

An Order of Worship

Trinity Sunday

May 22, 2016—10:00 a.m.

Gathering

Words of Welcome

Centering Ourselves for Worship

Prelude "Holy, Holy, Holy " Schubert

*Call to Worship

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.**

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, Creator, Christ, and Holy Spirit!

*Hymn 138 "Holy, Holy, Holy!"

Litany of Confession

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.

Song 2195 "In the Lord I'll Be Ever Thankful"

In the Lord I'll be ever thankful, in the Lord I will rejoice!

Look to God, do not be afraid. Lift up your voices,
the Lord is near, lift up your voices, the Lord is near.

(sing twice)

Being the Church Together

*Song 2220 "We Are God's People"

Sing the Faith Songbook

The Word

Psalm for the Day Psalm 62 (NRSV)

Solo "How Calm My Spirit" Mozart

How calm is my spirit now . . . sweet peace enfolds me.

All sadness and sorrow from me . . . must depart.

O come then, beloved, with gladness unending,
in sweetest surrender I give then my heart.

Growing Young Disciples

- Children are dismissed to Sunday School -

Being the Church Together

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

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.

*Hymn 307

"Fight the Good Fight"

Being the Church Together

Presentation of Scholarship Awards

Receiving the Morning Offering

Piano Solo

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Holy God, you have poured out so much for us—
**the beauty of the world, the care of family and
friends, meaningful labor, and the gift of the
church.**

We give you thanks for these and many other gifts.

**Most especially, we thank you for pouring your
love into our hearts through the Holy Spirit.**

Through these offerings, may your love spill over in
glad abundance that brings relief, renewal, and hope
to those in need. In Christ's name we pray.

Amen.

Being the Church Together

Sending

*Hymn 538 "Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing"

*Benediction

*Postlude "Sing to the Lord" Smith

* Those who are able, please stand

The congregation responds with the bold print in the liturgy

Following worship you are invited to the Lower Level
for our congregational meeting.

What's Happening This Week ...

This Morning *Scholarship Celebration*

- 10:00 am Worship Celebration
- 10:15 am Children's Sunday School
- 11:00 am Congregational Meeting
Coffee and Snacks in the lower level
- 2:00 pm School of Rock

Tuesday, May 24

- 9:00 am Staff and Prayer Time
- 2:00 pm Abbie Meal Provided

Thursday, May 26

- 10:30 am Warm Up Kalispell
- 11:30 am Naomi Circle/Katherine's Home
- 3:30 pm Core of Discovery

Friday, May 27

- 5:00 pm Serious JuJu

Sunday, May 29

- 10:00 am Worship Celebration
- 10:15 am Children's Sunday School
- 11:00 am Coffee & Fellowship in the Parlor

VBS DAY CAMP

Registration is now open! Sign your kids/grandkids up, invite your neighbor kids. The mission of FPC is to provide free or greatly reduced costs to kids throughout our valley.

Day Camp is July 4-8 for children ages 6-10. The cost is \$150, scholarships are available. Our tailored registration form is available at: www.fpckalispell.org. Many other camps are available as well.



Historical Tidbit

From the May 24, 1914
Presbyterian Post Card

Subscription of wood to the church will be accepted by the trustees and credited the same as cash. Quite a few cords are needed in a year.

COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

Kianna Chandler graduated from Linderman this spring while simultaneously working to support herself and serve on the Serious JuJu Skate Team. Kianna writes, "Christ delivered me from a life of addiction and hunger for something more. I found that something more in God's grace. I would like to become an addiction counselor." Kianna's passion for Serious JuJu kept it alive after the doors shut. She has invigorated this church with her testimonies in worship and at JuJu. This fall, she will attend FVCC.

Anika Fritz is graduating from GHS with honors in theatre and choir and ranked #1 in Expository Speaking at the national level. This fall Anika will attend Whitworth University and pursue Theatre, English, Communication and Secondary Education. Anika remembers Middle School Youth Group and multiple Children's Dramas including starring alongside the kids this past Christmas.

Dylan Haring is graduating from FHS where he has also developed as a cellist. Dylan will attend Montana State University this fall. He enters as a freshman declaring a major in Bioengineering and Orchestra. At FPC, Dylan recalls serving meals at Samaritan house and attending summer mission trips.

Sam Nelson is graduating from GHS with accomplishments in Track & Field, Spanish and Academic Honors Society. Sam feels God's presence strongly when exploring creation and believes in devotion to improvement, making a positive difference in the world around him. Sam will attend Montana State University this fall. At FPC, Sam highlights "participating loudly in the Children's Time," serving at the Halloween Carnival and multiple mission trips.

Nathon Soehl is graduating from FHS and helped build a home in the community as part of a construction class. Nate takes part in Tuesday Morning Bible Study, Serious JuJu Skate Team, and FPC Youth Group. Nate's leadership at JuJu includes often delivering the Word, as many of us witnessed at the Presbytery Worship Service last February. Nate plans to attend FVCC and pursue teaching, building, or becoming a pastor who teaches and builds.

Daniel DeVall, Annie King, and Ana Serrano are repeat recipients of FPC scholarships and will continue studies respectively at Montana State Northern University (Welding), University of Montana (Elementary Education), and YWAM (DTS beginning this fall).



Welcome to Worship!

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and expand the Kingdom of God*

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CONGREGATIONAL MEETING TODAY

Join us in the lower level this morning following worship for the Congregational Meeting. Coffee and snacks will be available. The call for the congregational meeting includes the following items:

- Considering Bylaw changes to reduce the numbers of elders and deacons serving as church officers,
- Nominating and electing church officers,
- Receiving a report from the Corps of Discovery and taking action on any proposals pursuant to that report.

125 -Year Event: *Couples Sunday, June 12, 2016*

We soon will be celebrating all the marriages of the church and are requesting that you submit wedding pictures of family members who were married at First Presbyterian Church. The pictures will be displayed on the 12th. Great-grandparents, grandparents, children, grandchildren and your own wedding pictures. Member or not, if you would like to share your wedding picture, we'd like to have it. Bring pictures (in frames or not) to the church office anytime before June 12th. We are looking forward to this special celebration of marriages!



SERIOUS JUJU

Our warehouse ministry is leading the way in the PCUSA as a Groundbreaking 1001 New Worshipping Community. See article by our Moderator, Heath Rada, in the newest copy of *Presbyterians Today*.