

# Seminary United Methodist Church

May 27, 2018 – Trinity Sunday & Memorial Day Sunday

Season of Pentecost

Opening

Brooke Branyan

## Welcome & Greeting

\*Opening Hymns\*

“America the Beautiful”

UMH #697

## Call to Worship

Leader: Lord, we live in a broken world!

People: *Let the fire of Your Holy Spirit fall and bring healing.*

Leader: Lord, we live in a world of sin and selfishness.

People: *Let the fire of Your Spirit fall and purge us of sin and self.*

Leader: Lord, we live in a world of sickness.

People: *Let the fire of Your Spirit fall and bring Your healing touch!*

Leader: Lord, we live in a world where many do not know You.

People: *Let the fire of Your Holy Spirit fall from heaven and cause us to look up!*

Leader: Lord, we live in a world of confusion.

People: *May Your Holy Spirit come among us and bring us comfort and peace*

All: **AMEN**

## Bringing the light of Christ into the Sanctuary

### Unison Prayer for Trinity Sunday

*Father, You sent Your Word to bring us truth and Your Spirit to make us holy.*

*Through them we come to know the mystery of Your life.*

*Help us to worship You, one God in three persons,*

*You reveal Yourself in the depths of our being, by proclaiming and living our faith in you.*

*Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son,*

*who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,*

*one God for ever and ever. Amen*

## Worship through Giving

\*Doxology\* *“Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.”*

New Testament Reading

I Peter 1:1-9

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God!

People: *We will hide God’s Word in our hearts that we might not sin against God.”*

Children’s Message

“The Clover”

\*\*Children dismissed to children’s church following this presentation\*\*

## Pastoral Prayer with 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 trespasses as we forgive our tresspassors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. AMEN.*

\*Hymn\*:

“Holy, Holy, Holy”

UMH #64

\*Gospel Reading\*

Matthew 3:16-17; 28:18-20

Leader: This is Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ

People: *May we proclaim Jesus with our words and how we live*

Message: *“No One Ever Really Dies Until They Are Forgotten”*

\*Hymn\*:

“My Country ‘tis of Thee”

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## \*Benediction\*

May the Holy Spirit come to us and among us; May the Spirit come as wind and cleanse us, come as fire and burn, come as the dew and refresh; May the Spirit convict, convert & consecrate many hearts and lives to Your great glory; We ask this in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.

\*Sung Benediction\*

“Freely, Freely”

UMH # 389

*Carrying the light of Christ out into God’s World*

## Welcome to Worship

*We are honored that you have chosen to worship with us today. We hope this time of worship draws you closer to God. Please sign in the attendance notepads when passed so we can get acquainted with you. Thank you! Please join us for a time of refreshments and conversation following the service in the Wesley Gathering Room on this level.*

**Thank you to all who serve today!**

Ushers: Doug Tellas, Tom Gross, Mike Polzin, Marv Hathaway  
Lay Leader Today: Brooke Branyan  
Liturgist: Carolyn Dearduff  
Acolytes: Nursery Worker: Lily Johnson  
Children's Church Teacher:  
Greeter: Fred & Carolyn Johns  
Coffee Hour Host: Janet Tellas and Brooke Branyan  
Pianist: Holly Stanley  
Sound & Video: Justin Beihold, Gary Beihold, Steve Eisenhut

### **Reminders for Next Week (June 3, 2018)**

Ushers: Steve Eisenhut, Bill Quickery, Max Colclessor, Ron Hathaway  
Lay Leader Today: Brooke Branyan  
Liturgist: Brooke Branyan  
Acolytes: Jeff Gross, Eric Beihold  
Nursery Worker:  
Children's Sunday School Teacher: Jenny Gross  
Greeter: Marv & Diana  
Coffee Hour Host: Carol Johnson  
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