



An Order of Worship for the Lord's Day
 Stone Presbyterian Church
 A Welcoming and Affirming Congregation
 June 11, 2017 ~ Trinity Sunday



We Gather in the Name of the Triune God

PRELUDE

(Please listen quietly to the prelude as the community prepares for worship)

POURING OF THE BAPTISMAL WATER

CALL TO WORSHIP

Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God, the Lord is One.

Glory be to the Father, who created the world and all that is in it.

Hear, O people of God, the Lord our God, the Lord is One.

**Glory be to the Son, who was with God and was God,
 and who took on flesh and dwelt among us, full of grace and truth.**

Hear, O servants of God, the Lord our God, the Lord is One.

**Glory be to the Holy Spirit, who comes from the Father and the Son
 and dwells with us, who helps us and guides us day by day.**

For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever.

Let us worship God.

+HYMN #288

"I Sing the Mighty Power of God"

ELLACOMBE

WELCOME

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(first together, then in silent reflection)*



**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. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

+A DOXOLOGY #579

"Glory Be to the Father"

Gloria Patri

+THE PEACE OF CHRIST

We Listen for the Word of God

PRAYER FOR UNDERSTANDING

(You are invited to say the concluding "amen" aloud.)

LESSONS FROM THE SCRIPTURES

Genesis 1:1-2:4a The Creation Story

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

2 Corinthians 13:11-13 Put things in order.

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Matthew 28:16-20 The Great Commission

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

TOLD BY ELIZABETH SMITH



CONVERSATION WITH CHILDREN

SERMON

What Does It Mean?

We Respond in Faith with Thanksgiving

+HYMN #417

"Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation"

REGENT SQUARE

+AFFIRMING OUR FAITH

The Nicene Creed (Ecumenical)

The Hymnal, p. 15

LIFE OF THE CHURCH, JOYS & CONCERNS

MINUTE FOR MISSION – BLANKET AND TOOL SUNDAY

OFFERTORY

+A DOXOLOGY #593

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (Traditional, p.16)

The Lord be with you./**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. / **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

... who forever proclaim praises to the glory of your name:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

... as we declare the great mystery of our faith:

Christ has died,

Christ is risen,

Christ will come again.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

(Traditional, *The Hymnal*, p. 16)

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE COMMUNION

(Come forward by the center aisle, dip the bread into the cup, return by the side aisle.)

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

+HYMN #138 "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!"

NICAEA

+CHARGE and BENEDICTION

+POSTLUDE



STONE CHURCH WELCOMES YOU TO WORSHIP

June 11, 2017 ~ Trinity Sunday ~10:30 a.m.



The purpose of Stone Church is to be an inviting, spiritual community of Christ, engaging in worship that inspires and challenges us to learn and grow as we reach out in caring and service, trusting in the love of God.

All the People, Ministers

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WELCOME to the worship of God at Stone Presbyterian Church, a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA) in the Presbytery of Utica.

THE CALENDAR

Monday:	6 p.m.	Bible Study
	7 p.m.	Session meeting
Thursday:	10 a.m.-6:30 p.m.	Fair Trade Shoppe
Sunday:	10:30 a.m.	Worship
	11:30 a.m.	Deacons' meeting

GREETERS & HOSTS: Emily Massi & Mary Chamberlain

PRAYER CHAIN: If you would like to add someone to our prayer list or would like to receive the prayer list for daily prayer, please go to our website www.stonepres.org and click on "Prayer Request" or call the church office at 853-2933.

Ewa Lawrence and family Doris Locke Judy Raney Moore family Lynn Joann Florence Morgan Esther Kanipe Carolyn Barnum Debra LaFont Elizabeth Willson Kim Hillage Powell Bob & Susan Ryerson	Members/Friends of the Week: Lay Academy – Presbytery of Utica Carole Grove Chris Woods and family Family of Kelly Connors-Sugarman Shirley & JoAnn Tolbert Family & friends of Carol Gilley Robert Simon Katrina, David and Edmund Jeremiah Jennifer and Jeff and baby Daniel Jacob due July 4 Thomas Bowman Vilsack family
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HOPE HOUSE WISH LIST: This month's wish list includes the following: Milk money, coffee, sugar, hot chocolate, salad dressing, deodorant. Milk money: One of their most frequent purchases is something essential in most households: milk. It is something that is not often donated and it is the best way to meet the Food Bank's nutritional standards. Hope House uses anywhere from 28-40 gallons of milk each week! Any donation that you designate for milk will help them to meet these needs. Please leave items in the narthex. Questions? Contact Ceil Gilbert.

RESERVE THE DATE: Church Picnic Saturday, July 15 1:00-4:00 p.m. at the Menards' home, 8153 Kellogg Street in Clinton. Fun, food, games, and happy retirement sendoff for our office manager, Peggy Weldon. Watch for a sign-up sheet in the sanctuary/Norton Room. Questions? See Linda Rance.

JOINT SUMMER WORSHIP WITH THE METHODISTS: June 25– July 23 at Stone, July 30 – August 27 at Clinton United Methodist Church. The September 3 (Labor Day weekend) ecumenical service will be on the Village Green. All services are at 9:30 a.m.

THE COUNTRY PANTRY: More than 200 kids' paks are distributed each month (June – August) to children ages 3-19. These help supplement a family's monthly food allotment when schools are closed for the summer. Needed are juice boxes, pudding, canned pasta, kid-friendly soup, and fruit cups. The first donation collection will be taken to the Pantry on June 18. Let's see how many items we can collect. There is a display table in the front of the church to serve as a reminder. Can't shop? Monetary donations are always accepted. Please make checks payable to the Country Pantry. Questions? See Judy LaGasse.

A UNIQUE SHOPPING OPPORTUNITY: Just a reminder that now is the time to purchase gifts for graduations, bridal and baby showers, weddings, etc. We have beautiful handcrafted and painted ceramics with fine detail and intricate patterns, which are high-fired and glazed to a glossy finish. Each piece is oven, microwave, and dishwasher safe. Tranh Minh Kinh's workshop in Bat Trang, Vietnam, which she started in 2001 with support from SERRV orders, has steadily grown to employ 50 artisans, most of them women. The workshop was founded on fair trade values and gives employees support with medical costs, loans and paid vacations, as well as paid maternity leave. These items and many more are available in our Fair Trade Shop, Stone Presbyterian Church, 8 S. Park Row, Clinton. Our hours are every Thursday from 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m., second Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and starting June 1st at the Farmer's Market on the Village Green from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and the third Thursdays from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Purchasing fair trade items ensures artisans and small farmers fair wages and healthy working conditions, providing dignity, sustainable development and hope to marginalized people. For more information, contact Lauralyn Kolb, lkolb@hamilton.edu, 315-725-1326, visit www.stonepres.org or like us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/stonepres.

BBQ CHICKEN DRIVE-THRU: Saturday, June 24 (begins at noon until sold out) at Zion Lutheran Church, corner of French and Burrstone Roads in New Hartford. Tasty BBQ chickens will be sold at \$7/half. Side dishes will not be included. Call 315-235-7149 to pre-order. This is a fundraiser to benefit Your Neighbors, Inc., an affiliate of the Lutheran Home of CNY.