## **Mission Statement**

Guided by Holy Scripture and the Holy Spirit, we the congregation of Holy Trinity pledge our lives to Christ. Through worship, love, and service to one another, we will bring witness and encouragement to the community.

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The bulletin today is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of **Diana Hounsell** by Martha Beson & Families.

Service Times for May 20 – May 27, 2018			
Sunday, May 20 Day of Pentecost	Holy Communion (BCP) Holy Eucharist (BAS) Prayer & Worship	8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	
Thursday	Holy Eucharist (BAS)	9:30 a.m.	
Next Sunday, May 27 Trinity Sunday	Holy Communion (BCP) Holy Eucharist (BAS)	8:30 a.m. 10:30 p.m.	

ReadingsActs 2:1-21Psalm 104:25-35, 37bRomans 8:22-27John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15ReadersHubert GriffinBarbara LeyteCathy FlynnBarbara Leyte

**Greetings Everyone**. A very warm welcome to anyone who is visiting with us this morning. If this is your first time, we ask that you introduce yourself to our Greeters and Clergy and sign our guest book located in the foyer. We are delighted to have you join with us on this *Pentecost Sunday*.

Pentecost Sunday. Pentecost Sunday is a commemoration and celebration of the receiving of the Holy Spirit by the early church. Christ had promised His Apostles that He would send His Holy Spirit, and, on *Pentecost*, they were granted the gifts of the Holy Spirit. The Apostles began to preach the Gospel in all of the languages that the Jews who were gathered there spoke, and about 3,000 people were converted and baptized that day. Today, we recognize the gift of the Holy Spirit and realize that God's very life, breath and energy live in believers. The celebration of Pentecost Sunday reminds us of the reality that we all have the unifying Spirit that was poured out upon the first-century church in Acts 2:1-4. It is a reminder that we are co-heirs with Christ, to suffer with Him that we may also be glorified with Him; that the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good (1 Corinthians 12:7); that we are all baptized by one Spirit into one body (1 Corinthians 12:13); and that the Spirit which raised Jesus from the dead lives inside believers (Romans 8:9-11). This gift of the Holy Spirit that was promised and given to all believers on the first Pentecost is promised for you and your children and for all who are far off whom the Lord our God will call (Acts 2:39).

**Vestry Meeting**. There will be a meeting this Wednesday, May 23, at 7 p.m.

**ACW Closing Dinner**. The dinner will be held at the Tai Sun Restaurant this Wednesday, May 23 at 6 p.m. followed by dessert and fellowship in the E.M. Bishop Hall.

**Change in Worship Schedule.** Next Sunday is Trinity Sunday, a Feast Day. Therefore, the 10:30 a.m. service will be Holy Eucharist not Morning Prayer.

**Healing Ministry**. One of our healing prayer teams will be available for private prayer, laying on of hands and/or anointing during Holy Eucharist at the 10:30 a.m. services. During the Holy Eucharist Service this morning, a Prayer Team (*Ann Shears & Audrey Bishop*) will come forward with the Eucharistic Assistants to receive Communion and be anointed before moving to the prayer station at the back of the church. Should you wish healing prayer for yourself or for another or to offer a prayer of thanksgiving, you are invited to come to the prayer station during Communion.

May Ultreya. The Ultreya will be held this <u>Saturday</u>, <u>May 26</u> at Christ Church in Bonavista. We will gather around 10:30 a.m. with Holy Eucharist starting at 11 a.m. Ultreya means *onward*. Ultreyas are regular gatherings of Cursillistas who have experienced a Cursillo Weekend. However, non-Cursillistas are welcome to attend. Typically, there is a witness talk, sharing in groups, singing, and fellowship. Please bring a "bag" lunch if you plan to attend.

**Infinitely More Concert**. The Anglican husband-and-wife music duo will be here at Holy Trinity on <u>June 2</u>. Come and listen to some inspiring songs, favorite hymns, and uplifting stories. Tickets are available at the back of the church. Cost is \$10 a ticket.

**ACW District Meeting**. The meeting will be held in Glenwood on <u>June 2</u>. If you plan to attend, please let Dale (489-7409) or Sandra (489-4092) know by May 18.

**Donations for the Hospital Gift Shop**. If you would like to give to this worthy cause, you may place your items in the box at the back of the church.

**Greeters Today**. Fred & Linda Pafford, Margaret Pomeroy, Terry Brown, Dale Butler

**Items for the Messenger**. Please have your submissions to Linda by <u>Thursday</u>. You may contact her at 489-9801 or e-mail <u>linda.pafford@nl.rogers.com</u>

## **Prayer to the Holy Spirit**

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful.

And kindle in them the fire of your love.

Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created.

And you will renew the face of the earth.

Lord,
by the light of the Holy Spirit
you have taught the hearts of your faithful.
In the same Spirit
help us to relish what is right
and always rejoice in your consolation.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

**TODAY'S VERSE** Trust in the LORD with all your heart; do not depend on your own understanding. Seek his will in all you do, and he will show you which path to take. Proverbs 3:5-6 (NLT)

TODAY'S THOUGHT Life can become so difficult. How many times do we need wisdom to navigate our way through the various problems that we run into. Thankfully as a Christian we don't have to go through this alone, we have the Lord. Solomon gives us the secret. He writes that we need to trust in the Lord with all our heart. We come to Him with our situation and put our faith in the fact that He loves us and hears us. But that is not enough. Solomon added a clause. He warns us not to go it alone. The temptation is to give our problem to God then take it back and depend on our own understanding. Instead Solomon tells us to seek God's will in everything we do and the Lord will show us which way we need to go. Today, turn your situation over to God, trust Him and let Him direct your path.

**TODAY'S PRAYER** Dear Father, forgive me for trying to make it on my own. I need You. I need Your direction in my life. As I seek Your will, please show me the way to go. Amen

Empower: Moment in the Word, May 18, 2018

Scripture: "Blessed are those who dwell in your house, they are ever praising you." Psalm 84:4

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