



May 30, 2021

Trinity Sunday

9:30 a.m.

PRELUDE

Keith Ciccone, Organ

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Suzy Aja Burba

INTROIT

Christ for the World We Sing!

Valerie Johnson, Soprano

CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsive)

Testify to the goodness of God.

Sing praise to God our creator.

Testify to the love of Christ.

Sing praise to Christ our redeemer.

Testify to the presence of the Holy Spirit.

Sing praise to the Spirit our sustainer.

HYMN

Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION (Unison)

Amazing God, revealed to us in more ways than we can count, yet binding in unity all that was and is and yet shall be, we worship you. Source of mountains and seas, giver of light and darkness, we marvel at the work of your hands. Reconciler and Redeemer, we are awed by the forgiving love that draws us to you and empowers us to care for one another. Spirit of truth, whose guidance is available to us every day, we rejoice in your transforming presence. Triune God, bless, we pray, this gathering of your disciples. Amen.

* Indicates all who are able may stand

Please silence your cell phones

***GLORIA PATRI**

*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.*

SCRIPTURE READING John 3:1-17

SERMON “Two Teachers” Rev. Suzy Aja Burba

MUSIC RESPONSE

PASTORAL PRAYER

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory for ever. Amen.

HYMN *To God be the Glory*

DEDICATION OF OFFERINGS

***DOXOLOGY**

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him, all creatures, here, below.
Praise Him, above, ye heav’nly hosts.
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen*

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

Giving God, we are grateful for wisdom, for beauty, for the ways in which we see your glory in all creation. Most of all, we thank you for caring for us and for entrusting to us the ministry of caring for the earth and for one another. May these offerings extend the faith and honor to you: Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer. Amen.

HYMN *Lift High the Cross*

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE



FIRST CHURCH BRAINTREE ANNOUNCEMENTS

UPCOMING MEETINGS (ALL ON ZOOM)

PRUDENTIAL—Tuesday, June 1 at 7:00pm

WORSHIP MINISTRY—Tuesday, June 8 at 7:00pm

LEADERSHIP—Tuesday, June 15 at 7:00pm

THE AUTUMN FAIR IS BACK! Saturday, October 23, 2021

If you would like to assist in the planning for our Autumn Fair, please join us for a **meeting on Sunday, June 13th at 11am** in the Upper Parish Hall.

The next DRIVE & DROP FOOD DRIVE is Wednesday, June 2nd - 5:00-7:00pm

The June Wish List: Mayo, Baked beans, Small jars of jelly, Dish soap, Kraft Mac and Cheese, Protein drinks (Ensure or other brands), Spaghetti, Spaghetti sauce, Mustard, Catchup, Raisin Bran

Anyone needing food support can stop by the Marge Crispin Center Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday from 10-2. People can go on behalf of a friend or neighbor or family member.

Grocery Gift Cards are always welcome!

FIRST WEDNESDAY FOOD DRIVE

5:00pm - 7:00pm

on the First Wednesday of Each Month
12 ELM STREET, BRAINTREE

Drive &
Drop



Contact
Free

781-843-3616

Donations for the
MARGE CRISPIN CENTER FOOD PANTRY

The First Congregational Church of Braintree, Massachusetts

**NEXT
SUNDAY**

Call

Annual Ministry Meeting

In person *and* via ZOOM**

11:00 A.M., Sunday, June 6, 2021

ARTICLES

- Vote to approve 2021-22 Worship Ministry Team Roster
- Update on Church Finances
- Team Reports

*** If you plan to attend via zoom, please let the office know by June 1st so we can make the appropriate technical arrangements.*



THANK YOU for joining us at this Service of Worship at First Congregational Church. Of all the things you could have done this morning, we're glad you chose to be with us.



You may attend in-person or view the live-stream of this morning's service.

Subscribe to the First Church YouTube channel:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCTaGrBGnYzfM66pS7Bd4PvA>

Non-perishable Food Pantry donations are collected for The Marge Crispin Center on the **first Wednesday of the Month** in front of the church. Contact free! Just drive by and drop. Or place your donations in the basket in LPH or the Narthex. Thank you!

Televised Worship Services are broadcast on BCAM: Verizon Channel 28, Comcast Channel 9, on Saturday at 8:00 AM and Sunday at 10:00 AM.

First Church Office Hours are Monday through Friday, 9:00am—1:00pm.



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