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THORNHILL
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
To Discover, Celebrate and Share God's Love

Sunday June 4, 2023

Trinity Sunday / Communion / Music Appreciation

We Prepare for Worship

Praise Band

Preparing our Hearts

Make a joyful noise unto the Lord... Come before the Lord with singing.

Psalm 100

Organ Prelude: Praise to the Lord, the Almighty Jan Bender (1909-94)

*Processional Hymn: *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty* #321

Welcome and Community Life News

We Worship God

The Call to Worship

Grace Girard

L: Come, let us praise our God who made us.

P: We praise and worship God.

L: Let us praise Jesus who loves us.

P: We praise and worship Jesus our Lord and friend.

L: Let us praise the Holy Spirit, who is with us all the time.

P: We praise and worship the Spirit of truth.

L: Let us praise God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit.

P: We praise and worship God, ever three and ever one.

L: Let us Worship God!

Choir Anthem: *Come, Now is the Time to Worship*

Brian Doerksen /
Mark Hayes

Prayers of Adoration and Confession

The Assurance of Pardon

Minister: The Peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

*Praise Time: ***King of Kings***

In the darkness we were waiting
Without hope without light
Till from Heaven You came running
There was mercy in Your eyes
To fulfil the law and prophets
To a virgin came the Word
From a throne of endless glory
To a cradle in the dirt

Refrain: Praise the Father, Praise the Son
Praise the Spirit three in one
God of Glory, Majesty
Praise forever to the King of Kings

To reveal the kingdom coming
And to reconcile the lost
To redeem the whole creation
You did not despise the cross
For even in Your suffering
You saw to the other side
Knowing this was our salvation
Jesus for our sake You died **Refrain:**

And the morning that You rose
All of heaven held its breath
Till that stone was moved for good
For the Lamb had conquered death
And the dead rose from their tombs
And the angels stood in awe
For the souls of all who'd come
To the Father are restored

And the Church of Christ was born
Then the Spirit lit the flame
Now this Gospel truth of old
Shall not kneel shall not faint
By His blood and in His Name
In His freedom I am free
For the love of Jesus Christ
Who has resurrected me **Refrain 2X:**

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We Listen for God's Word

Children's Time

Prayer for Illumination

Deborah Kerner

Scripture Readings:

Responsive Psalm 150

Sam Nogueron

Praise the LORD!
Praise God in his sanctuary;
praise him in his mighty firmament!

**Praise him for his mighty deeds;
praise him according to his surpassing greatness!**

Praise him with trumpet sound;
praise him with lute and harp!

**Praise him with tambourine and dance;
praise him with strings and pipe!**

Praise him with clanging cymbals;
praise him with loud clashing cymbals!

**Let everything that breathes praise the LORD!
Praise the LORD!**

Epistle Reading: 2 Corinthians 13:11-14

NT p. 186

Leader: The word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon: Music, from the Beginning to Eternity

Dan Werning

We Respond to God's Word

Nicene Creed

We believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
begotten from the Father before all ages,
God from God,
Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made;
of the same essence as the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation

he came down from heaven;

he became incarnate by the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary,
and was made human.

He was crucified for us under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered and was buried.

The third day he rose again, according to the Scriptures.

He ascended to heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again with glory
to judge the living and the dead.
His kingdom will never end.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord, the giver of life.
He proceeds from the Father and the Son,
and with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified.
He spoke through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.
We affirm one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look forward to the resurrection of the dead,
and to life in the world to come. Amen.

Hymn: *Holy, holy, holy* #299

Prayers of the People

Invitation to the Table

Offering of Tithes and Gifts

*Doxology #830

Dedication of Offering and Elements

*Communion Hymn: *Father, we love you* #300

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

*The prayer opens with thanksgiving for creation and
for God's mighty acts throughout salvation history.*

The people join in the ancient song after these or similar words:

... we join with the whole creation to lift our hearts in joyful
praise.

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

*Prayers of thanksgiving continue for the work of Jesus Christ, his
life, death, and resurrection and for the institution of the Lord's
Supper. The people are invited to "proclaim the mystery of faith:"*

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Thanksgiving continues for the gift of the Holy Spirit. The presence of the Holy Spirit is invoked followed by a doxology and the people say: Amen.

As our Lord taught us, we now pray:

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.

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory

Forever. Amen

The Breaking of the Bread

Distribution of the Elements

(If you are able, please come forward to receive the Sacrament.

Communion will be brought to those who remain seated and signal the Elder.)

Prayer after Communion

*Closing Hymn: *Glory be to God the Father*

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We are Sent Out as God's People

*Charge and Benediction

*Musical Benediction

Go now in peace, never be afraid,

God will go with you each hour of every day.

Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true,

Know He will guide you in all you do.

Go now in love, and show you believe,

Reach out to others so all the world can see.

God will be there, watching from above.

Go now in peace, in faith, and in love. Amen

Piano Postlude: Doxology

Mark Hayes

**if you are able, please stand*

Welcome

We welcome everyone who is worshiping here with us today. We hope that you feel comforted in our fellowship and that you leave here refreshed and inspired in your personal life. You are invited to fill out a pew card.

****We welcome all children in worship. If you need to take a child out during the worship service, the service can still be heard in the lobby. Our ushers are available to assist you.**

Thank you to those who are assisting in today's service.

Due to COVID, we encourage that masks be worn at all times.

There is no Sunday School today.

Children will remain in church
and receive Communion with their families.



The Sacrament of Holy Communion

We invite all who profess Jesus as Lord
to receive the Sacrament.

This morning we will be inviting you to come
forward to receive the Sacrament.

If you have mobility challenges, please advise an
elder and we will bring communion to you.

The Open Door

The 2023 **Spring/Summer** Edition of the
"The Open Door" is available today.

Please pick your copy up in the foyer.

Thank you to all who contributed to the newsletter.

TPC Annual Congregational Picnic!



Join us Sunday June 25th after worship
for our annual church picnic and BBQ.

We'll be serving hamburgers, hotdogs,
and cold drinks in the back parking lot.

If you're able, please drop off a salad
or dessert to the Fellowship Hall ahead of lunch.

We hope you'll join us for this kick off to summer.

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UPCOMING WEEK'S EVENTS AT A GLANCE

Sunday June 4, 2023

11:00 am

Worship Service – Trinity Sunday/Communion/Music
Appreciation

Tuesday June 6, 2023

10:00 – 12:00 pm

ESL Class in Fellowship Hall

Sunday June 11, 2023

11:00 am

Worship Service

Weekly Offerings and Gifts

To continue to support the church through your regular offerings there are several options available to do so.

Offerings may be placed in the offering plate as you enter the Sanctuary.

Offerings can be mailed (address below) or dropped off at the church mail slot in the old wooden doors to the right of the entryway any time.

You may also donate on-line at Canada Helps through our web site at www.tpchurch.net or directly to Canada Helps.Org at

<https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/thornhill-presbyterian-church/>

Pre-Authorized Debit (PAR) If you are interested in joining the PAR program contact Nadine at the church.

Thank you for your support!

Great Day Update

Thank you to everyone for helping make
Great Day a success.

So far, our congregation has raised \$9215.00
toward our Great Day goal!



Hey TPC Junior Youth!

(ages 5-10)

You're invited to a

Recess Party Games Night!

Saturday June 17 from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Come for

Hot Dogs!

Veggies and Dip, and

Make-Your-Own Ice Cream Sundaes



And of course, **GAMES!!!**

Bring a friend if you wish.

Let Rev. Heather or Amy know if you can come.

Hey TPC Senior Youth (grades 6-12)

You are invited to:



Saturday June 17 from 8:00 – 10:00 p.m.

Bring a lawn chair and blankets.

Movie theatre snacks will be available!

RSVP to Rev. Heather or Amy please.



Sunday School NEWS!

Our last day of Sunday School will be June 25.

We will have periodic summer-fun classes during the break.

A schedule will be sent out to parents once available.

Calling all Adults – We need HELP! If you are interested in helping out in a movie class or games/craft class over the summer please contact Amy Girard (647-291-8356).

Regular classes resume on Rally Sunday September 17th.

We wish all of our students a wonderful summer!

Hymn

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, who rules all creation:
my soul, praise God who alone is your health and salvation,
Come, all who hear, sisters and brothers draw near,
joining in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord, who in all things so wondrously reigning
hides you with sheltering wings, ever gently sustaining.
Have you not seen how your heart's wishes have been
granted through God's kind ordaining?

Praise to the Lord, who will prosper your work, who defends you;
surely God's merciful goodness here daily attends you;
ponder anew what the Almighty can do,
when in great love God befriends you.

Praise to the Lord, and with all that is in me adoring,
All who have life and breath, come with glad praises outpouring!
Let the Amen sound from God's people again:
Now and forever adoring!

Hymn

Holy, holy holy

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! all the saints adore thee,
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
who wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.

Holy, holy, holy! though the darkness hide thee;
though the eyes in sinfulness thy glory may not see, Only thou
art holy; there is none beside thee;
perfect in power, in love, and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
all thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
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Hymn

Father, we love you

Father, we love you, we worship, we adore you,
glorify your name in all the earth,
glorify your name, glorify your name,
glorify your name in all the earth.

Jesus, we love you, we worship, we adore you,
glorify your name in all the earth,
glorify your name, glorify your name,
glorify your name in all the earth.

Spirit, we love you, we worship, we adore you,
glorify your name in all the earth,
glorify your name, glorify your name,
glorify your name in all the earth.

Hymn

Glory be to God the Father

Glory be to God the Father,
glory be to God the Son,
glory be to God the Spirit,
God almighty, Three-in-One!
Glory, glory, glory, glory,
while eternal ages run.

Glory to the One who loved us,
washed us from each sin and stain;
glory to the One who bought us,
raised us up to serve and reign.
Glory, glory, glory, glory,
to the Lamb that once was slain.

“Glory, blessing, praise eternal!”
angel choirs their hymns prolong;
“honour, riches, power, dominion!”
echoes all creation’s song.
Glory, glory, glory, glory,
Praises to our God belong.