

## Doxology

## Communion

## Pewback Insert

*This Sunday we again offer healing prayer, anointing, and laying on of hands for healing. You may also ask to be anointed on behalf of another who needs healing or is troubled.*

## Prayer After Communion

**God of mercy, God of grace, we bless and praise you for nourishing us with this Easter feast of redemption. Fill us with your Spirit, and make us living signs of your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## Community Sharing

## Offering

**Hymn Of Response We Give Thee But Thine Own** *lyrics 360*  
*(gospel rhythm, clapping on beats 2 and 4)*

**Hymn Of Dismissal Come, Thou Almighty King** 55

## Dismissal With Blessing

Go in peace, to love and serve God and your neighbor. And the blessing of the Triune God—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit—be among you and remain with you today and forever.

**Amen! Alleluia!**

**Next Week's Readings:** Isaiah 65:1-9; Psalm 22:19-28; Galatians 3:23-29; Luke 8:26-39

**Preaching This Week:** Ruth Huston  
**Celebrant:** Ben Wayman

**Preaching Next Week:** Teresa Holden  
**Acolytes:** Brooke Wayman, Cole Wayman

# St. Paul's Free Methodist Church Trinity Sunday

## Call To Worship

## O Holy One

URW 214

## Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**And also with you.**

**Hymn Of Praise Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! 54**

## Prayer

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 reigns with you, one God, forever and ever. **Amen.**

## First Lesson

## Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

Does not wisdom call, and does not understanding raise her voice?  
On the heights, beside the way, at the crossroads she takes her stand;  
beside the gates in front of the town, at the entrance of the portals  
she cries out: "To you, O people, I call, and my cry is to all that live.  
... The LORD created me at the beginning of his work, the first of  
his acts of long ago. Ages ago I was set up, at the first, before the  
beginning of the earth. When there were no depths I was brought  
forth, when there were no springs abounding with water. Before the  
mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth—  
when he had not yet made earth and fields, or the world's first bits of  
soil. When he established the heavens, I was there, when he drew a  
circle on the face of the deep, when he made firm the skies above,  
when he established the fountains of the deep, when he assigned to  
the sea its limit, so that the waters might not transgress his command,  
when he marked out the foundations of the earth, then I was beside

him, like a master worker; and I was daily his delight, rejoicing before him always, rejoicing in his inhabited world and delighting in the human race.”

**R:** The word of the Lord.

**C:** Thanks be to God.

*Psalm* *Psalm 8*

**O LORD, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory above the heavens. Out of the mouths of babes and infants you have founded a bulwark because of your foes, to silence the enemy and the avenger. When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars that you have established; what are human beings that you are mindful of them, mortals that you care for them? Yet you have made them a little lower than God, and crowned them with glory and honor. You have given them dominion over the works of your hands; you have put all things under their feet, all sheep and oxen, and also the beasts of the field, the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea, whatever passes along the paths of the seas. O LORD, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth!**

Hymn *Hymn To The Trinity* URW 198

*Second Lesson* *Romans 5:1-5*

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God’s love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

**R:** The word of the Lord.

**C:** Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation *Alleluia* URW 402

*Gospel* *John 16:12-15*

**R:** Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St. John.

**C:** Glory to you, O Lord.

“I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.”

**R:** This is the Gospel of our Lord.

**C:** Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon

Apostles’ Creed

Confession And Prayers Of The People

Dearly beloved, so that we may prepare ourselves in heart and mind for worship at the Lord’s Table, let us with penitent and obedient hearts confess our sins, that we may obtain forgiveness by God’s infinite goodness and mercy. ... Let us pray: **Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

The Peace

By dying, Christ destroyed our death; in rising, he restores our life; in giving us his Spirit, he grants us peace.

In that peace we affirm, with joy:

**In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!**

So we can say to one another: the peace of the Lord be with you!

**And also with you.**

Let us take a few moments to greet one another with signs of peace