



# Trinity Sunday

GOD THE FATHER, SON & HOLY SPIRIT



THE BLESSING OF GOD, THE FATHER, THE  
SON, AND THE HOLY SPIRIT, BE UPON YOU  
AND REMAIN WITH YOU FOR EVER. AMEN.



**ST. PAUL'S**  
EPISCOPAL CATHEDRAL

June 4: 8:00 am & 10:00 am

815 High Street Des Moines † [www.stpaulsdm.org](http://www.stpaulsdm.org)



# The First Sunday after Pentecost: Trinity Sunday

## Choral Eucharist

**Sunday, June 4, 2023**

**Ten o'clock in the morning**

### Organ Voluntary

**Hymn 362**

*Holy, holy, holy!*

NICAEA

*Celebrant*

Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

**People**

**And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever.**

**Amen.**

*The Celebrant prays the Collect for Purity and the people respond Amen.*

**The Gloria**

*(in the front section of the Hymnal)*

S236

### The Collect of the Day

*Celebrant*

The Lord be with you.

**People**

**And also with you.**

*Celebrant*

Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given to us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of your Divine Majesty to worship the Unity: Keep us steadfast in this faith and worship, and bring us at last to see you in your one and eternal glory, O Father; who with the Son and the Holy Spirit live and reign, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

### THE LESSONS

**A Reading from the Book of Genesis**

[1: 1 – 2: 4a]

**Psalm 8**

*Domine, Dominus noster*

BCP p. 592

*The Cantor sings the refrain initially and the People join when invited*

Mode 7 

O Lord our Gov - er - nor, how ex - alt - ed is your Name in all the world!

from *Gradual Psalms for the RCL*, ed. Bruce E. Ford, Church Publishing Incorporated

**A Reading from the Second Letter of Paul to the Corinthians** [13: 11 – 13]

**Hymn 370** *I bind unto myself this day* ST. PATRICK'S BREASTPLATE  
(St. 1, 2, 6, & 7)

**The Holy Gospel** [Matthew 28: 16 – 20]

**THE HOMILY** The Rev. Nicola Bowler

**THE NICENE CREED, standing** BCP p. 358

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

*All stand or kneel as able for prayer. At the end of each intercession the people respond:*

*Intercessor: Glory to you, Holy Trinity;*

**People: We will praise you and highly exalt you forever.**

*The Celebrant adds a Concluding Collect and the People respond Amen.*

**THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION** BCP p. 360

**THE PEACE**

**Announcements**

**SENDING PRAYER FOR STUDENT GOING TO SYA SUMMER RESIDENCY:**

*(Student [and family, if desired] are invited to come forward to receiving a sending blessing from the congregation)*

**One:** Brian, we are grateful to have you as part of our community. We have treasured watching you grow, and we value how you help us to grow.

**All: Now we celebrate your courage in stepping into a new adventure and a broader community at SYA.**

**One:** May you open your ears to hear the stories and perspectives of others.

**All: May you be brave in sharing your ideas and insights with others.**

**One:** May your faith be deepened by exploring the tough questions.

**All:** May your encounters increase your compassion and love.

**One:** May you hear God's voice calling you, within and outside.

**All:** May you gain tools to listen for God's voice.

**One:** May you find new friends on this journey who support you, and may you remember that you have a family of faith here that supports you.

**All:** We bless you on this journey! May you grow to love God with all of your heart, mind, and strength. Amen.

#### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

**Offertory Anthem**      *When Peace Like a River*      arr. Dale Grotenhuis

**Eucharistic Prayer B**      BCP p. 367

**Sanctus**      (*in the front section of the Hymnal*)      S125

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**      BCP page 364

#### THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

**Fraction Anthem**      (*in the front section of the Hymnal*)      S161

*All who seek a deeper life in Christ are welcome to receive Holy Communion by moving forward to the altar rail or by remaining in your place and indicating to an usher that you would like to receive. Alternatively, you are welcome to receive a blessing, indicated by crossing your arms over your chest. If you are not yet baptized and feel drawn to receive Holy Communion, please speak with a priest about baptism after the service.*

**Communion Anthem**      *Set Me as a Seal*      René Claussen

**POST COMMUNION PRAYER**      BCP p. 365

## THE BLESSING

May God the Holy Trinity make you strong in faith and love, defend you on every side, and guide you in truth and peace; and the blessing of God Almighty, the most holy, glorious, and undivided Trinity, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

**Hymn 371**

*Thou, whose almighty word*

Moscow

DISMISSAL

**Closing Voluntary**

### Announcements for June 4, 2023

**Today at St. Paul's**

- The St. Paul's Adult Study group meets in the Library at 9:00 am.
- American Guild of Organists Concert with Joby Bell at 4:00 p.m.

**Volunteer opportunities for Connection Cafe lunches to be served on June 12, 2023 are now open.**

Please click on the following web link (or copy it into your web browser if clicking doesn't work) to go to the signup sheet:

[volunteersignup.org/LYTPE](https://volunteersignup.org/LYTPE)

To sign up, just follow the instructions on the page. It only takes a few seconds to do. Thank you for volunteering!

### **2023 Pride Week**

**We are looking for volunteers to help host the booth sponsored by the Episcopal Diocese of Iowa**

Saturday, June 10 from 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Sunday, June 11 from 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Please click on this link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0d44a5ab2aa3fc1-edoi#/>

## **Our Blessing Box Needs to be Restocked!**

The following items are needed for the Blessing Box as the Box has seen a lot of activity of late:

- Jars of Peanut Butter
- Canned Fruit
- Canned Vegetables
- Canned dinners
- Canned Tuna
- Boxes of Pasta
- Paper Products

Please place all donated items on the bench by the north entrance. All donations will then be stocked. Thank you!

## **Vacation Bible School**

We are excited to offer a metro-wide Vacation Bible School this year for all kids 3 years old to 5th grade, from July 24-27, 6pm-8pm at St Andrew's Episcopal Church. Our theme this year will be 'Holy Trouble Makers', and we will be pairing Biblical figures with more contemporary holy movers and shakers in the world. We will have a time of recreational fun, story-telling, crafts, and of course eating!

We are expecting a nice turnout, which means that we are going to be in great need of volunteers! If you're in high school, or have grand-kids in high-school, all are welcome to come and help out. We only ask that you sign up using our volunteer portal found

here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0e4eabab22aafa7-metro#/>

Also, for those of you who are interested in joining the youth from various metro-wide congregations as we help out in the community gardens at St Tim's on July 7th, from 6-8pm, and would like to volunteer to bring food for the potluck, please use the portal found here to insure that we are not all bringing dessert, as wonderful as that would be: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4EABAB22AAFA7-metro1>

**More information about all our activities can be found on our website:  
[www.stpaulsdm.org](http://www.stpaulsdm.org)**

### **Today's Ministers**

*Presider* – The Rev. Nicola Bowler

*Homilist* – The Rev. Nicola Bowler

*Crucifer* – Henry Allard

Torch-bearers – Elise Allard, Madeline Allard

*Thurifer* – Alex Kane

*Boat-bearer* – TBD

*1<sup>st</sup> lesson* – Peggy Aerisolphal

*Cantor* – Tom Smith

*2<sup>nd</sup> lesson* – John Zickefoose

*Eucharistic Ministers* – TBD, TBD

*Audio* – TBD

*Video* – TBD

*Ushers* – TBD, TBD

*Chapter Counters* – Stephanie Murphy, Nathan Brown (alt. Duane Sand)

*Coffee Hour Hosts* – Mark Thompsen



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