

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Trinity Sunday

May 31, 2026

Eleven O'Clock

Greeters: Elizabeth Price and Lori Gast
Liturgist: Bill Gast

PRELUDE:

CHIMING THE HOUR

GREETINGS Psalm 118 says: **This is the Day that the Lord hath made, let us rejoice and be glad in it! Good morning and welcome. It is so nice to see all of you here this morning. Visitors, please sign the attendance registers located in each row.**

Please stand, in body or spirit, and join me in our Call to Worship and remain standing through the the Assurance of Pardon

***CALL TO WORSHIP:** (Responsively)

Leader: **O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is Your name in all the Earth!**

People: **For You have made us a little lower than the angels and crowned us with glory.**

All: **Praise the Lord!**

Please bow your heads for our Opening Prayer ***OPENING PRAYER** **Triune God, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, be with us in our worship today. Show us Your love through Jesus Christ. Help us to set aside the worries of this world and focus on the glories of Your kingdom. In Your Son's name we pray, Amen.**

Our first hymn today is:

***HYMN** No. 15 *"All Creatures of Our God and King"* vs. 1-3 LASST UNS ERFREUEN

***CALL TO CONFESSION** **If we say we are without sin, we deceive ourselves. Let us confess our sins before Almighty God. Let us pray together**

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Gracious God, hear our humble prayers. Listen to the murmurs of our hearts, as we recognize our own shortcomings. We struggle to lead a godly life in an ungodly world. We want to live the way Jesus lived, but sometimes it seems to hard. Forgive us when we cannot withstand the pressure of life and give us strength in all things. Help us to remember that, even in the midst of the struggle, Your love will give us strength for whatever we face. (Say – "Please pray silently," and after about 20 seconds, say,) We pray these things with a thankful heart, Amen.

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Leader: **Believe the good news of the Gospel. In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.**

People: **Thanks be to God!**

You may be seated

A TIME FOR YOUTH

Please bow your heads for our Prayer for Illumination

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION O Trinity of love and power, open our ears that we may hear Your voice in the midst of the turmoil. Let us hear Your call on our lives as Your word is spoken and sung today and every day. Amen.

PSALTER LESSON Our Psalter Lesson comes from Psalm 8 please read it responsively with me.

Leader: **O Lord, our Sovereign, how majestic is Your name in all the earth! You have set Your glory above the heavens.**

People: **Out of the mouths of babes and infants You have founded a bulwark because of Your foes, to silence the enemy and the avenger.**

Leader: **When I look at Your heavens, the work of Your fingers, the moon and the stars that You have established; what are humans that You are mindful of them, mortals that You care for them?**

People: **Yet You have made them a little lower than God and crowned them with glory and honor.**

Leader: **You have given them dominion over the works of Your hands; You have put all things under their feet,**

People: **all sheep and oxen, and also the beasts of the field,**

Leader: **the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea, whatever passes along the paths of the seas.**

People: **O Lord, our Sovereign, how majestic is Your name in all the earth!**

Leader: **The Word of the Lord.**

People: **Thanks be to God!**

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Our Old Testament Lesson comes from Genesis chapter 1 verse 1 through chapter 2 verse 4a, you may follow along in your pew Bibles on pages 1-2 of the Old Testament

Genesis 1: 1 – 2:4a

When God began to create the heavens and the earth, the earth was complete chaos, and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. Then God said, "Let there be light," and there was light. And God saw that the light was good, and God separated the light from the darkness. God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

And God said, "Let there be a dome in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters." So God made the dome and separated the waters that were under the dome from the waters that were above the dome. And it was so. God called the dome Sky. And there was evening and there was morning, the second day.

And God said, "Let the waters under the sky be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear." And it was so. God called the dry land Earth, and the waters that were gathered together he called Seas. And God saw that it was good. Then God said, "Let the earth put forth vegetation: plants yielding seed and fruit trees of every kind on earth that bear fruit with the seed in it." And it was so. The earth brought forth vegetation: plants yielding seed of every kind and trees of every kind bearing fruit with the seed in it. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the third day.

And God said, "Let there be lights in the dome of the sky to separate the day from the night, and let them be for signs and for seasons and for days and years, and let them be lights in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth." And it was so. God made the two great lights--the greater light to rule the day and the lesser light to rule the night--and the stars. God set them in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth, to rule over the day and over the night, and to separate the light from the darkness. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the fourth day.

And God said, "Let the waters bring forth swarms of living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the dome of the sky." So God created the great sea monsters and every living creature that moves, of every kind, with which the waters swarm and every winged bird of every kind. And God saw that it was good. God blessed them, saying, "Be fruitful and multiply and fill the waters in the seas, and let birds multiply on the earth." And there was evening and there was morning, the fifth day.

And God said, "Let the earth bring forth living creatures of every kind: cattle and creeping things and wild animals of the earth of every kind." And it was so. God made the wild animals of the earth of every kind and the cattle of every kind and everything that creeps upon the ground of every kind. And God saw that it was good. Then God said, "Let us make humans in our image, according to our likeness, and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over the cattle and over all the wild animals of the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth."

So God created humans in his image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them. God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth and subdue it and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth." God said, "See, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is upon the face of all the earth and every tree with seed in its fruit; you shall have them for food. And to every beast of the

earth and to every bird of the air and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food." And it was so. God saw everything that he had made, and indeed, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.

Thus the heavens and the earth were finished and all their multitude. On the sixth day God finished the work that he had done, and he rested on the seventh day from all the work that he had done. So God blessed the seventh day and hallowed it, because on it God rested from all the work that he had done in creation. These are the generations of the heavens and the earth when they were created.

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

The choir will now sing the Anthem:

ANTHEM: *"Look at the World"* arr. Rutter

GOSPEL LESSON Our Gospel Lesson comes from Matthew 28:16-20 you may follow along in your pew Bibles on page 34 of the New Testament

Matthew 28: 16–20

Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshiped him, but they doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Rev. Janet Boyanton

Those who are able, please stand and join with me in singing:

***HYMN** No.1 *"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!"* NICAEA

Please join me in Affirmation of Faith as it is printed in your bulletin.

***AFFIRMATION** The Apostles' Creed (Traditional)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

***RESPONSE:** Hymn No. 581 “*Glory Be to the Father*” GLORIA PATRI

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.

You may be seated.

ANNOUNCEMENTS It is time for announcements, does anybody have an announcement they would like to make?

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNITY And now it is time for our Prayer Concerns and Celebrations. Does anybody have anything they would like to share?

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE 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

OFFERTORY:

***RESPONSE:** Hymn No. 606 “*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*”

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below;

Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Let us come to God with our prayer of Thanksgiving

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, three in one, giver of all good things, we thank You. For life, family, friends, and everything we need, we thank You. We are blessed people, and with our gifts we work to bless others. Accept our gifts as a loving offering to advance Your kingdom in the world. In Jesus’ name we pray. Amen.

Our last Hymn today is:

***HYMN** No. 839 “*Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine!*” ASSURANCE

***BENEDICTION**

***BENEDICTION RESPONSE:**

Hymn No. 80 “*You Shall Go Out with Joy*” THE TREES OF THE FIELD

You shall go out with joy and be led forth with peace;

the mountains and the hills will break forth before you;

there’ll be shouts of joy, and all the trees of the field will clap, will clap their hands.

And all the trees of the field will clap their hands; the trees of the field will clap their hands; the trees of the field will clap their hands while you go out with joy.

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

***POSTLUDE:**

***Those who are able may stand.**

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THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

THURSDAY – 10:00 AM Art Group

NEXT SUNDAY –

09:45 AM Choir Practice

10:15 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Worship Service with Communion

PRAYER CONCERNS

Our Leaders

Our Presbytery, our church, our Session

Our Troops

Thomas Alexander – please continue to pray

Jim Glander

The church and nation of Ukraine

DeSoto Food Pantry

Chikezie is very weak

Christians in Pakistan

Joan Christy – continued prayers

Cecil Nash has been suffering with possible allergies

Pat Nash has bronchitis

Nina had surgery on 4 hernias, please pray for a speedy recovery

Jessica Zinn is very sad because her beloved cat died

Bryan Booth has been diagnosed with Addison's disease

Makia and Mireille are happy to be here, but are asking for prayers

Joe Alexander is ill and needs our prayers

Cecil is having a biopsy and MRI