



**Trinity Church Rocky Hill**  
**Tuesday Evening Prayer**  
***June 22, 2021 - 6:00 PM***

Let my prayer be set forth in your sight as incense, the lifting up of my hands as the evening sacrifice. - *Psalm 141:2*

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and from the Lord Jesus Christ. -  
*Philippians 1:2*

Worship the Lord in the beauty of his holiness; let the whole earth tremble before him. -  
*Psalm 96:9*

Jesus said, "I am the light of the world; whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life." - *John 8:12*

Dear friends in Christ, here in the presence of Almighty God, let us kneel in silence, and with penitent and obedient hearts confess our sins, that we may obtain forgiveness by his infinite goodness and mercy.

*Silence may be kept.*

**Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

Leader

Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep us in eternal life. **Amen.**

**O Gracious Light** *Phos hilaron*

**O gracious light, pure brightness of the ever-living Father in heaven,  
O Jesus Christ, holy and blessed! Now as we come to the setting of the sun,  
and our eyes behold the vesper light, we sing your praises, O God: Father, Son,  
and Holy Spirit. You are worthy at all times to be praised by happy voices, O Son  
of God, O Giver of Life, and to be glorified through all the worlds.**

### **MEDITATION ON PSALM 60**

<sup>1</sup>You have rejected us, God, and burst upon us; you have been angry - now restore us!  
<sup>2</sup>You have shaken the land and torn it open; mend its fractures, for it is quaking. <sup>3</sup>You  
have shown your people desperate times; you have given us wine that makes us  
stagger. <sup>4</sup>But for those who fear you, you have raised a banner to be unfurled against  
the bow. <sup>5</sup>Save us and help us with your right hand, that those you love may be  
delivered. <sup>6</sup>God has spoken from his sanctuary: "In triumph I will parcel out Shechem  
and measure off the Valley of Sukkoth. <sup>7</sup>Gilead is mine, and Manasseh is mine;  
Ephraim is my helmet, Judah is my scepter. <sup>8</sup>Moab is my washbasin, on Edom I toss  
my sandal; over Philistia I shout in triumph." <sup>9</sup>Who will bring me to the fortified city?  
Who will lead me to Edom? <sup>10</sup>Is it not you, God, you who have now rejected us and no  
longer go out with our armies? <sup>11</sup>Give us aid against the enemy, for human help is  
worthless. <sup>12</sup>With God we will gain the victory, and he will trample down our enemies.

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit:  
**As it was in the beginning is now and will be forever, Amen.**

### **PRAYERS - Based on Scripture**

#### ***John 14:1, Psalm 46:10***

Heavenly Father, Your Word says, "let not your heart be troubled". The state of our  
world is causing us to be troubled, but God you know all things. So, we pray for every  
country and nation. We pray that you will give peace that comes only from You  
because we live in a very broken world. Grant healing and complete stillness in the  
midst of terror and violence in Jesus Name. Be still and know that I am God in this  
troubled world, **Amen.**

#### ***2 Chronicles 7:14***

Dear Lord, we are living in a troubled world and the ever increase in crime and violence  
within our cities and among youth and children is rising. But if my people who are  
called by My name will humble themselves and pray and seek My face and turn from  
their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and heal their  
land. Lord, we pray this pray, trusting and believing that You will forgive us of our sins  
and that You will bring healing to this chaotic world, **Amen.**

#### ***Romans 5:5***

Oh Lord, Your Word reminds us that, the love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by  
the Holy Ghost which is given unto us. So, Father, we ask that You destroy the hatred  
and contentions from the hearts of our youth and children that is on the increase. Lord,

let your love reign in them and let those who are influenced by darkness be opened to Your love, **Amen.**

**Mark 16:15**

Dear Lord, I pray that You will raise up more men and women to preach and share the good news in this troubled world. Father raise up those who will not be afraid to go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature. Uncover the spiritual eyes of sinners of this world, that they may see the irradiating light of the gospel of Jesus Christ our Lord, **Amen.**

**Proverbs 19:21**

Heavenly Father, we pray for divine intervention and God's protection from violence, over every family in our towns and cities. We intercede for the victims of gun and knife crime. In the name of Jesus, we pray for and with other believers as we openly voice our prayers and commitment against the onslaught of gun and knife crimes within our cities and communities, **Amen.**

**Acts 9:3**

Dear Lord, we pray for our troubled world. There is so much that we need to pray and intercede for. We pray for those carrying the spirit of anger and vengeance. We pray against the spirit of persecution that has been released in our world. Lord, just as Saul encountered a Damascus road experience, God we pray for those who are committing sinful crimes, that the spirit of murder be destroyed. I pray that suddenly there will be a light from heaven that shines around those who do not know You, Lord we ask all this in Your Name, **Amen.**

**Ephesians 6:12, 2 Chronicles 5:14**

Dear Father, we wrestle not against flesh and blood but against principalities against powers against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places. So right now, Lord, I ask that You sabotaged all forces of evil over this world. Let the King of Persia be nullified and let Your Holy Spirit fill this world, just as the glory of the Lord filled the house of God, **Amen.**

**A Prayer for Justice**

Lord, may justice flow like a river Reaching barren lands and sun scorched deserts  
Where people feel forgotten and hopeless Let your water of life Comfort them  
Where children lie abandoned or abused Let your water of life Protect them  
Where communities suffer at the hands of prejudice Let your water of life Shield them  
Lord, we ask for a mighty downpour from Heaven May your sons and daughters hear your voice  
May we live as you lead us to live Go as you bid us to go Serve as you inspire us to serve  
Give as you teach us to give Until the earth is covered with the glory of God  
As the waters cover the sea, **Amen.**

## **PRAYERS - FOR THE CHURCH**

### ***Joyful Church Prayer***

Lord Jesus Christ, the church is your beloved bride and we look to you to lead your people. We ask that your word would be clearly and faithfully proclaimed in your church and that, through it, we would be challenged, encouraged and changed. We pray that our leaders would be protected from temptation, complacency and idolatry. We ask that your church would be filled with joy as we sing your praises as we gather together. Fill our prayers with confidence in your mighty power and fill your people with your Holy Spirit. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, **Amen.**

### ***Church Community Prayer***

Heavenly Father, thank you that you are the light of the world, guiding our steps on your path. Your word says that you are a Good Father who gives us good gifts. Thank you for the gift of the church, a community of your children that you have gathered together to worship, serve, pray and love. Give us strength to live as ambassadors for you in the world. Lord, bless your church and keep us pure, make your face shine upon us. Turn your face towards us and give us peace. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, **Amen.**

### ***Christ's Body Prayer***

King of Kings, Lord of Lords, thank you that you are great and abundant in power, your understanding is beyond measure. In your wisdom, you have created the church, described as Christ's body. May we work together as members of one body, using the gifts and abilities you have given us to faithfully love and serve one another. Would we find our strength from Jesus, the head of the body; may the Lord make us increase and abound in love for each other. May you establish our hearts as blameless in holiness before you. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, **Amen.**

### ***Church Growth Prayer***

Generous Father, thank you that you are our protector and provider. You have said that when we call on you in prayer, you will listen to us. Hear our prayer for the growth of your church. May we see people respond to you in repentance and faith and be added to your people. We may work and labor, but it is you who gives growth. You are the Sovereign King of kings and Lord of lords, who alone has immortality, who dwells in unapproachable light. To you be honor and eternal dominion. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, **Amen.**

### ***Unity Prayer***

Heavenly Father, thank you for your great love for the church. We pray that your people would have unity amid diversity and would love each other faithfully regardless of culture or background. We ask that your church would produce mature disciples of Jesus who would spread the gospel message across the world. We pray that you would raise up godly and reliable leaders to shepherd your people. We ask that your church would display a hunger for your word and for your spirit. We ask that you would develop and sustain deep, meaningful relationships throughout your church that are used to demonstrate your love to a watching world. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, **Amen.**

## **PRAYERS FOR THE THREE FAMILIES IN OUR PARISH**

Rob Silvagni & family  
Janet Smith and family  
Liz Stenard and family

### **A Collect for Peace**

Most holy God, the source of all good desires, all right judgements, and all just works: Give to us, your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, so that our minds may be fixed on the doing of your will, and that we, being delivered from the fear of all enemies, may live in peace and quietness; through the mercies of Christ Jesus our Savior. **Amen.**

### **A Prayer of St. Chrysostom**

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. **Amen.**

**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, forever and ever. Amen.**

Let us bless the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. **Amen.**