

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

June 19th, 2011

Trinity Sunday

•Those who are able may stand

GATHERING IN GOD'S PRESENCE

Prelude and Chimes

Greetings and Announcements

Call to Worship (Acts 1:1)

Leader: Why do you stand looking up toward heaven?

People: This Jesus will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven.

Prayer of the Day

Recognition of Fathers

•**Hymn 271** "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me" (Red Hymnal)

TOPLADY

•**Prayer of Confession (Kyrie Eleison)**

Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

SILENT CONFESSION

•**Assurance of Pardon (Psalm 103:8, 10-12)**

Leader: The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and plenteous in mercy. He hath not dealt with us after our sins, nor rewarded us according to our iniquities. As the heavens are high above the earth, so great is his mercy toward them that fear him.

People: As far as the east is from the west, so far hath he removed our transgressions from us.

•**Responding to God's Forgiveness - The Gloria Patri #579**

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Prayer of Illumination

First Scripture Reading

Special Music "America the Beautiful"

Soloist: Julie Turner

Second Scripture Reading

Sermon

Rev. Joel P. Thornton

RESPONDING TO THE WORD OF GOD

•**Apostles' Creed** (p.12 - Red Hymnal)

•**Hymn 276** "There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood" (Red Hymnal)

CLEANSING FOUNTAIN

GIVING THANKS TO GOD

Offering Our Lives and Presenting Our Tithes

Offertory

•**Doxology (#592)**

•**The Prayer of Dedication**

The Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

GOING FORTH INTO THE WORLD

•**Hymn 383** "I Love to Tell the Story" (Red Hymnal)

HANKEY

•**The Charge and Blessing**

•**The Congregational Response** #538 "Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing"

Lord, dismiss us with Thy blessing; Fill our hearts with joy and peace;
Let us each, Thy love possessing, Triumph in redeeming grace.
O refresh us, O refresh us, Traveling through this wilderness.

Postlude

WELCOME TO BETHEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

We hope you will find a home for your heart and an opportunity to serve.