

May 30, 2010 SERVICE OF WORSHIP

11:00 am

Trinity Sunday

Liturgical Color: White

Preparation for Worship and Announcements

Dr. Mary Lynn Polk, Lay Leader

*Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim, till all the world adore his sacred name.*

Chiming of the Trinity

Noel Johnson

Prelude

*Aria from the 12<sup>th</sup> Concerto Grosso*

Handel

\*Call to Worship

Jessica Morris, Director of Youth Ministries

Leader: God finds delight in humanity, and in each of us. Let us rejoice before the majesty of our Creator.

People: **God of grace and glory, who made all things, how majestic is your name in all the earth!**

Leader: In Christ, we are called to endure and to hope. Let us give thanks for a faith that brings peace.

People: **God of grace and glory, Savior of your people, how precious to us is your gift of Jesus Christ!**

Leader: The Holy Spirit is present to guide and direct us, let us listen that we may hear and do what is true.

People: **God of grace and glory, ever present with us, how reassuring is the love with which you surround us!**

\*Hymn No 577

*God of Grace and God of Glory*

CWM Rhondda

Invocation

The Reverend James D. Dennis, Jr.

**O God of truth and knowledge, let us never lose our sense of wonder about the world you have given us. Let us never see ourselves as too young, too old, or too wise to learn new lessons from you. Give us courage to judge ourselves, and wisdom to learn from those you send to teach us. Teach us to surrender our own wills, that we might seek yours and draw closer to your grace. Grant that we might always use your gifts to build a world where peace, justice, love, and hope reign in wisdom and in truth. Amen.**

†Epistle Reading

Romans 8:14-17

Page 191 (NT) in pew Bibles

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God**

Solo

*Jesus, What a Friend*

Karen Kuchmann

Rhonda McGinnis, flute and Joyce Nickles, piano

Pastoral Prayer

The Reverend James D. Dennis, Jr.

Lord's Prayer (In Unison)

Offering

Offertory

*Prayer of St. Francis*

Allen Pote

Myra Shaffer, soprano and Joyce Nickles, organ

\*Doxology No. 95

*Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow*

Lasst Uns Erfreuen

\*Prayer of Thanksgiving

## Children's Message

Jessica Morris

*All children are invited to the front of the Sanctuary for a special message. Following Children's Time, 3-year-olds through Kindergarteners may leave the Sanctuary for Extended Session.*

## \*Passing of the Peace

### \*Hymn No. 393

*Spirit of the Living God*

Living God

### \*Affirmation of Faith No. 881

**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 Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at 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 Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

### \*Gloria Patri No. 70

***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.***

### \*Gospel Lesson

John 16:12-15

Page 135 (NT) in pew Bibles

Leader: The Word of God for the People of God.

People: **Thanks be to God**

### Sermon

The Reverend James D. Dennis, Jr.

### 2010 Graduate Recognition

The Rev. James D. Dennis, Jr.

### Message to Graduates and Parents

Jessica Morris, Director of Youth Ministries

### \*Hymn No. 64

*Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty*

Nicaea

### \*Benediction Response No. 666

*Shalom to You*

SHALOM

***Shalom to you now, shalom, my friends. May God's full mercies bless you, my friends. In all your living and through your loving, Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.***

### †Sermon Text

*\*Please stand if you are able*

*Nursery Provided*