



The Holy Trinity

PRAISE WORSHIP

JUNE 16, 2019 | 10:00 AM

Whenever we contemplate the mystery of God being three persons in one God, we are in awe of how far above us He is in His divine nature. We were called into being when we were nothing, we were saved while still in our sins, and we were given faith to trust Him, purely by the grace of God. Today's Psalm provides another impetus for awe: God's creation itself is majestic in scope and grandeur. The more we learn about it, especially the vastness of cosmic space, the more we recognize the grace of God in His caring about us at all. Our planet is but a blue marble when seen from most of our solar system. Few of humanity's accomplishments are visible even from the space station in near-earth orbit. God has not only provided the one place where we might thrive, but He also became one of us to die for us and then gave us the ability to trust Him for all things. Indeed, how majestic is His name in all the earth, especially in our hearts and minds!

Let us go into the house of the Lord.

We are thankful that you have come to worship the Lord with us today. We pray you will return soon. It is our privilege and pleasure to serve the Lord and you.

Holy Communion is...

† The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ received "in, with, and under" the bread and wine for God's People. *Matthew 26:26, 28*

† Coming to the table believing the words "given and shed FOR YOU."

Preparation might involve three questions:

Do I believe in the Lord Jesus Christ? Am I sorry for my sins?

Am I ready to lead a new life?

† God's grace in "forgiveness of sins, life, and salvation."

Matthew 26:28; 1 Peter 1:18-19; Romans 6:8-9; Romans 8:31-32

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A nursery is available during the 11:00 a.m. service on the carpet at the back of the sanctuary seating on the organ side. The ushers will be happy to direct you to our staffed active/crying nursery in Room 104A if that is needed.

Please turn off all electronic devices during our worship together, except those which are essential to the recording and/or live streaming the service. Worship is a time to give glory to God without distraction.

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WELCOME

GATHERING SONG

Come Now is the Time to Worship

Brian Doerksen

Chorus: Come, now is the time to worship.
Come, now is the time to give your heart.
Come, just as you are to worship.
Come, just as you are before your God. Come.

One day every tongue will confess you are God. One day every knee will bow.
Still the greatest treasure remains for those Who gladly choose you now.

(Repeat Song)

Chorus. Come, Come.

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THE GREETING

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

THE PRAYER OF THE DAY *(Spoken Together)*

P: Let us pray

C: Almighty and everlasting God, You have given us grace to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity by the confession of a true faith and to worship the Unity in the power of the Divine Majesty. Keep us steadfast in this faith and defend us from all adversities; for You, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, live and reign, one God, now and forever. Amen.

PRAISE

Seek Ye First

Karen Lafferty

Seek ye first the kingdom of God, And His righteousness.
And all these things shall be added unto you, Allelu, Alleluia.

Man shall not live by bread alone, But by every word.
That proceeds from the mouth of God, Allelu, Alleluia.

Ask and it shall be given unto you, Seek and ye shall find.
Knock and the door shall be opened unto you, Allelu, Alleluia.

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THE FIRST READING

Proverbs 8:1–4, 22–31 – The Message

¹⁻⁴ Do you hear Lady Wisdom calling?
Can you hear Madame Insight raising her voice?
She's taken her stand at First and Main,
at the busiest intersection.
Right in the city square
where the traffic is thickest, she shouts,
"You—I'm talking to all of you,
everyone out here on the streets!
²²⁻³¹ "GOD sovereignly made me—the first, the basic—
before he did anything else.
I was brought into being a long time ago,
well before Earth got its start.
I arrived on the scene before Ocean,
yes, even before Springs and Rivers and Lakes.
Before Mountains were sculpted and Hills took shape,
I was already there, newborn;
Long before GOD stretched out Earth's Horizons,
and tended to the minute details of Soil and Weather,
And set Sky firmly in place, I was there.
When he mapped and gave borders to wild Ocean,
built the vast vault of Heaven,
and installed the fountains that fed Ocean,
When he drew a boundary for Sea,
posted a sign that said NO TRESPASSING,
And then staked out Earth's Foundations,
I was right there with him, making sure everything fit.
Day after day I was there, with my joyful applause,
always enjoying his company,
Delighted with the world of things and creatures,
happily celebrating the human family.

This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

THE PSALM

Psalm 8 – The Message

GOD, brilliant Lord,
yours is a household name.

**²Nursing infants gurgle choruses about you;
toddlers shout the songs**

That drown out enemy talk,
and silence atheist babble.

**³⁻⁴I look up at your macro-skies, dark and enormous,
your handmade sky-jewelry,**

Moon and stars mounted in their settings.

Then I look at my micro-self and wonder,

Why do you bother with us?

Why take a second look our way?

⁵⁻⁸Yet we've so narrowly missed being gods,
bright with Eden's dawn light.

**You put us in charge of your handcrafted world,
repeated to us your Genesis-charge,**

Made us lords of sheep and cattle,
even animals out in the wild,

**Birds flying and fish swimming,
whales singing in the ocean deeps.**

⁹GOD, brilliant Lord,
your name echoes around the world.

**Glory be 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.**

THE SECOND READING

Acts 2:14a, 22–36 - The Message

^{14a}That's when Peter stood up and, backed by the other eleven, spoke out with bold urgency:
²²⁻²⁸“Fellow Israelites, listen carefully to these words: Jesus the Nazarene, a man thoroughly accredited by God to you—the miracles and wonders and signs that God did through him are common knowledge—this Jesus, following the deliberate and well-thought-out plan of God, was betrayed by men who took the law into their own hands, and was handed over to you. And you pinned him to a cross and killed him. But God untied the death ropes and raised him up. Death was no match for him. David said it all:

I saw God before me for all time. Nothing can shake me; he's right by my side. I'm glad from the inside out, ecstatic; I've pitched my tent in the land of hope. I know you'll never dump me in Hades; I'll never even smell the stench of death. You've got my feet on the life-path, with your face shining sun-joy all around.

²⁹⁻³⁶“Dear friends, let me be completely frank with you. Our ancestor David is dead and buried—his tomb is in plain sight today. But being also a prophet and knowing that God had

solemnly sworn that a descendant of his would rule his kingdom, seeing far ahead, he talked of the resurrection of the Messiah—‘no trip to Hades, no stench of death.’ This Jesus, God raised up. And every one of us here is a witness to it. Then, raised to the heights at the right hand of God and receiving the promise of the Holy Spirit from the Father, he poured out the Spirit he had just received. That is what you see and hear. For David himself did not ascend to heaven, but he did say,

God said to my Master, “Sit at my right hand Until I make your enemies a stool for resting your feet.” “All Israel, then, know this: There’s no longer room for doubt—God made him Master and Messiah, this Jesus whom you killed on a cross.”

This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *Halle, Halle, Halle*

Hal H. Hopson

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah!

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah!

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah!

Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

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THE HOLY GOSPEL (*Stand*)

John 8:48–59 – The Message

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the eighth chapter.

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

⁴⁸ The Jews then said, “That clinches it. We were right all along when we called you a Samaritan and said you were crazy—demon-possessed!”

⁴⁹⁻⁵¹ Jesus said, “I’m not crazy. I simply honor my Father, while you dishonor me. I am not trying to get anything for myself. God intends something gloriously grand here and is making the decisions that will bring it about. I say this with absolute confidence. If you practice what I’m telling you, you’ll never have to look death in the face.”

⁵²⁻⁵³ At this point the Jews said, “Now we *know* you’re crazy. Abraham died. The prophets died. And you show up saying, ‘If you practice what I’m telling you, you’ll never have to face death, not even a taste.’ Are you greater than Abraham, who died? And the prophets died! Who do you think you are!”

⁵⁴⁻⁵⁶ Jesus said, “If I turned the spotlight on myself, it wouldn’t amount to anything. But my Father, the same One you say is your Father, put me here at this time and place of splendor. You haven’t recognized him in this. But I have. If I, in false modesty, said I didn’t know what was going on, I would be as much of a liar as you are. But I do know, and I am doing what he says. Abraham—your ‘father’—with jubilant faith looked down the corridors of history and saw my day coming. He saw it and cheered.”

⁵⁷ The Jews said, “You’re not even fifty years old—and Abraham saw you?”

⁵⁸ “Believe me,” said Jesus, “*I am who I am* long before Abraham was anything.”

⁵⁹ That did it—pushed them over the edge. They picked up rocks to throw at him. But Jesus slipped away, getting out of the Temple.

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

ANTHEM

Peace Like A River

Sunday School Singers

LET THE CHILDREN COME



Pastor Tim Boerger

PRAISE

Courageous

Mark Hall, Matthew West

Intro: We were made to be courageous, we were made to lead the way
We could be the generation that finally breaks the chains
We were made to be courageous, We were made to be courageous

Verse 1: We were warriors on the front lines, standing, unafraid
But now we're watchers on the sidelines, while our families slip away
Where are you, men of courage? You were made for so much more
Let the pounding of our hearts cry, We will serve the Lord

Chorus: We were made to be courageous, and we're taking back the fight
We were made to be courageous and it starts with us tonight
The only way we'll ever stand is on our knees with lifted hands
Make us courageous, Lord, make us courageous

Verse 2: This is our resolution, our answer to the Call
We will love our wives and children, we refuse to let them fall
We will reignite the passion that we buried deep inside
May the watchers become warriors, let the men of God arise. *Chorus.*

Bridge 1: Seek justice, Love mercy, Walk humbly with your God
Seek justice, Love mercy, Walk humbly with your God

Bridge 2: In the war of the mind I will make my stand
In the battle of the heart and the battle of the hand
In the war of the mind I will make my stand
In the battle of the heart and the battle of the hand. *Chorus.*

THE SERMON

Pastor Tim Boerger

APOSTLES' CREED *(Stand)*

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**



THE PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

THE GREETINGS OF PEACE

The people of God greet one another in the name of the Lord

P: Peace of the Lord be with you always

C: And also with you.

THE OFFERING

*Please sign the Attendance Pad found in the pew near the aisle.
Please legibly sign your prayer requests.*

THE OFFERING SONG

Offering

Paul Baloche

The sun cannot compare to the glory of Your love
There is no shadow in Your presence
No mortal man would dare to stand before Your throne

Before the Holy One of Heaven
It's only by Your blood and it's only through Your mercy, Lord I come

I bring an offering of worship to my King
No one on earth deserves the praises that I sing
Jesus may You receive the honor that You're due
Oh Lord I bring an offering to You

(Repeat Song)

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THE OFFERING PRAYER *(Spoken Together)*

C: Heavenly Father, God of all grace, govern our hearts that we may never forget Your blessings but steadfastly thank and praise You for all Your goodness in this life until, with all Your saints, we praise You eternally in Your heavenly kingdom; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.



THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

C: 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.

THE DISTRIBUTION *(Continuous)*

DISTRIBUTION PRAISE

Hungry

Kathryn Scott

Verse 1: Hungry, I come to You, for I know You satisfy;
I am empty, but I know Your love does not run dry.

Chorus: So I wait for you. So I wait for You.

I'm falling on my knees, Offering all of me. Jesus, You're all this heart is living for.

Verse 2: Broken, I run to You, for Your arms are open wide;
I am weary, but I know Your touch restores my life. *Chorus.*

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THE COMMUNION DISMISSAL *(Stand)*

THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

P: Let us pray.

C: Life-giving God, in the mystery of Christ's death and resurrection you send light to conquer darkness, water to give new life, and the bread of heaven to nourish your people. Send us forth as witnesses to Jesus' resurrection that we may show your glory to all the world; through the same Jesus Christ, our risen Lord. Amen.

THE BLESSING

SENDING PRAISE

Every Move I Make

David Ruis

Every move I make I make in You. You make me move, Jesus
Every breath I take I breathe in You.

Every step I take I take in You. You are my way, Jesus.
Every breath I take I breathe in You.

Waves of Mercy, Waves of Grace. Everywhere I look, I see your face
Your Love has captured me. Oh My God, this Love, How can it be?

Na na na na na na na (x 4)

(Repeat Song)

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE SENDING

P: Go in peace. The Spirit sends us forth to serve.

C: Thanks be to God.

THE POSTLUDE

