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INVITATION TO INVITE - One of the most effective tools for growth in congregations is the simple invitation by a member to another, whether that other be family, friend, colleague or someone we meet in passing. You are therefore invited to invite. Now is good . . .

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OUR MISSION:

We seek to be . . .

- *a melting pot of believers in Jesus Christ whose hearts are open to embrace the world around us;*
- *a place of healing, comfort and safety for all God's children;*
- *a house of worship faithful to the traditions of the Episcopal Church and open to the joyful action of the Holy Spirit*

With God's help, we will . . . Seek Christ in all persons; Serve others; and Strive to be a vibrant, growing and visible Episcopal community of faith.

Sunday, August 6, 2017
The Transfiguration of our Lord
Jesus Christ

Holy Eucharist

Ordinary Time, Proper 13

Sunday, August 6, 2017

Liturgy of the Word

Hymn

Fill My Cup, Lord

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All standing, the Celebrant says

People Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
**And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever.
Amen.**

The Celebrant says the Collect for Purity

The following is spoken, all standing

Glory to God

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Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant 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.

First Reading

Isaiah 55:1-5

A reading from the Book of Isaiah

Ho, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and you that have no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price. Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy? Listen carefully to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food. Incline your ear, and come to me; listen, so that you may live. I will make with you an everlasting

covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David. See, I made him a witness to the peoples, a leader and commander for the peoples. See, you shall call nations that you do not know, and nations that do not know you shall run to you, because of the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, for he has glorified you.

Reader

The Word of the Lord.

People

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 145:8-9, 15-22

⁸ The LORD is gracious and merciful,

slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

⁹ The LORD is good to all,

and his compassion is over all that he has made.

¹⁵ The eyes of all look to you,

and you give them their food in due season.

¹⁶ You open your hand,

satisfying the desire of every living thing.

¹⁷ The LORD is just in all his ways,

and kind in all his doings.

¹⁸ The LORD is near to all who call on him,

to all who call on him in truth.

¹⁹ He fulfills the desire of all who fear him;

he also hears their cry, and saves them.

²⁰ The LORD watches over all who love him,

but all the wicked he will destroy.

²¹ My mouth will speak the praise of the LORD,

and all flesh will bless his holy name forever and ever.

Second Reading

Romans 9:1-5

Hear our words.

God of blessing, we call upon you, for you answer us in our need. We pray this day for all those desperate for your blessing. Moved by compassion, heal the sick and suffering ones we hold in our hearts this day.

The congregation may add their petitions & thanksgivings followed by Silence

Incline your ear to us;

Hear our words.

God our vindicator, justify the dead through the mercy of your Messiah. We pray that in the fullness of time, they may awake, beholding your likeness.

Silence

Incline your ear to us;

Hear our words.

All remain standing.

Confession of Sin

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**Holy Trinity Parish Prayers**

**ANGLICAN CYCLE OF PRAYER**

**PRAY** for the Diocese of Puerto Rico

**DIOCESAN CALENDAR OF PRAYER**

**Michael B. Curry** – Presiding Bishop

**Wayne Houglund** – Bishop of Western Michigan

**Wendell Gibbs** – Bishop of Michigan

**Search Process for new Bishop** – Bishop of Eastern Michigan

**Rayford Ray** – Bishop of Northern Michigan

**Julio Holguin** – Bishop of the Dominican Republic

**Justin Welby** – Archbishop of Canterbury

**Craig Satterlee** – Bishop of the North/West Lower Michigan Synod of the ELCA Church in America

**Ed Emenheiser** – Our Rector Emeritus

**David Brower** – our Interim Rector

**Brad Allard** – Our Deacon

**St. John’s-by-the-Lake**, Onekama, Ed Emenheiser, Coordinator

**Sudanese Grace Church**, Grand Rapids, Zachariah Char, Vicar; Abraham Anei, Deacon

**PRAYERS FOR THOSE IN DISCERNMENT**

We pray for all those in our diocese who are discerning calls to ministry, both

lay and ordained. In particular, we pray for those in our diocese who are preparing for the Sacred Order of **Priests**, including the following: **Radha, Pete, John, Kellan, Allen**

We pray also for those in our diocese who are preparing for the Sacred Order of **Deacons**, including: **Brother Francis, Janet, Pat**

**HOLY TRINITY CALENDAR OF PRAYER**

**Reed Bretz; Betty & Robert Bronson; Sue Bronson; Anna Brown**

**Sergeant Austin Vincent (Marines)**, grandson of Angie Vincent. Austin is stationed at Camp Pendleton, CA.

**Airman 1<sup>st</sup> Class Roger Anderson (Air Force)**, son of Chip & Kelley Anderson. Roger is stationed in North Carolina.

**LT Sean Newman (Navy)**, grandson of Ron Newman. Sean is stationed in King Bay, GA.

**All men & women** of our armed forces.

**Mary Kamara**, mother of Wata Akoi

**All** those seeking employment.

**To bless** and strengthen the members of our prayer chain as they pray for special needs.

**We give Thanksgiving** for the visitors in our midst. Help us to show them your love.

**FOR THOSE WHO SEEK OUR PRAYERS – HOLY TRINITY**

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|------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|
| Wata A.    | Emily A.  | Kelley A. | Betty B.    | Robert B. |
| Aleeyah B. | Alivia B. | Nan C.    | Rick C.     | Cienna D. |
| Judy D.    | Jasper F. | Olivia H. | Debbie H.   | Karen J.  |
| Tom K.     | Kirk M.   | Sally T.  | Bettiann T. | Angie V.  |
| Lillian B. | Brenym    | Irma H.   | Jack S.     |           |

**FOR THOSE WHO SEEK OUR PRAYERS FROM:**

Holy Spirit  
Soldiers of Christ Apostolic Church  
Iglesia Cordero De Dios  
Sudanese Grace Episcopal Congregation  
Blessed and Enduring Ministry

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Peace

Announcements

Holy Communion

Offertory Hymn

All in All

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We are looking at putting together meal teams. If anyone is interested please see Melissa Puzan for more information.

LAY MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Date	Ushers	Greeters	Acolytes	Altar Guild	Counters
8/6/2017	Patti & Dave		Lisa, Becky, Mady	8/5 – 8/11 Barb & Debbie	Melissa & Arend
8/13/2017	Courtney & Scott		Brady & Lily (subbing)	8/12-8/18 Beth & Carolyn	Tim & Lisa
8/20/2017	Mary Katherine & Todd		Christian	8/19-25 Lisa & Troy	Beth & Allen
8/27/2017	Lisa & Troy Nelson		Brady & Lily	8/26-9/1 Barb & Lynda	Melissa & Debbie
9/3/2017	Gabriel & Wata Akoi		Lisa, Becky, Mady	9/2-9/8 Meredith Courtney	Arend & Mark
Date	Old Testament /Epistle	Prayers of the People	Chalice		
8/6/2017	Ron Christian	Dennis	Troy Dennis		
8/13/2017	Bill Scott	Brady & Lily	Troy Meg		
8/20/2017	Nan Christian	Beth	Beth Lynda		

(Note: for questions regarding Readings, Prayers of the People, or chalice serving please contact Ron Tiller)



*This Week
at a Glance*

Sunday 8/6/2017	10:00am	Holy Eucharist – The Rev. David A Brower, Officiant
	11:30am	Coffee Hour Volunteers needed
	1:00pm	Soldiers Of Christ Apostolic Church
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