

ALKI UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

May 29, 2022
Trinity Sunday



Gathering Music

Zachary Kellogg, Guest Accompanist

Welcome

Rev. Dr. Bill Peterson, Guest Pastor

Call to Worship

Cinda S, Liturgist

Sung Response

Sanctuary

**Lord prepare me to be a sanctuary,
pure and holy, tried and true;
With thanksgiving,
I'll be a living sanctuary for you. (2x)**

Contemporary Voice

“Swells” A reflection by Rev. Bill on life’s changes
Without warning they come,
Lifting your life from the sand on which you stand.
Reaching for safety, it seems
Nothing is there to be found
Hope is only in submitting your will to the swell.
Trusting.
Using its energy to save you.
Being rolled - tumbled - humbled,
Surviving Salvation
Until you are thrown back into to life
As a new creation.

Opening Song

To You, O God, All Creatures Sing, #17 NCH

Scripture Reading

Proverbs 8: 1-4 and 22-36 (NRSV)

Does not wisdom call, and does not understanding raise her voice?
On the heights, beside the way, at the crossroads she takes her stand;
beside the gates in front of the town, at the entrance of the portals she cries out:
“To you, O people, I call, and my cry is to all that live.
The Lord created me at the beginning of his work, the first of his acts of long ago.
Ages ago I was set up, at the first, before the beginning of the earth.
When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no springs
abounding with water.

Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth—
when he had not yet made earth and fields, or the world’s first bits of soil.
When he established the heavens, I was there, when he drew a circle on the face of the deep,
when he made firm the skies above, when he established the fountains of the deep,
when he assigned to the sea its limit, so that the waters might not transgress his command,
when he marked out the foundations of the earth, then I was beside him, like a master worker;
and I was daily his delight, rejoicing before him always, rejoicing in his inhabited world and
delighting in the human race. “And now, my children, listen to me: happy are those who keep my
ways. Hear instruction and be wise, and do not neglect it.
Happy is the one who listens to me, watching daily at my gates,
waiting beside my doors. For whoever finds me finds life and obtains favor from the Lord;
but those who miss me injure themselves; all who hate me love death.”

Second Song *Beautiful Jesus, #44 NCH*

Homily “Getting Centered”

Prayer Time *The Lord’s Prayer*

Stewardship Moment/Offering Invitation

Musical Offering *Improv* Zachary Kellogg, Pianist

Offering Prayer

Announcements

Moment of Ministry Outreach/Social Justice

Third Hymn *Come Now, Almighty God, #275 NCH*

Benediction

Sung Response *Peace I Leave with You*

Postlude

Hospitality Hour

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*Musical selections and service order subject to change.
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