

Prelude	
Greeting/Announcements	
Hymn	“Holy, Holy, Holy” 165 LBW
Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness	pg 77 LBW
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Hymn of Praise	“Praise to the Father” 517 LBW
Prayer of the Day	
	Almighty God our Father, dwelling in majesty and mystery, renewing and fulfilling creation by your eternal Spirit, and revealing your glory through our Lord, Jesus Christ: Cleanse us from doubt and fear, and enable us to worship you, with your Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, living and reigning, now and forever. Amen.
First Reading	Isaiah 6:1-8
Second Reading	Acts 2:14a, 22-36
Faith Seeds	Shelly Kirchoff
	Faith Seeds is a time for children of all ages to come forward for a lesson geared to them.
The Gospel Acclamation	
	“Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.”
The Announcement of the Gospel	“Glory to You, O Lord”
Gospel	John 3:1-17
Response after the Gospel	“Praise to You, Oh Christ”
Sermon	“What’s in a Name?” Pastor Scott Grorud
Hymn	“All Glory Be to God on High”..... 166 LBW

The Athanasian Creed (Abridged)

We worship one God in trinity and the Trinity in unity, neither confusing the persons nor dividing the divine being. For the Father is one person, the Son is another and the Spirit is still another.

But the deity of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit is one, equal in glory, co-eternal in majesty.

What the Father is, the Son is, and so is the Holy Spirit. Uncreated is the Father; uncreated is the Son; uncreated is the Spirit.

The Father is infinite; the Son is infinite; the Holy Spirit is infinite.

Eternal is the Father; eternal is the Son; eternal is the Spirit.

And yet there are not three eternal beings, but one who is eternal; as there are not three uncreated and unlimited beings, but one who is uncreated and unlimited.

Almighty is the Father; almighty is the Son; almighty is the Spirit.

And yet there are not three almighty beings, but one who is almighty.

Thus, the Father is God; the Son is God; the Holy Spirit is God.

And yet there are not three gods, but one God.

Thus the Father is Lord; the Son is Lord; the Holy Spirit is Lord;

And yet there are not three lords, but one Lord.

The Father was neither made nor created nor begotten; the Son was neither made nor created, but was alone begotten of the Father; the Spirit was neither made nor created, but is proceeding from the Father and the Son.

Thus, there is one Father, not three fathers; one Son, not three sons; one Holy Spirit, not three spirits.

And in this Trinity, no one is before or after, greater or Less than the other but all three persons are in themselves, co-eternal and co-equal;

and so we must worship the Trinity in unity and the one God in three persons.

Whoever wants to be saved should think thus about the Trinity.

Offering

Offertory Response

**Create in me a clean heart, O God,
and renew a right spirit within me.
Cast me not away from your presence,
and take not your Holy Spirit from me.
Restore to me the joy of your salvation,
and uphold me with your free Spirit.**

Prayers of the Church

The Lord's Prayer

Benediction

Closing Hymn .. "Holy God, We Praise Your Name" 535 LBW

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"What Does This Mean?"

Questions about Today's Worship Theme:
John 3:1-17

- † If someone were to ask you what the Trinity is or what it means, what would you say?
- † Why is it important to understand the Trinity in terms of God's *name*, Father, Son and Holy Spirit?
- † How does that name distinguish the one true God from all false gods?
- † What difference does it make *for you* to know that God is Father, Son and Holy Spirit?

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Holy Trinity Sunday

