COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Trinity Sunday Father's Day / Juneteenth Observation Rev. Kathleen Luke June 15, 2025 10:30 a.m.

Order of Worship For Honor and Praise of the Triune God

GATHER AND UNITE TO WORSHIP GOD

Welcome

Passing the Peace

Prelude Trinity Procession Lehenbaur Mason Alldredge, organ

Call to Worship Liturgist

One: In the beginning, when God drew a circle on the face of the deep,

Wisdom was there rejoicing, delighting in the human race.

In the beginning was the Word, with God, and the Word was

God.

And the Word became flesh and lived among us, full of grace and truth.

One: In every time and place, God's love is poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

Blessed are you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit!

* **Hymn 1** *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!* Nicaea

* Call to Confession

Liturgist

By faith in Jesus Christ, we are given access to the grace of God. Standing in that grace, we now confess our sins before God, seeking

forgiveness and peace.

* Prayer of Confession

Liturgist

Triune God, within your own life there is mutuality, equality, and unity in diversity. Though we are made in your image, we confess that we distort the triune life. Instead of seeking mutual welfare and the common good, we seek our own gain. Instead of living in equality, justice, and respect, we construct systems that are unjust. We devise ways to elevate ourselves over others, and

disrespectful thoughts, words, and actions still surface in us. We allow differences to divide us and lead to brokenness. Holy God, forgive us. Restore in us, and in our life together, the divine image you intend. Make us tender in mutuality. Make us generous in equality. Make us grateful in diversity. We pray to be one with you and one another, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

* Assurance of Pardon

Liturgist

Friends, we are still standing in the grace of Christ. Because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, we are set free to love God and neighbor, and to work for the reconciliation of the world. We have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ! Thanks be to God!

* Gloria - 582

Glory to God,

Vasile

Whose Goodness Shines on Me

THE WORD PROCLAIMED

Children's Moment Rev. Kathleen Luke

Hymn 370 This Is My Father's World

Prayer for Illumination

Liturgist

Terra Beata

Living Word, you still have many things to say to us. Speak, and we will try to hear them. By your Word, may the Spirit guide us into all truth, that our lives may glorify you. Amen.

Hymn 288

Spirit of the Living God (Verse 1)

Irregular

SCRIPTURE

Old Testament Lesson Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31; pg. 590 **Psalter Lesson** Psalm 8; pg. 492 **New Testament Lesson** Romans 5:1-5; pg. 155 **Gospel Lesson** John 16:12-15; pg. 110

"All For One Rev. Kathleen Luke Sermon And One For All"

* Hymn 9 The Play of the Godhead Perichoresis

A Litany for Father's Day

Please follow along on the insert in your bulletin.

Affirmation of Faith

Nicene Creed; Hymnal pg. 34

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer Rev. Kathleen Luke 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.

BRINGING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

The Invitation to the Offering Rev. Kathleen Luke

Offertory *In My Father's Hands*

Covenant Singers

Mason Alldredge, piano

Mock/Lopez

Rev. Kathleen Luke

* Doxology – Hymn 606

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow Old Hundredth

* Dedication of the Offering Rev. Kathleen Luke

GOING OUT IN MISSION

* Hymn 8 Eternal Father, Strong to Save Melita (Verses 1, 2, and 3)

* Charge and Benediction

* Hymn 8 Eternal Father, Strong to Save Melita

(Verse 4)

Postlude This Is My Father's World Terra Beata Mason Alldredge, organ Arr. Alldredge



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Welcome, Guests and Visitors!

Greetings in the name of our Lord, Jesus Christ! We hope and pray that you will grow in relationship with the living God as we worship together. Members and guests are asked to sign the Ministry of Friendship book as it is passed from the front pew to the back.

New members come into our fellowship by Profession of Faith, Letter of Transfer, or Reaffirmation of Faith. Please call the church office (405)751-2546 or speak to a serving elder, denoted by a gold flag on their name tag, for more information.

About Our Worship

In worship, God is the audience. We are participants who have gathered to give thanks and praise. In reverence to God and out of respect for other worshippers, please silence your cell phones.

Children are welcome in worship each Sunday. Activity tote bags for children are available at the welcome table each week. The nursery is open for parents with little ones as well.

The congregation is invited to stand, in body or spirit, when an asterisk (*) is notated in the bulletin. Where there is **bolded** text, the congregation is invited to speak aloud in unison.



We are looking for people who have stories, memorabilia, or photos to share from Covenant over the years. To celebrate the life of our church, we need people to help with preparation for events over the course of the year as well!

Interested in volunteering or sharing your memories of our church home? Contact the church office!

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Staff and Participants in Worship:

Rev. Kathleen Luke	Minister
Emily Sawyer	Administrative Assistant
Morgan Magelssen	
Alice Showalter	Childcare Provider
Mason Alldredge	Organist/Pianist
Meagan McCrary	Orchestra Assistant
John Magelssen	Streaming Attendant
CPC Orchestra	Music
Covenant Singers	Music
John Magelssen	Liturgist
Zayla Merriott	Acolyte

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Monday through Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

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

Psalm 8:9