ORDER FOR WORSHIP

Holy Trinity Sunday
June 12, 2022

"O Lord our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!" Today we celebrate the holy Trinity. Paul writes that through Jesus we have peace with God, whose love pours into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, giving us lasting hope. We celebrate the gracious One-in-Three, eternal Three-in-One, as we worship in community; as we share water and word, bread and wine; and as we bring God's love and hope to our neighbors.

GATHERING

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

WELCOME

PRELUDE

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

GATHERING SONG

"Come, All You People"

vs. 1, 2, 3, 1 ELW 819

GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you**.

KYRIE

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Almighty Creator and ever-living God: we worship your glory, eternal Three-in-One, and we praise your power, majestic One-in-Three. Keep us steadfast in this faith, defend us in all adversity, and bring us at last into your presence, where you live in endless joy and love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen**.

WORD

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

FIRST READING

Proverbs 8: 1 - 4, 22 - 31

In the Bible, wisdom is portrayed in terms sometimes human and sometimes divine. Often, wisdom is personified as feminine. In this passage, Woman Wisdom is depicted not only as the first creation of God, but also as God's helper, rejoicing in God's creation, especially in human beings.

¹Does not wisdom call, and does not understanding raise her voice?

²On the heights, beside the way, at the crossroads she takes her stand;

³beside the gates in front of the town, at the entrance of the portals she cries out: ⁴"To you, O people, I call, and my cry is to all that live.

²²The Lord greated me at the heginning of his week, the first of his acts

²²The Lord created me at the beginning of his work, the first of his acts of long ago. ²³Ages ago I was set up, at the first, before the beginning of the earth. ²⁴When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no springs abounding with water. ²⁵Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth — ²⁶when he had not yet made earth and fields, or the world's first bits of soil. ²⁷When he established the heavens, I was there, when he drew a circle on the face of the deep, ²⁸when he made firm the skies above, when he established the fountains of the deep, ²⁹when he assigned to the sea its limit, so that the waters might not transgress his command, when he marked out the foundations of the earth, ³⁰then I was beside him, like a master worker; and I was daily his delight, rejoicing before him always, ³¹rejoicing in his inhabited world and delighting in the human race."

Word of God, Word of Life.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM 8

¹O | Lord our Lord,

how majestic is your name in | all the earth! —

²you whose glory is chanted above the heavens out of the mouths of in- | fants and children;

you have set up a fortress against your enemies, to silence the foe | and avenger.

³When I consider your heavens, the work ∣ of your fingers, the moon and the stars you have set ∣ in their courses,

⁴what are mere mortals that you should be mind- | ful of them, human beings that you should | care for them?

⁵Yet you have made them little less | than divine;

with glory and hon- | or you crown them.

⁶You have made them rule over the works | of your hands; you have put all things un- | der their feet:

⁷all | flocks and cattle,

even the wild beasts | of the field,

8the birds of the air, the fish | of the sea, and whatever passes along the paths | of the sea.

⁹O | Lord our Lord, how majestic is your name in | all the earth!

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

GOSPEL

John 16: 12 - 15

Jesus' ongoing presence with the disciples will be made known through the coming Spirit who will guide them and communicate to them Jesus' will and glory.

[Jesus said,] ¹²"I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. ¹³When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. ¹⁴He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. ¹⁵All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you."

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON

NICENCE CREED

P: Let us affirm our faith.

C: We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation

he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary and became truly human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;

he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again

in accordance with the scriptures;

he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the

dead,

and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son,*

who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

HYMN OF THE DAY

"Come, Join the Dance of Trinity"

ELW 412

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Each petition ends: God, in your mercy,

Response: hear our prayer.

MEAL.

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

SHARING OF PEACE

PRAYER

God of abundance: you have set before us a plentiful harvest. As we feast on your goodness, strengthen us to labor in your field, and equip us to bear fruit for the good of all, in the name of Jesus. **Amen.**

GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ. And so, with all the witnesses of the resurrection, we praise your name.

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

In the night in which he was betrayed,

our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;

broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:

Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,

and gave it for all to drink, saying:

This cup is the new covenant in my blood,

shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

Gathered around this table, we your children unite in this song:

The earth is full of your glory. The earth is full of your glory.

Amen, and amen. Amen and amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

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.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

In Christ's presence there is fullness of joy. Come to the banquet.

LAMB OF GOD

COMMUNION SONG

"The Lorica"

Words and music by Gayle Salmond

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Life-giving God, through this meal you have bandaged our wounds and fed us with your mercy. Now send us forth to live for others, both friend and stranger, that all may to know your love. This we pray in the name of Jesus. **Amen.**

SENDING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

BLESSING

The God of peace, Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you, comfort you, and show you the path of life this day and always. **Amen.**

SENDING SONG

"The Lord Now Sends Us Forth"

ELW 538

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Love your neighbour.

Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

PERMISSIONS

One License, license # A-713446. Liturgical text reprinted with permission under Augsburg Fortress Liturgies Annual License number SAS022653.



St. Philip's Lutheran Church

SERVING TODAY

Rev. Hilla Lahtinen Pastor

Chris Ritcey-Conrad Music Director

"No Fixed Address" House Band Additional Music

Vashti Suknundun Reader

Marcia Powers-Dunlop Prayers

Karen Adolph Livestream Usher

Dave Pascoe Audio Visual

THIS WEEK AT ST. PHILIP'S

Monday 1:00 pm Zumba

Tuesday 10:00 am Amal Project Wednesday 10:00 am Cover Girls

Thursday 12:30 pm 50+ Planning Meeting

4:00 pm Good Food Market: 609 The East Mall

Friday

St. Philip's Lutheran Church ANNOUNCEMENTS

IN OUR PRAYERS

Gus Berndt, Kevin Cartwright, Rodney Erlandson, Anna Feller, Luke Fergin, Al Jacksteit, Matt Kirkpatrick, Mona Kibsey, Mark Kieswetter, Pat Penney, Julie Potocny, Polly Seefeldt, Ursula Stavnitsky, Emeris, George, Helen, and Lynette.

OFFERING

Please place your offering on the plate in the centre aisle. Other options can be found on our website: stphilipstoronto.com/donate-now/

GOOD FOOD MARKET

The market is returning for its 8th season at a new location - 609 The East Mall. Volunteers are needed for a 2-hour shift 3:30 – 5:30 OR 5:30 – 7:30 any Thursday. You can sign up by calling our Community Outreach Co-Ordinator, Shianne, @ 647.975.2017, the church office, or using the google doc: <u>Good Food Market Volunteer</u>. Or use sign-up sheet in the narthex.

HOLIDAYS

Pastor Tuula will be away from June 6 - 29 inclusive. Please contact Rev. Nadine Nicholds for pastoral care at 647.403.5545.

OUR VISION

Freed by the grace of Christ, we seek to connect with God, neighbour and self.

St. Philip's Lutheran Church 61 West Deane Park Drive Etobicoke, ON M9B 2S1 Phone: 416-622-5577

Email: stphilip@bellnet.ca
Web: www.stphilipstoronto.com