses to live in. A world where those who grow food can also afford to eat their fill. A world where those who serve and care for others are, themselves, also served and cared for.

**ALL: Hear our Prayers, O Lord.**

Pastor: We pray for the coming of a world where all workers everywhere share in the abundance that you have given us.

We ask these things knowing that you give us the courage and power to live out our faith in the workplace and the marketplace, as well as in the sanctuary and in this virtual space of worship.

**ALL: Amen.**

### **Words of Assurance**

#### **WE ENGAGE WITH THE CHILDREN**

You know the names of our children (Adriana, Alex, Elijah, Gavin, Lane, Laci, Lexi, Lily, Livi, Mason, O’Neil & Nathan, Fynn & Benjamin (in Germany) and Nick and Elizabeth Garmer) who would normally gather with Pastor Gerry for a time of conversation. Stop and think of each one of them and smile and find delight in them.

#### **WE PROCLAIM**

**Scripture Reading:** John 17:1-11.

**Sermon:** “Power” Pastor Hanberry

**Special Music:** “I Believe” by Mark Miller, Minister of Music,  
Christ Church UCC, Summit, NJ  
<https://vimeo.com/showcase/7101816?page=2>

### Joys and Concerns and Pastoral Prayer

**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 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.**

### Invitation to Offering

**Offertory:** *Please remember to send in your offering by mail, or give to our on-line giving button on the website*  
<https://www.trinityuccmanchester.org>.

### Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God all creatures here below;  
Praise God above ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**Prayer of Dedication – Say your own prayer of gratitude, maybe begin with: “Thank you, God...”**

### WE GO FORTH

**Closing Hymn: “Great is the Lord” by Michael W. Smith**  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TdqfAkHCZnA>

**Carrying the Light into the World – Put out your candle or maybe take it carefully outside and let it burn for the world.**

**Benediction:** Please say with us all these words,  
**“May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the renewing, re-birthing power of the Holy Spirit be with you and all those you love and those no one loves, save but God. Amen.”**

**Worship Notes and Resources:** Adapted by Pastor Hanberry from “Worship Ways” of the UCC.org worship resources.

### Worship Leadership

Gerry C. Hanberry	Interim Pastor
Pat Hanberry	Zoom Associate
MB Brainerd	Worship Committee
Deb Persinger	
Sandy Sanders	

### WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

FOR AS LONG AS WE ARE NOT MEETING IN THE CHURCH FACILITIES, WE WILL GIVE YOU NEWS (normally posted in our monthly Newsletter) IN THIS EXTENDED SECTION OF THE BULLETIN...(for the time being we will not publish a regular monthly newsletter).

### Budget Information:

Amount needed from all sources each week to meet our budget: \$2,436.00.  
Giving for last week: General: \$1,195.00  
Building Fund: \$470.00 Attendance: 28 by Zoom

### Prayers of Thanksgiving and Concern

Prayers are needed for our country at this difficult time and all those in need.

Prayers are needed for Penny Ludwig, she had a brief time in the hospital with a slight heart issue. Cards maybe sent to:  
P.O. Box 67, 3004 Princess Court, Manchester MD 21102

## **Submission Dates for Bulletins/Newsletter**

Sunday Worship bulletin and Weekly Newsletter – Wednesday

## **Worship Trinity UCC for the Next Three Weeks:**

### **May 31, 2020 – Pentecost Sunday 10:30 a.m.**

1 Corinthians 12:3b-13 & Acts 2:1-21

Sermon: "The Power of the Wind; The Power of a Paradigm Shift"  
Pastor Hanberry

### **June 7, 2020 – Trinity Sunday 10:30 a.m.**

2 Corinthians 13:11-13 & Matthew 28:16-20

"Witness to the World" Pastor Hanberry

### **June 14, 2020 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost 10:30 a.m.**

Genesis 18:1-15 & Romans 5:1-8

Sermon: "Sarah's Laughter; Our Delight, Our Challenge"  
Pastor Hanberry

## **Meeting Dates Zoom**

Worship Committee – Thursday, May 28 @ 6pm

Consistory – Wednesday, June 3 @ 7pm

Interim Planning Team – Monday, June 8 @ 7pm

## **Bible Study on Wednesdays:**

### **A Bible Study for Inquiring Minds**

**May 27 -- 6:45 – 8:00 p.m.**

**Led by**

**The Rev. Gerry C. Hanberry**

**Interim Pastor**

**Join Zoom Meeting**

**<https://zoom.us/j/92985499048> Meeting**

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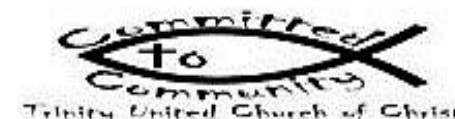
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Secretary – Karen Haines

Treasurer – Sue Myers

Assistant Treasurer – Debra Miller



ALL HAIL THE POWER OF JESUS' NAME

1. All hail the pow'ry of Je - sus' name! Let an - gels pro - ceed  
 2. Crown him, you mar - tyrs of our God, Who first he - al - ted  
 3. Hail him, you heirs of Da - vid's line Whom Da - vid Lord did  
 4. O that with ev - 'ry tribe and tongue We at his feet may

1. hail. Bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem And  
 2. call. Ex - tol him in whose path you trod. And  
 3. call. The God in - car - nate, Man di - vine. And  
 4. hail. Lift high the u - ni - ver - sal song And

1. crown him Lord of all. Bring forth the roy - al  
 2. crown him Lord of all. Ex - tol him in whose  
 3. crown him Lord of all. The God in - car - nate,  
 4. crown him Lord of all. Lift high the u - ni -

1. di - a - dem And crown him Lord of all.  
 2. path you trod. And crown him Lord of all.  
 3. Man di - vine. And crown him Lord of all.  
 4. ver - sal song And crown him Lord of all.

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**Great is the Lord**

And worthy of glory  
 Great is the Lord  
 And worthy of praise  
 Great is the Lord  
 Now lift up your voice  
 Now lift up your voice  
 Great is the Lord  
 Great is the Lord  
 Great is the Lord,  
 He is holy and just  
 By His power we trust  
 In His love  
 Great is the Lord  
 He is faithful, and true  
 By His mercy He proves  
 He is love  
 Great is the Lord  
 And worthy of glory  
 Great is the Lord  
 And worthy of praise  
 Great is the Lord  
 Now lift...  
 Great is the Lord  
 And worthy of glory  
 Great is the Lord  
 And worthy of praise  
 Great is the Lord  
 Now lift up your voice  
 Now lift up your voice  
 Great is the Lord  
 Great is the Lord  
 Great are you Lord  
 And worthy of glory  
 Great are you Lord  
 And worthy of praise  
 Great are you Lord  
 I lift up my voice  
 I lift up my voice  
 Great are you Lord  
 Great are you Lord  
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