



*And He will raise you up  
on eagles' wings,  
Bear you on the breath of dawn;  
Make you to shine like the sun,  
And hold you in the palm  
of His hand.*

*Michael Crawford lyrics*

**Grove Presbyterian Church**

# **Worship Service**

**Trinity Sunday**

**May 30, 2021 10:15 AM**

*Worshippers present for in-person worship are invited to sing and read responsively. Masks are optional for outdoor worship. Please wear a mask whenever indoors. Please have cell phones off or in airplane mode.*

Gathering Music by James Koerts  
**"Praise in Exultation"**

Welcome

Announcements

Prelude Arranged by David Nevue  
**"In the Shadow of Your Wings"**

Choral Call to Worship

*Here in this place the new light is streaming;  
now is the darkness vanished away;  
see in this space our fears and our dreamings  
brought here to you in the light of this day.  
Gather us in, the lost and forsaken;  
gather us in, the blind and the lame;  
call to us now, and we shall awaken;  
we shall arise at the sound of our name.*

Call to Worship (Psalm 29)

**One:** Ascribe to the Lord, heavenly beings,

**All:** **Ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.**

One: Ascribe to the Lord the glory of God's name,

**All: Ascribe to the Lord holy splendor.**

One: May the Lord give strength to God's people!

**All: May the Lord bless God's people with peace!**

Gathering Hymn

*(Hymnal 1)*

**"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!"**

**Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!**

**Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.**

**Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!**

**God in three persons, blessed Trinity!**

**Holy, holy, holy! all the saints adore thee,**

**casting down their golden crowns**

**around the glassy sea;**

**cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,**

**who wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.**

**Holy, holy, holy! though the darkness hide thee,**

**though the eye of sinfulness thy glory may not see,**

**only thou art holy; there is none beside thee,**

**perfect in power, in love and purity.**

**Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!**

**All thy works shall praise thy name,**

**in earth and sky and sea.**

**Holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty!**

**God in three persons, blessed Trinity!**

Prayer of Confession (*faithward.org*)

**Triune God, You gather, protect, and care for us,  
your beloved, through Word and Spirit. This you**

have done from the beginning of the world and will do to the end. Have mercy upon us and forgive us for sinning against you. We have not loved one another as we should, we have not sown the seeds of gospel hope, we have not been present for worship. Restore us, Lord. May we give ourselves willingly and joyfully to be of benefit and blessing to one another, that we may truly share one faith, have one calling, and be of one soul and one mind for the sake of your son, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

*~Silent Confession~*

Assurance of Pardon (*Matthew 28*)

And Jesus has come to you and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

Passing of the Peace (*air waves, no touching*)

Children's Sermon

Prayer for Understanding

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 6:1-8

New Testament Reading

Romans 8:12-17

Sermon

**“The Holy Dance”**

Song

**“This I Believe (The Creed)”**

*I believe in God our Father, I believe in Christ the Son.*

*I believe in the Holy Spirit, Our God is three in One.*

*I believe in the resurrection, that we will rise again,*

*For I believe in the Name of Jesus.*

*Our judge and our defender suffered and crucified,*

*Forgiveness is in You.*

*Descended into darkness, You rose in glorious life,*

*Forever seated high.*

*I believe in You, I believe You rose again,*

*I believe that Jesus Christ is Lord.*

*I believe in life eternal, I believe in the virgin birth.*

*I believe in the saints' communion and in Your holy Church*

*I believe in the resurrection when Jesus comes again*

*For I believe in the Name of Jesus.*

Moment of Gratitude

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.**

Sending Hymn

**“Family of God”**

***Refrain:*** I'm so glad I'm a part of the fam'ly of God;  
I've been washed in the fountain,  
Cleansed by His blood.

Joint heirs with Jesus as we travel this sod,  
For I'm part of the fam'ly, the family of God.

You may notice we say brother  
And sister 'round here;  
It's because we're a family  
And these folks are so dear.

When one has a heartache, we all share the tears  
And rejoice in each victory  
In this family so dear. *Refrain*

From the door of an orphanage to the house of the King;  
No longer an outcast, a new song I sing.  
From rags unto riches,  
From the weak to the strong,  
I'm not worthy to be here,  
but praise God I belong! *Refrain*

Blessing

Choral Benediction

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.

Participants in today's service: Kessey Kieselhorst (worship leader), Kim Stamm, Christian LaMotte (deacons), Eloise Bennett, Laurie Clapper, Eric Deeter, Kimberly Green, Kessey Kieselhorst, Sara Triffo (music), Laurie Clapper (children's sermon), Scott Lawvere (audio/video), Joy Christian (organist), Rev. Jason Clapper



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