

**June 6, 2021**



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# Trinity Presbyterian Church

**10:30 a.m.**

**Sunday, June 6, 2021**

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## Welcome and Announcements

### Passing the Peace of Christ

*Greet one another with the Peace of Christ*

“The Peace of Christ be with you.”

“**And also with you.**”

**Prelude**

*Adagio*

Robert Lau

**Introit**

*O Worship the Lord*

### Call to Worship

One: Listen. Do you hear it?

**All: The cloud of the faithful is singing God’s praise.**

One: Listen. Do you hear it?

**All: The Spirit of God is calling us to worship.**

### Hymn of Praise

*There in God’s Garden*

*There in God's garden stands the Tree of wisdom, whose leaves hold forth the healing of the nations. Tree of all knowledge, Tree of all compassion, Tree of all beauty.*

*Its name is Jesus, name that says, 'Our Savior!' There on its branches see the scars of suffering; see where the tendrils of our human selfhood feed on its life-blood.*

### Call to Confession

Jesus calls us to enter the joy of discipleship, the joy of following in his way. But sin clings closely, and we struggle to respond fully to Christ’s invitation. Let us seek God’s forgiveness so that we may know more deeply the joy God intends.

## **Prayer of Confession**

**God of perfect love, you continually bring forth life, transforming sadness to joy, and despair to hope. We are weak, but you are strong. Our ways are flawed, but your ways are true. We are seldom right, but you are never wrong. Forgive us, redeem us, transform us. Take away the sin that burdens us, and restore us to the people you would have us be, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.**

*Take time to offer silent prayers of confession.*

## **Assurance of Forgiveness**

Relentlessly God seeks us out. With abundant grace and boundless mercy, God seeks us out. This is good news! In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

## **Gloria #579**

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
world without end. Amen. Amen.*

## **Time with Children and Youth**

### **Anthem**

*Alleluia: All The Ages*

Monica Bonasso

## **Prayer for Illumination**

### **Scripture Readings** 1 Samuel 8:4-20, 11:14–15 NRSV

<sup>4</sup> Then all the elders of Israel gathered together and came to Samuel at Ramah, <sup>5</sup> and said to him, “You are old and your sons do not follow in your ways; appoint for us, then, a king to govern us, like other nations.” <sup>6</sup> But the thing displeased Samuel when they said, “Give us a king to govern us.” Samuel prayed to the Lord, <sup>7</sup> and the Lord said to Samuel, “Listen to the voice of the people in all that they say to you; for they have not rejected you, but they have rejected me from being king over them. <sup>8</sup> Just as they have done to me, from the day I brought them up out of Egypt to this day, forsaking me and serving other gods, so also they are doing to you. <sup>9</sup> Now then, listen to their voice; only—you shall solemnly warn them, and show them the ways of the king who shall

reign over them.”<sup>10</sup> So Samuel reported all the words of the Lord to the people who were asking him for a king.<sup>11</sup> He said, “These will be the ways of the king who will reign over you: he will take your sons and appoint them to his chariots and to be his horsemen, and to run before his chariots;<sup>12</sup> and he will appoint for himself commanders of thousands and commanders of fifties, and some to plow his ground and to reap his harvest, and to make his implements of war and the equipment of his chariots.<sup>13</sup> He will take your daughters to be perfumers and cooks and bakers.<sup>14</sup> He will take the best of your fields and vineyards and olive orchards and give them to his courtiers.<sup>15</sup> He will take one-tenth of your grain and of your vineyards and give it to his officers and his courtiers.<sup>16</sup> He will take your male and female slaves, and the best of your cattle and donkeys, and put them to his work.<sup>17</sup> He will take one-tenth of your flocks, and you shall be his slaves.<sup>18</sup> And in that day you will cry out because of your king, whom you have chosen for yourselves; but the Lord will not answer you in that day.”<sup>19</sup> But the people refused to listen to the voice of Samuel; they said, “No! but we are determined to have a king over us,<sup>20</sup> so that we also may be like other nations, and that our king may govern us and go out before us and fight our battles.”

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**Sermon**

Give Us A King

Rev. Katheryn McGinnis

**Prayers of the People**

*After each petition please say, “**God of Life and Hope,**”  
and all respond, “**Hear our Prayer.**”*

**Offertory**

*Melody*

Villemo Daneling

**Doxology #591**

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Christ all people here below;  
Praise Holy Spirit evermore;  
Praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.*

## **Prayer of Dedication**

**O God, with faith and hope, we offer these gifts. Use them, even as you use us, to accomplish your purposes in Jesus Christ, the head of the church and the Lord of our lives. Amen.**

## **Communion Hymn**

*I Want to Be as Close to You*

*I want to be as close to you as she who gave you birth. Christ Jesus, let my "yes" like hers, bring blessings on our earth.*

*I want to be as close to you as was beloved John. Christ let me follow where you lead, by trust and friendship drawn.*

## **Call to the Table**

### **Prayer of Thanksgiving**

**One:** The Lord be with you.

**All:** **And also with you.**

**One:** Lift up your hearts.

**All:** **We lift them to the Lord.**

**One:** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All:** **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

## **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.**

## **Sharing the Bread**

## **Sharing the Cup**

## Response of Thanksgiving

**Holy Spirit, you have filled us with your life. Christ our Savior, you have embraced us in your love. God our Mother, you have fed us with your grace. Now send us out into your beloved world to share your life, your love, your grace with all. Blessing and honor and glory to you, holy, holy, holy Lord. Amen.**

## Closing Hymn

### *I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me*

*I'm gonna live so God can use me anywhere, Lord, anytime. I'm gonna live so God can use me anywhere, Lord, anytime. Anywhere, Lord, anytime.*

*I'm gonna work so God can use me, anywhere, Lord, anytime. I'm gonna work so God can use me, anywhere, Lord, anytime.*

## \*Blessing

## \*Amen

*Shalom Chaverim*

## \*Postlude

*With Faith Transcending*

Lani Smith

\*We invite all to stand in body or in spirit.

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## THANK YOU

Pastor: Rev. Katheryn McGinnis  
Music Director: Nicki Kerns  
Lector: Larry Vilaro  
Flowers: Karen Wichelmann

# **Announcements**

## **Welcome to Trinity Presbyterian Church!**

We look forward to getting to know you better. Please fill out a visitor welcome card found in the pew pockets in front of you. We are glad you are here!

## **Deacons**

The Board of Deacons relies on the generosity of members and friends of the congregation to provide financial support for their endeavors. Your assistance is greatly appreciated. Please use the envelopes in the pews to designate your contribution to the work of the Deacons.

## **Did you know Trinity has a Prayer Team?**

Would you like to join us? No meetings, no food to prepare. We simply share emails when one of our people is in need of prayer. Let the church office know if you would like to be added to our team.

## **Free Gift for Wine Lovers**

Carolyn and Cliff Brothers are clearing out their wine cellar. They are donating 70 bottles of 100% Zinfandel made and bottled by Cliff, 1977 - 1979. Come to the church office after the service or during church office hours on weekdays for your bottle(s).

## **Friday, June 25 Hike @ 9:00a.m.**

Wilder Ranch backcountry. More details to follow.

## **June 27 Faith, Ethics, and Social Concerns Forum, 11:30a.m.**

Join us IN PERSON or on Zoom after worship service for a program discussing health issues in America and Santa Cruz.

## **Know anybody that is looking for employment??**

Coast Paper and Supply has Warehouse/Delivery Driver job openings! Please contact Reed Duffus, General Manager (831) 423-3350.