

August 8, 2021



Therefore be imitators of God,
as beloved children. And *walk*
in love, as Christ loved
us and gave Himself up for us,
a fragrant offering and sacrifice
to God.

(Ephesians 5:1-2)

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10:30 a.m.

Sunday, August 8, 2018

Processional

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.**”

Preparation for Worship

Prelude

Blue Danube Waltz

Johann Strauss

Introit

Surely the Presence

Call to Worship

One: We wait for the Lord, our soul waits,

All: and in God’s word we hope.

One: Our soul waits for the Lord

All: more than those who watch for the morning,

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All: O Israel, hope in the Lord!

One: For with the Lord there is steadfast love,

All: and with God is great power to redeem.

*Hymn of Praise #298

There’s a Wideness in God’s Mercy

Call to Confession

God invites us to a real relationship, which means being honest with ourselves, others, and God. Let’s start here, confessing the uncomfortable truth of our sin together.

Prayer of Confession

If we say we have no sin, we are not being honest, and the truth is not in us. Therefore we confess our true selves: that we have often ignored our own privilege even as we benefit from it. That we have not listened to the pain of others, but have instead dismissed it to keep ourselves comfortable. That we have not done the hard work of belonging to each other. We also confess that we are better than this: our sin is not all we are. With your help, God, we can change. We can listen. We can heal, and bring healing to others. We confess this possibility in the name of the One who makes all things possible. Amen.

Take time to offer silent prayers of confession.

Assurance of Forgiveness

One: We belong to God. We belong to each other. God does not look at us and see only sin; God sees belovedness. Believe that in Jesus Christ we are forgiven in ways we may never fully understand. This is good news.

All: Amen.

*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.***

Anthem

David's Lamentation

William Billings

*David the king was grieved and moved,
He went to his chamber, his chamber, and wept.
And as he went, he wept and said, "O my son! O my son!
Would to God I had died for thee, O Absalom, my son!"
Vict'ry that day was turned into mourning
When the people did hear how the king grieved for his son.
He covered his face, and in a loud voice cried, "O my son! O my son!
Would to God I had died for thee, O Absalom, my son!"*

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading Ephesians 4:25-5:2

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Rev. Katheryn McGinnis

***Hymn #356**

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Prayers of the People

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

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, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Offertory

Theme and Variations

Guido Papini

***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**

Use these gifts, God, to do more than we could believe or imagine, building a world of justice, healing, and enough for all. Amen.

***Closing Hymn #358**

Help Us Accept Each Other

***Blessing**

***Amen**

May the Love of the Lord

***Postlude**

Donkey Doodle

William Kroll

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

We Welcome Guest Musician Pakal Gonzalez - Montejano

Pakal has been playing the violin for 4 years. He attends Pacific Collegiate School and is in the 9th grade. Pakal also enjoys Boy Scouts, piano and guitar, surfing, and mountain biking. Pakal has a little 5 year old brother, and happy to be a part of such a welcoming community.

THANK YOU

Pastor: Rev. Katheryn McGinnis
Music Director: Nicki Kerns
Guest Musician: Pakal Gonzalez-Montejano
Lector: Carina Bunch
Greeter: George Bunch
Usher: Pete Halper
Coffee Hour: Pete Halper
Flowers: Mary and Harry Blanchard

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. After worship, please join us for coffee, tea, and juice in the Magnolia Courtyard. We are glad you are here!

Church Hike in Fall Creek Park, Friday, August 20

Leave the church parking lot at 8:30a.m.

We will hike the Fall Creek unit of Henry Cowell Park. 3.5 miles, up the South Fork, down the North Fork. Contact Kathy for more info kathywillott@gmail.com

Be Part of the Solution to the Housing Problem

The volunteer crew building new homes for Habitat for Humanity always look forward to Trinity's lunch providers the first Tuesday of every month. The following dates are open for **your** participation: September 7, October 5, and November 2. Funds are available to reimburse you for expenses. Contact Lee Duffus at 831-295-3025 to volunteer.

435 There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

1 There's a wide - ness in God's mer - cy, like the wide - ness
 2 For the love of God is broad - er than the mea - sures

of the sea. There's a kind - ness in God's jus - tice,
 of the mind. And the heart of the E - ter - nal

which is more than lib - er - ty. There is no place where earth's
 is most won - der - ful - ly kind. If our love were but more

sor - rows are more felt than up in heaven. There is no place
 faith - ful, we would glad - ly trust God's Word, and our lives re -

where earth's fail - ings have such kind - ly judg - ment given.
 flect thanks - giv - ing for the good - ness of our Lord.

*Come thou fount of every blessing
Tune my heart to sing thy grace
Streams of mercy never ceasing
Call for songs of loudest praise
Teach me some melodious sonnet
Sung by flaming tongues above
I'll praise the mount I'm fixed upon it
Mount of thy redeeming love*

*Here I raise my Ebenezer
Hither by thy help I come
And I hope by thy good pleasure
Safely to arrive at home*

*Jesus sought me when a stranger
Wondering from the fold of God
He, to rescue me from danger
Interposed His precious blood*

*O to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be!
Let thy goodness like a fetter, bind my wandering heart to thee
Prone to wander Lord I feel it, prone to leave the God I love
Here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for thy courts above*

Help Us Accept Each Other 754



1 Help us ac - cept each oth - er as Christ ac - cept - ed us;
 2 Teach us, O Lord, your les - sons, as in our dai - ly life
 3 Let your ac - cep - tance change us, so that we may be moved
 4 Lord, for to - day's en - coun - ters with all who are in need,



teach us as sis - ter, broth - er, each per - son to em - brace.
 we strug - gle to be hu - man and search for hope and faith.
 in liv - ing sit - u - a - tions to do the truth in love;
 who hun - ger for ac - cep - tance, for jus - tice and for bread,



Be pres - ent, Lord, a - mong us and bring us to be - lieve
 Teach us to care for peo - ple, for all, not just for some,
 to prac - tice your ac - cep - tance un - til we know by heart
 we need new eyes for see - ing, new hands for hold - ing on:



we are our - selves ac - cept - ed, and meant to love and live.
 to love them as we find them, or as they may be - come.
 the ta - ble of for - give - ness, and laugh - ter's heal - ing art.
 re - new us with your Spir - it; Lord, free us; make us one!