

LAFAYETTE-ORINDA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

"Three's (Holy)  
Company"



Trinity  
Sunday

June 11, 2017

We Gather

Prelude	<i>Pastoral from Sonata No. 12, Op. 154</i> Stewart Scharch, organ	Josef Gabriel Rheinberger (1839–1911)
Welcome		Lauren Gully & Chad Runyon
Call to Worship		Chad Runyon

We Praise

Songs of Praise	<i>O Lord, Our God, How Excellent (Psalm 8)</i> Creation Sings	tune: Dunlap's Creek by David Leonard & Leslie Jordan
Prayer of Confession & Assurance of Pardon		Chris Baldwin
Response	<i>Halle, Halle, Hallelujah</i>	traditional Caribbean
Introduction of New Members		
Anthem	<i>The Peace of God</i> Chancel Choir; Tony Domenick, Assistant Director	John Rutter (b. 1945)
Peace		

We Hear the Word

Sermon	<i>Three's (Holy) Company</i> <i>2 Corinthians 13:11–13 (p. 944)</i> <i>Thou Art God</i> Chad Runyon	Lauren Gully Lionel Bourne (b. 1960)
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Pastoral Prayer & the Lord's Prayer

We Respond

We Are Called by Name		Chad Runyon
Offering	<i>Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty</i> Stewart Scharch	arr. Jan Mulder (b. 1970)
Closing Hymn	<i>I Sing the Mighty Power of God (Hymnal #32)</i>	tune: Ellacombe

Prayer of Thanksgiving		
Charge & Benediction		Lauren Gully
Postlude	<i>Canzonetta</i> Stewart Scharch	Dieterich Buxtehude (1637–1707)

Everyone is invited to the Worship Plaza for coffee and fellowship.

### **Floral Design Team**

Sherril Barber, Team Leader; Gloria Buchman, Lassie Colebourn, Jane Ebe  
Linda Giddings, Pat Jeans, Suze McConnell, Clarice Odell, Penny Perry

### **Hospitality Team**

9 a.m. Sharon Bartlett, Team Leader; Colleen Fawley, Ann Loar, Virginia Wharton  
Julie & Jim Fulford, Greeters  
11 a.m. Elizabeth Johnson, Team Leader; Philip Jensen, Nan Reuther, Wayne Brock  
Carol Landey, Greeter

### **Welcome Team**

A special thank you today to Windjammers, a Voyager group, for serving the coffee on the plaza.

### **Worship & Music Team**

Peter Whitelock, Pastor/Head of Staff  
Gerald Chinen, Pastor, Care; Lauren Gully, Pastor, Mission & Formation; Jaime Polson, Pastor, Families  
Brett Strader, Director of Worship and Music  
Stewart Sarch, Organist; Tony Domenick, Assistant Music Director  
Chris Baldwin, Director of Community Engagement  
Chancel Choir  
Chad Runyon, Lay Leader  
Brianna Stutzman, Judy Clark, Chad Runyon, vocals  
Aaron Germain, bass; Michael Henning, drums  
Devin Crane, Sound Technician; Brendan Kelley, Video Technician  
Hiroko Shibuya, Worship and Music Coordinator  
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## **Sunday Worship Services**

We worship together at 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

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Large Print Bulletins and Bulletin Supplements are available in the Narthex this morning.

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SUNDAY WORSHIP BULLETIN SUPPLEMENT

## Call to Worship

One: God the Creator is in this place.

**Many: The love of God is with us.**

One: Jesus our Redeemer is in this place.

**Many: The grace of our Lord is with us.**

One: The Holy Spirit is in this place.

**Many: The communion of the Spirit is with us.**

One: We welcome the fullness of God's presence.

**Many: God the Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer  
be with us now and forever.**

One: Come, let us worship the Triune God!

## Songs of Praise: O Lord, Our God, How Excellent (Psalm 8)

Text: Fred R. Anderson, 1986;

Music: Samuel McFarland, C. 1814; harm. Richard Proulx, 1986; *Music Harm.* © 1986 GIA Publications, Inc.

**O Lord, our God, how excellent, how glorious is your name**

**Your majesty surrounds the earth, and children sing your fame**

**The heavens shout your handiwork; we stand beneath in awe**

**To think the One who made all things should care for us at all**

**Yet you have made us less than gods, surpassing all but you**

**With heart and mind, with strength and will, to search for what is true**

**O Lord, our God, how excellent, how glorious is your name**

**Majestic in your holiness. We sing and praise your fame**

## Creation Sings

Words and Music by David Leonard and Leslie Jordan

**In You we live, in You we move**

**In You we have our being**

**In every nation, all the earth**

**This song of ours is rising**

**Creation, all creation, sings Your glory**

**Sings Your glory God**

**Glory to the Father**

**Glory to the Son**

**Glory to the Spirit**

**Who was and is to come**

## **Prayer of Confession**

Holy and triune God,  
You alone live in perfect relationship,  
One God in three persons,  
Mutual and loving,  
Ever seeking reconciliation and unity.  
You have called us to live in your completion, yet  
We confess that our relationships are imperfect and  
We are incomplete without you.  
We are selfish and greedy.  
We are anxious and resenting.  
We feel the shame of our foolish behavior and brokenness.  
We have allowed sin to drive us apart from one another  
And from you.  
Forgive us and restore us,  
Draw us close and bind us together in your mercy.  
May we long for wholeness and peace,  
May we strive toward gratitude and grace  
In the saving name of your son, Jesus Christ,  
By the working power of your Holy Spirit.

## **Response: Halle, Halle, Hallelujah**

Traditional Caribbean

**Halle, halle, hallelujah!**  
**Halle, halle, hallelujah!**  
**Halle, halle, hallelujah!**  
**Hallelujah! Hallelujah!**

## **Anthem: The Peace of God**

Text: Book of Common Prayer (1662) based on Philippians 4:7; Music: John Rutter

The peace of God, which passeth all understanding  
Keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God  
And of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord  
The peace of God, which passeth all understanding  
Keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God  
And of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord  
And the blessing of God almighty  
The Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost be amongst you  
And remain with you always. Amen

## Scripture: 2 Corinthians 13:11–13

Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you.

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

### Text by Julian of Norwich (c.1342-1417):

As truly as God is our Father, so just as truly is he our Mother.

In our Father, God Almighty, we have our being;

In our merciful Mother we are remade and restored.

Our fragmented lives are knit together.

And by giving and yielding ourselves, through grace,

To the Holy Spirit we are made whole.

It is I, the strength and goodness of Fatherhood.

It is I, the wisdom of Motherhood.

It is I, the light and grace of holy love.

It is I, the Trinity.

I am the sovereign goodness in all things.

It is I who teach you to love.

It is I who teach you to desire.

It is I who am the reward of all true desiring.

All shall be well, and all manner of thing shall be well.

## Thou Art God

Text: David Adam (b. 1936); Musci: Lionel Bourne (b. 1960)

Thou art the peace of all things calm

Thou art the place to hide from harm

Thou art the light that shines in dark

Thou art the heart's eternal spark

Thou art the door that's open wide

Thou art the guest who waits inside

Thou art the stranger at the door

Thou art the calling of the poor

Thou art peace

Thou art calm

Thou art my love

Thou art my Lord and with me still

Thou art my love, keep me from ill

Thou art the light, the truth, the way

Thou art my Saviour this day

Thou art my Saviour this very day

## **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 debts, as we forgive our debtors;  
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: I Sing the Mighty Power of God (Hymnal #32)**

Text: Isaac Watts, 1715, alt.; Music: *Gesangbuch der Herzogl. Wirtembergischen Katholischen Hofkapelle*, 1784; alt. 1868

**I sing the mighty power of God that made the mountains rise  
That spread the flowing seas abroad and built the lofty skies  
I sing the wisdom that ordained the sun to rule the day  
The moon shines full at God's command, and all the stars obey  
I sing the goodness of the Lord who filled the earth with food  
God formed the creatures through the Word, and then pronounced them good  
Lord, how thy wonders are displayed, where'er I turn my eye  
If I survey the ground I tread, or gaze upon the sky!  
There's not a plant or flower below but makes thy glories known  
And clouds arise, and tempests blow, by order from thy throne  
While all that borrows life from thee is ever in thy care  
And everywhere that we can be, thou, God, art present there**

## **Prayer of Thanksgiving**

For all that you have given us,  
we thank you, gracious God.  
For day and night, evening and morning,  
for land and sea, for fish and birds,  
plants and animals, for humankind,  
and for your Son, who came among us  
with the gift of life abundant.  
Let your Holy Spirit abide in our midst  
and work through our gifts,  
that all people may have joy and peace,  
in Jesus' name. Amen.