



**TRINITY SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE**

**10:00 AM MAY 27, 2018**

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# ORDER OF WORSHIP

## Gathering Chime

**Prelude**            *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!*            Dykes

## Welcome and Announcements

(Please sign the Welcome Book and pass it to your neighbor.)

**Introit**            *Eternal Father, Strong to Save (v.4)*            No. 8  
***O Trinity of love, and power,  
all traveler's guard in danger's hour;  
from rock and tempest, fire and foe,  
protect them, wheresoe'er they go;  
thus evermore shall rise to thee  
glad praise from air and land and sea.***

## \*Call to Worship

(\* Please stand as you are able.)

One: In mystery and grandeur

**All: we see the face of God**

One: in earthiness and the ordinary

**All: we know the love of Christ**

One: In heights and depths  
and life and death:

**All: the spirit of God  
is moving among us**

One: Let us praise God.

**\*Hymn**            *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*            No. 12

## \*Call to Confession

## \*Prayer of Confession

One: Holy and triune God,  
You alone live in perfect relationship,  
One God in three persons, mutual and loving,  
ever seeking reconciliation and unity.

**All:** You have called us to live in your completion, yet  
we confess that our relationships are imperfect and  
we are incomplete without you.  
We are selfish and greedy.  
We are anxious and resenting.  
We feel the shame of our foolish behavior  
and brokenness.  
We have allowed sin to drive us apart  
from one another and from you.

**Forgive us and restore us,  
draw us close and bind us together in your mercy.  
May we long for wholeness and peace,  
May we strive toward gratitude and grace  
in the saving name of your son, Jesus Christ,  
by the working power of your Holy Spirit.**

*Silent Confession*

**\*Hymn**      *Praise, My Soul, the God of Heaven (v. 3)*      No. 619

*Like a loving parent caring, God knows well our feeble frame,  
gladly all our burdens bearing, still to countless years the same.  
Alleluia! Alleluia! All within me, praise God's name!*

**\*Assurance of Pardon**

**\*Response**      *Praise, My Soul, the God of Heaven (v. 4)*      No. 619

*Angels, teach us adoration; you behold God face to face.  
Sun and moon and all creation, dwellers all in time and space.  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise with us the God of Grace!*

**\*Sharing the Peace of Christ**

One: May the peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you,

**All: and also with you.**

One: Let us share that peace with one another.

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Old Testament Reading: Deuteronomy 4:32-40**

**Gospel Reading: Matthew 28:16-20**

One: This is the word of the Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

**Sermon:**

*Coming Around*

Lori Pistor

**\*Affirmation of Faith** The Nicene Creed, 325 A.D.  
1999 Translation

One: We Believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.

**All: We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary  
and became truly human.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory  
to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

One: We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.

**All: We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism  
for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

**\*Hymn** *The Play of the Godhead* No. 9

**Time with Our Children**

**Offering of Tithes and Gifts**

**Offertory** *Prelude in C Major* J.S. Bach

**\*Doxology** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* No. 608  
***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
praise Christ, all people here below;  
praise Holy Spirit evermore;  
praise Triune God, whom we adore.***

**\*Prayer of Dedication**

**O God, you are the source of life and its blessings.  
Wherever we look, we see signs of your goodness and love.  
Translate our faith into acts that please you so that all may  
come to know your justice, love and peace. Amen.**

**Prayers of Joy and Concerns and The Lord's Prayer** p. 11  
*Lord in your goodness: Hear our praise; Lord in your mercy: Hear our prayer.*

**\*Hymn** *Come, Great God of All the Ages (vv. 1-3)* No. 309

**\*Benediction**

**\*Response** *Come, Great God of All the Ages (v. 4)* No. 309

***Come, O come in celebration, household of the one true God;  
in commitment and rejoicing let us go where Christ has trod;  
as we act in faith and reverence, let us, Lord, the future see;  
place us in the church triumphant, now and for eternity.***

**\*Postlude** *God of Our Fathers* George Warren

After worship, the Officer of the Day will be available  
in the Narthex with the “Ask Me” sign  
to answer any questions for visitors and CPC members.  
Today’s Officer of the Day: Peg Giesbrecht

### Today’s Service Participants

**Ministers:** Rev. Lori Pistor, Rev. Mitzi Leshner-Thomas

**Accompanist:** Nancy Neubauer

**Lay Reader:** John Page

**Bus Driver:** Matt Donkin

**Sound:** Craig and Kathryn Anderson

**Ushers:** Leah Burton, George Leggett, Boyce Oglesby, and Russell Diggs

**Counters:** Camille Lambe and Louis Lambe

**This past Sunday, Barbara Turner was honored  
as CPC’s 2018 Outstanding Older Adult  
at an event hosted in Rocky Mount by New Hope Presbytery.**

**Thank you, and congratulations, Barbara!**

**See the full list of honorees and bios at this link: <https://tinyurl.com/y7y429cx>**

**Fair Trade Table available this Sunday, May 27**

**Please visit the Fair Trade table outside Fellowship Hall this Sunday, May 27. We will be open before and after the 10:00 worship service.**

We will have coffee (ground, whole-bean; regular, decaffeinated), tea, chocolate bars, cocoa, and olive oil.

We have a new special this month: Breakfast Blend coffee, that was previously sold in cans, is now available in 12-ounce bags. Fair Trade offered us a deal that we want to share with you. One bag is \$8.00 or two for \$15.00.

We accept cash, checks, and debit or credit cards.

**Thank you so much for helping us support Esperanza, CPC’s ministry in Guatemala.**

### After Worship Coffee and Fellowship

**After Worship Coffee and Fellowship needs volunteers for the weeks ahead.**

We need your assistance to see this continues smoothly after the 10:00 a.m. service. Thanks to the Congregational Fellowship Team (who has graciously committed to supplying coffee and snacks), helping out will be easy!

**We’re in need of signups for much of the summer.** If you can start a pot of coffee and plate a few finger foods, you can do this! (And, if you’re worried that you can’t, we’ll have specific and easy instructions for you.)

We think this will be a two-person job, so husband and wife teams serving as hosts for the week would be perfect. (But we’re not married to helpers being spouses!)

Please sign up at [SignUpGenius](https://tinyurl.com/y7bvzohb) (<https://tinyurl.com/y7bvzohb>)

and let us know if you would be willing to help once in a while.

## Announcements and Opportunities

**Plan now to attend the CPC church picnic next Sunday on June 3 immediately following worship** to honor and thank our Sunday School teachers and leaders. Please bring a side dish to share. Hamburgers and hot dogs hot off the grill and drinks will be available. We ask that you contribute \$3 for the meal (kids under 6 are free). Sunday school teachers and leaders are free as a thank-you. This is always a pleasant time, and we hope everyone will be able to attend due to the earlier than usual date.

**Volunteer Opportunity: Meals on Wheels Driver Needed;** The third Tuesday of each month - drive a delivery route at lunch for Meals on Wheels. You will deliver 10-12 meals in the Cary area with meal pick-up at Resurrection Lutheran Church on Kildaire Farm Rd. Please contact our Meals on Wheels route delivery coordinator Caroline Sinclair at [caroline.sinclair@raymondjames.com](mailto:caroline.sinclair@raymondjames.com) or 919-302-2207.

### 2018 Appalachia Service Project Fundraising

For 28 years, Cary Presbyterian Church has partnered with Appalachia Service Project. This year, 35 CPC volunteers will work in Kentucky from July 8-14. Your donations of cash and snacks are of great help to us each year.

**Funds may be contributed at this link.** <https://tinyurl.com/ya8dkrvz>  
(Wait for the pop-up screen.) **Volunteers and others may share this link with family in friends to assist us with fund raising. (Any prepackaged snack donations may be placed in the hall outside the church office until July 7.)**

**Additionally, ASP volunteers will be fundraising in the Narthex this Sunday, May 27, June 3, 10, and 24, and July 1. The team leaves for Kentucky on July 8th so all food, drink and dollars will need to be donated by July 7. We have a great team this year with lots of newbies (both youth and adults)!**

**There has been an ASP work day at CPC already. The results can be seen at the back kitchen door (new shed) and at the Outdoor Chapel (bench repairs, new Communion table and deck repairs as well). Thanks for your continuing support!**

## Faith Formation News

**Food, Friends, and Fun returns to Cary Presbyterian on Wednesdays this summer** and other churches on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday. Sign-ups for all the volunteer positions are active – at church or through SignUpGenius at this link:

**<https://tinyurl.com/yb9xffqn>**. We need age group helpers, readers, craft leaders, recreation leaders, and kitchen help. Group leaders are most successful when they can be here regularly. **In addition**, we are being asked to provide bus drivers for the days we do not host FFF (Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday). Please check the sign-ups to see details. Finally, would you like to work with the parents? See Medora Hix or sign up.

**A half-hour mandatory training for all will be held either at the Kirk of Kildaire PC, Wednesday, May 30 at 5:30 p.m. or at CPC Tuesday, June 5 at 6 p.m. (or at Greenwood Forest Baptist at 7 p.m., date TBD).** Immediately following these sessions, a one-hour group management training for all volunteers working directly with the children will be held.

**Rolling River Rampage: Experience the Ride of a Lifetime with God! Vacation Bible School registrations are now open. VBS dates will be June 17 – 21.**

Sunday, June 17, we'll begin with a craft session (4:00 p.m.), potluck supper (5:00 p.m.), and then on with the daily evening schedule (5:45 – 8:15 p.m.). VBS is for children age 4 through rising 5<sup>th</sup> graders. We love to have youth and adults as helpers. Please use the Volunteer Registration form.

## THIS WEEK AT CARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

<b>Sunday, May 27 Trinity Sunday</b>	<b>88:45 a.m.</b>  <b>10:00 a.m.</b> 11:00 p.m.	<b>Adult 1 Sunday School (only Sunday School class to meet until Sept. 9)</b> <b>All Together Worship Service</b> After Worship Coffee Fellowship
<b>Monday, May 28 Memorial Day</b>	No Activities Scheduled	<b>Church Office Closed</b>
<b>Tuesday, May 29</b>	8:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.  8:00 p.m.  9:00 p.m.	Preschool Donuts for Dads (FH) Connections Group (P) Boy Scout Troop 232 (101/103/105) Strength, Hope, and Healing (L) Softball: CPC Green vs. Grace Church (Brooks Park/Field 8)  Softball: CPC Gray vs. Summit Warriors (Brooks Park/Field 7)  Softball: CPC Green vs. Summit Saints (Brooks Park/Field 7)
<b>Wednesday, May 30</b>	8:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. 2:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m.	Preschool Donuts for Dads (FH) Beginner Spanish (100) Intermediate Spanish and Conversation (100) Intermediate Destinos, Pt. 1 (100) YAF Meeting (HS Room) Choir Practice
<b>Thursday, May 31</b>	9:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 8:00 p.m.  9:00 p.m.	Preschool 3 End of Year Party(FH) Social Justice Ministry Team (P) Softball: CPC Gray vs. TCC Green (Brooks Park/Field 7)  Softball: CPC Green Vs. Peace Presbyterian (Brooks Park/Field 8)
<b>Friday, June 1</b>	9:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	Centering Prayer Group (P) Dickson Student Recital (Sanctuary)
<b>Saturday, June 2</b>	No Activities Scheduled	
<b>Sunday, June 3</b>	<b>8:45 a.m.</b>  <b>10:00 a.m.</b> 11:00 p.m.	<b>Adult 1 Sunday School (only Sunday School class to meet until Sept. 9)</b> <b>All Together Worship Service</b> After Worship Coffee Fellowship

The Transition Team invites you to the next  
**Town Hall Gathering**  
**Sunday, June 10, following 10:00 a.m. worship**  
 Light lunch and kid care will be provided.  
**Topic: Congregations and Pastors**

**Heads Up!** This summer your Christian Faith Formation team will offer our children two daytime opportunities for fun and learning. Watch for Not-on-Sunday-Sunday School news for children age 3 – 7 (Thursdays during July) and Computer Bible Camp for children in grades 2 – 6 (July 23, 24 and 26 from 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.)