

Our Thanks!

Flowers

Sharon Monforte,
In Memory of Mother, Regina DePuy

Next Week

Pastor Howie & Patty Dalton

We wish to thank all those who have given of their time and talents during this time of turmoil: First Responders, Police, Doctors, Nurses, Food Pantry workers, Truck drivers, Post Office employees, Bankers, Fast Food workers, Grocery Workers and any others who have kept the communities safe and functioning.

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May 30, 2021 - 9:30 A. M.

Trinity Sunday -- Memorial Day Weekend

We Approach God

Prelude: "Invocation To The Trinity"

Welcome:

Leader: This is the day that the Lord has made.

Community: Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

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Call to Worship:

Jesus prayed that we, the church, would be one, just as he and the Father are one. Today we offer our praise and prayer together, as one body, in Christ, through the power of the Holy Spirit. In harmony, let us glorify God—Father, Son, and Spirit.

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Prayer of Confession: *(Let us pray)*

Leader: Father, you have come to meet us as we return to you: Lord, have mercy.

Community: Lord, have mercy.

Leader: Jesus, you died on the cross for our sins.
Christ, have mercy.

Community: Christ, have mercy.

Leader: Spirit, you give us life and peace.
Lord, have mercy.

Community: Lord, have mercy. Amen.

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Assurance of Pardon

Law of God

Gloria Patri *(Recited --- Please stand as you are able)*

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.

We Hear God's Word

Scripture Lesson: John 3:1-17

Minister: This is the Word of the Lord

Community: Thanks be to God

Prayer for the Blessing of the Word

Sermon: "A Teacher and a Student"

- Pastor Howard Dalton

We Respond To God

Anthem: "O Beautiful for Spacious Skies" by Ann Smiley

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church*,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

Announcements and the Lord's Prayer

Benediction

Postlude: "Ode To Our Country"

HOLY! HOLY! HOLY! LORD GOD ALMIGHTY

Riginald Heber and John B. Dykes

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! Lord God Almighty!
All your works shall praise Your name in earth and sky and sea.
Holy, holy holy! merciful and mighty!
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O BEAUTIFUL FOR SPACIOUS SKIES

Katharine Lee Bates and Samuel A. Ward

O beautiful for spacious skies, for amber waves of grain,
for purple mountain majesties above the fruited plain!
America! America! God shed His grace on thee
and crown my good with brotherhood from sea to shining sea.

O beautiful for pilgrim feet whose stern, impassioned stress
a thoroughfare for freedom beat across the wilderness!
America! America! God mend your every flaw.
Confirm your soul in self-control, your liberty in law.

O beautiful for heroes proved in liberating strife,
who more than self their country loved and mercy more than life!
America! America! May God your gold refine
till all success be nobleness and every gain divine.

INTERLUDE

O beautiful for patriot dream that sees beyond the year.
Your alabaster cities gleam undimmed by human tears.
America! America! God shed His grace on thee
and crown your good with brotherhood from sea to shining sea.