

# June 7, 2020

# TRINITY SUNDAY

Prelude: "A mighty fortress is our God", by Johann Walther

*Organist: Bruce Nasmith*

Worship Theme & Welcome

## Call to worship:

“When it was noon, darkness came over the whole land until three in the afternoon. At three o’clock Jesus cried out with a loud voice, ‘Eloi, Eloi, lema sabachthani?’ which means, ‘My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?’” (Mark 15: 33-34)

We who gather for worship can sometimes feel alone in our pain, hurt, frustration and despair, O God.

**We who gather for worship can often feel helpless and hopeless in the face of a pandemic we cannot control around us and racial injustice that is so deeply ingrained collectively and generationally.**

We are scared, O God and we are bewildered as to how to respond and how to live in response.

**We easily fall into judging and blaming as this pushes away or own inner questioning.**

We need to find our ground again in worshipping you as God the creator, above us and as a loving parent.

**We need to find our connection again to the human Jesus and how he embodies you in the flesh, O God.**

We need to find our inner life in communion with your Holy Spirit who is life energy, healing energy, conviction energy and resurrection energy.

**We need to find our peace in connection with all of who you are and with all of who we are, O God.**

Find us in this time of worship. Fill us with your life and commission us as your servants in the world.

**ALL: Let us worship God – Creator, Redeemer and resurrecting Spirit; together!**

**Hymn #291: "Thou whose almighty word"**

*Soloists: Anna Bateman & Shaun Alphonso, Organist: Bruce Nasmith*

Prayer of Approach, Confession & The Lord's Prayer

The Peace of Christ be with you all;

**And also with you.**

Special Music: "Holy, holy, holy", by Franz Schubert

*Soloist: Chris Tanaka-Mann*

Scripture: Philippians 2. 5-11, Mark 15. 25-39

Sermon: IT ALL STARTS WITH JESUS

Special Music: "Our God reigns", by M. Hudson/M. Smith

*Soloist: Erin Stone, Pianist: Bruce Nasmith*

Prayers of Thanksgiving & Pastoral Concern

**Hymn #205: "O love, how deep, how broad, how high"**

*Soloist: Elias Theochardis, Organist: Bruce Nasmith*

Benediction

Threefold Amen

**Postlude: "Fugue in C minor", by Bruce Nasmith**

*Organist: Bruce Nasmith*



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