

In the Beginning, not in time or space, but in the quick before both space and time, in Life, in Love, in co-inherent Grace, in three in one and one in three, in rhyme, in music, in the whole creation story, in his own image, his imagination, the Triune Poet makes us for God's glory, and makes us each the other's inspiration. The poet calls us out of darkness, chaos, chance, to improvise a music of our own, to sing the chord that calls us to the dance, three notes resounding from a single tone, to sing the End in whom we all begin; our God beyond, beside us and within.

Malcolm Guite

# **Trinity Sunday**

May 30, 2021 Lake Shore Baptist Church

**Prelude** 

"Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart" arr. Heather Sorenson

Cindy Fuller

#### Welcome

#### Kim Kellison and Rory Stonikinis

We are a welcoming and affirming community of Christians, attempting to discover, articulate, and embody the meaning of the Gospel in the world today. We welcome all at Lake Shore because we believe that God's love knows no bounds.

# Passing of the Peace

ONE: The peace of Christ be with you. **MANY: And also with you.** 

# Call to Worship

from Psalm 29

**Sharlande Sledge** 

ONE: Ascribe to the Lord, O heavenly beings,

MANY: Ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

ONE: The voice of the Lord is over the waters;

MANY: The glory of God thunders over mighty waters.

ONE: The Lord sits enthroned over the flood;

MANY: The Lord sits enthroned as ruler forever.

ONE: May the Lord give strength to God's people!

MANY: May the Lord bless God's people with peace!

Invocation

# **Gospel Reading**

John 3:1-17

Milo Grant

ONE: This is the Gospel of Grace. **MANY: Thanks be to God.** 

Children's Message

Gift of Music

"In This Hour" Heather Sorenson Cindy Fuller

#### Prayer for the World

# Kim Kellison and Rory Stonikinis

ONE: O God – Creator, Redeemer, Spirit -- you are the Breath that gives us

life, the Wind that gives us energy for your mission, the Encouragement

that sustains us. Spirit of God,

MANY: Breathe your care on our world.

ONE: Send your Spirit to regions where violence has recently erupted and

peace has not yet settled. Spirit of God,

MANY: Breathe your care on our world.

ONE: Send your Spirit to all the places where weather or natural disasters have

added turmoil to places already fragile in resources for its people's

health and well-being. Spirit of God,

MANY: Breathe your care on our world.

ONE: Send your Spirit to all those giving their best medical efforts in the

struggle against Covid-19 and its variants, all those who are grieving the suffering or loss of family and friends, all those working for vaccines to

reach the arms of everyone in the world. Spirit of God,

MANY: Breathe your care on our world.

ONE: Send your Spirit to carry our prayers to those in our own community

who need compassion and love. Spirit of God,

MANY: Breathe your care on the world.

ONE: Send your Spirit to us, for we need your energy and encouragement as

we live the mission you set before us. Spirit of God,

MANY: Breathe your care on us.

# Congregational Song "Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart" MORECAMBE



# **Epistle Reading**

Romans 8:12-17, 26-27

**Richard Groves** 

ONE: This is the Word of the Lord.

MANY: Thanks be to God.

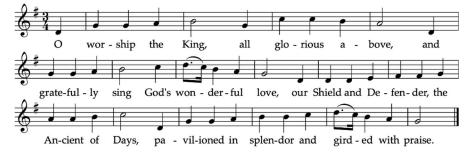
#### Sermon

"Too Deep for Words"

#### **Pastoral Benediction**

# **Congregational Benediction**

"O Worship the King" LYONS



#### Postlude

"Postludium II" arr. Ron Boud

**Cindy Fuller** 

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