Trinity United Church of Christ Trinity Sunday June 7. 2020 -- 10:00 a.m.



WHAT IS JESUS SAYING TO YOU??

Instructions for Zoom.com Worship:

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- 3. you will be asked to join the meeting and then
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Topic: Trinity UCC Worship

Time: Jun 7, 2020 10:00 AM Eastern Time (US and Canada)
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ToDay: If you're doing your worship in a quiet personal setting with this bulletin, then let's worship on Trinity Sunday:

WE GATHER

During this worship, we encourage you to know and to remember that you have created a **Quiet Meditative Space**, that this is a **Safe and Loving Place**,

a "Sanctuary" for worship, praise and reflection; and to remember that 'No Matter Who You Are or Where You Are on Life's Journey, You are Welcome Here! Welcome to This "at home" personal worship bulletin. Maybe, you'd like to light a candle as you worship with this bulletin...especially if you have gathered your family with you.

(If you have prayer requests which you would like mentioned in the bulletin/newsletter, please send a note to Pastortucc@comcast.net)

NOTE: WE CONTINUE TO KEEP THE TRINITY UCC FACILITIES CLOSED FOR WORSHIP AND SMALL COMMITTEE/GROUP ACTIVITIES. Diane continues to work in the office three days a week on a varied schedule.

Pastor Gerry has some office hours.

Call to Worship

One: At God's table of justice, everyone has a place and none are turned away.

Two: Here strangers are welcomed as friends, the poor sit alongside the rich, and the upside-down kin-dom of God is revealed.

Three: At God's table of abundance, a banquet of righteousness and liberation and love is set for all.

Four: Here the powerless are heard; the outcast are showered with honor, and the inside-out kin-dom of God is revealed.

Five: At God's table of life, all peoples, even those who are oppressed and abused and excluded, are welcomed by God.

Six: Here the hopeless are nourished with possibility, the complacent are transformed into advocates for change. Here in our very midst the kin-dom of God is revealed.

Gathering Prayer

Hymn "I Sing the Mighty Power of God"

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eeSoE1Kmmv0

Our Prayer of Renewal

Pastor: O God, we long to co-create with you the Beloved Community which looks to the common good; privileges all equally, and creates societal systems which celebrate the humanity and the gifts of all. And yet we focus on our differences, envy each other's gifts, devalue manifestations of you, O God, that are not like our own.

ALL: Perhaps our sin is a slow wait for justice:

Pastor: We allow the voices of brothers and sisters who do not look like us, love like us, or worship like us to be silenced. We have told them to wait for freedom, justice and equality. We foster in them a denigrating sense of nobodiness.

ALL: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: Or perhaps we have kept silence ourselves in the face of their struggle for full human life. For it is not solely hateful words and actions, but also appalling silence that follows the path of oppression.

ALL: Christ, have mercy.

Pastor: Perhaps our sin is to give in to weariness, discouragement, bitterness: You have called us to be drum majors for justice, peace and righteousness, yet the work of peace and justice overwhelms us at times, to build with God the Beloved Community seems impossible, and we grow weary. We cry, "Peace, peace," but there is no peace within us or around us. We find ourselves on the path of hatred and oppression, violence and war.

ALL: Lord, have mercy.

Words of Assurance

WE ENGAGE WITH THE CHILDREN

You know the names of our children (Adriana, Alex, Elijah, Gavin, Lane, Laci, Lexi, Lily, Livi, Mason, O'Neil & Nathan, Fynn & Benjamin (in Germany) and Nick and Elizabeth Garmer) who would normally gather with Pastor Gerry for a time of conversation. Stop and think of each one of them and smile and find delight in them.

WE PROCLAIM

Scripture Reading: Mathew 28:16-20

Sermon: Jesus says, "I Still Have Something I Want You to Be and Do"

Pastor Hanberry

Special Music: "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fUPX36vtozA

The formation of these words into a hymn is attributed to the Indian missionary Sadhu Sundar Singh. The melody is also Indian, and entitled "Assam" after the region where the text originated. An American hymn editor, William Jensen Reynolds, composed an arrangement which **was** included in the 1959 Assembly Songbook.

Joys and Concerns

Brief Order of the Sacrament of Holy Communion

AT HOME with your Family or Even Alone: You may take a piece of bread or a cracker and a cup of juice and have your own communion.

IN OUR ZOOM.COM WORSHIP:

As Communion is served please before worship gather pieces of bread and something to drink (whatever you have, juice, lemonade, etc.) and place it near you before our service begins.

Invitation to the Table

Communion Prayer and Prayer of Our Savior

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.

Blessing the Consecrated Bread and Pouring the Cup

Receiving the Bread and the Cup

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Invitation to Offering

Offertory: Please remember to send in your offering by mail, or give to our on-line giving button on the website (https://www.trinityuccmanchester.org).

Doxology

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

Prayer of Dedication – Say your own prayer of gratitude, maybe begin with: "Thank you, God..."

WE GO FORTH

Closing Hymn: "We Shall Overcome" a hymn in the Black Hymnal, # 570 sung by the Morehouse College Choir

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Aor6-DkzBJ0

Carrying the Light into the World – Put out your candle or maybe take it carefully outside and let it burn for the world.

Benediction: Please say with us all these words,

"May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the renewing, re-birthing power of the Holy Spirit be with you and all those you love and those no one loves, save but God. Amen."

Worship Notes and Resources: Adapted by Pastor Hanberry from "Worship Ways" of the UCC.org worship resources and credit to the Rev. Leslie Penrose

Worship Leadership

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MB Brainerd
Interim Pastor
Zoom Associate
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Deb Persinger Sandy Sanders

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

FOR AS LONG AS WE ARE NOT MEETING IN THE CHURCH FACILITIES, WE WILL GIVE YOU NEWS (normally posted in our monthly Newsletter) IN THIS EXTENDED SECTION OF THE BULLETIN...(for the time being we will not publish a regular monthly newsletter).

Budget Information:

Amount needed from all sources each week to meet our

budget: \$2,436.00.

Giving for last week: General: \$1,355.00

Building Fund: \$220.00 Attendance: 24 by Zoom

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Concern

Prayers are needed for our country at this difficult time and all those in need.

Submission Dates for Bulletins/Newsletter

Sunday Worship bulletin and Weekly Newsletter – Wednesday

Worship Trinity UCC for the Next TWO Weeks:

NEW SUMMER TIME: 10:00 A.M.

June 14, 2020 - 2nd Sunday after Pentecost 10:00 a.m.

Genesis 18:1-15 & Romans 5:1-8

Sermon: "Sarah's Laughter; Our Delight, Our Challenge"

Pastor Hanberry

BRING SOMETHING SPECIAL YOU HAVE IN YOUR HOME THAT YOU WOULD SHARE

June 21. 2020 -- Third Sunday after Pentecost 10:00 a.m.

Amos 7:7-17; & Luke 10:25-37

Sermon: Who is Your Neighbor? Pastor Hanberry

Meeting Dates Zoom

Interim Planning Team – Monday, June 15 @ 7 pm Consistory – Wednesday, July 1 @ 7 pm

Bible Study on Wednesdays:

A Bible Study for Inquiring Minds June 10 -- 6:45 - 8:00 p.m. Led by The Rev. Gerry C. Hanberry

Interim Pastor

Join Zoom Meeting

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CREATION

250 I Sing the Almighty Power of God



Isaac Watts, 1715 Mod

FOREST GREEN C.M.D. Traditional English melody Arr. Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1906