

SABBATH GATHERING

Trinity Sunday

May 27, 2018

9:20 A.M.

We welcome you to worship. We are glad that you are here! Nursery and Preschool care are available if you need it. The Young and Young at Heart are welcomed to the front early on for a special time in the service. Please sign the Friendship Pads so that we can get to know you better, and join us for coffee in the Narthex after the service.

We Gather as Christ's Body

We each meet God in different ways. As our worship begins, we come before God in ways that build fellowship and community, or we spend time in quiet one by one.

As we do, we celebrate our differences, for we are one in the Spirit.

Choose a center. You may try different centers from time to time.

Pray, as you go, that God will move among us.

The Kid's Corner

Silent Place Prayer Time

Gathering Circles

Hymn Singing

Prayer, Journal, Devotion Center

Contemporary Music Center

God Invites Us to Worship

THE RINGING OF THE BELL

WE COME TOGETHER IN THE GATHERING SPACE

* SONG

Holy, Holy, Holy

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore Thee,
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee,
Who wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.

Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide Thee,
Though the eye of sinfulness Thy glory may not see.
Only Thou art holy; there is none beside Thee,
Perfect in power, in love and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

THE SACRED SPACE IS PREPARED

Our Youth

* *Please stand, if you are able*

* INVITATION

* STILLING

* PRAYER OF ADORATION

* GOD'S BLESSING ON OUR WORSHIP

God Shows Grace and Forgiveness

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

FORGIVENESS IS GRANTED

God Speaks with a Heart of Love

CHILDREN'S BIBLE LESSON

Message

Children are excused for Sunday School.

PRAYER FOR GOD'S SPIRIT

THE GOSPEL LESSON *John 14:25-27; 16:4-11*

THE MESSAGE

Rev. Dr. Eileen Borduin Vanderzwan

We Respond in Re-Dedication

ART RESPONSE

WE HONOR AND REMEMBER ALL WHO HAVE SERVED

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM *Sovereign God, Our Great Creator*

Strite

Chancel Choir

*Sovereign God, our great Creator, made all things by spoken word
To display His wondrous glory, manifest in the world.*

*Sovereign God, O sing His praises, bringing pleasure to His throne.
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit: He has claimed us as His own.*

*Sovereign God, our great Redeemer, rescued man from sin and death
Through the promised One from heaven, Son of God and Son of Man.*

*Sovereign God, O sing His praises, bringing pleasure to His throne.
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, He has loved us as his own.*

Holy, Holy, Holy is the Lord.

*Sovereign God, our great Sustainer, all He's made, He governs still.
We take comfort in His power, in His good and perfect will.*

*Sovereign God, O sing His praises, bringing pleasure to His throne.
Father, Son and Holy Spirit, he will keep us as His own.*

MINUTE 4 MISSION

PRAYERS OF DEDICATION & PRAISE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (Debts/debtors)

- * CLOSING SONG *Gracious Spirit, Heed our Pleading* Insert
As we sing, please move into a large circle around the Sanctuary.

God Sends Us Out to Serve

* *GOD'S BLESSING AS WE GO OUT TO SERVE*

* *ANNOUNCEMENTS*

* *RESPONSE*

Go Now in Peace

*Go now in peace; go now in peace,
May the love of God surround you
Everywhere, everywhere you may go.*

* POSTLUDE

Materna

Whitsett

* PRAYER UNDER THE CROSS