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Presbytery of the Mid-South, Synod of Living Waters.

Grace Presbyterian Church

Worships God in Word and Sacrament at 11:00 a.m.

June 11, 2017

Trinity Sunday

The Bell Calls Us to Worship

Prelude

Holy, Holy, Holy

Kevin McChesney

Grace Notes Hand Bell Choir

The congregation stands to sing

Hymn 138

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

Nicaea

Opening Sentences

Pastor: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

People: **The Maker of heaven and earth.**

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Pastor: Let us pray.

Prayer for the Day (spoken by the pastor; the congregation joining the **Amen**.)

Father, we praise you; through your Word and Holy Spirit you created all things.

You reveal your salvation in all the world by sending to us Jesus Christ, the Word

made flesh. Through your Holy Spirit, you give us a share in your life and love.

Fill us with the vision of your glory that we may always serve and praise you,

Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. **Amen.**

The congregation sits.

Prayer of Confession

Unison

God of grace, love, and communion,

we confess that we have failed to love you

with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength;

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 your faithfully and give honor to your holy name.

Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

The congregation stands to sing

Hymn 139 Come, Thou Almighty King Italian Hymn

Pastor: The peace of Christ be always with you.

People: And also with you.

Passing of the Peace (Worshippers greet one another with the peace of Christ.)

Welcome and Announcements including Presbyterian Women Birthday

Recognition of New Members: Grace Lawson, Cole Price, Anna Tate

The children may bring their “ringing collection” and come to the Baptismal Font for a

Time for Young Christians

Old Testament Genesis 1:1-2:4a

Psalm 8 Unison

O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth.

You have set your glory above the heavens.

Out of the mouths of babes and infants you have founded a bulwark

because of your foes, to silence the enemy and the avenger.

When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers,

the moon and the stars that you have established;

what are human beings that you are mindful of them,

mortals that you care for them?

Yet you have made them a little lower than God

and crowned them with glory and honor.

You have given them dominion over the works of your hands;

you have put all things under their feet,

all sheep and oxen and also the beasts of the field,

the birds of the air, the fish of the sea,

and whatever passes along the paths of the seas.

O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth.

Anthem Who Am I? Lloyd Larson, 2004

Who am I, O Lord, that You should love me? Who am I, O Lord, that You should care? How majestic is your name in all creation! Where'er I seek, I find You there. When I look into the highest heavens, with the dawn of each new day, I can see Your glory in all creation! Lord, you are worthy of my praise! Glory and honor! Praise to the King! Majesty is due Your name. Forevermore we'll sing, “Alleluia to the king.” When I look at the work of Your fingers, I see the moon and stars in place. Who am I that you, O God, are mindful of me? I am Your child redeemed by grace.

Who am I, created in Your image, little lower than the angels above? Who am I? Transformed into Your image, I'm Your child, reborn by love. (-- Lloyd Larson, based on Psalm 8)

Epistle 2 Corinthians 13:11-13

Gospel Matthew 28:16-20

Sermon Baptized in the Name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit Mike Krech

“Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Matthew 28:19

The congregation stands to sing

Hymn 495 We Know that Christ Is Raised Engelberg

Apostles' Creed Unison; Hymnal, page 14, Traditional

Gloria Patri 579 Henry W. Greatorex, 1851

The congregation sits.

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism

Evelyn Victoria Mayne, daughter of Seth and Emily Krech Mayne

Scripture Sentences and Statement on the Nature of Baptism

Presentation of the Candidate for Baptism Elder John Price

Questions to the Parents

The congregation stands.

Question to the Congregation

Do you, as members of the church of Jesus Christ, promise to guide and nurture

Evie by word and deed, with love and prayer, encouraging her to know and

follow Christ and to be a faithful member of Christ's church? If so, answer, “We do.”

Prayer of Thanksgiving Over the Water

Baptism

Statement of Reception concluding with the congregation saying:

With joy and thanksgiving we welcome you into Christ's church

to share with us in his ministry, for we are all one in Christ.

The congregation sits.

Prayer for the Newly Baptized, her Family, and all Families

The Lord's Prayer (debts/debtors) Unison; Hymnal, page 16, Traditional

The Charge

Offertory Sentence

Offertory Jesus Loves Me arr. Albert L. Travis

The congregation stands to sing the

Doxology 592 Old Hundredth

Benediction

Recessional Hymn 446 Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken Austrian Hymn

Postlude Maestoso Gordon Young (1919-1998)