



Third Presbyterian Church

Seeking the Light

I bind unto myself the Name,
The strong Name of the Trinity;
By invocation of the same.
The Three in One, and One in Three,
Of Whom all nature hath creation,
Eternal Father, Spirit, Word:
Praise to the Lord of my salvation,
Salvation is of Christ the Lord.

Christ be with me, Christ within me,
Christ behind me, Christ before me,
Christ beside me, Christ to win me,
Christ to comfort and restore me.
Christ beneath me, Christ above me,
Christ in quiet, Christ in danger,
Christ in hearts of all that love me,
Christ in mouth of friend and stranger.

Attributed to Patrick of Ireland

The Worship of God
Trinity Sunday

May 22, 2016

8:30am and 10:45am

Preparation for Worship

We come to worship from a busy and noisy world. As we prepare to offer ourselves in praise and adoration of God, it is important that we step back from our preoccupations and focus our thoughts on God. We ask that you please silence all electronic devices. As the music begins this morning, please take time to become more aware of the continuing presence of God.

* Stand as you are able

PRELUDE "Prelude in E-flat, BWV 552" J. S. Bach

INTROIT "Come, Let Us Gather" Michael R. Nichols
(10:45) Come, let us gather now to sing praise and thanksgiving to our King. **God's love shows in ev'rything.**

Junior Choir

* DOXOLOGY PLEASE STAND AS THE ORGAN INTRODUCTION BEGINS
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.

OLD HUNDREDTH

* CALL to WORSHIP

LEADER: In mystery and grandeur—

PEOPLE: we see the face of God.

LEADER: In earthiness and the ordinary—

PEOPLE: we know the love of Christ.

LEADER: In heights and depths and life and death—

PEOPLE: the Spirit of God is moving among us.
Let us praise God.

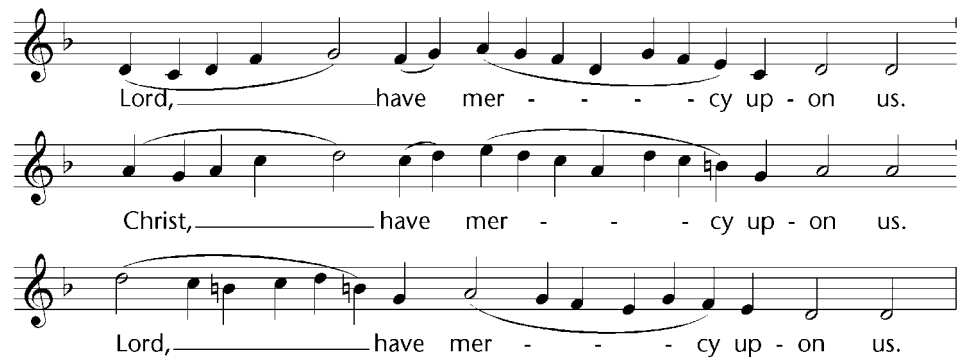
* HYMN 4 "Holy God, We Praise Your Name"

GROSSER GOTT, WIR LOBEN DICH

PRAYER
of CONFESSION
(UNISON)

God of grace, love, and communion,
we confess that we have failed to love you
with all our heart, soul, and mind;
and to love our neighbor as ourselves.
We ignore your commandments,
stray from your way, and follow other gods.
Have mercy on us.
Forgive our sin and raise us to new life
that we may serve you faithfully
and give honor to your holy name. Amen.

SILENT PRAYER
KYRIE



Three staves of musical notation in G major, 4/4 time. The first staff is for the vocal line with lyrics: "Lord, have mer - - - cy up - on us." The second staff is for the organ accompaniment with lyrics: "Christ, have mer - - - cy up - on us." The third staff is for the vocal line with lyrics: "Lord, have mer - - - cy up - on us." The organ accompaniment consists of a simple harmonic accompaniment.

Peter DuBois, 2004

ASSURANCE
of PARDON

LEADER: Friends, believe the good news.
PEOPLE: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

* RESPONSE:



Three staves of musical notation in G major, 3/4 time. The first staff is for the organ introduction with the label "organ intro" and a fermata. The second and third staves are for the vocal line with lyrics: "Glo-ry be to God: Cre - a - tor, Christ, and Ho - ly Ghost. As it was in the be - gin-ning, is now, and ev-er shall be: World with-out end. A - men! A - men!" The organ accompaniment consists of a simple harmonic accompaniment.

Peter DuBois, 2007

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE
(10:45)

(Children, age 3 through 6TH grade, may depart for church school and child care following the children's message. You may exit through the doors to the left of the pulpit to get to the Education Building. Grade three will be at the Children's Worship Table today.)

DISMISSAL
of CHILDREN
(10:45)

(sung twice: once in unison, once as a canon, beginning with the pulpit side)

Go with us, Lord, and guide the way Through
this and ev - ery com - ing day, That in Your Spir - it
strong and true Our lives may be our gift to You.

text: Mary Jackson Cathey, 1986
music: Thomas Tallis, adapt. Parker's *Whole Psalter*, c.1561

WORDS of
WELCOME

We ask that you sign the Friendship Pad and pass it to the person next to you in the pew. Please greet those worshipping with you at the close of the service.

EPISTLE LESSON
LEADER:
PEOPLE:

Romans 5:1-5 (Pew Bible, NT page 155)
The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

SOLO
(8:30)

"Give God, the Father, Praise" Heinrich Schütz
Chadwick Somers, baritone

ANTHEM
(10:45)

"How Glorious Your Name, O Lord" Robert Kreutz
O Lord, our God, how glorious is your name throughout all the earth. Your name, O Lord, is mighty and powerful! You are exalted in splendor and majesty above the heavens, O Lord. Out of the mouths of babes and sucklings comes praise. Out of the minds of men and nations comes wondrous praise. When I behold the sight of your heavens, the flawless work of your fingers, when I behold the

moon and the stars which you have set in place. What is man that you should be mindful of him? You, O Lord, will silence the hostile and quiet the vengeful, because of your foes you have fashioned their praise and silenced the hostile and made quiet the vengeful foes. O Lord, our God, how glorious is your name throughout all the earth!

- adapted from Psalm 8

GOSPEL LESSON John 16:12-15 (Pew Bible, NT page 110)
LEADER: The Word of the Lord.
PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

SERMON "Three in One" John Wilkinson

* HYMN 11 "Source and Sovereign, Rock and Cloud" ABERYSTWYTH
(10:45)

AFFIRMATION
of FAITH

From A Brief Statement of Faith,
Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve. In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit, we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks and to live holy and joyful lives. With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

PRAYERS of the PEOPLE
and
THE LORD'S PRAYER

(Prayer request cards area available in pew pockets and can be placed in the offering place.)

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.

PRESENTATION
of OFFERINGS

SOLO **"Shall We Gather at the River"** **arr. Dark Phoenix**
(8:30) Chadwick Somers, baritone

ANTHEM "Let There Be Light" Gilbert Martin
(10:45) Thou, whose almighty Word chaos and
darkness heard, and took their flight: Hear us,
we humbly pray, and where the gospel's day
sheds not it's glorious ray, let there be light!
Thou who didst come to bring, on thy
redeeming wing, healing and sight, Health to
the sick in mind, sight to the inly blind: O
now, to humankind, let there be light!
Spirit of truth and love, Lifegiving, holy dove,
speed forth thy flight; Move o'er the water's
face, bearing the lamp of grace; and in earth's
darkest place, let there be light!
Holy and blessed three, glorious Trinity, Grace,
Love, and Might! Boundless as ocean's tide
rolling in fullest pride, through the world far
and wide, let there be light!
- *J. Marriott*

* RESPONSE:

Faith - ful Lord of all things liv-ing, by whose boun-ty all are blest;
bread to hun gry bo-dies giv-ing, jus-tice to the long-op-pressed.
For the strength of our sal - va-tion, light and life and length of days,
praise the God of all cre-a-tion, set your souls to sing God's praise!

Text: from the hymn "Praise the God of Our Salvation" by Timothy Dudley-Smith
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Music: © 2004 Peter DuBois

- LEADER: The Lord be with you.
PEOPLE: And also with you.
LEADER: Lift up your hearts.
PEOPLE: We lift them to the Lord.
LEADER: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
PEOPLE: It is right to give our thanks and praise.
LEADER: Gracious Father,
giver of all good things:
For our home on earth
and for your unfailing mercy,
PEOPLE: we give you thanks.
LEADER: Christ, our Redeemer:
For your sacrifice on the cross
and rising from death that we might live,
PEOPLE: we give you thanks and praise.
LEADER: Holy Spirit, giver of life:
For your abiding presence in our lives
and for comforting and guiding us,
PEOPLE: we give you thanks, praise, and glory.
LEADER: O triune God:
To you be glory and praise
now and forever.
PEOPLE: Amen.

* CHARGE
and BENEDICTION

* CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE
(8:30) God be with you till we meet again;
Loving counsels guide, uphold you,
With a shepherd's care enfold you,
God be with you till we meet again.

* CHORAL RESPONSE
(10:45)

* GREETING

POSTLUDE "Komm Gott, Schöpfer, Heiliger Geist, BWV 667"
(Come, O Creator, Spirit Blest!) J.S. Bach

PARTICIPANTS IN THIS MORNING'S SERVICE:

PREACHER: John Wilkinson

LITURGISTS: Martha Langford, Ernest Krug, Tim Broshears
(10:45)

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC/ORGANIST: Peter DuBois

ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF MUSIC: Mary Ann Rutkowski

ASSISTANT ORGANIST: Caroline Robinson

GREETERS: Cynthia Capps, Dot Wallace, Miss Rickey
Snowden, Camille Clayton, Rob Keefe

USHERS:

(8:30) Griff and Betsy Vinton

(10:30) Ann McMican, Miriam Gale, Tom Gillett,
Justin Connolly, Sue Danielson, Janet Stewart,
Dianna Daunton, David Tennant

COFFEE HOUR: **Children's Ministry**

The flowers this morning are given in loving memory of Andrew Richard Primerano, who is so achingly missed and deeply mourned by his family and friends.

The Memorial Prayer Candle is lit in gratitude for our graduating seniors.

Congratulations to our Third Church High School Class of 2016!

Mitchell Anderson, East Irondequoit
Amanda Chen, Pittsford
Katie Cox, Brighton
Sara Dickinson, Spencerport
Olivia Henry, Brighton
Lily Hutkowski, Pittsford
Anthony Mangieri, Pittsford
Benjamin Primerano, Honeoye Falls-Lima

Nicholas Primerano, Honeoye Falls-Lima
Emily Rachfal, Brighton
Andy Rye, Webster Schroeder
Yolie Santana, School of the Arts
Owen Shriver, Brighton
Bizzy Vinton, Brighton
Max Wheeler, East Irondequoit
Alexandra Willett, Webster Schroeder

May 22, 2016



MINISTRY, SERVICE, AND FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday Seminar

This morning at 9:30am in Johnston Hall
The Protestant Reformation: "The Constructive Revolutionary—John Calvin"
led by Rod Frohman, Pastor Emeritus
Calvin struggled to control both himself and the world. He struggled with constant health problems. Yet, he was a Renaissance humanist and inclined to celebrate the paradoxes and mysteries of life. His contributions to theology and civil government through his *Institutes of the Christian Religion* became the think-piece of clerics and kings which created an alternative to the other great mind of the 16th century, Machiavelli. Yet he approved the burning of heretics, including unitarian Michael Servetus.

Growing in the Word

This morning at 9:30am in the Parlor
Romans 5:1-5, Peace in Christ Jesus
led by Paul Gongloff

Youth End of Year Celebration

This evening from 5:00– 8:00pm
Quinzi Lodge, Legion Eyer Park, 100 Eyer Park, East Rochester, 14445
WHAT TO BRING: Your favorite dish to pass...
If your last name begins with
A-M - Side Dish; N-Z - Salad
Main course*, desserts, drinks and place settings provided. *vegetarian options included

Presbytery of Genesee Valley

Tuesday, May 24, 2:30 pm for pre-events/4:00pm for the meeting
Pre-meeting events include a presentation by Anne Merideth of the University of Rochester and a **"pick-up" choir rehearsal**. The meeting itself begins at 4:00pm. You are invited to attend. A special word of thanks to all the volunteers helping to welcome the presbytery and to Jo Whang for coordinating the day.

Living Waters Wednesdays



John Wilkinson will lead the service on Wednesday, May 25. Join us in the Chapel at 6:00pm.

Monday Yoga

May 23 at 6:30pm, Johnston Hall

Thursday Voices

Thursday, May 26

Prayers with Feet, written by Ragan Sutterfield
led by Lynette Sparks

RAIHN Needs You!

Our 45th RAIHN rotation starts Sunday May 29th (Memorial Day weekend).

During the week you can help:
host dinners, stay overnight, prepare hot breakfasts on the weekend, host at the Day Center Saturday and Sunday as our guests prepare to leave

Work behind-the-scenes:

setting up bedrooms, shopping for food and supplies, laundering linens/towels, converting "bedrooms" back to church school rooms

Sign up now online, by email or phone:

- www.ThirdPresbyterian.org/RAIHN (you will receive an emailed confirmation)
- Contact Lou Loggi (louis.loggi@gmail.com or 781-4237) or Laurie Mahoney (LMahone1@rochester.rr.com or 747-5852).

Great Schools for All Community Update

Thursday, June 9, 2016, 7:00pm at Third Presbyterian Church

Come hear important updates on:

- **GS4A's Breakthrough Schools proposal**
- Exciting results from a community parent survey
- Progress on development of inter-district educational initiatives

Visit GS4A.org for further information.

Third Church Big Lunch

Sunday, June 5, 12:00noon

Meet your neighbors and enjoy FREE hotdogs and ice cream on the East Avenue lawn.

GRCC Faith in Action Honorees

Robb and Nancy Adams will be honored for their many years of service in our church and community on Tuesday, June 7, at the Faith in Action Dinner at the Burgundy Basin Inn beginning at 5:30pm. We are reserving two tables for eight at the dinner and celebration. Many from the community will be recognized. We are honored to support Robb and Nancy in this event. The cost of the dinner is \$40 per person. If you would like to attend the dinner please contact Lynette Sparks (lsparks@thirdpresbyterian.org).

Food Cupboard Needs

The Food Cupboard is in need of food items and toiletries: Canned chicken noodle soup; jelly; rice; shampoo; toothbrushes and toothpaste.

News from the Third Church Library

The library is looking for donations to replace a few books from our collection that are either missing or damaged. If you would like to donate one of these books to the library, check out our new wish list on Amazon.com where you may purchase a book and have it sent to the library.

From the Amazon home page, go to the "Lists" drop down menu. Click "Find a List or Registry" then search for "Third Church Library". In the coming months we will add more books to the wish list that would be welcome additions to our collection.

About Our Worship Books Available

For the past few years the Worship, Music and Arts Committee has been providing newsletter columns, authored by Jeanne Fisher, about worship here at Third Presbyterian Church. Now these columns have been compiled into a booklet that will be offered for sale at coffee hour. The book examines the sacraments, the liturgical year and our pattern of worship. Stop by the table at coffee hour to see a sample, and order your own copy.

THIRD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
presents



A Service of Choral Evensong

The Chancel Choir
of Third
Presbyterian
Church

John Wilkinson

Pastor

Peter DuBois

Director of Music

Caroline Robinson

Assistant Organist



**Sunday,
May 22**

4:00 p.m.

Free admission

(donations accepted)

**Third
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East Ave at Meigs St
Rochester, NY

585.271.6513

www.thirdpresbyterian.org

The 60-voice Chancel Choir of Third Presbyterian Church will present this Service of Choral Evensong in the tradition of English cathedrals and collegiate churches. This reflective liturgy is full of music, scripture and prayer. It will include works by J. S. Bach, Alexander Gretchaninoff, Paul Halley, Herbert Howells, Philip Moore, Walter Parratt, and Jean Sibelius. The service of Evensong will be followed by a reception.

The Chancel Choir serves as the cornerstone of an active music and arts ministry. In addition to singing weekly services from September through June, they perform several major works yearly, accompanied by orchestra.

They have toured Great Britain twice, in 2001 and 2005—singing concerts and serving as Choir-in-Residence at Rochester Cathedral, and at London's St. Paul's Cathedral.

Calendar for May 22 —May 28

Sunday at Third Church

8:30am	Childcare	Nursery
8:30am	Worship	Sanctuary
9:30am	Jr. Choir Rehearsal	Moot Room
9:30am	Sunday Seminar	JH
9:30am	Growing in the Word	Parlor
10:00am	Intercessory Prayer	Chapel
10:45am	Worship/Graduating Seniors	Sanctuary
11:00am	Church School	Education Building
12:00pm	Coffee Hour	CC
3:00pm	Chancel Choir Warm-up	Choir Room
4:00pm	Choral Evensong	Sanctuary
5:00pm	Choral Evensong Reception	CC
5:00pm	Graduates & Advisors Celebration Picnic	Off site

Monday, May 23

9:30am	Food Cupboard	CC
5:30pm	Worship, Music, and Arts Committee	Parker Rm
6:00pm	Boy Scouts	CC
6:30pm	Yoga	JH

Thursday, May 26

9:30am	Food Cupboard	CC
12:00pm	Thursday Voices	JH
1:00pm	Calvin Guild Planning	Library
5:30pm	Joint Budget and Finance	JH
7:00pm	Kenya Team	Off-site

Tuesday, May 24

9:15am	Morning Prayer	Chapel
9:45am	Staff Meeting	Parker Room
1:00pm	Corner Place Task Force	CE Bldg/205
2:00pm	Childcare for Presbytery	CE Building
2:30pm	Presbytery Choir	Choir Room
2:30pm	Presbytery	Chapel
4:00pm	Presbytery	JH / Sanctuary

Saturday, May 28

9:00am	RAIHN Setup	
11:00am	Dining Room Ministry	CC

Sunday, May 29

8:30am	Child Care	CE
8:30am	Worship	Chapel
9:30am	Growing in the Word	Parlor
10:00am	Intercessory Prayer	Chapel
10:45am	Worship	Sanctuary
12:00pm	Coffee Hour	CC
2:00pm	RAIHN	CE

Wednesday, May 25

12:00pm	Corner Place Steering Committee	Off-site
3:00pm	GS4A Steering Committee	JH
5:30pm	Membership and Evangelism	Whitney Room
6:00 pm	Living Waters Wednesdays	Chapel
7:15 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	Choir Rm