



Trinity Sunday June 4, 2023 Sacrament of Communion

PRELUDE *Lord, I Want to be a Christian* Arr. Colvin

POURING OUT OF WATERS/PASSING THE PEACE Pastor Craig

RINGING THE BOWL

INTROIT *Spirit of the Living God* 288

Spirit of the living God fall afresh on me. Spirit of the living God fall afresh on me. Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me. Spirit of the living God fall afresh on me.

CALL TO WORSHIP

The Great Commission

The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go. When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. Jesus said to them, "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 the Son and the Holy Spirit, teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And lo, I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

✠ **OPENING HYMN**

This Is the Day

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CALL TO PRAYER

I Corinthians 13: 11-13

When I was a child, I talked like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became a believer, I put childish ways behind me. Now we see in a mirror dimly, then we shall see face-to-face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I am fully known. And now, these three remain: faith, hope and love, but the greatest of these is love.

UNISON PSALM OF CONFESSION

O blessed Trinity, in whom we know the Maker of all things seen and unseen, the Savior of all both near and far, and by your Spirit we are enabled to worship you with all the company of heaven. God of grace, love and communion, we confess that we have failed to love you with all our heart, soul, mind and strength; or to love our neighbor as ourselves. We have ignored your commandments, strayed from your way, bowing down to other priorities. Have mercy on us. Forgive our sins and raise us to new life that we may serve you faithfully and give honor to your name. (Silent prayer) Amen

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

John 13: 34-35

Jesus said, "A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, you must love one another. By this all will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another." Brothers and sisters, believe the Good News of the Gospel, in Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

✠ **GLORIA PATRI**

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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.

ANTHEM:

Devotion

J.N. Beck

I am thine, O Lord - I have heard thy voice,
And it told Thy love to me;
But I long to rise in the arms of faith
And be closer drawn to Thee.
Consecrate me now to Thy service, Lord,
By the power of grace divine;
Let my soul look up with a steadfast hope
And my will be lost in Thine.

Draw me nearer, nearer, blessed Lord,
To the cross where Thou hast died;
Draw me nearer to Thy precious, bleeding side.

Lord, I want to be a Christian in my heart;
Lord, I want to be a Christian in my heart.
Draw me nearer, blessed Lord,
Lord, I want to be like Jesus in my heart.

CHILDREN'S TIME

SCRIPTURE

Genesis 1:1—2:4

In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. Now the earth was formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was brooding over the face of the waters. And God said, "Let there be light," and there was light. God saw that the light was good, and separated the light from the darkness. God called the light "day," and the darkness "night." And there was evening, and there was morning—the first day.

And God said, "Let there be a vault between the waters to separate water from water." So God separated the water under the vault from the water above it. God called the vault "sky." And there was evening, and there was morning—the second day.

And God said, "Let the waters under the sky be gathered to let dry ground appear." God called the dry ground "land" and the gathered waters "seas." And God saw that it was good. Then God said, "Let the land produce vegetation: seed-bearing plants and trees, according to their various kinds." The land produced vegetation and trees bearing fruit with seed according to their kinds. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening, and there was morning—the third day.

And God said, "Let there be lights in the vault of the sky to separate the day from the night, to mark sacred times, days and years, and let them give light on the earth." God made two great lights—the greater light to govern the day and the lesser light to govern the night and also stars. God set them in the sky to give light on the earth, and to separate light from darkness. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening, and there was morning—the fourth day.

And God said, “Let the water teem with living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the sky.” So God created the great creatures of the sea and every living thing with which the water teems, according to their kinds, and every winged bird according to its kind. And God saw that it was good. God blessed them and said, “Be fruitful and increase in number and fill the water in the seas, and let the birds increase on the earth.” And there was evening, and there was morning—the fifth day.

And God said, “Let the land produce living creatures: livestock, creatures that move along the ground, and the wild animals, each according to its kind.” God made the wild animals, the livestock, and all the creatures that move along the ground, each according to their kinds. And God saw that it was good. Then God said, “Let us make humanity from the humus, in our image.” So God created mankind in God’s own image, male and female, God created them. God blessed them and said to them, “Be fruitful and increase in number; fill the earth and subdue it.” Then God said, “I give you every seed-bearing plant on the face of the earth and every tree that has fruit with seed in it. They will be yours for food. And to all the beasts of the earth and all the birds in the sky and all the creatures that move along the ground—everything that has the breath of life in it—I give every green plant for food.” God saw all that he had made, and it was very good. And there was evening, and there was morning—the sixth day.

Thus the heavens and the earth were completed in all their vast array. By the seventh day God had finished the work God had been doing; so on the seventh day God stopped from all God’s work. God blessed the seventh day and made it holy, because on it God stopped from all the work of creating that had been done.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

P: Thanks be to God.

CHORAL AMEN

SERMON "THE UNFINISHED WORK"

✠ **HYMN** *God, You Spin the Whirling Planets* 23

CALL FOR OFFERING

OFFERTORY *I'll Walk with God* Brodzsky
Sue Stuempfig, Soloist

****Please print your name in the fellowship register: Friendship Pads in the pews are a great way to meet your neighbor.***

***** If you have a special prayer request, please fill out the blue card in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. Our Pastors and the Prayer Ministry Team will pray for your request. There is also a box in the Narthex you may place it in as well.***

✠ **DOXOLOGY** 606

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.

THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

The Invitation

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer (Sung)

**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.**

The Distribution of the Elements

(Please hold your elements until all may receive together)

⌞ HYMN

God of the Sparrow

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⌞ CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

⌞ CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE *Let There Be Peace on Earth*

Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me.

Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be.

With God as our Creator, children all are we.

Let us walk with each other in perfect harmony.

Let peace begin with me, let this be the moment now.
With ev'ry step I take, let this be my solemn vow;
To take each moment and live each moment in peace eternally.
Let there be peace on earth, and let it begin with me.

✦ **POSTLUDE** *Plein Jeu a la Couperin* Young

✦ **All those who are able, please stand**

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FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY PROVIDED BY: Bob and Mary Lillie, in honor of their Great-Grandchildren Dallas and Gracie Mae.

PLEASE REMEMBER THOSE RECENTLY HOSPITALIZED OR IN REHABILITATION:
Judy Clark, Doug Clark

TODAY IS FOOD BANK SUNDAY— Please drop off your non-perishable items in Fellowship Hall.

THIS WEEK:

PARKINSON'S CHAIR EXERCISES—Meets 3 days a week, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday in the Charter Hall at 9:00 a.m.

MISSION QUILTERS will meet on Monday at 9:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall.

BIBLE REFLECTIONS—Join Pastor Craig Monday June 5, at 1:00 p.m. in Classroom 5 and on Zoom. We begin Luke 2: 41. Previous weeks are available on our website: valleypres.net.

CARDIO DRUMMING—Tuesday at 9:00 a.m. in Fellowship Hall.

PRAYER MINISTRY — Tuesday, June 6, at 9:30 a.m. in the Sweet Family Room.

MEN’S BIBLE STUDY—9:00 a.m. Wednesday in Classroom 1. They are studying Ephesians. All are welcome.

CHAIR EXERCISE CLASS—Wednesday, June 7, at 10:00 a.m. in Charter Hall.

SUMMER MOVIE MINISTRY— *God’s Outlaw: The Story of William Tyndale*. Wednesday at 1:00 p.m., in the Spiritual Life Center.

LINE DANCING—Wednesday at 3:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall.

VPC Financial - Attendance / On-Line Viewing Metrics			
Monthly Giving Support Contributions		Weekly Attendance / Viewing	
April-2023		Through Week 22 (05/28/23)	
Monthly Giving Support	\$ 80,046	Weekly Attendance Sanctuary	210
Monthly Giving Budget	88,329	* YTD 2023 Attendance Sanctuary	7,150
*YTD Giving Support	296,182	** Weekly Viewing On-Line (2 services)	104
*YTD Giving Budget	380,588	** YTD 2023 Viewing On-Line	3,447
		* YTD 2023 Attendance / On-Line	10,597
		* YTD 2022 Attendance Sanctuary	5,700
<p style="text-align: center;">* YTD = Year to Date ** Number of on-line devices tuned into Sunday service</p> <p style="text-align: center;">S. Ginader - VPC treasurer - steveginader@gmail.com - 952-687-1879 2023 Per Capita is \$41.50 per member</p>			

WELCOME to all who enter this place. Drink deeply of the living waters of God's grace as we worship together in spirit.

VISITORS: Consider yourself at home while you are here! Please enjoy a cup of coffee, lemonade and a cookie while visiting the Visitor's Table in Fellowship Hall after the church worship service. You can pick up a Visitor's Information Packet at the Visitor's Table or the Welcome Centers. If you would like to receive more information about us, visit us at valleypres.net where you can sign up for our daily email blasts and monthly newsletter.

Children are invited to worship in the sanctuary then attend Sunday School after Children's Time.

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