

TRINITY SUNDAY JUNE 7, 2020

WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD

Prelude "Holy, holy, holy" *arr. L. Smith*
Kay Wildman, Church Organist

Welcome and Announcements

Opening #31 "I Sing the Almighty Power of God" *Ellabombe*

*Call to Worship

O Saving God, you release your Spirit.

We are amazed and baffled by your power.

O Spirit of the Living God, we hear the rush of a violent wind,

We are stirred by your presence, Lord.

O Son of Man and Son of God, we feel the heat of the divided tongues of fire sent upon your church at Pentecost.

We are brought to life and rejoice in your long-suffering love.

O Church of God, we are called and commissioned to tell Christ's story to the nations of the world.

Lead us forth, O Triune One, that all may know your name and worship you in spirit and truth

Adapted from Call to Worship written by Rev. Beth Rauen Sciaino.

*Invocation Prayer

*Song "In Christ Alone" *Worship Team*
Matthew Smith, Music Director

WE HEAR THE WORD OF THE LORD

A Reading from the Old Testament Genesis 1:1-2:4a

A Reading from the Psalter Psalm 8

A Reading from the New Testament 2 Corinthians 13:11-13

*A Reading from the Gospels

Matthew 28:16-20

*Response #148 "Come, Thou Almighty King" *Italian Hymn*

The Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer – **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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever.

Offertory

Kay Wildman, Church Organist

Message

"Power for the People"

The Reverend Doctor Ivan E. Greuter, Senior Minister

THE SERVICE OF THE TABLE OF THE LORD

Invitation to the Lord's Table – We practice *open communion*. All persons who profess faith in Jesus Christ are invited to partake of this memorial meal. You do not need to be a member of this church to partake of the bread and cup. Please hold each gift until everyone is served, then we will feast together.

Holy Communion: The Lord's Supper –

Breaking of Bread – *The Body of Christ; The Bread of Heaven*

Passing of the Cup – *The Blood of Christ; The Cup of Salvation*

Communion

"Remembrance"

Worship Team

The Agape Fund - The Collection for the Saints and the Needy

RESPONDING TO THE HOLY SPIRIT IN FAITH & SERVICE

***Invitation to Faith and Fellowship** – If the Spirit of God is moving you to receive God's forgiving love in Jesus, calling you to be a follower of Jesus in the waters of baptism, or encouraging you to join this Christian Church, please come forward during this song.

*Song #30 (1+4) “All Things Bright and Beautiful” Royal Oak

*Spoken Benediction

Postlude “Songs of Thankfulness and Praise”

arr H.H. Hopson

Kay Wildman, Church Organist

*Please stand if able

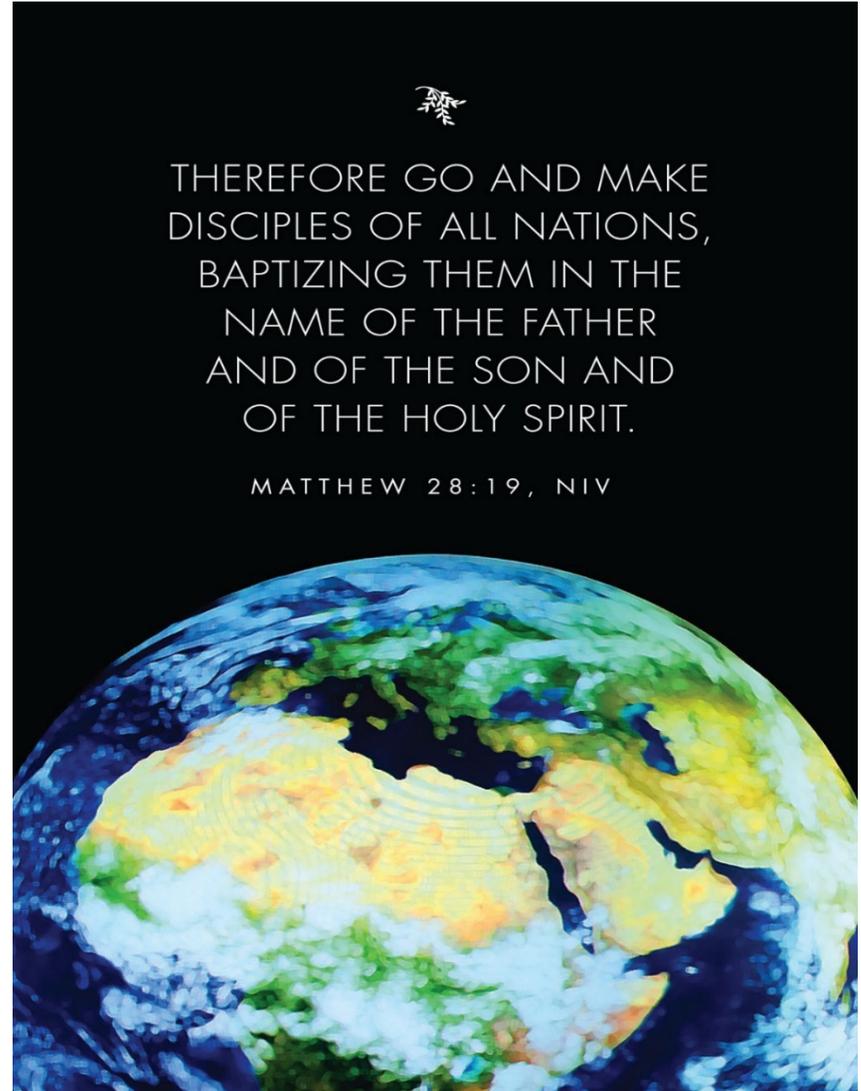
THE LORD’S SUPPER – We celebrate the Lord’s Supper (Holy Communion) on the first Sunday of each month, and on special occasions. All persons of faith, regardless of age, race, or church affiliation, are welcome to partake of the Table of the Lord. In solidarity with our brothers and sisters, we use only non-alcoholic grape juice. Please cup your hands to receive the sanitary communion wafer and juice sealed in small containers. Please hold each element until everyone is served, then we will feast together. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request. Call Pastor Ivan to receive homebound communion delivery.

BELIEVER’S BAPTISM – We practice “believer’s baptism” which is the immersion of a person in water – regardless of age – who receives Jesus Christ as his/her personal Savior and publicly professes faith to walk the Jesus way. The Council schedules baptisms on most Sunday mornings throughout the year. If you would like to be baptized, then come to the front during the last song.



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#31 I SING THE ALMIGHTY POWER OF GOD

- Verse 1 I sing the almighty power of God
that made the mountains rise,
that spread the flowing seas abroad
and built the lofty skies.
I sing the wisdom that ordained
the sun to rule the day;
the moon shines full at his command
and all the stars obey.
- Verse 2 I sing the goodness of the Lord
that filled the earth with food;
he formed the creatures with his word
and then pronounced them good.
Lord, how your wonders are displayed
where'er I turn my eye,
if I survey the ground I tread
or gaze upon the sky!
- Verse 3 There's not a plant or flower below
but makes your glories known;
and clouds arise and tempests blow
by order from your throne;
while all that borrows life from you
is ever in your care,
and everywhere that I may be,
you, God, are present there.

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IN CHRIST ALONE

- Verse 1 In Christ alone my hope is found
He is my light my strength my song
this Cornerstone this solid Ground
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm
What heights of love what depths of peace
When fears are stilled when strivings cease
My Comforter my All in All
Here in the love of Christ I stand
- Verse 2 In Christ alone who took on flesh
Fullness of God in helpless babe
This gift of love and righteousness
Scorned by the ones He came to save
Till on that cross as Jesus died
The wrath of God was satisfied
For every sin on Him was laid
Here in the death of Christ I live
- Verse 3 There in the ground His body lay
Light of the world by darkness slain
Then bursting forth in glorious Day
Up from the grave He rose again
And as He stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me
For I am His and He is mine
Bought with the precious blood of Christ
- Verse 4 No guilt in life no fear in death
This is the power of Christ in me
From life's first cry to final breath
Jesus commands my destiny

No power of hell no scheme of man
Can ever pluck me from His hand
Till He returns or calls me home
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

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#148 COME, THOU ALMIGHTY KING

Verse 1 Come, thou Almighty King,
 help us thy name to sing,
 help us to praise:
 Father, all glorious,
 o'er all victorious,
 come and reign over us,
 Ancient of Days.

Verse 2 Come, thou Incarnate Word,
 gird on thy mighty sword,
 our prayer attend:
 come, and thy people bless,
 and give thy word success:
 Spirit of holiness,
 on us descend.

Verse 3 Come, Holy Comforter,
 thy sacred witness bear
 in this glad hour:
 thou who almighty art,
 now rule in every heart,

and ne'er from us depart,
Spirit of power.

Verse 4 To thee, great One in Three,
 eternal praises be
 hence, evermore!
 Thy sovereign majesty
 may we in glory see,
 and to eternity
 love and adore!

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REMEMBRANCE (THE COMMUNION SONG)

Verse 1 Oh how could it be
 That my God would welcome me
 Into this mystery
 Say take this bread take this wine
 Now the simple made divine
 For any to receive

Pre-Chorus By Your mercy we come to Your table
 By Your grace You are making us faithful

Chorus Lord we remember You
 And remembrance leads us to worship
 And as we worship You
 Our worship leads to communion
 We respond to Your invitation (2xs)
 We remember You

Verse 2 See His body His blood
 Know that He has overcome
 Ev'ry trial we will face
 And none too lost to be saved
 None too broken or ashamed
 All are welcome in this place

Bridge Dying You destroyed our death
 Rising You restored our life
 Lord Jesus come in glory
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Verse 4 God gave us eyes to see them,
 and lips that we might tell
 how great is God Almighty,
 who has made all things well. [Refrain]

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#30 ALL THINGS BRIGHT AND BEAUTIFUL,

Refrain: All things bright and beautiful,
 all creatures great and small,
 all things wise and wonderful:
 the Lord God made them all.
 2 Each little flower that opens,
 each little bird that sings,
 God made their glowing colors,
 and made their tiny wings. [Refrain]