

AN EVER-WIDENING CIRCLE OF GRACE



# Ridgefield-Crystal Lake Presbyterian Church

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**John Dillon, Pastor**  
**Trinity Sunday**  
**June 16, 2019 | 11:00**

*As a courtesy, please silence cell phones before worship.  
A “+” indicates all are invited to stand in either body or spirit.*

## WE GATHER

WELCOME AND NEWS OF THE CHURCH ALIVE!

+CALL TO WORSHIP

One: We gather in this place where God, Son, and Spirit  
explode into love.

**All: On this Trinity Sunday,  
may we also become one in worship.**

+HYMN 1: HOLY, HOLY, HOLY! LORD GOD ALMIGHTY!

+PRAYER OF CONFESSION

One: In humility and faith, and in silence,  
let us confess our sins before God.

~ *silence* ~

One: Parent God, three-in-one,  
you gather us together in this safe place.  
Grant that even with all our different ideas and different  
questions we should feel safe.

**All: Safe to admit our failures, knowing your love.  
Encircle us, bringing us together;  
enfold us, drawing us closer to you;  
empower and energize us.**

One: May we keep hearing the Word you spoke, O God,  
keep sharing the love you gave, O Christ,  
keep living in the creativity and community  
in which you inspire us, O Spirit.

**All: In the name of God, Son, and Holy Spirit,  
the blessed Three in One. So be it.**

+ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS AND PASSING THE PEACE

One: Friends, believe the good news,

**All: in the risen Christ, we are forgiven.**

One: Let us share his peace.

**WE GROW**

WEE WORSHIP

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

HYMN 491: YOU HAVE PUT ON CHRIST

**You have put on Christ;  
in Christ you have been baptized.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**We have put on Christ;  
in Christ we have been baptized.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!**

1 You have put on Christ; in Christ you have been bap-tized.  
2 We have put on Christ; in Christ we have been bap-tized.

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

SPECIAL MUSIC: THEME FOR CLARINET

Michele Mangani

SCRIPTURE:

Romans 8:14-17

SUNG RESPONSE: SPIRIT OF THE LIVING GOD

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**Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.  
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.  
Melt me; mold me; fill me; use me.  
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.**

MESSAGE *“Trinity. God’s Essential Nature.”*

Rev. John Dillon

ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF DEACONS AND ELDERS

+HYMN 691: LORD, WHEN I CAME INTO THIS LIFE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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 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, forever. Amen.**

OFFERING: BE THOU MY VISION

arr. Wayne Fritchie

+DOXOLOGY:

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**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
praise God, all creatures here below;  
praise God above, ye heavenly host;  
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

+PRAYER OF DEDICATION

+HYMN 547: GO MY CHILDREN WITH MY BLESSING

+SENDING

*We gather in grace, we grow in grace, we go in grace...  
The journey continues in an ever-widening circle of grace.*

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