


Trinity Church

Shelburne Falls, Massachusetts



AS AN OPEN AND AFFIRMING CONGREGATION 
THE MISSION AND PURPOSE OF TRINITY CHURCH IS TO
GATHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE.
GROW IN FAITH, LOVE AND SERVICE.
GO INTO THE WORLD AS DISCIPLES AND APOSTLES.

TRINITY CHURCH

July 28, 2024

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 AM

We welcome all of you to our worship service this Sunday!

Enter in stillness...Know that the Lord is God.

Sing with delight...it is God who hears.

Depart in peace...it is God's gift for you.

Listen in reverence...it is God who has made us.

Speak with conviction...there is no other God.

Serve with joy...it is your gift to God!

Please welcome guest preacher for today, Rev. Marilyn Wilcox.

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CENTERING HYMN #79

"HOLY GOD, WE PRAISE THY NAME"

CALL TO WORSHIP

Out of the depths we cry to you, O Holy One. God, hear our voices! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of our supplications!

If you, O God, should mark iniquities, who could stand? But there is forgiveness with you, so that you may be revered.

We wait for the Divine One; our souls wait, and in the Word we hope; our soul waits for the Holy One more than those who watch for the morning.

O creation, hope in the creator! For with the Holy One there is steadfast love and with God there is great power to redeem.

It is the Creator who will redeem creation from all its imperfections.

UNISON PRAYER

Dear precious God, be upon us this day in our worship and praise. Strengthen our faith in the inclusive and loving teachings of Christ and may the Holy Spirit be our guide as we pray and discern our gathering as your church to be the disciples of God's realm in the world today. We pray this in the name of Jesus the Christ. Amen.

OPENING HYMN #599

"BREAK THOUGH BREAD OF LIFE"

TIME FOR ALL AGES

FIRST READING

PSALM 130

EPISTLE

2 CORINTHIANS 8: 7-15

SERMON – Where Does Our Soul Lie?

MUSICAL INTERLUDE

JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

Our loving God, 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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

THE OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow
Praise God, all creatures here below
Praise God for all that love has done;
Creator, Christ and Spirit one. Amen**

COMMUNION – *Please see insert.*

*CLOSING HYMN #2027

"NOW PRAISE THE HIDDEN GOD OF LOVE"

*BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION RESPONSE – HYMN #673

"GOD BE WITH YOU TILL WE MEET AGAIN" (V 1)

POSTLUDE

**Stand as you are able*

Calendar and Notices

All events are at or around the church building unless otherwise noted.

This week

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| Wednesday | ➤ Playgroup | 9:30 a.m. - 11 a.m. |
| Thursday | ➤ AA | 7 p.m. |
| Friday | ➤ Creative Movement for Children | 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. |
| | ➤ Farmers Market <i>at the Baptist Lot</i> | 2 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. |
| | ➤ Community Meal | 5:30 p.m. |

Looking ahead

Presiding over Sunday services in August: **August 4** - Lois Bascom; **August 11** - Wes Rice
August 18 - Tom Williams; **August 25** - Thad Bennet

Leadership Team Co-Chairs: Beth Martin and Eileen
McCusker Rauch
Music Director: Keith Rollinson
Custodian: Pat Valeski

Ministers: Members of the Congregation
Church Secretary: Brook Batteau
Nursery Attendant: Lisa Porter

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