

**St. Clement's Episcopal Church**  
**Morning Prayer (1928 Prayer Book)**

**The First Sunday after Pentecost**  
**Trinity Sunday — May 30, 2010**

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**Organ Prelude**

*Trio in G Minor*

Johann Sebastian Bach

**Processional Hymn 370**

I bind unto myself today

*St. Patrick's Breastplate*

**Opening Sentence**

**A General Confession**

*Officiant and People*

Almighty and most merciful Father;  
we have erred, and strayed from thy ways like lost sheep.  
We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts.  
We have offended against thy holy laws.  
We have left undone those things which we ought to have done;  
and we have done those things which we ought not to have done;  
and there is no health in us.

But thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders.  
Spare thou those, O God, who confess their faults.  
Restore thou those who are penitent;  
according to thy promises declared unto mankind in Christ Jesus our Lord.  
And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake;  
that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life,  
to the glory of thy holy name. Amen.

**The Declaration of Absolution**

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**The Lord's Prayer**

*Officiant and People*

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

## Versicles

*Officiant* O Lord, open thou our lips.  
*People* And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.  
*Officiant* Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
*People* As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.  
*Officiant* Praise ye the Lord.  
*People* The Lord's name be praised.

## Venite, exultemus Domino 610

- 1 O come, let us sing | unto · the Lord;  
let us heartily rejoice in the strength of | our salvation.
- 2 Let us come before his presence with | **thanksgiving**;  
and show ourselves | glad in him with psalms.
- 3 For the Lord is a | **great** God;  
and a great | King above all gods.
- 4 In his hand are all the corners | of the earth;  
and the strength of the hills is | **his** also.
- 5 The sea is | his, and · he made it;  
and his hands pre|pared · the **dry** land.
- 6 O come, let us worship and | **fall** down,  
and kneel before the | Lord our **Maker**.
- 7 For he is the | Lord our God;  
and we are the people of his pasture, and the | sheep of **his** hand.
- 8 O worship the Lord in the | beauty · of holiness;  
let the whole earth | stand in awe of him.
- 9 For he cometh, for he cometh to | judge the earth;  
and with righteousness to judge the world, and the | peoples with his truth.

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.**

**The First Lesson: Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31**

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.

*Reader*     The Word of the Lord.  
*People*     Thanks be to God.

## Psalm 8

- 1 O LORD our Governor, how excellent is thy Name in all the world; \*  
thou that hast set thy glory above the heavens!
- 2 Out of the mouth of very babes and sucklings hast thou ordained strength,  
because of thine enemies, \*  
that thou mightest still the enemy and the avenger.
- 3 When I consider thy heavens, even the work of thy fingers; \*  
the moon and the stars which thou hast ordained;
- 4 What is man, that thou art mindful of him? \*  
and the son of man, that thou visitest him?
- 5 Thou madest him lower than the angels, \*  
to crown him with glory and worship.
- 6 Thou makest him to have dominion of the works of thy hands; \*  
and thou hast put all things in subjection under his feet:
- 7 All sheep and oxen; \*  
yea, and the beasts of the field;
- 8 The fowls of the air, and the fishes of the sea; \*  
and whatsoever walketh through the paths of the seas.
- 9 O LORD our Governor, \*  
how excellent is thy Name in all the world!  
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.

## The Second Lesson: Romans 5:1-5

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

*Reader*     The Word of the Lord.  
*People*     Thanks be to God.

## **Benedictus es, Domine 626**

- 1 Blessed art thou, O Lord | God of our fathers;  
praised and exalted above | all for **ever**.
- 2 Blessed art thou for the | Name of · thy Majesty:  
praised and exalted above | all for **ever**.
- 3 Blessed art thou in the temple | of thy holiness:  
praised and exalted above | all for **ever**.
- 4 Blessed art thou that beholdest the depths, and dwellest be|tween the Cherubim:  
praised and exalted above | all for **ever**.
- 5 Blessed art thou on the glorious | throne of · thy kingdom:  
praised and exalted above | all for **ever**.
- 6 Blessed art thou in the firma|ment of heaven:  
praised and exalted above | all for **ever**.

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.

## **The Third Lesson: John 16:12-15**

Jesus said to his disciples, “I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.”

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* Thanks be to God.

## **Jubilate Deo 644**

- 1 O be joyful in the Lord | all ye lands:  
serve the Lord with gladness, and come before his | presence with a song.
- 2 Be ye sure that the Lord he is God; it is he that hath made us, and not | we ourselves;  
we are his people, and the | sheep of · his **pasture**.
- 3 O go your way into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his | courts with praise;  
be thankful unto him, and | **speak** | good of · his Name.
- 4 For the Lord is gracious, his mercy is | everlasting;  
and his truth endureth from generation to | **generation**.

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.**

### **The Apostles' Creed**

*Officiant and People*

I believe in God the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth:

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord:  
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,  
born of the Virgin Mary:  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, dead, and buried:

He descended into hell;  
the third day he rose again from the dead:

He ascended into heaven,  
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost:  
the holy catholic church; the communion of saints:  
the forgiveness of sins: the resurrection of the body:  
and the life everlasting. Amen.

### **Versicles**

*Officiant* The Lord be with you.

*People* And with thy spirit.

*Officiant* Let us pray.

*Officiant* O Lord, show thy mercy upon us.

*People* And grant us thy salvation.

*Officiant* O God, make clean our hearts within us.

*People* And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

### **The Collect for the Day**

*Officiant*

Almighty and everlasting God, who hast given unto us thy servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of the Divine Majesty to worship the Unity: We beseech thee that thou wouldest keep us steadfast in this faith and worship, and bring us at last to see thee in thy one and eternal glory, O Father; who with the Son and the Holy Spirit livest and reignest, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

### **The Prayers**

## **A General Thanksgiving**

*Officiant and People*

Almighty God, Father of all mercies,  
we, thine unworthy servants, do give thee most humble and hearty thanks  
for all thy goodness and loving-kindness to us, and to all men.

We bless thee for our creation, preservation and all the blessings of this life;  
and above all, for thine inestimable love in the redemption of the world  
by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.

And, we beseech thee, give us that due sense of all thy mercies,  
that our hearts may be unfeignedly thankful;  
and that we show forth thy praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives,  
by giving up our selves to thy service,  
and by walking before thee in holiness and righteousness all our days;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost,  
be all honour and glory, world without end. Amen.

## **The Grace**

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## **Birthday Prayer**

Watch over thy children, O Lord, as their days increase;  
bless and guide them wherever they may be,  
keeping them unspotted from the world.  
Strengthen them when they stand;  
comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful;  
raise them up if they fall;  
and in their hearts may thy peace which passeth understanding  
abide all the days of their life;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## **Anniversary Prayer**

O God, who hast so consecrated the state of Matrimony  
that in it is represented the spiritual marriage  
and unity between Christ and his Church;  
look mercifully upon these thy servants,  
that they may love, honour, and cherish each other,  
and so live together in faithfulness and patience,  
in wisdom and true godliness,  
that their home may be a haven of blessing and of peace;  
through the same Jesus Christ our Lord,  
who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Spirit ever,  
one God, world without end. Amen.

**Announcements**

**Sermon Hymn 508**

Breathe on me, Breath of God

*Nova Vita*

**The Sermon**

The Rev. Salying Wong

**Offertory Anthem**

*Hymn to the Trinity*  
Youth & Adult Choirs

Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky

Blessed angel spirits offer praise undying,  
ever crying Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of Sabaoth.

Saints and Martyrs praise Thy Name, Trinity life-giving,  
earth-borne sorrow leaving before Thy throne,  
ever crying Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of Sabaoth.

Father omnipotent, mighty in glory,  
Christ Thy Son, our Saviour who died that we might live,  
Holy Spirit, mystic dove, dwelling with us evermore,  
we praise Thee, we praise Thee, Blessed Trinity.

With the Angels' sacred hymn, all Thy might proclaiming,  
with the mystic cherubim in songs of praise we join,  
Holy, Holy, Holy, join we all in songs of praise for ever;  
Hallelujah, Lord God of Sabaoth.

**Presentation Hymn 380, verse 3**

*Old Hundredth*

**Prayer and Benediction**

**Recessional Hymn 366**

Holy God, we praise thy Name

*Grosser Gott*

**The Dismissal**

*People* Thanks be to God.

**Organ Postlude**

*Trio Sonata I in E Flat: Allegro moderato*

Johann Sebastian Bach





## THE BISHOP'S RANCH 2010 ANNUAL FUND

### Strong Roots for Strong Growth

#### What is the Annual Fund?

The Annual Fund provides essential support to the operating budget at The Bishop's Ranch and bridges the gap between guest fees and the actual cost of day-to-day operations. Gifts to the Annual Fund directly support every aspect of the Ranch operations, such as:

- building & grounds maintenance
- summer youth camps & watershed education
- hospitality for guests of all ages
- nourishing, delicious meals
- clean, safe water

#### Why does the Ranch need an Annual Fund?

Guest fees do not cover the entire cost of a guest's experience at the Ranch. Fees are kept low to make the benefits of a Ranch visit available to as many people as possible. The Ranch is a totally self-supporting institution of the Diocese of California. Ranch day-to-day operations are paid for through guest fees and donor support. Like most non-profit organizations, we rely on the generosity of donors to bridge the gap between fees collected and actual operating expenses.

#### What is the Annual Fund Goal for 2010?

Our aim over the next few years is to expand the Annual Fund both by the number of donors participating for 2010 and the amount raised so that it more accurately reflects the impact that the Ranch has on the lives of its community. Our goal is to raise \$140,000 and increase the number of total donors. Every gift at every level is important in helping us reach our goals and in supporting the continuing success of the Ranch.

#### How do I make a gift or pledge?

You may give online at: [www.bishopsranch.org](http://www.bishopsranch.org) on the "Support Us" page. We gratefully accept checks, credit cards and gifts of stock. We acknowledge an honor roll of donors in an annual report to be published after the end of the year.

Feel free to contact Sarah McGowan in the Advancement Office (707) 433-2440 or at [sarah@bishopsranch.org](mailto:sarah@bishopsranch.org).

#### 2010 Annual Fund Suggested Giving Levels

\$10,000+	Order of the Oaks
\$5,000+	Wildlife Alliance
\$1,500+	Watershed Society
\$500+	Valley Association
\$100+	Ranch Partners