

A Celebration of God's Grace and Good News!

May 22, 2016

Trinity Sunday

Music for Preparation *Prelude in E-flat, BWV 552i* J. S. Bach (1685-1750)

***Call to Worship** L: The name of the Lord is majestic!
P: The mountains tower and the seas roar in praise of God!
L: When we look at the heavens, we rejoice in God!
P: The moons, stars, planets, solar systems are a delight to us!
L: Come, let us shout our praise to God!
P: Lord, thank you for this awesome creation! Amen.

Nancy Townley

***Opening Hymn** *Father, we praise thee - Hymn 680* CHRISTE SANCTORUM

Welcome

Scripture Reading Galatians 1:1-12

***Sung Psalm** *Psalm 8 (see insert on back)* Domine, Dominus Noster

***Gospel Reading** Luke 7:1-10

Message Grace & Peace

***Hymn of Reflection** *God created heaven and earth - Hymn 151* TOA-SIA

Offertory Prayer **God of Hope, we humbly present these gifts in recognition of the grace that you offer us each and every day. You have endowed us with great bounty. Today, we give a portion of this bounty to you as a generous expression of our gratitude. We are compelled though biblical teaching to share generously in ways that impact the greater mission of the church. We exalt your Holy Name as we participate in this sacrificial act of offering ourselves to you. We pray through our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.**

David S. Bell

Offertory *How Can It Be* Lauren Daigle (b. 1991)

***Doxology** *Praise God from whom all blessings flow - Hymn 95* OLD 100TH

Prayer Concerns

For those in the military - Patrick Quinn, Matthew Hintermaier, Bill Peck, Robert Shaw, Mike Montange, Kenneth C. Bowen, Aaron Mitchell, Jeffrey Von Voigtlander, Austin Eddington, Eric (friend of Shannon's), Ryan Buehler, Taylor Ticknor (grandson of Carl Ticknor), Stephen Rudd, Jessie Stimpson, (sister of Kristin Pederson).

For our world - Peaceful resolution to conflicts in the Middle East - Iraq, Afghanistan, Libya, Gaza, Nigeria, Israel, Egypt; Gagar Thompson United Methodist Church (our partner church in Liberia); the people of Haiti; the people of Somalia; North Korea; refugees throughout the world; Lakota tribe at Pine Ridge in South Dakota; prayers for peace among God's people throughout the country; prayers for our enemies; victims of terrorism all over the world. For ways to help throughout the world check out the UMCOR website at <http://new.gbgn-umc.org/umcor/work/emergencies>.

Prayers for our community - Pray for all 12-step groups that meet in our church home; residents at Alpha House.

Special prayer concerns - Helen Commodore; Judy Kinney; continued healing for baby Ellie Grace Stinson, granddaughter of John and Jennie Stinson who is home now with extensive around-the-clock medical needs and for her parents' need for strength; praise for Gail Weber's mom with ALS who received a system that helps her communicate with her eyes and for her dad who is her caregiver; comfort and peace for Chris Marr, son-in-law of Beth Snyder, after the loss of his mother to ovarian cancer; Susan Ankeney's great niece, Rebecca, was born May 10 with an operable brain tumor. Surgery has been postponed so that Rebecca can get stronger; Judy Beth Clark's friend Peggy is undergoing hip replacement surgery May 24.

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Psalm 8

*To be sung at a calm and steady pace. All join in singing the bold text.
A long pause—incidated by a fermata (♩)—occurs at the half-verse.*

VIII.1

1. O LORD our Go-ver-nor, ♩ how exalted is your name in all the world! 2. Out of the mouths of
infants and chil-dren ♩ your majesty is praised a-bove the hea-vens. 3. You have set up a
stronghold against your adver-sa-ries, ♩ to quell the enemy and the a-veng-er.
4. When I consider your heavens, the work of your fin-gers, ♩ the moon and the stars you have
set in their cours-es, 5. What is man that you should be mindful of him? ♩
the son of man that you should seek him out? 6. You have made him but little lower than the an-gels; ♩
you adorn him with glo-ry and ho-nor; 7. You give him mastery over the works of your hands; ♩
you put all things un-der his feet: 8. All sheep and ox-en, ♩ even the wild beasts of the field.
9. The birds of the air, the fish of the sea, ♩ and whatsoever walks in the paths of the sea.
10. O LORD our Gov-ern-or, ♩ how exalted is your name in all the world!

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*Connecting people with the love and life of Jesus Christ
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What's Happening at West Side UMC

May 22, 2016

Graduates! We will be honoring all our high school and higher learning graduates June 5 during the worship service. If you are a graduate this year, please email your picture and short bio to the church office at westside@westside-umc.org by May 31.

Calling all gardeners! West Side's own landscape designer Versile Fraleigh and our West Side gardening team need YOUR help bringing back our beautiful church gardens. Find your gardening gloves and be part of this transformational team! No experience necessary. If interested, **contact Kristy Meretta** to verify this week's schedule - 734.476.6127 (cell or text), or email kmeretta@sbcglobal.net.



Habitat for Humanity - We are hosting "build events" in Ypsilanti the first three weekends in June. You do not need to have special skills; there are tasks all people can complete. We are in need of 8 - 10 volunteers on our Fridays and Saturdays. Please see Brad in the lobby today.

Bible Study - The Thursday Night Bible Study (7 to 8:15 pm) continues with its series: "Promised Land." We'll be discovering the lands of the Bible by way of a video. Improve your own Bible study by being able to visualize the settings and backgrounds of our biblical history.

Adult Sunday School @ 9:30 am - Please join us next Sunday for great coffee and conversation as we discuss the book of Titus: "A Church Renovated and Renovating."

Box Gardening - Please consider planting a vegetable garden to benefit our area food banks. If you don't have a designated garden space, you might consider purchasing a "box garden kit" at an area hardware store (kits as low as \$25.00). This can be a great family project.

Can you help take up the offering one or two Sundays a month? See Brad today in the lobby for more information about our scheduling needs.

Calling all ladies of West Side - Thursday afternoon book study is discussing "Having a Mary Heart in a Martha World." We stop in time to pick up our kids from area schools. For more information, please contact Meghan Wernimont (meghanwernimont@gmail.com).

Want to help out Sunday morning as a Worship Assistant? - Call the church office and find out what dates are available, or have Beth email you the URL to access the sign-up online - thanks for helping out!

New inbox cubbies now available for committee chairs and church leaders. Located next to Pastor Tim's new office across from Room 208.

Homecoming thanks - Thanks to everyone who helped out with the wonderful Pentecost and Homecoming event this past Sunday! We couldn't have celebrated with so many people without the tremendous effort of many volunteers that lent helping hands. It was a major milestone for West Side as we move into the next phase of our life together as a church and faith community.

Second Mile giving - The opportunity still exists to give a Second Mile gift towards the Foundation for the Future campaign! We are just \$400 shy of the \$5,250 matching goal to ensure that our seed money set forth for Homecoming is fully utilized. As we head into the summer and fall, realize that any additional donations are always welcome. If you have any questions, contact Sue Weber, financial secretary, at sue.c.weber@gmail.com.

Church Council, Tuesday, May 24, 7:00 pm - The next Church Council meeting is scheduled for May 24th. Please feel free to join the many leaders of the church and staff to review milestones and discuss the future direction of the church. It is also a chance for us to discuss our various missions and greater goals within our community of faith. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Pastor Tim or Kevin Bohnsack at layleader@westside-umc.org.

Save the date: All-Church Potluck, June 26 - The first Sunday after VBS is always a fun time to celebrate what the kids have been doing during the previous week. We expect this year to be one of the biggest events ever, so join us for a potluck afterwards! More details will follow for this opportunity in fellowship. It's also a great chance to interface with new families that may have been drawn into the church through their children's participation in Vacation Bible School.

DIY projects - Weiss Hall is just the beginning for our church-wide DIY projects! We need your helping hands in many ways. Contact ddunlap@mtu.edu with how you may be able to serve the people of West Side with your time and talents.

Experiencing a crisis? If you or someone you know is going through a difficult time, we are here to help. West Side has trained Stephen Ministers who can provide confidential one-on-one care. Please call Pastor Tim Ziegler (734.645.3623) for more information.

Announcement deadlines - Announcements for Sunday worship and for the *West Side Weekly* may be emailed to westside@westside-umc.org by **Tuesday, 12 pm**.

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A Time of Prayer

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

*Closing Hymn

Maker, in whom we live - Hymn 88

DIADEMATA

*Blessing

*Music for Reflection

Fugue in E-flat, BWV 552ii

J. S. Bach

Please exit quietly in consideration of those still worshiping.

All are invited to Weiss Hall for coffee and fellowship following the service.

Assisting in Worship Today:

Laura Weber Davis - Worship Assistant

**Congregation is invited to stand as each person is able*

HYMN: United Methodist Hymnal

TFWS: The Faith We Sing

Sermon Notes