



# Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church

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## Trinity Sunday – Youth Sunday

May 22, 2016 at 9 and 11:15 am

### SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

#### Word and Sacrament

*Please silence your cellular telephones.*

*We encourage you to begin this time of worship in silent prayer.*

#### Prayer of Preparation

O blessed Trinity, in whom we know the Maker of all things seen and unseen, the Savior of all both near and far; by your Spirit enable us so to worship your divine majesty, that with all the company of heaven we may magnify your glorious name saying: Holy, holy, holy. Glory to you, O Lord most high. Amen.

#### PRELUDE

Prelude in E-flat, BWV 552     *Johann Sebastian Bach*  
(1685-1750)

#### CALL TO WORSHIP

**Bridget Patterson** (9 am)  
**Mac Dye** (11:15 am)

Leader: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Leader: Our Lord is a great God, who says:

**People: I am the Alpha and the Omega,**

Leader: The first and the last,

**People: The beginning and the end.**

Leader: In the name of God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit,

**People: Let us worship God.**

\*Let all who are able stand.

#### \*HYMN 138

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

*Nicaea*

#### CONFESSION OF SIN (unison)

**Lauren Rooney** (9 am)  
**Susannah Field** (11:15 am)

**God of grace, love and communion, we confess that we have failed to love you with all our heart, soul, and mind; 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 you faithfully and give honor to your holy name.**

*(Silence for personal confession)*

#### LORD, HAVE MERCY (Service in G)

*John Weaver*



#### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: ... Friends, believe the good news of the gospel:

**People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.**

# \*GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

Weaver

Choir  
Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and peace to God's peo - ple on earth.

Congregation  
Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and peace to God's peo - ple on earth.

Lord God, heav - en - ly King, al - might - y God and Fa - ther, we  
wor - ship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glo - ry. Lord Je - sus  
Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God,  
You take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy on us; You are  
seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer. For  
You a - lone are the Ho - ly One, You a - lone are the Lord, You a - lone are the  
Most High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly  
Spir - it in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther.

## \*SUMMARY OF THE LAW

### \*PASSING THE PEACE

Leader: Since we have been reconciled to God in Jesus Christ,  
let us be reconciled to one another.  
The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

**People: And also with you.**

Leader: Greet one another with signs of Christ's peace.

*Please greet those around you with: "The peace of Christ be with you,"  
responding, "And also with you."*

ANTHEM (11:15 am)

Grannies and Granddads  
(from *Bless the Lord*, 1991)

Andrew Carter  
(b. 1939)

O you fathers and mothers and grannies and granddads, now bless the Lord,  
brothers and sisters, nephews and nieces, uncles and aunts  
and all kith and kin, bless the Lord,  
daughters and sons, and cousins and in-laws, Aunt Aggie's twins  
and all kith and kin, bless the Lord.

O you fathers and mothers and grannies and granddads, bless the Lord.

– Adapted from the *Benedicite* (Daniel 3:57-88) by Andrew Carter

**Church Mice, Cherub & Children's Choirs**

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Emily Bartlett (9 am)

Emily Bartlett & Isabella Winckler (11:15 am)

OLD TESTAMENT

Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

(nrsv, page 557 OT)

\*PSALM 8 (Hymn 162)

Winchester Old

*(During the final stanza of the psalm, children and young people are invited to come forward, gathering around the Baptismal Font for the Lesson for Young Christians.)*

LESSON FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

Christopher N. De La Cruz

DISMISSAL TO CHILDREN’S WORSHIP

*Children’s Worship – Children preschool through 3rd grade may exit to the Phillips Lounge. The children return to the Sanctuary at the Doxology to participate in the rest of the service.*

EPISTLE LESSON

Romans 5:1-5

Jason Dietzen (9 am)

(nrsv, page 145 NT) Timothy Johnson (11:15 am)

GOSPEL LESSON

John 16:12-15

Elizabeth Dietzen (9 am)

(nrsv, page 104 NT) Hugo Murray (11:15 am)

SERMON

“God with Us”

Stephen Macdonald

\*HYMN 315  
(11:15 am)

Ev’ry Time I Feel the Spirit

Spiritual

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

Elder Sharon E. Boersma

2016 Confirmation Class

Lauren Rooney (9 am)

Colin Kleinert & Stephen Macdonald (11:15 am)

\*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.**

CONFIRMATION PRAYER

AARONIC BENEDICTION

Weaver

The Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord make his face to  
shine up - on you and be gra - cious un - to you; the Lord lift up his  
coun - te - nance up - on you, and give you peace. A - men.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Eric O. Springsted

...Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.

PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM (11:15 am)

Cherubic Hymn

Alexander Gretchaninoff  
(1864-1956)

We who figure forth the Cherubim in a mystery; we who laud and praise the living Trinity, singing the hymn thrice holy to the living Trinity; now let us lay aside every earthly care. Amen. Let us raise on high to the King of all our oblation, by the Angelic host invisibly upborne. Alleluia.

— from the *Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom*,  
trans. Charles Winfred Douglas (1867-1944)

Church Choir & Children’s Choir

\*DOXOLOGY

Old Hundredth

Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; Praise God, all crea - tures here be - low; Praise God a - bove, ye heav'n - ly host; Praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

*(The table of our Lord Jesus Christ is open to all who are baptized. Those who do not wish to take Communion are invited to remain seated in prayer. You are asked to join in the responses as indicated.)*

INVITATION

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

**People: We lift them to the Lord.**

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

**People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

COMMUNION PRAYER

*“...who forever sing to the glory of your name:”*

SANCTUS

Weaver

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might, heaven and earth are full of Your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed, bless - ed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

*(Communion Prayer continues) “...therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:”*

ACCLAMATION

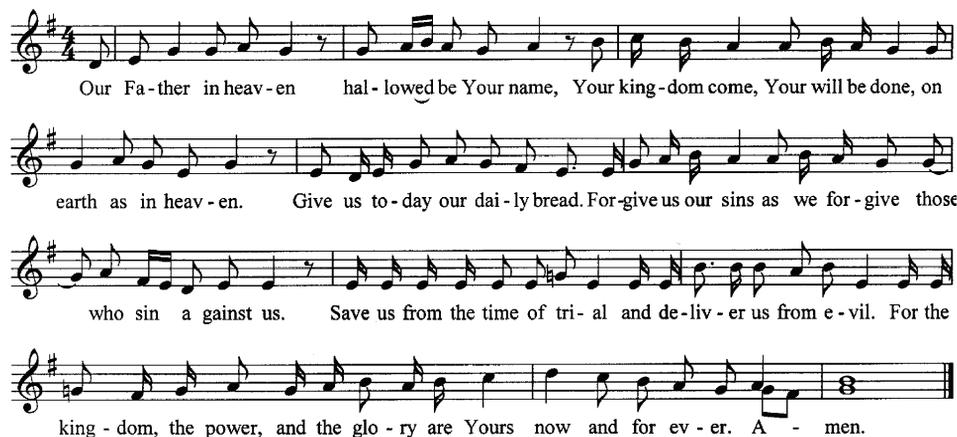
Weaver

Christ has died, Christ is ri - sen, Christ will come a - gain.

## PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

Weaver



Our Fa-ther in heav-en hal-lowed be Your name, Your king-dom come, Your will be done, on earth as in heav-en. Give us to-day our dai-ly bread. For-give us our sins as we for-give those who sin a gainst us. Save us from the time of tri-al and de-liv-er us from e-vil. For the king-dom, the power, and the glo-ry are Yours now and for ev-er. A-men.

### BREAKING BREAD & SHARING THE CUP

**Pastor:** Gifts of God for the people of God.

**People:** Let us keep the feast.

### DISTRIBUTION

*When the pastors take their serving places, please come forward, using the center aisle, beginning with the front row. The white bread is made from wheat; darker bread in the center is gluten-free rice bread. The bronze chalices contain wine; the glass chalices contain grape juice. Hold out your hands, one open palm placed on the other, and bread will be placed in your hand. For rice bread, please take it yourself, exercising care not to touch other pieces. You may eat the bread and move to the cup of wine to drink or dip your bread before eating, or move to the cup of juice and dip your bread, exercising care not to touch the liquid or cup with your fingers. Those unable to come forward will be served in their pews. If not communing, please remain in your pew in prayer.*

### COMMUNION ANTHEM (11:15 am)

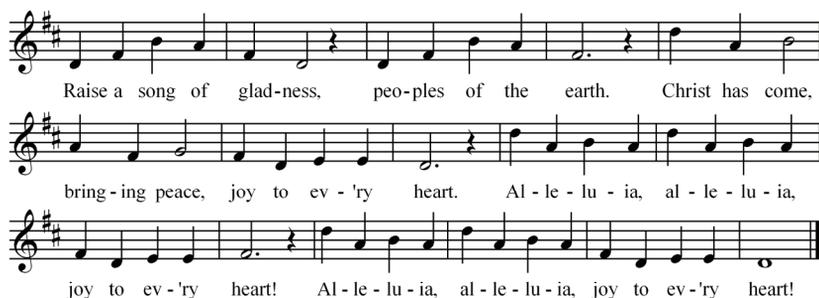
With A Voice of Singing (1923)

Martin Shaw  
(1875-1958)

With a voice of singing, declare ye this, and let it be heard, Alleluia. Utter it even unto the ends of the earth. The Lord hath delivered his people, Alleluia. O be joyful in God, all ye lands, O sing praises to the honor of his name, make his praise to be glorious.

### Church Choir & Cherub & Children's Choirs

### CONGREGATIONAL SONG



Raise a song of glad-ness, peo-ples of the earth. Christ has come, bring-ing peace, joy to ev-'ry heart. Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, joy to ev-'ry heart! Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, joy to ev-'ry heart!

Jacques Berthier, *Songs and Prayers of Taizé*

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### CLOSING PRAYER

\*HYMN 132

Come, Great God of All the Ages

Abbot's Leigh

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

**Bridget Patterson** (9 am)  
**Xaviera Zime** (11:15 am)

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

*Weaver*



\*POSTLUDE

Fugue in E-flat, “St. Anne,” BWV 552

*J. S. Bach*

Today’s flowers are given to the glory of God  
in loving memory of Madeleine and Arthur Morris.

**Welcome!** We’re glad you’ve joined us for worship today. We pray that you experience Christ in our midst, and that his presence will sustain you in the week ahead. We invite you to place your name and contact information on one of the pew pads. If our pastors can assist you in some special way, indicate this in the space provided and they will be in touch with you. If you are considering becoming Christian or looking for a church home, our pastors would be delighted to talk with you about it. We urge you to consider becoming a member of this congregation and hope you will make MAPC your church home in this city.

**Have children?** Children and families are always welcome in the Sanctuary to worship. Children three and under may be taken to the Nursery on the 4th Floor or remain with their parents. The Narthex or the Children’s Library, adjacent to the Sanctuary, are also available for families and have speakers that provide audio of the service.

**MAPC Mission Statement**

The mission of the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church is to bring people into the transforming presence of Jesus Christ through worship, teaching the Word, Christian nurture, and ministry in and to the world. As Christ’s ministers, our members are striving to build a community of God’s love, justice and mercy, trusting God to lead us into faithfulness.

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