



PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

OF CHATHAM TOWNSHIP

Sunday, May 26, 2024
10:00 A.M.

Prelude

Ashokan Farewell

Jay Ungar

***Call to Worship**

Leader: We come to worship God the Creator,

People: *who is the Alpha and Omega, who created out of nothing, and formed us from the dust of the earth.*

Leader: We come to worship God the Redeemer,

People: *who is eternally begotten of the Father, revealed to us in Jesus Christ, and has saved us from our sinful nature.*

Leader: We come to worship God the Sustainer,

People: *who eternally proceeds from the Father and Son, brings us to the knowledge of God's self-revelation in Christ, and sustains and renews our faith.*

All: Together, let us worship our triune God!

***Passing of the Peace**

Leader: The Peace of Christ be with you!

People: *...and also with you.*

***Hymn 1**

Holy, Holy, Holy! God Almighty!

NICAEA

Welcome and Announcements

*Indicates that the congregation will please rise, in body or in spirit.

Opening Prayer

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (in unison)

For you so loved the world, O God, that you came among us to feel our pain, amplify our joy, and bless our broken stories. For you so loved the world, O God, that you are among us still, calling us by your spirit to follow in the way of your love. Forgive us when we do not listen, O God; when we forget the love that you have for us and the love we are called to share with one another. Forgive us, three-in-one God, and let your love transform our lives. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*Hymn 581

Glory Be to the Father

GLORIA PATRI (GREATOREX)

*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, amen.*

Prayer for Illumination

Lesson from the Gospels: John 3:1-17

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Anthem

If You Search With All Your Heart

Craig Courtney

Emma Liu, piano and Kayla Ryder-Ludwig, vocalist

Lesson from the Hebrew Scriptures: Isaiah 6:1-8

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Sermon "Movement of the Soul"

The Reverend Caroline S. Unzaga

*Hymn 8

Eternal Father, Strong to Save

MELITA

***Affirmation of Faith** (in unison)

The Apostles' Creed

*I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy
Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified,
dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from
the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the
Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.*

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

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; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Call to Offering

Offertory

Contemplation

Roy Danielsen

***Doxology**

OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God all creatures here below; praise God above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***Prayer of Dedication**

***Hymn 634**

To God Be the Glory

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***Benediction**

Postlude

My Country, 'Tis of Thee

Dennis Eliot

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Today's worship leaders are Parish Associate Rev. Caroline S. Unzaga
and Associate Pastor, Rev. Thomas A. Brown.

Thank you to our guest organist Emma Liu and guest vocalist Kayla Ryder-Ludwig.

Thank you to all who are ushering this morning.

Thank you to our tabulators Bob Eager and Lissa MacCallum and processor Ann Jadro.

Special thanks to Zach Brown, Nathan Brown, and Bob Eager
for their technical assistance today.

THIS WEEK AT OUR CHURCH: May 27 – June 1

Monday

Memorial Day. Office Closed

Tuesday

10:00 am Staff Meeting, HH

7:00 pm Development and Communications, Off Site

Wednesday

6:00 pm Worship and Music, SCR

Thursday

6:00 pm Sanctuary Ringers, Bell Room

7:15 pm Chancel Choir

Friday

Church offices close at 2:00 pm.

NEXT SUNDAY, June 2, 2024

The Sacrament of Communion

Commissioning of Youth Mission Trip Participants

10:00 am Worship, Sanctuary; Nursery Care, A-9

10:15 am Church School

11:00 am Lemonade and Fellowship, Mulford Hall

Youth Mission Trip Meeting, Halldorson Hall

4:00 pm Pride Vespers Service, Sanctuary

6:00 – 8:00 pm Senior High Year End BBQ, hosted at the Bakosi's

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1 Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

Descant

4 Ho - ly,

1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!
 2 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! all the saints a - dore thee,
 3 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! though the dark - ness hide thee,
 4 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!

ho - ly,

Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.
 cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;
 though the eye of sin - ful - ness thy glo - ry may not see,
 All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea.

Much of the imagery of this hymn comes from Revelation 4:2–11, which its author, an Anglican bishop, knew as a reading appointed for Trinity Sunday. The tune, written specifically for this text, reinforces the Trinitarian theme by strong dependence on the D-major triad.

ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly,

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y!
 cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,
 on - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee,
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y!

God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty.

God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!
 who wert, and art, and ev - er - more shalt be.
 per - fect in power, in love and pu - ri - ty.
 God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

SPANISH

- 1 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! Señor omnipotente,
 siempre el labio mío loores te dará.
 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! Te adoro reverente,
 Dios en tres personas, bendita Trinidad.
- 2 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! La inmensa muchedumbre
 de ángeles que cumplen tu santa voluntad,
 ante ti se postra, bañada de tu lumbre,
 ante ti que has sido, que eres y serás.
- 3 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! Por más que estés velado
 e imposible sea tu gloria contemplar,
 santo tú eres sólo y nada hay a tu lado,
 en poder perfecto, pureza y caridad.
- 4 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! La gloria de tu nombre
 vemos en tus obras, en cielo, tierra y mar.
 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! La humanidad te adore,
 Dios en tres personas, bendita Trinidad.

KOREAN

- 1 거룩거룩거룩 전능하신 주여
 이쁜아침우리주를 찬송합니다
 거룩거룩거룩 자비하신 주여
 성삼위일체 우리주로다
- 2 거룩거룩거룩 주의보좌 앞에
 모든성도 금면류관 벗어드리네
 천군천사 모두주께 굴복하니
 영원히 위에 계신 주로다
- 3 거룩거룩거룩 주의 빛난 영광
 모든죄인 눈어두워 보지못하네
 거룩하신 이가 주님밖에 누구
 권능과사랑 온전하셔라
- 4 거룩거룩거룩 전능하신 주여
 천지만물 주의이름 찬송합니다
 거룩거룩거룩 자비하신 주여
 성삼위일체 우리주로다

8 Eternal Father, Strong to Save



1 E - ter - nal Fa - ther, strong to save, whose arm has bound the
 2 O Sav - ior, whose al - might - y word the winds and waves sub -
 3 O Ho - ly Spir - it, who did brood up - on the cha - os
 4 O Trin - i - ty of love and power, all trav - elers guard in



rest - less wave, who bade the might - y o - cean deep its
 mis - sive heard, who walked up - on the foam - ing deep, and
 wild and rude, and bade its an - gry tu - mult cease, and
 dan - ger's hour; from rock and tem - pest, fire and foe, pro -



own ap - point - ed lim - its keep: O hear us when we
 calm a - mid its rage did sleep: O hear us when we
 gave, for fierce con - fu - sion, peace: O hear us when we
 tect them where - so - e'er they go; thus ev - er - more shall



cry to thee for those in per - il on the sea.
 cry to thee for those in per - il on the sea.
 cry to thee for those in per - il on the sea.
 rise to thee glad praise from air and land and sea.



The year after this text was written for a student sailing to America, it was included in the most influential British hymnal of the 19th century. The tune especially composed for it preserves the ancient Roman name of the island where Paul was shipwrecked, now called Malta.

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To God Be the Glory

1 To God be the glo - ry; great things he has done!
2 Great things he has taught us; great things he has done,

So loved he the world that he gave us his Son,
and great our re - joic - ing through Je - sus the Son;

who yield - ed his life an a - tone - ment for sin,
but pur - er and high - er and great - er will be

and o - pened the life - gate that all may go in.
our won - der, our trans - port, when Je - sus we see.

This American gospel song became popular in England in the late 19th century, then returned to this country in the mid-20th century with the Billy Graham crusades. Its continuing popularity may well be due to the freedom from subjective considerations in its praise of God.

Refrain

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord; let the earth hear his voice!

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord; let the people rejoice!

O come to the Father through Jesus the Son,

and give him the glory: great things he has done!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

May 26, 2024

We are delighted you've chosen to worship with us today. Please let an usher or minister know if we can assist you in any way. Our Sanctuary is equipped with an induction loop system for those with hearing difficulties.

TODAY AT CHURCH

10:00 am **Worship, Sanctuary**

CHANCEL FLOWERS

The Chancel Flowers are presented to the Glory of God and in loving memory Shirley Kearns, mother, and grandmother, by the Fields family.

PRIDE VESPERS: Sunday, June 2 at 4:00 pm

Join us in our Sanctuary for a celebration of acceptance, affirmation, and love through a meaningful message and beautiful music as we welcome all! A free will offering will be taken for EDGE, NJ, an LGBTQ+ charity.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2024: June 24 – 28

The theme is the *Ultimate Scavenger Hunt!* This year's VBS will be a week long and will feature fun and creative activities, lessons, crafts, breakfast and lunch! The cost for the week is \$150 per camper. Please feel free to pass along to friends that may want to attend. There are flyers in the lounge and you can sign up online on our website. Also, if you are interested in volunteering or need more information, please contact Yvonne Anderson at yanderson@pcct-nj.org.

SENIOR HIGH FELLOWSHIP YEAR END BBQ

Sunday, June 2, 6:00 – 8:00 pm

Calling all high schoolers: Come join us for our year end BBQ hosted by the Bakosi's! Come decompress and have fun while enjoying dinner together. Please contact Emily Bakosi with any questions, (Emily.Bakosi@gmail.com).

BRICK CAMPAIGN!

Leave a lasting impression on our church grounds by personalizing a brick with your name, a heartfelt message, or a tribute to someone dear to you. Honor a milestone such as a baptism, confirmation, wedding, or passing of a loved one. Celebrate a cherished friend or simply show your support. Whatever the message, your financial support will go towards increasing the Building Reserve and contribute to the beautification of our church. Your personalized brick will be added to the walkway at the rear entrance of PCCT, becoming part of our history for generations to come.

Deadline: 1st order deadline is June 15; 2nd order deadline is July 15

Cost: 4"x8" \$250.00 (replica available for \$50)

8"x8" \$450.00 (replica available for \$75)

Look for links in our eblasts and on our website or you can scan the QR code. Join us in this meaningful journey as we pave the way for a brighter future together!



COMMUNITY GARDEN UPDATE

We have been busy planting, weeding and staking things up. Training sessions will be held on Saturday, June 8, 9 am and on Wednesday, June 12 at 6 pm. We also have opportunities for summer leaders and a few helpers for each week during the summer to weed, harvest and pack up for delivery to Helping Hands. Please sign-up on our website or through our weekly Thursday eblast.

ANNUAL MARLA DRURY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

In fond memory of long-time PCCT member Marla Drury, Women's Ministries will be awarding a \$1,000 Marla Drury Memorial Scholarship (MDMS) to a high school senior or current college student, male or female, who is an active PCCT member and exemplifies the same generous, giving spirit as Marla did. Applications are available on our website or you may pick one up in the church office. The deadline for submission is June 2. Contributions towards the funding of the scholarship are also welcome; make checks payable to PCCT, with "MDMS" in the memo line. Contact Kristin Winter with any questions.