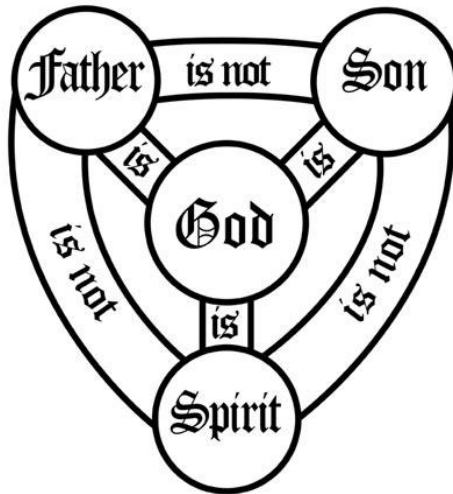




# Trinity Presbyterian Church PCA

Gathering in the Name of the Triune God

Trinity Sunday  
June 7, 2020



The Christian doctrine of the Trinity holds that God is one God, but three coeternal consubstantial persons—the Father, the Son (Jesus Christ), and the Holy Spirit. The three Persons are distinct, yet are one God, the same in substance; co-equal in essence, nature, power, action, will, and glory. As stated in the Athanasian Creed, the Father is uncreated, the Son is uncreated, and the Holy Spirit is uncreated, and all three are eternal without beginning. "The Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit" are not names for different parts of God, but one name for God because three persons exist in God as one entity. They cannot be separate from one another. Each person is understood as having the identical essence or nature, not merely similar natures.

LORD's Day Service – Trinity Sunday  
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Preparation for Worship: Ephesians 4:1-7

### Entrance – God Calls Us; we gather together and praise Him

\* Call to Worship

1 Peter 1:1-8

Minister: Grace to you and peace, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**Congregation: Amen!**

Minister: The Lord be with you.

**Congregation: And also with you.**

Minister: Our help is in the Name of the Lord!

**Congregation: Who made heaven and earth!**

\* Hymn

Trinity Hymnal, #87  
*Holy, Holy, Holy*

### Purification - God Cleanses Us; we confess our sins to Him and are forgiven in Christ

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us.

**But if we confess our sins, God, Who is faithful and just, will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

Let us kneel before the Lord our God. *(Those unable to kneel may be seated.)*

**God of love, it is Your will that we love You with all our heart, soul, mind and strength, and our neighbor as ourselves; but we confess that our affections turn away from You: from purity to lust, from freedom to slavery, from compassion to indifference, from fullness to emptiness. Have mercy on us. Order our lives by Your sacred Word. Holy Spirit, make Your commandments the joy of our hearts. Conform us to the image of the beloved Son, Jesus, that we may shine before the world to Your glory. Amen!**

*(Silent, personal confession of sin)*

Assurance of Pardon

1 John 2:1; 5:7-8, 12

Minister: Beloved, your sins are forgiven through Christ.

**Congregation: Thanks be to God! Our sins are forgiven in Jesus' name. Amen!**

Minister: Lift up your hearts!

**Congregation: We lift them up to the Lord!**

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**Congregation: It is proper and right to do so!**

Truly it is our greatest joy to give thanks to You at all times and in every situation, O Lord, holy Father, Almighty and everlasting God; Only You can cleanse us and fill us with joy. Therefore, with all saints on earth and the heavenly host, we praise Your holy name and join their glorious song, singing:

\**The Sanctus* (inside hymnal and psalter cover)

\* *Hymn* Psalter, #9B  
*Sing Praise to the LORD*

Let us pray: **Almighty and everlasting God, You have given to us Your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of Your divine Majesty to worship the Unity: Keep us steadfast in this faith and worship, and bring us at last to see You in Your one and eternal glory, O Father; Who with the Son and the Holy Spirit live and reign, one God, for ever and ever. Amen!**

**God Consecrates by His Word; we listen & offer ourselves to Him**

*Old Testament Lesson* Daniel 4:19-27

The Word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God!**

*New Testament Lesson* James 1:23-27, 2:8-13

The Word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God!**

\* *Gospel Lesson* Matthew 5:17-20; 21:23-27; 23:27-28

The Word of the Lord.  
**Praise to you, O Christ!**

*Sermon* "The Interpretation of Nebuchadnezzar's  
Dream and Daniel's Advice"

\* *Hymn* Psalter, #143C  
*LORD, Hearken to My Prayer*

\* *Dedication of Tithes & Offerings*

*Prayers of the Church* Requests & Lord's Prayer

\* *Hymn* Trinity Hymnal, #110  
*My Soul, Bless the LORD!*

**Peace - God Communes with Us; we eat at His table**

*Sacrament of the Lord's Supper*

*We Confess Our Faith in the Triune, Incarnate God* Creed (inside hymnal cover)

**Benediction - God Commissions & Blesses Us; we march out to serve Him**

\* *The Lord's Commission of Us* Matthew 28:18-20

\* *We Receive God's Blessing, His Good Word to Us* 2 Corinthians 13:14

\* *We Bless the Lord, Lifting Our Hands and Voices to Him* Doxology

\* *Threefold Amen*

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**LORD'S SUPPER**

We observe Communion, or the Lord's Supper, weekly in our midst.

We believe it is worthily received by those who:

1. Have been baptized in the name of the Triune God (Matt 28:18-20);
2. Do profess faith in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God, and Savior of sinners, and do rest upon Him alone for salvation as He is offered in the Gospel (Ro 10:9-10);
3. Do live in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit and endeavor to live as becomes the followers of Jesus Christ (Gal 5:16-26); and
4. Are communing members in good standing in an evangelical church (1 Cor 10:1-6)

If these things are all true, we rejoice with you and invite you to commune with us at the Lord's Supper. If any of these are not true of you, we ask that you refrain. We invite you to speak to one of the Elders if you have doubts or questions regarding any of these beliefs, or if you are interested in learning more about Trinity.

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*Though collections are not ordinarily taken during a service, giving is a vital element of worship. Tithes and offerings may be placed in the basket at the rear of the church. (2 Corinthians 9:6-11)*

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