



Trinity United Church

"Growing in Christ, Sharing in Love"

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~Our Approach to God~

PRELUDE

Arioso-Handel

Sue Coslick

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENT

INTROIT

Sinfonia from Cantata NO 156 Bach

Patty Finn Flute

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Our help is in the name of the Lord.

All: **Who made heaven and earth.**

INVOCATION (taken from PSALM 86)

One: Gladden the soul of your servant, for to you, O Lord, I lift up my soul.

All: **For you, O Lord, are good and forgiving, abounding in steadfast love to all who call on you.**

One: Give ear, O LORD, to my prayer; listen to my cry of supplication.

All: **In the day of our trouble we call on you, for you will answer.**

One: There is none like you among the gods, O Lord, nor are there any works like yours.

All: **All the nations you have made shall come and bow down before you, O Lord, and shall glorify your name.**

One: For you are great and do wondrous things;

All: **You alone are God. Alleluia, Amen**

***OPENING HYMN**

"For All that Dwell Below the Skies"

GTG #327

INVITATION TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF RECONCILIATION

One: Loving God, you have called us together to worship you— to remember that in your love we know and are known by you.

Many: **We gladly gather to sing and pray; admiring your power and might, proclaiming your love and faithfulness, thanking you for freeing us from the death-grip of sin and from our individual desires, addictions, and weakness.**

One: But as we praise you, we realize we have failed to follow you. We confess that our life this week has not been all that you desire.

Many: **We have not been your witnesses. We have not devoted ourselves to prayer or to fellowship with one another, let alone to justice, mercy, reconciliation, or sacrificial love for others in your world in the measure that you expect from us.**

One: And so, we ask your forgiveness, assured by your Word and by your Spirit that you have heard and answered our prayer even before it was formed or spoken.

Many: **In your mercy, loving God, empower us this morning and throughout this coming week to worship you by following you.**

One: Empower us to proclaim you by loving your world, and to rejoice, again and again, that our Savior is ascended and reigning!

Many: **Amen**

KYRIE

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

***GLORIA PATRI**

Glory Be to the Father

GTG #581

ANTHEM

Gavotte-Haydn

Patty Finn-Flute

~The Hearing and Proclaiming of God's Promises~

PRAYER FOR ENLIGHTENMENT

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Karen Kozlowski and K Hurd - Lay readers

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Genesis 21:8-21

GOSPEL READING

Matthew 10:24-39

SERMON:

Consider yourself dead

~Responding to God's Promises~

***MIDDLE HYMN**

I the Lord of Sea and Sky

GTG 69

***CONFESSION OF FAITH "The Apostles' Creed"**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.*

*(*catholic means universal)*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our response today is: Lord of Compassion, hear our prayers.

OFFERING OURSELVES AND OUR GIFTS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Love Lifted Me Up

Patty Finn-Flute

***DOXOLOGY**

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

PASSING OF THE PEACE

***SENDING HYMN**

May God Support You All Your Days

GTG#548

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

Sortie-Boellmann

Sue Coslick

*** Please stand if you are able.**