

FIRST



PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

LEBANON



June 16, 2019

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

June 16, 2019

Trinity Sunday

11:00 A.M.

THE GATHERING

To Glorify God and Enjoy God Forever

SILENT MEDITATION

PRELUDE

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Paul Hindemith

CHIMING THE HOUR

CHORAL INTROIT

*CALL TO WORSHIP

from Psalm 8

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

People: You have set your glory above the heavens.

Leader: What are human beings that you are mindful of them?

People: Yet you have made them a little lower than God.

Leader: You have given them dominion over the works of your hands; you have put all things under their feet—

People: All sheep and oxen, and also the beasts of the field, the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea.

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

*HYMN NO. 138 *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!*

NICAEA

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO RECONCILIATION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

God of Peace, we are grateful for the numerous ways you make yourself known to us. We confess that our lives of faith are weak.

We disobey the Father.

We deny the Son.

We find it easy to ignore the Spirit.

Instead of acknowledging your glory we choose to boast of our own power and importance. Please continue to pour out your love into our yearning hearts and restore us with your hope. Amen.

SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: How much does God love us?

People: Enough to send the divine heart, hope, and spirit to us, not to condemn us, but to save us.

Leader: Only by God's good and precious grace are we saved.

People: Thanks be to God! Amen.

* Those who are able are invited to stand.

***GLORIA PATRI**

Hymn No. 579

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
World without end. Amen, Amen.*

***THE PEACE**

The Peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

THE WORD OF GOD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (unison)

O God, the Three in One,
by the same Spirit that binds us together
speak to us that what we read and ponder
may enliven us and stretch us to trust and follow you. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING

Romans 5:1-5

Therefore, since we are justified by faith,
we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ,
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.
And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings,
knowing that suffering produces endurance,
and endurance produces character,
and character produces hope,
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.

ANTHEM

Prayer to the Trinity

Michael Bedford

*Come, come, O God of heaven, Live within our hearts today;
Come, come, O God of heaven, Hear, O hear us as we pray.*

*Come, come, O gracious Savior, Stay within our hearts today;
Come, come, O gracious Savior, Hear, O hear us as we pray.*

*O, be near us, love and cheer us With your blessing from above;
Ever guide us, walk beside us, As we seek to share your love.*

*Come, come, O Holy Spirit, Shine within our hearts today;
Come, come, O Holy Spirit, Hear, O hear us as we pray.*

*Come, come, O God of heaven, Live within our hearts today;
Come, come, O God of heaven, Hear, O hear us as we pray. Amen.*

TIME FOR THE CHILDREN

SERMON

True Grit

Rev. Sherard Edington

RESPONSE OF THE PEOPLE

*HYMN NO. 139 *Come, Thou Almighty King*

ITALIAN HYMN

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,
And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by
the Holy Ghost, 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 Ghost; the holy catholic church;
the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;
the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

OFFERTORY

Holy, Holy, Holy

Beatrice Miller

*DOXOLOGY

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

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SENDING FORTH

*HYMN NO. 293 *This Is My Father's World*

TERRA BEATA

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE

*Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity.*

*POSTLUDE

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Paul Hindemith

WORSHIP NOTES – On the church's liturgical calendar, today is Trinity Sunday (which always falls on the first Sunday after Pentecost). It is a day the church has set aside to honor the Holy Trinity—Father, Son, and Spirit. Next Sunday we will resume the observance of Ordinary Time and continue in that season until Advent.

WELCOME

We extend a warm welcome to all who worship with us this morning. If you are seeking a church home, we invite you to become a member of First Presbyterian Church. For more information, please speak to the pastor at the close of the service.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



ROAR!
Vacation Bible School
Life is wild - God is good
June 24 - 26
5:30 - 8:00 p.m.

ROAR! Where kids explore God's goodness and celebrate a ferocious faith that powers them through this wild life.

Registration is available on line at vbspro.events/p/fpclebanonvbs2019 or use the insert in today's bulletin.

VBS DECORATING - Volunteers are invited to help decorate for VBS on Wednesday and Thursday at 10:00 a.m. as we transform the Fellowship Hall and the Sanctuary into the background for an African adventure.

THANK YOU to Lois Ann Wauford for her generous gift to the church of a crystal punch bowl, matching tray, and punch cups.

FPC PRESCHOOL is currently accepting enrollments for the fall. Classes are available for 3 and 4 year olds.

MONROE HARDING OFFERING: Monroe Harding is a healing community for the most vulnerable youth as they move from the foster care system and bridge to personal independence and success. A special offering in support of Monroe Harding will be received today. Make checks to FPC (memo: Monroe Harding.)

THIS WEEK AT FPC

Today

8:45 a.m. Worship
9:45 a.m. Church School
11:00 a.m. Worship

Monday

Tuesday

9:30 a.m. VanGoes Trip

Wednesday

10:00 a.m. VBS Decorating
5:15 p.m. VBS Planning
6:00 p.m. Brown Bag
6:30 p.m. Choir Practice

Thursday

10:00 a.m. VBS Decorating
6:30 p.m. Praise Team

Friday

Saturday

ELDERS

Class of 2019
Jeff Campbell
David Foutch
Carol Turner
Scott Williams

Class of 2020
Pat Bone
Dee Lineberger
Robin Orewiler
Wayne Patton

Class of 2021
Suanne Bone
Don Goodwin
Adrienne Johnson
David Howell

DIACONATE

Class of 2019
Jonathan Bouton
Mary Margaret Farris
Sandra Weatherford
Blair Welser

Class of 2020
Sondra Bishop
Linda Gatlin

Class of 2021
Becky Harm
Lee Lyle
Sandra Patton
Emily Peyton

CHURCH COMMITTEES

Clerk of Session – Barbara Howell
Treasurer – John Foutch
Budget & Finance – Dee Lineberger
Buildings and Grounds – David Foutch
Christian Education – Wayne Patton
Congregational Care – Adrienne Johnson
Outreach – Robin Orewiler
Personnel – Jeff Campbell
Worship – Carol Turner

STAFF

Ministers – All Members of the Congregation
Pastor – Sherard Edington
Director of Music – Branson Clark
Organist – J. D. Plant
Office Administrator – Kristy Vincent
Preschool Director – Angela Hankins
Nursery – Sara Brown
Custodians – Stratus Cleaning Service

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

Children
Nursery
Preschool – 1st Grade
Elementary Class
Middle School Class
High School Class

Adult
Atypical Class
Cross Roads Class
Faith Builders Class
Westminster Class
Women's Class

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