***Trinity United Methodist Church***

June 4th, 2023 ~ 10:30 a.m. DIGITAL WORSHIP BULLETIN

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*TRINITY SUNDAY*

PRELUDE

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Dave

CALL TO WORSHIP Liturgist

We come today to worship the Triune God, even as we, like the eleven on the mountainside, have our doubts.

**Holy Trinity, meet us in our questions and help us embrace your mystery.**

We come to encounter the God who is both immense and particular, greater than words can describe, and yet intimately present with us.

**Holy Trinity, surround us with your love that brings order to chaos and community to individualism.**

We come to give thanks to the God who created and sustains us, and who calls us to steward the earth and all that live in it.

**Holy Trinity, empower us to enter into partnership with you for the flourishing of all creation with gratitude and joy.**

We come to receive Christ’s commission to make disciples, to baptize, and to teach the gospel wherever we go.

**God, immerse us in the life of the Holy Trinity that we might go and welcome others into the dance of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.**

HYMN # 584 “Lord, You Give the Great Commission” (HYFRODOL)

**Lord, you give the great commission: “Heal the sick and preach the word.”  
Lest the church neglect its mission, and the gospel go unheard,  
help us witness to your purpose with renewed integrity:  
With the Spirit’s gifts empow’r us for the work of ministry.**

**Lord, you call us to your service: “In my name, baptize and teach.”  
That the world may trust your promise, life abundant meant for each,  
give us all new fervor, draw us closer in community:   
with the Spirit’s gifts empow’r us for the work of ministry.**

**Lord, you make the common holy: “This my body, this my blood.”  
Let us all, for earth’s true glory, daily lift life heavenward,  
asking that the world around us share your children’s liberty:**

**with the Spirit’s gifts empow’r us for the work of ministry.**

**Lord, you show us love’s true measure: “Father, what they do, forgive.”  
Yet we hoard as private treasure all that you so freely give.  
May your care and mercy lead us to a just society:**

**with the Spirit’s gifts empow’r us for the work of ministry.**

**Lord, you bless with words assuring: “I am with you to the end.”  
Faith and hope and love restoring, may we serve as you intend  
and, amid the cares that claim us, hold in mind eternity:**

**with the Spirit’s gifts empow’r us for the work of ministry.**

A TIME FOR THE CHILD IN ALL OF US (10:30) Pastor Dave

OUR LORD’S PRAYER *(Following the prayer, the children may go to Sunday School.)*

GOSPEL LESSON Matthew 28:16-20 Liturgist

MUSICAL INSPIRATION

HOMILY “Go, But Not Alone” Pastor Dave

DOXOLOGY and PRAYER OF CONSECRATION Liturgist

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise God, all creatures here below,**

**praise God above ye heavenly host, praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen!**

HYMN OF PREPARATION # 2262 “Let Us Offer to the Father”

**Let us offer to the Father, with the bread and with the wine,  
all our joys and all our sorrows; all are cares, Lord, all are thine.  
As the growing wheat will ripen let us show to all the world  
we can grow and ripen also in the living of the Word.**

**Let us offer to the Father, with the bread and with the wine,  
all our joys and all our sorrows; all are cares, Lord, all are thine.  
Let the poor and heavy-laden gather at the Savior’s sign,**

**Where their grief will turn to gladness, as the grapes are pressed to wine.**

**Let us offer to the Father, with the bread and with the wine,  
all our joys and all our sorrows; all are cares, Lord, all are thine.**

**From the country, from the city, from the riches of the land,**

**We bring back to our Creator many gifts of heart and hand.**

**Let us offer to the Father, with the bread and with the wine,  
all our joys and all our sorrows; all are cares, Lord, all are thine.**

**Glory be to God the Father, and to Christ, the living Son,**

**Who together with the Spirit make the holy Three-In-One!**

**Let us offer to the Father, with the bread and with the wine,  
all our joys and all our sorrows; all are cares, Lord, all are thine!**

WE PREPARE FOR HOLY COMMUNION

**Lord of all, to you we raise this our gift of grateful praise!**

WE COME TO THE LORD’S TABLE *(We will come forward to receive the sacrament. If you cannot come forward, please signal the ushers, and they will bring communion to you. Please commune at the altar rail, kneeling or standing, and please stay as long as you wish.)*

PRAYER OF GRATITUDE Pastor Dave

CLOSING HYMN # 571 “Go, Make of All Disciples” (ELLACOMBE)

**“Go, make of all disciples.” We hear the call, O Lord,**

**that comes from thee, our Father, In thy eternal Word.**

**Inspire our ways of learning through earnest, fervent prayer,**

**and let our daily living reveal thee everywhere.**

**“Go, make of all disciples,” baptizing in the name**

**of Father, Son, and Spirit, from age to age the same.**

**We call each new disciple to follow thee, O Lord,**

**redeeming soul and body by water and the Word.**

**“Go, make of all disciples.” We at thy feet would stay**

**until each life’s vocation accents thy holy way.**

**We cultivate the nature God plants in every heart,**

**revealing in our witness the master teacher’s art.**

**“Go, make of all disciples.” We welcome thy command.**

**“Lo, I am with you always.” we take thy guiding hand.**

**The task looms large before us; we follow without fear;**

**in heaven and earth thy power shall bring God’s kingdom here.**

BLESSING (Please face one another) *Go, therefore, because you are children of the Triune God and partners in God’s work of light, life, and love that even now is at work all around us. May the mystery of the Trinity enfold you, the glory of the Trinity astound you, and the love of the Trinity companion you on your way. Amen.*

POSTLUDE