

THE CHURCH OF THE MASTER

Reformed Church in America

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*Welcome to worship! A special greeting to dads, grandpas and father-figures.
The relationships that bless our lives are gifts of God's love. Alleluia!*

*Trinity Sunday
Father's Day*

June 15, 2025

11:00 AM

Silent Preparation for Worship

*For fathers and father-figures, I pray and give thanks. And, God,
for all the ways you guide, direct, teach and protect us in love., I praise you.*

Welcome

** Hymn of Praise #41 - "Holy, Holy, Holy"*

** Call to Worship: (responsively)*

God, we worship you today. By your Holy Spirit, you equip us to make known your grace and goodness; freed from haste which compromises safety and quality; freed from needless hesitance which delays desired progress,

HOLY SPIRIT, DIRECT THE TEMPOS OF OUR LIFE.

Freed for honoring faithful standards of ethics and excellence, freed for creative pursuits which minister to ever present needs,

HOLY SPIRIT, GRANT US WISDOM.

Freed for sharing our faith with friend, foe and stranger, freed for bridging generations and centuries with our enduring love,

HOLY SPIRIT, GRANT US COURAGE.

Freed for recognizing and valuing people as your children, not merely for what they produce and the service they provide; freed for contributing ourselves and our resources.

HOLY SPIRIT, BIND US TOGETHER AS YOUR FAMILY.

Freed for celebrating the resurrection and reign of Jesus Christ,

HOLY SPIRIT, INSTILL IN US CHRIST'S PEACE WHICH PASSES ALL UNDERSTANDING, GOD'S LOVE WHICH ENCOURAGES AND EQUIPS, AND JOY IN THE LORD WHICH KNOWS NO END. WE WORSHIP AND PRAISE YOUR HOLY NAME. AMEN.

** Prayer of Praise and Adoration*

** Confession of Faith - Apostles' Creed (#622 in hymnal), page 5 on this PDF*

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (in unison)

WE CONFESS TO YOU, O GOD OF WISDOM AND GRACE, THAT WE HAVE SINNED. WE HAVE CHOSEN FOOLISHLY TO SEEK AFTER THINGS THAT CANNOT SATISFY. WE HAVE SOUGHT FOR MATERIAL THINGS, THE ESTEEM OF OTHERS, POWER AND POSITION. WE HAVE PLACED OUR HOPES ON OTHER MORTALS WHO IN THE END, ALWAYS FAIL US. WE HAVE NOT SOUGHT YOU AND YOUR WISDOM. WE HAVE NOT MADE LOVING YOU THE FIRST PRIORITY OF OUR LIVES AND WE HAVE FAILED TO LOVE OUR NEIGHBORS AS OURSELVES. FORGIVE US AND EMPOWER US TO CHOOSE WHAT IS RIGHT AND GOOD FOR US AND FOR ALL HUMANITY. AMEN.

Announcements

- * *Hymn of Preparation #133 - "Faith of Our Fathers"*

Pentecost Theme: "Pentecost Power from On High!"

Scripture: Psalm 8:1-9 (vv.1-3,4-5,6,7-9)

Romans 5:1-5

Sermon- "Pentecost Power from on High Reminds Us: How Majestic is God the Father's Name Whose Love Has Been Poured into Our Hearts Through the Son and the Holy Spirit!"

Lord's Prayer

- * *Doxology (#39)*
- * *Blessing of Our Tithes and Offerings*
- * *Prayer*

- * *Closing Hymn #520 - "O How I Love Jesus"*
- * *Choral Benediction: "Shalom to You" (congregation)*
Shalom to you now, shalom, my friends. May God's full mercies bless you, my friends.
In all your living and through your loving, Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.
- *Benediction (Pastor)*

* Please stand if able

Church of the Master Ministries

Sunday	11:00 AM	Worship Service (Holy Communion celebrated on the 1 st Sunday of each month)
Monday	5:00-9:00 PM	Bushiken Karate
Wednesday	7:00 PM	Online Bible study: Contact Ron Rivera for info on joining
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Thursday	7:30 PM	Women's Alcoholic Anonymous
Friday	7:00 PM	"Hour of Prayer Power" virtual meeting The conference call-in number is 605-475-4860, code - 371231#
Saturday	12:00 noon	Online Bible study: Contact Ron Rivera for info on joining
	9:30AM-1:00PM	Bushiken Karate

MINISTRY OF PRAYER

“Rejoice in your hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer”

The Prayer List

Our prayers reflect a wonderful and whole-hearted commitment to intercessory prayer by this congregation. Each name will remain on the prayer list for 3 weeks.

Prayers of Thanksgiving:

Prayers for Those with Special Needs:

Diane * Elena Caldera * Anne Dowling * Jerry Kemps * Jane Maze * Donald Zuvich

Prayers for Those Who Are Ill or have Medical Concerns:

Nicky * Tommy * Cynthia * Janet (friend of Mahon family) * Beverly Morrison * Robert Solimando * John T * Michael Campinello * Patti Zeig & John * Stephanie * Rev. Singletary * Connie * Pat Lynam * Carole Mahon * Loretta Byrd & Wendy * Diante * Damon George Hayden * Allen Ford * Alice & Alex Rivera * Arlene 'Auntie' Mayers * Rosa Stewart

Prayers for Those Dealing with Turmoil or Family Difficulties:

Halloway family * Rosetta Grasso * Jay Escobar & family * Close friends of the Bungerts * Sharon Alexander * Damon & Alex and family * Wintress * Kiera & Avery & Martz family * Tyler, Nicole & Jackson * All caregivers * everyone battling addictions

Prayers For Those Seeking Direction/Needing God's Presence in Their Lives:

Elvis Frias Sr. & Theresa * Devell * Zachariah Bungert * Diante Stinson * Corey Streeter * young adults

Prayers for Those Seeking Employment:

Zachariah Bungert

Prayers for World Concerns:

Concerns for job security for Federal workers * An end to the war between Russia & Ukraine and the Middle East conflict * An end to all the violence * Peace and healing in our community and the nation * All first responders * Our country's safety * The future of our churches * The President and his administration * Pastor Sohail Latif and his congregation in Pakistan * Worldwide conflicts * Sean Buckley & Katie Mahon and all active duty members & their families

Prayers for the families & friends of those who have died:

Arlene Mayer's niece Aziza Harvey Campbell * Don Fecher's great-niece Kylee * Anthony * Jolie Brown's brother

PRAYERS FOR THE GROWTH OF CHURCH OF THE MASTER:

Lord, please send people through our doors with whom we can share the love and saving grace of Jesus Christ.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Beginning Sunday, July 6th, our worship service will begin at 9:50 with Praise & Prayer time.

Our 2nd Assessment payment is due this month. If you haven't already helped us with your payment, please consider doing so. The yearly amount is \$133.00 per member, \$33.25 if you pay quarterly.

CHURCH OF THE MASTER MISSION STATEMENT

We are a Christ-centered community church united in prayer and loving Christian fellowship, Bible teaching and preaching Christ crucified, risen and coming again.

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REGINALD HEBER

JOHN B. DYKES



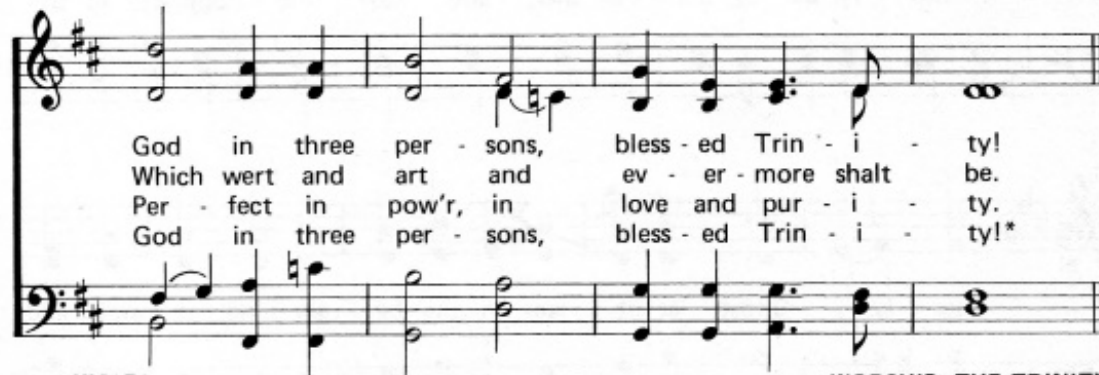
1. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God Al - might - y!
 2. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! All the saints a - dore Thee,
 3. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Though the dark - ness hide Thee,
 4. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God Al - might - y!



Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to Thee;
 Cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;
 Though the eye of sin - ful man Thy glo - ry may not see;
 All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea;



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y!
 Cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore Thee,
 On - ly Thou art ho - ly— there is none be - side Thee
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y!



God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!
 Which wert and art and ev - er - more shalt be.
 Per - fect in pow'r, in love and pur - i - ty.
 God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!*

Tune: NICAEA

WORSHIP: THE TRINITY

The Apostle's Creed

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;**

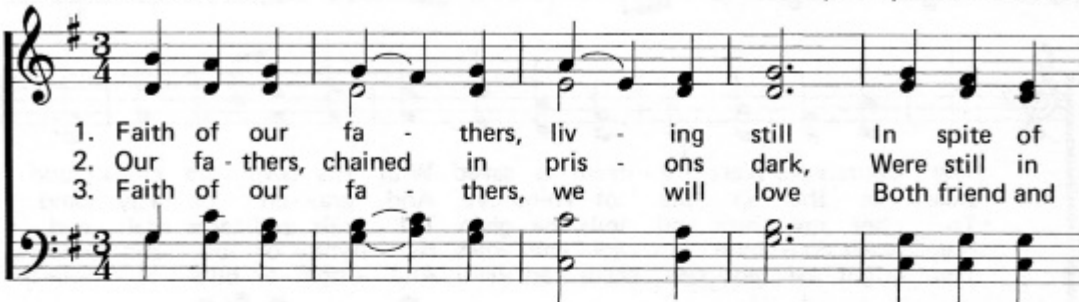
**And in Jesus Christ, his only begotten Son, our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty.
From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

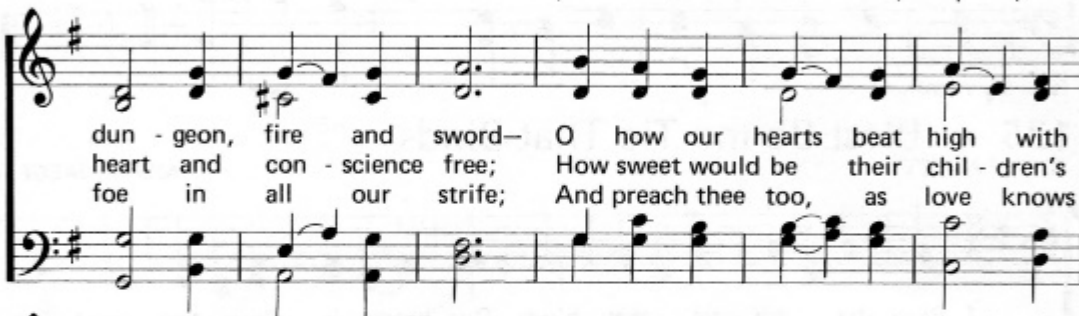
Faith of Our Fathers — 133

FREDERICK W. FABER

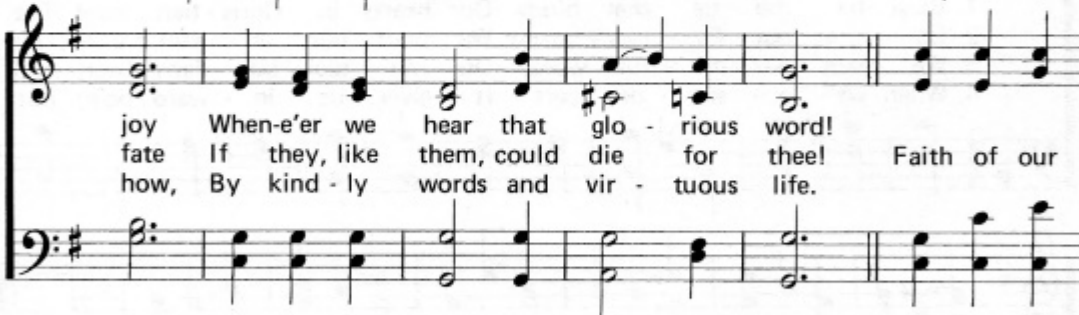
HENRI F. HEMY
Adapted by James G. Walton



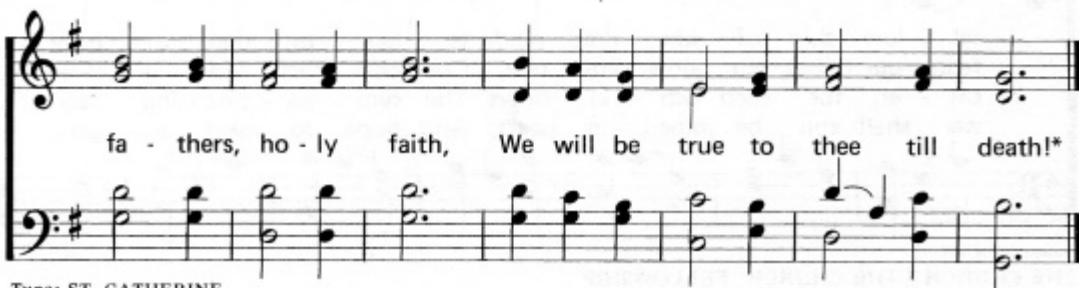
1. Faith of our fa - thers, liv - ing still In spite of
2. Our fa - thers, chained in pris - ons dark, Were still in
3. Faith of our fa - thers, we will love Both friend and



dun - geon, fire and sword— O how our hearts beat high with
heart and con - science free; How sweet would be their chil - dren's
foe in all our strife; And preach thee too, as love knows



joy When-e'er we hear that glo - rious word!
fate If they, like them, could die for thee! Faith of our
how, By kind - ly words and vir - tuous life.



fa - thers, ho - ly faith, We will be true to thee till death!*

Tune: ST. CATHERINE

THE CHURCH

Psalm 8: 1-9 (vv. 1-3, 4-5, 6, 7-9)

Romans 5: 1-5

O LORD, our Sovereign,
how majestic is your name in all the earth!
You have set your glory above the heavens.

² Out of the mouths of babes and infants
you have founded a bulwark because of your
foes, to silence the enemy and the avenger.

³ When I look at your heavens, the work of
your fingers, the moon and the stars that you
have established;

⁴ what are human beings that you are mindful
of them, mortals that you care for them?⁵ Yet
you have made them a little lower than God,
and crowned them with glory and honor.

⁶ You have given them dominion over the
works of your hands; you have put all things
under their feet,

⁷ all sheep and oxen, and also the beasts of the
field,

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

⁹ O LORD, our Sovereign,
how majestic is your name in all the earth!

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, ² through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. ³ And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, ⁴ and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, ⁵ and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

