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SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

Prelude

“June” from *Das Jahr*
by Fanny Hensel

Welcome & Announcements

Leader: This is a day that God has made!
All: **Let us rejoice and be glad in it!**

Time for sharing news of the church.

Introit

Where Armies Scourge the Countryside
Glory to God #344, v. 4

Call to Worship

Leader: Come among us, Healing God; we wait for you.
People: **We come, hungry for your Word to bless us.**
Leader: Come among us, Compassionate Christ; we hope in you.
People: **We come, hungry to be filled with the Bread of Heaven.**
Leader: Come among us, Restoring Spirit; we wait and hope in you.
People: **We come, eager to rest in your peace.**

Gathering Song

When All Is Ended
Glory to God #376, v. 1-6

Invitation to Confession

Leader: God does not forsake us, but we often abdicate responsibility for our own lives.
Instead of waiting for God
we turn to entertainers, politicians, and financial wizards as our hope.
Trusting in God’s promise to forgive, let us pray together:

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

God of Compassion, if you kept a record of our sins, who could stand? We come before you with our brokenness and our wounds for all to see. We bring our anger, our bitterness, our unwholesome talk, and our deceitfulness. We try to do good, but sometimes fail. We choose to do evil, and sometimes succeed. Keep your promise to forgive us when we confess to you completely. Without you, we have no hope. In your Word we hope, trusting in your Steadfast Love, through whom we pray. Amen.

Assurance of God's Forgiveness

Leader: If God kept track of all our mistakes – the harmful things we say and do, the callous way we sometimes treat the people around us, the selfishness that puts our needs ahead of the needs of others – if God kept track, what chance would we have?

But with unfailing love, God offers us forgiveness – complete forgiveness that erases our sins and allows us to begin again. Siblings in Christ Jesus, believe the Good News: we are forgiven.

People: **Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

Passing The Peace

Leader: Since God in Christ Jesus has forgiven us, let us forgive one another. The peace of Jesus Christ be with you all. Please share the peace of Jesus Christ with those with whom you are joining us for worship.

Song of Praise

Alleluia!
from Mass of a Joyful Heart

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Children's Message

Hannah Peters

Anthem

With the Lord There Is Mercy
by Rick Modlin

Scripture Reading

Psalm 130

Out of the depths I cry to you, Lord;
Lord, hear my voice.
Let your ears be attentive
to my cry for mercy.

If you, Lord, kept a record of sins,
Lord, who could stand?
But with you there is forgiveness,
so that we can, with reverence, serve you.

I wait for the Lord, my whole being waits,
and in his word I put my hope.
I wait for the Lord

more than watchmen wait for the morning,
more than watchmen wait for the morning.

Israel, put your hope in the Lord,
for with the Lord is unfailing love
and with him is full redemption.
He himself will redeem Israel
from all their sins.

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.
All: **Thanks be to God**

Message **“Waiting with Hope”**

Rev. Marilyn Gamm

WE RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD

Song of Response

For You, My God, I Wait
Glory to God #791, v. 1-6

Scholin-Weems Scholarship Recipients’ Recognition

Hannah: A brief History of Scholin-Weems Scholarship....

**Marilyn: Please joins with us in celebrating
our eight Scholin-Weems Scholarship recipients.**

Hannah: Elise Baechle is majoring in Restaurant Management
at Johnson and Wales University in Providence, Rhode Island.

**Marilyn: Katie Howard is a senior majoring in Music and Economics,
with a minor in Management at St. Olaf College.**

Hannah: Katie Klein is a freshman majoring in Psychology
while pursuing singing/songwriting opportunities at Webster University.

**Marilyn: Erin McKenzie is a senior majoring in Biology
at Loyola University of Chicago
in preparation to go to medical school and become a doctor.**

Hannah: Ryan McKenzie is a freshman interested in majoring in
International Relations, Business, or Geography,
and is deciding between attending Villanova, Butler, or the University of Denver.

**Marilyn: Peter McKown is a sophomore interested in majoring in
Geopolitics or Geography at Centre College.**

Hannah: Nasia Metcalfe is a freshman preparing to become a Hematology Technician
at Forest Park Community College.

**Marilyn: Mia Schindler is a sophomore majoring
in Family and Consumer Sciences Education
with minors in Leadership Studies and Human Development/Family Studies
at Kansas State University in preparation to become at teacher.**

Congratulations to each of you and your families!

Hannah: Remembering that nothing can separate you from the love of God,
let us pray together:

(Unison)

Faithful God, in baptism you claimed us; and by your Holy Spirit you are working in our lives, empowering us to live a life worthy of our calling. We thank you for the many gifts, achievements and honors each of our Scholin-Weems Scholarship recipients have already attained. We pray for your continued presence with them, your wisdom guiding them, your love surrounding and upholding them as they prepare to embark on another year of pursuing higher education toward their vocational dreams and aspirations. May they continue to grow in faith, hope and love, and be faithful disciples of Jesus Christ, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

Offering

Invitation

Doxology

God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending
Glory to God #716, v. 1

Prayer of Dedication (Unison)

Thank you, God, for your faithfulness. More than those who watch for the morning, we bring ourselves and some of what we have accumulated to praise you and to do the ministry you call and send us to do. Fulfill your purpose for this church as you enlist our offerings and our lives. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

Celebration of Holy Communion

Invitation

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving:

A time for silent prayers will be offered during the Great Prayer.

Leader: May the God of Steadfast Love be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Open your hearts to God, our Redeemer.

People: We open our hearts to the God of healing and joy.

Leader: Lift your songs to God.

People: We offer glad songs to the One who brings us wholeness.

Leader: Hear our voices praise your name:

Sanctus (Holy, Holy, Holy)

by Christian Hendricks

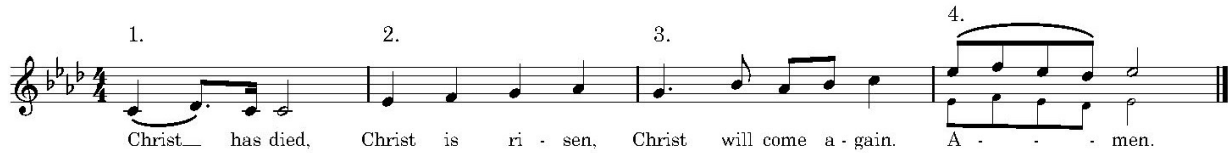
Piano

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, lord God of love and light, heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.

Leader: Holy are you we call faith:

Memorial Acclamation (Christ Has Died; Christ Is Risen)

by Christian Hendricks



Leader: Come among us ... And now let us pray together the prayer
Jesus taught his disciples to say:

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. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Breaking the Bread and Pouring the Cup

Sharing the Bread and Cup Together

Prayer after Communion: (Unison)

Gracious God, how can we thank you for such a gift? For you have met us, fed us, drawn us to you, and bound us to one another. Now send us out to share your love and proclaim our hope until Christ comes again. Amen.

WE GO FORTH TO SERVE IN THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST

Song of Service

You Satisfy the Hungry Heart
Glory to God #523, v. 1-5

Commission and Blessing

Postlude

Arietta from Lyric Pieces, Book 1
by Edvard Grieg

Participants in Today's Worship

Pastor – Marilyn Gamm

Director of Music & Pianist/Organist – Christian Hendricks

Liturgist – Brian and Cricket Gordon

Children & Youth Minister – Hannah Peters

Communications Coordinator – Katie Gibbons

Technical Support – Dylan Voss and John Roman

Soloist – Janelle Pierce

Ushers – Jim Person, Cathy Smith and Jayne Howard

The Trinity Choir:

Soprano – Aleta Klein, Cricket Gordon, Jenn Clodi, Madeline Black (Section Leader)

Alto – Connie Torretta, Margy Brown, Nancy Wagoner, Rachel Presti, Janelle Pierce (Section Leader)

Tenor – Brian Schroer, Pat Courtney, Evan Babel (Section Leader)

Bass – George Van Hare, Nigel Holloway, John Galczynski

Contact Trinity's staff and leadership by emailing admin@trinityucity.org or contacting the church office.

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NEWS AND NOTES FOR JUNE 6, 2021

We open our doors to all persons to join in worship, fellowship, educational programs, and service.

We welcome into membership all who profess faith in Jesus Christ without regard to gender, race, ethnic origin, worldly conditions, sexual orientation, disability, or any other human condition.

We elect and ordain persons who are called by God and committed to serving the Lord Jesus Christ in the Church.

LIMITED IN PERSON WORSHIP BEGINS JUNE 6, 2021!

On May 11 we joyfully announced plans for an initial reopening of the Trinity Presbyterian Church building for limited in person worship beginning Sunday, June 6, 2021.

Sign Up

We are requesting those who plan to attend in person worship services to register in advance via Sign Up Genius, and to do so for Sunday, June 6 forward, please go to the link that was in the newsletter.

You also may register by leaving a message at the church office (314-725-3840).

Arrival

We are requesting that those attending in person worship arrive no earlier than 9:45 a.m. each Sunday.

This will allow time for rehearsals, along with sound and other technology testing prior to the service.

Worship Online Continues

While we are delighted to begin worshiping in person in limited ways, we understand and respect that for various reasons not everyone may be ready to return to the building.

For those who prefer to worship in the comfort and safety of their home, we will continue to provide the live stream worship service via Facebook Live, with uploads of the service to YouTube, as we have been doing for the past year.

The Church gathers in worship in many places and ways!

The Food Pantry has received additional food from Operation Food Search as well as personal care items from the Girls Scouts. Both need sorting and bagging. If you have an hour or two to spare and would like to help, please contact Joanne Roman, JoanneCRom@aol.com - (c) 314-920-5197. We would love to have your assistance whenever you are available. In addition, we hope to open up the food pantry for in-person client

visits sometime this summer. We can always use an extra volunteer or two for Wednesday afternoons. Thanks for all your support of the Food Pantry as we continue to supply food and supplies to our clients.

Exciting News! Trinity All-Church Retreat to Mound Ridge is scheduled for September 11-12. Mark your calendar and stay tuned for additional info. to follow. To fill out a registration form, contact Katie at communications@trinityucity.org

Summer Sunday School Continues

Each week, Miss Hannah will present a very brief Bible story, accompanied by a picture depicting the story for children to view as the story is being told.

Simple, related crafts and activity sheets will be available in Trinit-E-News each week if interested.

The stories chosen are ones we do not cover in Children's Worship during the programming year.

The Food Pantry uses the local Schnucks store to purchase canned goods and other non-perishables for the pantry. We are taking part in the Schnucks reward program and receive award credits to use as credit against our food pantry purchases. If you shop at Schnucks, you too can add to this by using Trinity's phone number 725-3840 when checking out. The credit will go against future food pantry purchases. The small amounts add up!

Trinity is "broadcasting" our Sunday morning 10 a.m. worship service via our Facebook page or you can watch the recording on YouTube later on Sundays. Those who participate in this way on home computers or mobile devices can even type messages to one another during the live service, such as doing a virtual passing of the peace. Also, Facebook has captions! While watching the service, find the gear icon at the bottom of the video and click on it. When you do, an option pops up to turn on closed captioning!

Kids and parents probably already know about this, but if you are not a parent of a young person and have **wondered what goes on in "Children's Church," now you can experience it!** Hannah Peters has taped a YouTube video, and updated links will be posted regularly on the "Sundays at Trinity" section of our website homepage.

As we live in this challenging time, Trinity continues to be available to all those who need us. Members desiring pastoral care are encouraged to call the church office at 314-725-3840 or to reach out to Deacons Corie Merker, 314-434-8286, or Cathy Smith, 314-725-0586. Your need will be shared confidentially with our Transitional Pastor the Reverend Marilyn Gamm. You also can email her directly at Marilyn.gamm@trinityucity.org

Supporting the church through your financial gifts continues to be encouraged! Please mail your contributions to Trinity Presbyterian Church, Att'n: Linde, 6800 Washington Ave., University City, MO 63130, or check out the online giving instructions below.

1) Text the code TPCDONATE \$[your gift] to 73256. You'll receive a text back with a link that lets you complete your online donation.

2) Log in to your Onrealm account (onrealm.org) and click on the "Giving" tab.

Session

Gordon Brown, Diana Gray, Kevin Harkins, Nigel Holloway, Mary Klingensmith, Sarah New Mayer,
Mary McKown, Brian Muegge (Clerk), Bob Parks, Rachel Presti, Tim Rand, Jan Schulte-Glad

Deacons

DeAnne Brown, Bill Cahoon, Stacey Carman, Anna Gardner-Andrews, Corie Merker, John Merker,
Jim Person, Art Platt, Diana Regan, Joanne Roman, Cathy Smith, Spirit Sorenson