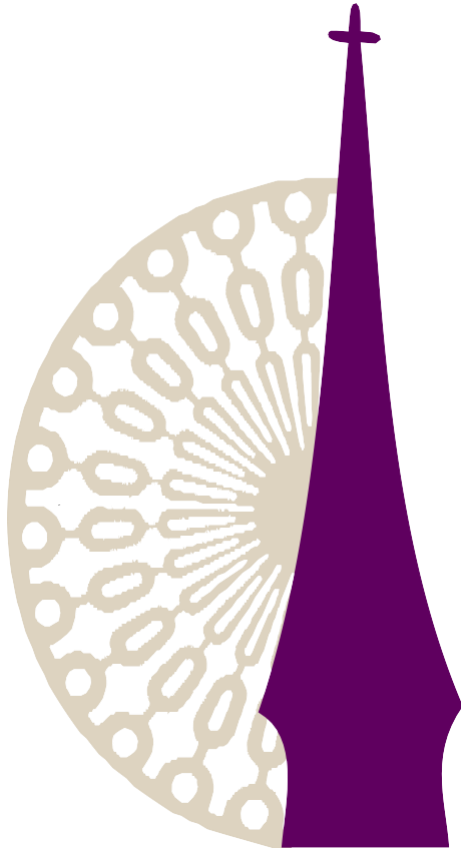


May 27, 2018
Trinity Sunday



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The Church In Worship

Trinity Sunday

WE GATHER WITH JOYFUL HEARTS

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

Three Bells

PRELUDE

Sarabande from Sonata for Trumpet and Piano

by Jean Hubeau

Ms. Marie Garner, trumpet
Dr. Catherine Garner, organ

† PROCESIONAL HYMN 307

All Creatures of Our God and King

Aubrey Turner, acolyte

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

† WELCOME AND INVOCATION

Dr. Andy Roby

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

Dear friends in Christ, we have come together on this Trinity Sunday to celebrate in word and song and to affirm our faith in God, the Three in One. As we stand in God's presence, let us pray. Almighty God, before you angels sang for joy when you created with your voice the heavens and the earth.

Hear our voice this day, and accept our praise and thanksgiving for the gift of speech and song, which we on earth share with the heavenly host who are continually worshipping at your throne.

O Jesus Christ, you are the Word made flesh, the firstborn of many sisters and brothers in the family of God who have heard your music in their hearts.

Open the ears of our hearts this day, that all we say and all we sing may reveal you in us and us in you, whose body and voice we are in the world.

O Holy Spirit, with tongues of fire you have inspired the speech and song of evangelists, preachers, poets, artists, and musicians.

Visit us this day to kindle anew the fire of love and the light of understanding, that your church may live in the counterpoint of community.

O Creator, Redeemer, Sustainer, you are three persons in one God living in eternal harmony and fellowship. As your church, may our many voices, our many lives become one united chorus to praise your holy name.

Bless our coming together now so that, in fellowship with each other and with all your people, we may hear your voice and sing your words this day and always. Amen.

† HYMN OF ADORATION 7

Worthy of Worship

JUDSON

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Rev. Abbi Mullens

WE GIVE WITH GRATEFUL HEARTS

CHORAL WORSHIP

Psalm 103:1 Bless the Lord, My Soul

Music by Dan R. Edwards

Chancel Choir
Mr. Harold Jones, percussion

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

Dr. Dale Newton

OFFERTORY

Like a River Glorious

arr. Larry Shackley

Mrs. Fran Wilson

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him, all creatures here below.
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

Children through Kindergarten are excused for Extended Session with Luisa Haynes.

OUR HEARTS ARE FORMED BY GOD: CREATOR, REDEEMER, SUSTAINER

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: GOD THE CREATOR

Rev. Mullens

Let us confess our faith in God the Father with the words from the ancient Nicene Creed:

**We believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.**

SCRIPTURE SPEAKS

Genesis 1:1-5

Rev. Mullens

The Word of God for the people of God;

Thanks be to God.

† HYMN OF MEDITATION 17

This Is My Father's World

TERRA PATRIS

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: GOD THE REDEEMER

Dr. Roby

Let us confess our faith in God the Son:

**We believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,
begotten from the Father before all ages, God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God, begotten, not made; of the same essence as the Father.
Through him all things were made.**

**For us and our salvation he came down from heaven;
he became incarnate by the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary, and was made human.**

He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried.

On the third day he rose again, according to the Scriptures.

He ascended to heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again with glory to judge the living and the dead.

His kingdom will never end.

SCRIPTURE SPEAKS

Luke 9:18-26

Dr. Roby

The Word of God for the people of God;

Thanks be to God.

† HYMN OF DISCIPLESHIP 682

Christ Be My Leader

SLANE

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: GOD THE SUSTAINER

Rev. Mullens

Let us confess our faith in God the Holy Spirit:

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
and together with the Father and Son is worshiped and glorified.**

He spoke through the prophets.

SCRIPTURE SPEAKS

John 15:26-27 16:4b-7, 12-15

Rev. Mullens

The Word of God for the people of God;

Thanks be to God.

† HYMN OF SUPPLICATION 234	<i>Spirit of the Living God</i>	IVERSON
SERMON	<i>Throne, Table, and Font: Worshiping the Triune God</i>	Dr. Roby
† HYMN OF RESPONSE 1	<i>Holy, Holy, Holy</i>	NICAEA
SHARING OF DECISIONS		Rev. Mullens

WITH HEARTS MADE WHOLE WE GO INTO THE WORLD

A PRAYER FOR MEMORIAL DAY		Dr. Roby
OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP, SERVICE AND FELLOWSHIP		Rev. Mullens
† SENDING OUT	<i>St. Patrick's Breastplate</i>	Dr. Roby
† POSTLUDE	<i>Fantasia in G Major</i> by J. S. Bach	Dr. Garner

† All who are able, please stand. TMBC CCLI License No. 558599
 Our Deacon of the Week (May 27—June 2) is Dale Newton. We appreciate his leadership in worship today.

Coming Up This Week

Sunday, May 27

9:45 am—Sunday School

10:55 am—Worship

Monday, May 28—Memorial Day

Church Office Closed

Wednesday, May 30

10:00—Knitting with Nat

6:00 pm—Belize Mission Team Meeting

6:00—7:30 pm—VBS Decoration Prep

Thursday, May 31

12:30 pm—Sanctuary Prayer Café

7:00 pm—Line Dancing

Sunday, June 3—Baptism

9:45 am—Sunday School

10:55 am—Worship



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