



CHRIST CHURCH
- PITTSFORD -

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

WELCOME! We are delighted to have you worship with us today. If you are a visitor, we hope you leave as a friend; please complete a “welcome card” found in the pew racks. Please join us at the altar rail for Communion. You may request gluten free wafers from the clergy. We hope you will return!



To use our hearing loop, activate the telecoil on your hearing aid/cochlear implant. Adjust the volume as needed.

SUNDAY, MAY 15, 2022
TEN O’CLOCK IN THE MORNING

THIS WEEK AT CHRIST CHURCH

SUNDAY, MAY 15

8.00 am	Worship Service with Communion (Rite I)
9.00 am	Coffee Hour
9.00 am	Christ Church Reads the Bible
10.00 am	Worship Service with Communion (Rite II)
10.00 am	Sunday School and nursery care
11.00 am	Coffee Hour
11.00 am	Christ Church Reads the Bible
11.15 am	Confirmation class

MONDAY, MAY 16

11.30 am	Stretch and Strengthen (new time)
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TUESDAY, MAY 17

12.00 pm	Meditation
3.00 pm	Non-fiction Book Club

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18

10.00 am	Worship service
6.00 pm	Choir practice

SUNDAY, MAY 22

8.00 am	Worship Service with Communion (Rite I)
9.00 am	Coffee Hour with goodies
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WORSHIP ASSISTANTS AT TODAY'S SERVICE

LECTORS

Kenn Martinez, Gay Greene, Tom Judson

USHERS

Jeremy Brown, Alan Jonason

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

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.**

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty God, whom truly to know is everlasting life: Grant us so perfectly to know your Son Jesus Christ to be the way, the truth, and the life, that we may steadfastly follow his steps in the way that leads to eternal life; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Please sit.

THE FIRST LESSON

Read by Kenn Martinez.

ACTS II:I-18

NOW THE APOSTLES AND THE BELIEVERS who were in Judea heard that the Gentiles had also accepted the word of God. So when Peter went up to Jerusalem, the circumcised believers criticized him, saying, "Why did you go to uncircumcised men and eat with them?" Then Peter began to explain it to them, step by step, saying, "I was in the city of Joppa praying, and in a trance I saw a vision. There was something like a large sheet coming down from heaven, being lowered by its four corners; and it came close to me. As I looked at it closely I saw four-footed animals, beasts of prey, reptiles, and birds of the air. I also heard a voice saying to me, 'Get up, Peter; kill and eat.' But I replied, 'By no means, Lord; for nothing profane or unclean has ever entered my mouth.' But a second time the voice answered from heaven, 'What God has made clean, you must not call profane.' This happened three times; then everything was pulled up again to heaven. At that very moment three men, sent to me from Caesarea, arrived at the house where we were. The Spirit told me to go with them and not to make a distinction between them and us. These six brothers also accompanied me, and we entered the man's house. He told us how he had seen the angel standing in his house and saying, 'Send to Joppa and bring Simon, who is called Peter; he will give you a message by which you and your entire household will be saved.'

And as I began to speak, the Holy Spirit fell upon them just as it had upon us at the beginning. And I remembered the word of the Lord, how he had said, ‘John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.’ If then God gave them the same gift that he gave us when we believed in the Lord Jesus Christ, who was I that I could hinder God?” When they heard this, they were silenced. And they praised God, saying, “Then God has given even to the Gentiles the repentance that leads to life.”

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 148

Read responsively

LAUDATE DOMINUM

HALLELUJAH!
Praise the LORD from the heavens; *
praise him in the heights.

Praise him, all you angels of his; *

praise him, all his host.

Praise him, sun and moon; *

praise him, all you shining stars.

Praise him, heaven of heavens, *

and you waters above the heavens.

Let them praise the Name of the LORD; *

for he commanded, and they were created.

He made them stand fast for ever and ever; *

he gave them a law which shall not pass away.

Praise the LORD from the earth, *

you sea-monsters and all deeps;

Fire and hail, snow and fog, *

tempestuous wind, doing his will;

Mountains and all hills, *

fruit trees and all cedars;

Wild beasts and all cattle, *

creeping things and winged birds;

Kings of the earth and all peoples, *

princes and all rulers of the world;

Young men and maidens, ★
old and young together.

Let them praise the Name of the LORD, ★
for his Name only is exalted, his splendor is over earth and heaven.

He has raised up strength for his people and praise for all his loyal servants, ★
the children of Israel, a people who are near him. Hallelujah!

THE SECOND LESSON

Read by Gay Greene

REVELATION 21:1-6

I SAW A NEW HEAVEN AND A NEW EARTH; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

“See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them as their God; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them; he will wipe every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away.”

And the one who was seated on the throne said, “See, I am making all things new.” Also he said, “Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true.” Then he said to me, “It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of life.”

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand as able.

HYMN 525 The Church's one foundation

AURELIA

THE GOSPEL

JOHN 13:31-35

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

AT THE LAST SUPPER, when Judas had gone out, Jesus said, “Now the Son of Man has been glorified, and God has been glorified in him. If God has been glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself and will glorify him at once. Little children, I am with you only a little longer. You will look for me; and as I said to the Jews so now I say to you, ‘Where I am going, you cannot come.’ I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.”

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

SERMON

David Jutsum

THE NICENE CREED

Please stand as able.

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.**

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Read by Tom Judson.

In the power of the Resurrection, trusting in the new life given to all people, let us pray to the Lord, saying in response, "Christ is risen indeed!"

Silence

For the mission of the church throughout the world, that all be led by the Holy Spirit to proclaim the good news that God is love. Christ is risen.

Christ is risen indeed.

For this parish of Christ Church Pittsford, for the wardens, the vestry, our officers, and the staff, that we faithfully follow Jesus. Christ is risen.

Christ is risen indeed.

For plants and animals, for clean water and air, for favorable weather, and for the whole of creation, that you guide us to serve as good stewards of the earth. Christ is risen.

Christ is risen indeed.

For judges, lawyers, and all court officials, for the leaders of government, and for all who seek justice in this world, that all be treated with fairness and equity. Christ is risen.

Christ is risen indeed.

For those who are poor, bereaved, distressed, and sick, and for those who provide care and comfort, that all find assurance of God's unending love for them. Christ is risen.

Christ is risen indeed.

For those all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled. Christ is risen.
Christ is risen indeed.

Officiant

Loving God, in your unsearchable wisdom you command us to do what is right and good, so that through faith-filled action we may come to recognize your loving concern for us. May we always be single-minded in carrying out your commands, especially to be reconciled with one another, and to approach your holy table in peace and unity. We make this prayer through Christ our risen Lord. **Amen.**

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Please sit.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Thomas TALLIS 1505-85

IF YE LOVE ME, keep my commandments, and I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another comforter, that he may abide with you for ever; even the spirit of truth.

JOHN 14:15-17

Please stand as able.

DOXOLOGY: HYMN 380 v. 3

OLD HUNDREDTH

PRAISE GOD, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host:
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

THOMAS KEN 1637-1711

PSEAUMES OCTANTE TROIS DE DAVID 1551, alt.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and every-where to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth; But chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won for us everlasting life. 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:

S. 125 SANCTUS AND BENEDICTUS

Richard PROULX 1937-2010

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY LORD, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

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:

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, 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,

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,
and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

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

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

Celebrant 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.

HYMN 315 Thou who at thy first Eucharist didst pray SONG 1

HYMN 334 Praise the Lord, rise up rejoicing ALLES IST AN GOTTES SEGEN

POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

Please stand as able.

Celebrant Let us pray.

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 AND DISMISSAL

May God the father by whose glory Christ was raised from the dead, raise you up to walk with him in newness of his risen life; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and Holy Spirit be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Celebrant Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia. Alleluia.

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

HYMN 544 Jesus shall reign wherever the sun

DUKE STREET

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

CHRIST CHURCH READS THE BIBLE

From Christ's Kitchen: Recipes for the Good Life.

May 15: From Christ's Crockpot: The Virtue of Slow Food.

May 22: Of Locavores and Life Abundant.

Thursday, June 16: Movie Night: *Babette's Feast*.

COFFEE HOUR

The next Coffee Hour with goodies will be May 22. If you would like to contribute a goodie (bread, two dozen cookies, brownies, etc.) call the office at 585-586-1226.

SUMMER 2022: IMPORTANT DATES FOR FAMILIES

Vacation Bible School and Missionpalooza are back! Vacation Bible School will be held Monday, June 27 to Thursday, June 30, from 9.00 am to noon for kids entering pre-K through 5th grade in the fall. Youth and adults are invited to volunteer to make our event a success. Youth entering 7th through 12th grade in the fall can register for Missionpalooza, to be held Monday, July 11—Thursday, July 14. We'll spend the week volunteering at sites around Rochester and reflecting on our experiences. Please visit our website to register for Missionpalooza.

NON FICTION BOOK CLUB

TUESDAY, MAY 17: 3.00 pm

We will discuss *Uncontrolled Spread: Why COVID-19 Crushed Us and How We Can Defeat the Next Pandemic* by Scott Gottlieb, MD. For more information, please e-mail Jim Baroody: jimbaroody@gmail.com.

YOUTH GROUP AT THE PITTSFORD MEMORIAL DAY PARADE

Pittsford's Memorial Day Parade is back this year on Monday, May 30 at 10.00 am, and the Youth Group is invited to join in the festivities. We are looking for volunteers to arrive at 9:45 to set up in front of Christ Church. During the parade, volunteers can greet parade participants and spectators and hand out water and lemonade. Wear your best red, white and blue and join in the fun! If you are interested in attending, please let Liz know (585-586-1226). Friends are always welcome.

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

Thank you to everyone who has donated to flowers for memorials, celebrations, and thanksgivings. The services at Christ Church are greatly enhanced by the beauty of the flowers on the altar. These flowers are donated for a date of your choice: in memory of loved ones, in thanksgiving, or in celebration of special events. We order our flowers from Pittsford Florist. The Altar Guild breaks down the arrangements into individual bouquets that are delivered to members of the parish who are celebrating, ill, or have other concerns. The cost is \$75.00 per Sunday. If you would like to reserve a date, please contact the office at 586-1226.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Suzanne Seeley, cancer;

Ron Sinisgalli, friend of Jim and Joyce Porrey, serious health concerns;

Ella Dyson, friend of Elizabeth Tice, T-cell lymphoblastic lymphoma;

Amy, daughter-in-law of Tom and Carol Wright, serious health issues;

Alec Sutherland, serious health concerns;

The Rev. Dr. Sonia Waters, stage 4 colon cancer;

John King, father of Reagan McNameeKing, palliative care;

ONGOING:

Scott Ornt; Alex Simpson; Tom Blum; Karl Hendrickson; Frances; Bella O'Neil; Austin Kellogg; Barry Balonek; Janet Campbell; Trevor Smith; Olivia; Susan Finlay; Judi Bachelder; Tom Wright; Gerry Arcuri; Ginger van der Meid; Beth; Steve; George Tice; Wayne Denlinger; Ruth Mets; Justin Torkildsen; David Miller; Sarah McCurdy; Sarah Koopus; Anu Abhyankar; Dick Seils; Jean Snyder and family; Bill Yeneralo; Andrew Green; Joel Krenis; Gladys Wiedrich; Natalie McComb; Susan Watt; Tom Frank; Eleanor Guldbek; Jeannie Young; Carol Bates.

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