

CAPE COD COVENANT CHURCH
Trinity Sunday

June 4, 2023

10:30am

WELCOME

CHORAL INTROIT *O Breath of God* Shackley

CALL TO WORSHIP

Lord God, Creator of all; You created us to be Your People; a people free to love and to serve You with all our mind, with all our heart and with all our strength.

So we come to worship our God, leaving behind all that binds us: our doubts and our fears; our failures and our hopelessness.

Lord Jesus Christ, Savior of all: You came as a child, gathered into the loving embrace of a family. As an adult, You shared love, laughter and tears with those whom You knew as friends, and the love of the Father with all who would receive it.

So we come to love and to honor You, celebrating the fellowship of those You have called to be Your disciples.

Gracious Spirit, Inspirer of all; hovering over us gathered here; eternally breathing life into all of creation; endlessly giving, endlessly comforting, bringing us purpose and peace.

We come to be still in Your presence; to hear again the whisper and laughter of God breathing life and joy into our souls.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord, God Almighty!
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

*HYMN *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty* 113

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Loving God, we are limited in our understanding of You, but we know that You care for us and for all creation. Thank You for loving us and remaining with us in all of our journey through life. Thank You for the life of Jesus whose example shows us the way to joy and wholeness and faith. Thank You for your Spirit who leads us into closer communion with You and our neighbors. Open our hearts that we might accept Your love, Your call, and Your blessings. We ask this in the name of Jesus the Christ. Amen.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING FOR OUR STUDENTS AND BARBARA BURNETT

(Children through 6th grade are dismissed for Sunday School)

CHORAL ANTHEM *This House* Martin

THE WORD OF GOD
Old Testament: Genesis 1
Response: The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God!

*GLORIA PATRI 2nd Century
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.

HOMILY "Hovering Over the Waters" Pastor Johnny

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION
Hymn of Preparation *Living Waters* insert
Call to Communion
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 sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

The Bread and The Cup
*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.**

CHORAL BENEDICTION *A Choral Benediction* Besig

PRAYER OF BLESSING FOR THE PICNIC

POSTLUDE

All are welcome to enjoy the church picnic following worship!

- An offering plate is in the narthex by the doors to the sanctuary. Thank you for your continued faithfulness to the ministries of our church.
- For hearing enhancement devices or information on our T-Loop Hearing System, please visit our morning usher.
- **HEY KIDS!** You'll be dismissed during worship to head downstairs for Sunday School. Be sure to visit our **YOUNG READERS LENDING LIBRARY** (shaped like a lighthouse and located next to the elevator in the narthex) to borrow an age-appropriate bible.
- Copies of our weekly Prayer List can be found on the table in the narthex by the exterior doors, or online at www.capecodcovenantchurch.com

The flowers in the Sanctuary this morning are given by Barbara Burnett in honor of her brother, sister and father.



CAPE COD COVENANT CHURCH

a place to belong, believe & become

Welcome! We are thrilled that you have chosen to join with us this morning as we worship our amazing God of grace and love. We hope that you will discover this to be a place where you can BELONG, BELIEVE and BECOME.

If you are here with us for the first time, please be sure to visit our church website, www.capecodcovenantchurch.com

Pastor:	Rev. Johnny Agurkis
Church Administrator:	Joan Thompson
Director of Music Ministries:	Mary Avellar
Accompanist:	Sara Pattie
Pastor Emeritus:	Rev. Thomas Nelson

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...and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters.

-Genesis 1:1