

First Presbyterian Church

June 7, 2020 • 10:30 a.m.



Embodying Christ's inclusive love through heart, mind, and service

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Oak Ridge, Tennessee
A Congregation of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

June 7, 2020 • *Trinity Sunday*

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

God the Creator spoke in the beginning and brought order out of chaos.

Let us worship the Triune God.

God the Redeemer became Word-Made-Flesh to set free the oppressed.

Let us worship the Triune God.

God the Sustainer stirs within and around us, from beginning to end, and even now.

Let us worship the Triune God.

Hymn

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

(Glory to God, 1)

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 shall be.

Holy, holy, holy! though the darkness hide thee,

Though the eye of sinfulness thy glory may not see,

Only thou art holy; there it 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!

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Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, we confess that we have, once again, turned away from you. We take creation into our hands, not to love, but to use and then discard. We turn to our neighbors, not to serve them, but to press them into serving us. As a result, our actions do more harm than good. Forgive us, we pray. Reinvigorate us with your Spirit, that we might help to further your realm in and through our lives; in Jesus' name. Amen.

The Peace of Christ

The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

Let us share the peace of Christ with one another.

Sung Response

The Steadfast Love of the Lord

(Glory to God, 59)

***The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases;
God's mercies never come to an end.
They are new every morning, new every morning;
great is your faithfulness, O Lord, great is your faithfulness.***

Scripture Reading

2 Corinthians 13:11-13

Sermon

Two's Company, Three's Even Better

Sharon Youngs

Musical Reflection

Dona nobis pacem
(Grant us peace)

(Glory to God, 752)

Call to Prayer

Spirit of the Living God

(Glory to God, 288)

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

Prayers of the People - with the Lord's Prayer (ecumenical)

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

Hymn

God Be with You Till We Meet Again

(Glory to God, 541)

*God be with you till we meet again; loving counsels guide, uphold you,
With a shepherd’s care enfold you: God be with you till we meet again.*

*God be with you till we meet again; unseen wings protecting hide you,
Daily manna still provide you: God be with you till we meet again.*

*God be with you till we meet again; when life’s perils thick confound you,
Put unfailing arms around you: God be with you till we meet again.*

*God be with you till we meet again; keep love’s banner floating o’er you;
Smite death’s threatening wave before you: God be with you till we meet again.*

Charge and Blessing

Sung Response

Irish Blessing

***May the road rise to meet you, may the wind be at your back,
May the sun shine warmly on your face. May the rain fall softly on your field,
And until we meet again, until we meet again,
May God hold you in the palm of his hand.***

Postlude



*No matter who you are or where you are on life’s journey, or your faith journey,
you are welcome at First Presbyterian Church.*

First Presbyterian Church—A PC(USA) Congregation

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