

Trinity Church :
September 19, 2021

WELCOME AND LITURGY OF GATHERING

Leader: Reading of [Psalm 1](#). This is the word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

Trinity is fostering a haven of belonging where wanderers and wonderers gather to discover and embody the love of Jesus in the world.

COMMUNAL SONGS

All Creatures of Our God and King

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Lift up your voice and with us sing
Oh, praise Him, Alleluia
Thou burning sun with golden beam
Thou silver moon with softer gleam
Oh, praise him
Oh, praise him
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Thou rushing wind that art so strong
Ye clouds that sail in heaven along
Oh, praise him, Alleluia
Thou rising moon in praise rejoice

Ye lights of evening find a voice
Oh, praise him
Oh, praise him
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Let all things their Creator bless
And worship Him in humbleness
Oh, praise him, Alleluia
Praise, praise the Father praise the Son
And praise the Spirit Three in One
Oh, praise him
Oh, praise him
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

Have Mercy

Lord, we lift our prayers to You
We offer up our hearts
Look inside and see our needs
Lord, know our deepest parts
As we cry
Lord, have mercy
Lord, have mercy
Lord, have mercy
Have mercy on us

COMMUNITY CONFESSION AND BLESSING

Leader: Why is it so easy to boast of our achievements, yet so hard to humbly come to God with the mistakes we make? This is the place where we stand in the presence of the One who longs to shape us into new people.

ALL: Forgive us, patient God, for looking at those around us with human eyes, and not seeing them as created in your image. We judge people instead of seeing them as your loved child. As you shape us into new people, give us new eyes, new hearts, new lives to follow Jesus.

Leader: This is the good news: Christ has come to transform our old ways and to fill us with new life.

ALL: We are forgiven and free to live as God's beloved. Thanks be to God!

Adults: The Lord be with you!

Children and Kids Ministry Leader: And also with you!

PreK-5th grade children may now move to their ministry space. Younger children and youth remain, and are welcome, in the Gathering. Materials for toddlers are available and we understand that their presence means they will be heard, no need to worry about their vocal contributions.

SERMON NOTES

Of The Land - Holy Ground

[Exodus 3](#)

*[For discussion prompts visit the series page here.](#)

LORD'S TABLE LITURGY

ALL: Pour out your Spirit of rest and shalom upon this bread and this cup, that these gifts might nourish us. As we find our rest in you, may we become restless in service to your children; as we engage with you in solitude, may we build a community of justice and righteousness; as we listen to your silence, may we speak out for all whose voices are ignored by the world. Then, when we gather with all who have found their rest with you at the Table of the Lamb, we will sing your praise for all eternity, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, God in Community, Holy in One. Amen.

Leader: The Table of the Lord is open for all who would seek and accept the forgiveness Christ offers us.

RESPONSE & OFFERING OF WORSHIP

The [Offering Basket](#)

Prayer requests may be posted in the Zoom chat (Zoom participants) or written and placed in offering basket.

The Table

We will feast at the table of the Lord
We will feast at the table of the Lord
We won't hunger anymore
At His table

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We won't hunger anymore
At His table

Come all you weary
Come and find
His yoke is easy
His burden light
He is able, He will restore
At the table of the Lord

There is peace at the table of the Lord
There is peace at the table of the Lord
And we won't worry anymore
At His table

There is healing at the table of the Lord
There is healing at the table of the Lord

Oh and we won't suffer anymore
At His table oh at His table

Come all you weary
Come and find
His yoke is easy
His burden light
He is able, He will restore
At the table of the Lord

Oh we know He has a place for us
Oh, what joy will fill our hearts
With the saints around the mercy seat of God

Come all you weary
Come and find
His yoke is easy
His burden light
He is able, He will restore
At the table of the Lord
At the table of the Lord

We're invited to the table of the Lord
We're invited to the table of the Lord
He says, "Come just as you are"
To His table

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Heads up! We're doing some website updating. That means some new photos are needed. So, don't be surprised when you see Amalia Howard with her camera at the upcoming Gatherings. For these candid shots, be mindful that you might be in them (even if your faces are not super clear nor the focus of the shots), so send good vibes. If you have any questions, please let Melissa know (melissa@indytrinity.org).

Our current sermon series, Of The Land, that will take us up to Thanksgiving weekend is now [posted online](#). Join as we consider our connection to the land as connection to God. In this series, we survey the Old and New Testament, considering the land from which we have come and to the land we return - finding our place in the story of God. In conjunction with the sermon series, **seasonal small groups around *Braiding Sweetgrass* by Robin Wall Kimmerer are coming this fall!** If you're interested in joining, pick up (or download) the book and begin reading/listening.

Gathering Hosting. As an act of service and care, please join staff, leaders, and others from your parish in hosting Sunday Gatherings. These are great times to connect and welcome others to converse while serving as well. Arrival at 9:45am is great, 9:30am is super helpful for as-

sisting with audio equipment and/or indoor set up. Cleaning up on the back end should only take 10-15 minutes. The hosting checklist is in the Trinity office. Thank you!

THE BENEDICTION

Leader: Let us go into the world,

ALL: where our worship of God will continue in every moment of our lives.

Leader: Let us go to serve those around us,

ALL: to shoulder the burdens, to ease the pain of our siblings.

Leader: Let us go to glorify God,

ALL: with our prayers as well as our praise, with songs as well as acts of service.

(Some liturgies adapted from lectionaryliturgies.blogspot.com and <https://holdfasttowhatisgood.com/liturgy/prayer-of-confession/>)

COMMUNAL CONNECTION

Remain on the Zoom or Gathering space for general connection and prayer.

Land Acknowledgement. We acknowledge that the land on which we gather for worship was stolen from the Myaamiaki people of the sovereign Miami Nation, who were driven out of the area and of their native lands by genocide, force (through broken treaties and laws imposed upon their nation), and systematic dispossession. (ref: [Repudiation of the Doctrine of Discovery, Trinity Church](#))

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October

3rd (+ Brunch set up): Midtown/Downtown

10th: Broad Ripple

17th: Fishers

24th: North/Carmel

31st: Midtown/Downtown

November

7th: Broad Ripple

14th: Fishers

21st: North/Carmel

28th (+ Brunch set up): Midtown/Downtown