

The "Christ hymn" in Philippians 2 proclaims that after Jesus humbled himself even to the point of death, God exalted him, and that eventually all will worship him. What two body parts are named as part of that worship?

- A. knee; tongue
- B. hands; feet
- C. arms; lips
- D. heart; mouth



Answer: A (See Philippians 2:10-11.)

### Welcome to the Community Church in Harrington Park!

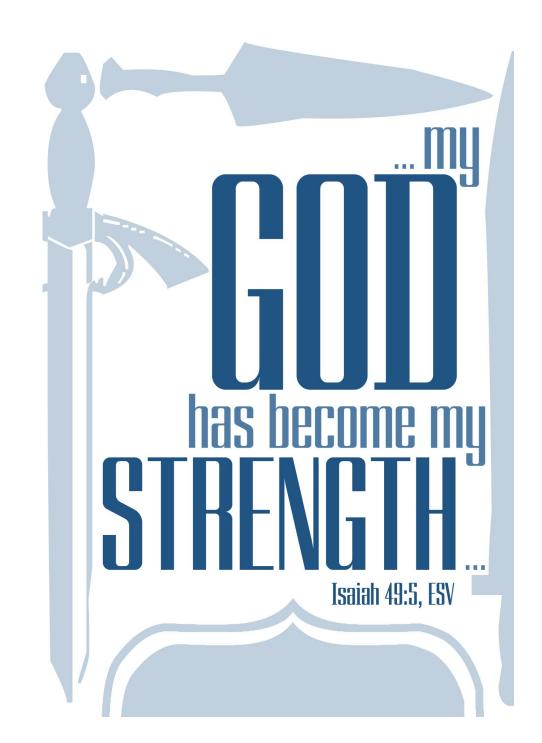
We are glad you are here today. Here are a few things that might be helpful to you.

Large print hymnals are available, as well as hearing assistive devices. Please speak to an usher.

Restrooms are just outside the sanctuary in the main hallway opposite the office.

It would be a big help to us if you would either fill out one of the white pew cards in front of you and place it in the offering plate or sign the guest book on your way out.

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## **Order of Worship**

Striving to be what Christ tells us through Scripture.

June 15, 2025 Trinity Sunday

"This Little Light of Mine" arr. Mark Hayes

10 AM

Amy Duran, Barbara Ciannella, piano

WELCOME

**PRELUDE** 

CHORAL INTROIT

Our Approach to God

CALL TO WORSHIP from Psalm 25

Leader: To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul. O my God, in you I

trust; do not let me be put to shame.

People: Do not let my enemies exult over me, do not let

those who wait for you be put to shame; let them be

ashamed who are wantonly treacherous.

Leader: Make me know your ways, O Lord; teach me your

paths.

People: Lead me in your truth and teach me, for you are the

God of my salvation; for you I wait all day long.

Leader: Good and upright is the Lord; therefore he instructs

sinners in the way.

People: He leads the humble in what is right and teaches

the humble his way. All the paths of the Lord are steadfast love and faithfulness, for those who keep

his covenant and his decrees.

\*HYMN "Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty" #3

CHANCEL CHOIR "May the Road Rise to Meet You" Victor Johnson

Noah Vece, oboe

CHILDREN'S MOMENT Pastor Waldis

PASSING OF THE PEACE

The Word of God

\*HYMN "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" #43

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE Isaiah 49:5-7

Philippians 2:1-11

Amy Duran, liturgist

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SERMON "Super Hero" Pastor Waldis

PRAYER FOR BLESSING ON THE WORD

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Meaning of the Sacrament (Responsive) insert

Invitation

Communion Prayer (Responsive) insert

Communion

Communion Thanksgiving (Responsive) insert

Our Response to God

**OFFERTORY** 

\*DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER #815

JOYS, THANKS AND CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

THE GENERAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

\*HYMN "God of Our Fathers" #809

BENEDICTION

CHORAL AMEN

POSTLUDE "Christians. We Have Met to Worship" arr. Mark Haves

Amy Duran, Barbara Ciannella, piano

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**PRAYER CONCERNS:** Anonymous; Lynn Baker; DeAnna and Roger Carman; Lauren Clarke; Harold Friedeman; Janet Kosack; Nancy Lanzalotto; Ed Serrano; Curtis Stock; Craig Terjanian; Barry Wood.

**UNITY PRAYER:** Lord, we pray for the strength and compassion to use our tongues to encourage one another, uplift one another, and to help restore folks, and to not use our tongues to sow discord or make hurtful remarks or to gossip.

**THE FLOWERS** are given by Jane and Bruce Marshall in loving memory of their fathers, Jim Foster and Jack Marshall, and by Ann Froeder with love, joy, and blessings for her son, Dustin Wunschel's, first Father's Day.

#### **THIS WEEK**

Wednesday

7:00 Ramsey Wind Symphony

### **Sunday, June 22, 2025**

10:00 Worship

**HAPPY FATHERS' DAY** to all the fathers, grandfathers, and great-grandfathers! Enjoy your day.

TODAY IS ALSO TRINITY SUNDAY – From beliefnet.com: Trinity Sunday is the first Sunday after Pentecost to honor the Holy Trinity – the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. While the word "trinity" does not appear in in Scripture, it is taught in Matthew 28:18-20 and 2 Corinthians 13:14 along with many other Bible passages. The Bible tells us, "And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit" (Matthew 28:18-20). The concept of the Holy Trinity can never be completely understood. That is the mystery. But it is clearly taught in Scripture. Understanding this comes through the work of the Holy Spirit; therefore, it is appropriate that this mystery is celebrated the first Sunday after Pentecost, when the outpouring of the Holy Spirit first occurred.

**DEDICATE A BOUQUET –** Sign up on the flower calendar at the top of the stairs to donate a bouquet in memory of a loved one or to celebrate a special date. The cost is \$25; make your check payable to Guild for Christian Service; leave it with your dedication on the desk on the church office.



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### **Two Summer Bible Studies!**

Did you know that there is a book in the Old Testament that is sometimes called the Fifth Gospel? Why? Because there are so many references in it to the coming Messiah and to the suffering He would endure for you and for me.



This "Fifth Gospel" is the book written by the prophet Isaiah.

We will not study the entire book, but we will look at how to understand the poetic style of writing, how to see the book in relation to the complexity of the time period, how the book pictures the coming Messiah, and how there is a prophetic message for us in the book (as it was in the time of Isaiah), both a warning and an encouragement. And, of course, how the book of Isaiah can help us learn to wait upon God for strength. And give us His peace. (Isaiah 26:3)

The Bible Study will begin the week of July 7 and will be held for 5 weeks. The Zoom study will be held on <u>Tuesday evenings</u>, <u>beginning at 7:30</u>. The in-person study will be held on <u>Thursday mornings</u>, <u>beginning at 10:00 am</u>. We welcome all to join one of these studies. You can shift between groups as you need to. The sign-up sheet is in the Narthex.

**Pastor Zach** will also be leading a Bible study on Ruth in the summer. It will begin next Sunday, June 22 at 11:15 in the Johnson Chapel and continue for four weeks through July 12<sup>th</sup>. Feel free to join in!

## Philippians 2: 1-11 Super Hero

# Exegesis (Background)

1. Paul wants them to like Jesus.
2. God took on the form of a
3. Jesus humbled himself and will someday be
Life Application
We should others.
Serving others means

### **Meaning of the Sacrament**

Leader: Beloved in the Lord Jesus Christ, the holy supper which we are

about to celebrate is a feast of remembrance, of communion, and

of hope.

People: We come in remembrance that our Lord Jesus Christ was

sent of the Father into the world to assume our flesh and blood and to fulfill for us all obedience to the divine law,

even to the bitter and shameful death of the cross.

Leader: By His death, resurrection, and ascension He established a new

and eternal covenant of grace and reconciliation that we might be

accepted of God and never be forsaken by Him.

People: We come to have communion with this same Christ who has

promised to be with us always, even to the end of the world.

Leader: In the breaking of the bread He makes Himself known to us as

the true heavenly bread that strengthens us unto life eternal.

In the cup of blessing He comes to us as the Vine in whom

People: In the cup of blessing He comes to us as the we must abide if we are to bear fruit.

Leader: We come in hope, believing that this bread and this cup are a

pledge and foretaste of the feast of love of which we shall partake when His kingdom has fully come, when with unveiled face we

shall behold Him, made like unto Him in His glory.

People: Since by His death, resurrection, and ascension Christ has

obtained for us the life-giving Spirit who unites us all in one body, so are we to receive this Supper in true love, mindful

of the communion of saints.

#### **Communion Prayer**

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts!

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Leader: With your whole Church on earth and with all the company of

heaven we worship and adore Your glorious name.

People: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and

earth are full of Your glory. Hosanna in the highest!
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest!

Leader: Together we proclaim the mystery of the faith:

People: Christ has died! Christ is risen! Christ will come again!

**Communion Thanksgiving** 

Leader: Brothers and sisters, since the Lord has now fed us at His

Table, let us praise God's holy name with heartfelt

thanksgiving! Bless the Lord, O my soul,

People: and all that is within me, bless His holy name.

**Leader:** Bless the Lord, O my soul,

People: and do not forget all His benefits

Leader: Who forgives all your iniquity,
People: Who heals all your diseases,

**Leader:** Who redeems your life from the Pit,

People: Who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy.

**Leader:** The Lord is merciful and gracious,

People: slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

Leader: He does not deal with us according to our sins, People: nor repay us according to our iniquities.

**Leader:** For as the heavens are high above the earth,

People: so great is His steadfast love toward those who fear

Him;

**Leader:** As far as the east is from the west,

People: So far does He remove our transgressions from us.

**Leader:** As a father has compassion for his children,

People: So the Lord has compassion for those who fear him,

**Leader:** Who did not spare His own Son,

but gave Him up for us all,

and will also give us all things with Him.

People: Therefore shall my mouth and heart show forth the

praise of the Lord, from this time forth forevermore.

Amen