

He says, "Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations,
I will be exalted in the earth."

Psalm 46 : 10

PRELUDE

(Quiet meditation and private prayer)

WELCOME AND SHARING OF THE PEACE OF GOD

* Indicates Congregation to stand, *if able*

* CALL TO WORSHIP [*responsively*]

Leader: Here in this place, there are no foreigners,

People: For all are welcome in God's house.

Leader: Here in this worship, there is only acceptance,

People: For love is the language of faith.

Leader: Here in our lives, there are no divisions,

People: For God dwells in each of us.

Together: Come, let us worship in unity and love.

* OPENING HYMN Sweet Hour of Prayer UMH 496

* OPENING PRAYER [*unison*]

O Holy God, like Isaiah the prophet, we stand in awe of Your glory, feeling tremendously small and polluted by our sin, and the sin of our society. Even so, You touch us with Your burning presence, and we are made clean and whole. O God, our Creator, continue to build this household of faith into what You want us to be. O Christ, our Savior, lead us to do as You will. O Spirit, our Power, strengthen us for the work of the Kingdom, today as well as tomorrow. O Blessed Trinity, fill this place and all who are present here this morning with Your presence. For yours is the Power, and the Salvation, and the Creation, now and always. Amen.

* ACTS OF PRAISE Come Let Us Sing / I Love To Be In Your Presence Spirit Touch Your Church I Exalt Thee

PROCLAMATION

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION (*in unison led by Scripture Reader*)

Gracious God, give us humble, teachable, and obedient hearts, that we may receive what you have revealed, and do what you have commanded. Amen.

SCRIPTURE LESSON : 2 Chronicles 6 : 18 - 21, 39 - 40; OT 426
Acts 12 : 1 - 5 NT 1068

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

HYMN OF PREPARATION More Love to Thee, O Christ UMH 453

SERMON "A Church After God's Own Heart:
Is Becoming a House of Prayer." *by Rev Joshua Hong*

RESPONSE

* **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** UMH 881

* **GLORIA PATRI** UMH 70

OFFERTORY PRAYER (*Led by the Pastor*)

OFFERTORIES

(*Please note that the red offering bag is for general offering. The blue offering bag is for offering to the needy*)

PARISH NEWS

DOXOLOGY UMH 95

THANKSGIVING

* **HOLY COMMUNION** UMH 12-15

THE COMMUNION OF PASTORS & PEOPLE

During communion, please sing the first two stanzas of the following hymns:

616	362	337	399	467	469
427	472	530	622	640	301

* **HYMN OF DEDICATION** Teach Me To Pray

* **BENEDICTION**

* **THREEFOLD AMEN** [*unison*] UMH 898
[*Quiet meditation and personal prayers*]

ALTAR MINISTRY

Those who need prayers may come forward to the altar area for ministry.

If you are here for the first time, we warmly welcome you to Trinity Methodist Church, PJ.
May our worship service draw you closer to God.

If you would, do give our Pastors and us an opportunity to be introduced to you personally.
We shall be pleased to pray with you should you need someone to do so with you at the end of the service.