

## June 15, 2025 – Livestream Trinity Sunday

**G**ATHERING

Words of Welcome Darren Cushman Wood

**ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

\*SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

PRELUDE This is the Spirit's Entry Now arr. B. Harbach

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: In this place, the Spirit of the Living God

People: gives us the new life of Christ.

Leader: In this hour, the Spirit of the Loving God **People: makes us one in the name of Christ.** 

Leader: Here and now, we celebrate our life in the Holy Spirit.

People: Alleluia!

\*OPENING HYMN #347

Spirit Song

O let the Son of God enfold you with his Spirit and his love. Let him fill your heart and satisfy your soul. O let him have the things that hold you, and his Spirit like a dove will descend upon your life and make you whole.

Refrain: Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs. Jesus, O Jesus, come and fill your lambs.

O come and sing this song with gladness as your hearts are filled with joy. Lift your hands in sweet surrender to his name.
O give him all your tears and sadness; give him all your years of pain, and you'll enter into life in Jesus' name. [Refrain]

## **OPENING PRAYER**

O Trinity of Love,
God in community,
speak to us, today, in word and song.
Draw us into your presence
so that we may learn your truth
and live in your hope. Amen.

Walkin' with Jesus has been the greatest thrill I've ever known, guiding my footsteps as I travel on this road toward home. Holding my hand, lest I should stumble on this Gospel way.

Yes, I'm walkin' with Jesus, we shall reach home someday. Yes, I'm walkin' with Jesus to that land so fair. Saints will be singin', joy-bells a-ringin' when we all get there. Crowns will be given if we are livin' for him everyday. Yes, I'm walkin' with Jesus, we shall reach home someday.

If you're tired of this road you're walkin', look to Jesus today. He your load of sin will carry, guide you all the way. Then with joy your heart can sing as you go on life's way. *Refrain* 

\*Canticle of Praise Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31 Haven Emery

Leader: Does not wisdom call and understanding raise her voice?

People: On the heights, beside the way,

at the crossroads she takes her stand; beside the gates in front of the town,

at the entrance of the portals she cries out:

Leader: "To you, O people, I call, and my cry is to all who live."

The Lord created me at the beginning of his work,

the first of God's acts of long ago. Ages ago I was set up, at the first, before the beginning of the earth.

People: When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no springs abounding with water.

Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth,

when God had not yet made earth and fields

or the world's first bits of soil.

Leader: When the Lord established the heavens, I was there;

Who drew a circle on the face of the deep,

made firm the skies above, established the deep below,

and assigned the limits of the seas.

People: Then I was beside the Holy One, like a master worker,

and I was daily the Lord's delight,

playing in the world and delighting in the human race.

Prayer for Illumination Kim Hankins

FIRST LESSON Romans 5:1-5

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, <sup>2</sup> through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand, and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. <sup>3</sup> And not only that, but we also boast in our afflictions, knowing that affliction produces endurance, <sup>4</sup> and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, <sup>5</sup> and hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

COUNCIL OF BISHOPS PASTORAL LETTER

Transgender Rights

Justice and Advocacy Team

HYMN OF PRAYER #393

Spirit of the Living God

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

Prayers of the People Brandon Wallace

THE LORD'S PRAYER #895

Musical Response #2157

Come and Fill Our Hearts

Come and fill our hearts with your peace.

You alone, O Lord, are holy.

Come and fill our hearts with your peace, Alleluia!

OFFERTORY PRAYER Haven Emery

OFFERTORY He is There S. deFord Ron Berry, soloist

He is there: when the first uncertain breath of life is taken, He is with us when our mortal souls awaken so unaware. He is there: close beside us in each moment we are given, there to light our way, and lead us home to heaven.

He is there with love beyond our understanding, watching o'er us with a Father's tender care, with all His might and mercy never-ending.

He is there: when we've lost our way and wander in our blindness,

help unfailing, when no other help can find us in our despair.

He is there: when our broken hearts reach out to Him for healing,

there to lift us up and set our spirits singing. (Chorus)

He is there: Oh, the comfort in His promise of salvation,

how we praise His name in songs of adoration and grateful prayer

He is there: there to share in all our joy and still our weeping,

ever constant, ever faithful, never ceasing. (Chorus)

\*Doxology #94

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts!

Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

"I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. <sup>13</sup> When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth, for he will not speak on his own but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. <sup>14</sup> He will glorify me because he will take what is mine and declare it

<sup>\*</sup>Gospel Lesson John 16:12-15

to you. <sup>15</sup> All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON The Truth Finder Jill Moffett

\*HYMN OF DEDICATION #2120

Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness

Refrain: Spirit, Spirit of gentleness, blow through the wilderness calling and free; Spirit, Spirit of restlessness, stir me from placidness, Wind, Wind on the sea.

You moved on the waters, you called to the deep, then you coaxed up the mountains from the valleys of sleep; and over the eons you called to each thing: wake from your slumbers and rise on your wings. [Refrain]

You call from tomorrow, you break ancient schemes, from the bondage of sorrow the captives dream dreams, our women see visions, our men clear their eyes, with bold new decisions your people arise. [Refrain]

POSTLUDE Holy, Holy, Holy arr. C. Tambling



<sup>\*</sup>THE CHARGE AND BLESSING

## **Upcoming Events:**

June 15, Indy Pride Festival

June 22 – August 31, Summer Choir, 10:15am, Chapel

Forums on Land Development: June 15, 9:45am, Fellowship Hall

June 18, 7pm Zoom (for link contact: <a href="mailto:events@northchurchindy.com">events@northchurchindy.com</a>)

June 17: LGBTQ+ Fellowship

June 17-20, Youth Summer Mission Mania

Farmer's Market Season July 10, 24, August 7, 21, September 4, 4:00-6:00pm

## Today's worship leaders:

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Jill Moffett

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