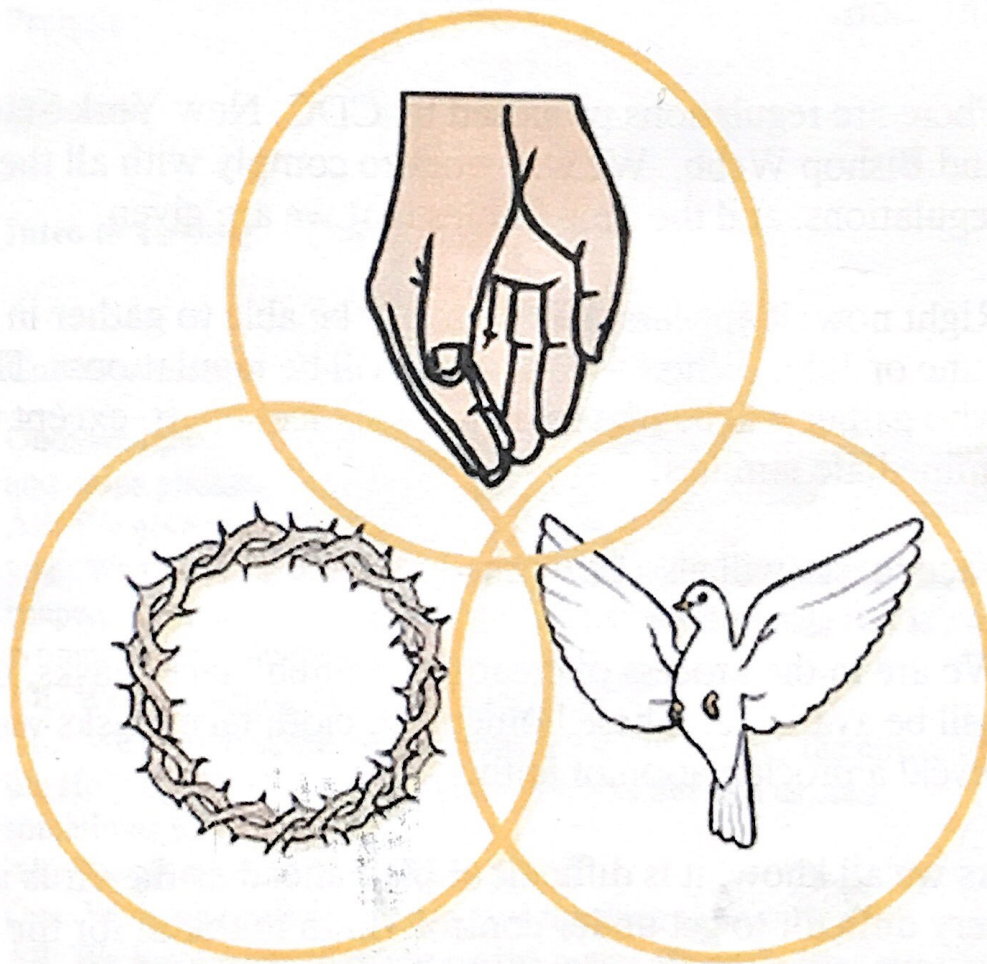


**News-Bulletin for the West Barre UMC**  
**Worship Bulletin for June 7, 2020**



**Father, Son, Holy Spirit**

## Greetings:

When will we be able to worship in person together again?

West Barre United Methodist Church, along with every other place that people gather, has asked this question. The answer is not specific, but hopefully we can give a general direction.

There are regulations proposed by CDC, New York State, and Bishop Webb. We will work to comply with all the regulations, and the time frames that we are given.

Right now, it appears that we might be able to gather in late June or July. When we do, there will be regulations. Those who gather will be requested to sit six feet apart, except for immediate families.

Face masks will also be worn.

We are in the process of creating "church" face masks, that will be available. These homemade cloth face masks will reveal a proclamation of faith.

As we all know, it is difficult to plan ahead as the virus is very difficult to get under control. I am thankful for the consideration of others that this congregation has maintained, so that, to the best of my knowledge, we have not lost a member of the congregation due to the COVID-19 virus.

I do look forward to seeing your face (or most of it) soon in worship!

**Rev. Brad**



**Sunday Worship**  
**West Barre United Methodist Church**  
**June 7, 2020**

**Prelude**

**Welcome**

**Intro to Theme: Trinity Sunday**

**Call to Worship:**

One: We marvel at God's creation in this season flowers of blooming, and crops planted, and long hours of light.

**All: We give praise to our creator God!**

One: We marvel at the teachings of Jesus, and his stories that have shaped our lives. We marvel at the insight and challenge that is ever present in our thoughtful lives.

**All: We give praise to Jesus Christ!**

One: We marvel at the vibrant presence in our lives of the power of the Holy Spirit. We marvel at how it works through us, and sometimes in spite of us.

**All: We give praise to the Holy Spirit.**

One: We have come to worship God the three in one.

**All: We have come to celebrate the many dimensions of our God.**

**Hymn      Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty      UMH 64**

## **Affirmation of Faith**

**We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all this is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father,  
through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary  
and became truly human.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory  
to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son  
is worshiped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in the one holy catholic and apostolic church.  
We acknowledge on baptism  
for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**



**Prayer:**

Gracious and loving God, you are bigger and more complex than we will ever fully understand. Your power and love is greater than we know how to let into our lives by faith. Yet we come to this time of worship to give you glory and honor. We have come to this time of worship because we need your expanse within our simple lives.

Though we may not understand all of who you are, today we celebrate that you are the creator God, you are Jesus, you are the Holy Spirit.

Help us to accept and welcome more of your complexity into our lives. As we continue in this time of dealing with the pandemic, help us to find strength in you, that you might help us to find balance with out our becoming more selfish. Help us to know more of what you have to offer us. Help us to know more of what you have to offer the world through us. Help us in this hour, to be comfortable, amazed, and seriously challenged in our complex relationship with you. Amen.

**Children's Time:**

Joys and Concerns (585 – 590 - 2997)

**Pastoral Prayer**

**The Lord's Prayer**

Our Father, who are 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 forever. Amen.

**Announcements**

**June 9: 6 pm**

**Worship Committee Meeting**

**Offering and Prayer of Dedication**

**Video: 50 Countries affected by Covid-19 (Amazing Grace)**

**Scripture**

**Matthew 28:16-20**

**Sermon**

**Rev. Brad Hunt**

**Psalm 8**

**O Lord, our Lord,**

**how majestic is your name in all the earth!**

**Your glory is chanted above the heavens**

**by the mouth of babes and infants:**

**you have set up a defense against your foes,**

**to still the enemy and the avenger.**

**When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers,**

**the moon and the stars which you have established;**

**what are human beings that you are mindful of them,**

**and mortals that you care for them?**

**Yet you have made them little less than God,**

**and crowned them with glory and honor.**

**You have given them dominion over the works of your hands;**

**you have put all things under their feet**

**all sheep and oxen,**

**and also the beasts of the field,**

**the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea,**

**whatever passes along the paths of the seas.**

**O Lord, our Lord,**

**how majestic is your name in all the earth!**

**Hymn**

**Breathe on Me, Breath of God**

**Faith We Sing**

**2237**

**Sending Forth**



Our Web page is up and running. To access it, type:  
westbarreumc.org Check it out and enjoy.

Rev. Brad Hunt's email: [revbhunt@gmail.com](mailto:revbhunt@gmail.com)

**Birthdays This Week: June 7 - 13**

7 – Sarah Mathes

12 – Naomi Caldwell

*Happy Birthday*

**Anniversaries This Week: June 7 – 13**

10 – Bert and Merri Mathes

13 – Roger and Jill Chandler

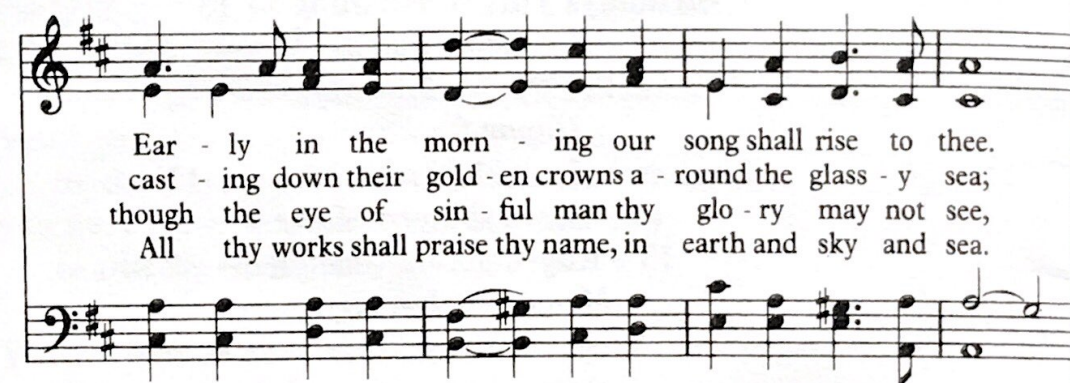
*Happy Anniversary*



# 64 Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty



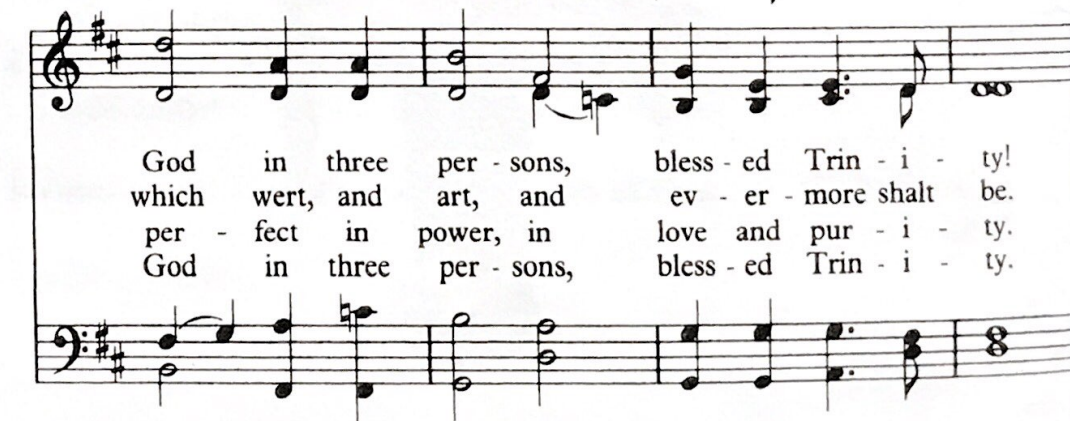
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 2. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! All the saints a - dore thee,  
 3. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Though the dark-ness hide thee,  
 4. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!



Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.  
 cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;  
 though the eye of sin - ful man thy glo - ry may not see,  
 All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea.



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Mer - ci - ful and might - y,  
 cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,  
 on - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee,  
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Mer - ci - ful and might - y,



God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!  
 which wert, and art, and ev - er - more shalt be.  
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# As a Fire Is Meant for Burning

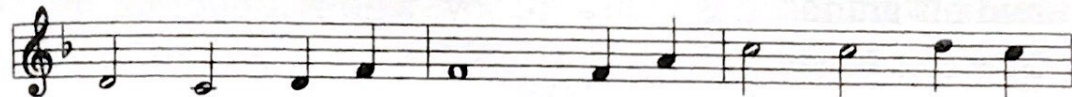
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1. As a fire is meant for burn - ing with a bright and warm-ing
2. We are learn - ers; we are teach - ers; we are pil - grims on the
3. As a green bud in the spring-time is a sign of life re -



flame, so the church is meant for mis - sion, giv - ing  
 way. We are seek - ers; we are giv - ers; we are  
 newed, so may we be signs of one - ness 'mid earth's



glo - ry to God's name. Not to preach our creeds or  
 ves - sels made of clay. By our gen - tle, lov - ing  
 peo - ples, man - y hues. As a rain - bow lights the



cus - toms, but to build a bridge of care, we join  
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hands a - cross the na - tions, find - ing neigh - bors ev - ery - where.  
 hum - ble, lis - tening Spir - it we would live to God's de - light.  
 lives re - flect the ra - diance of God's new and glo - rious dawn.

WORDS: Ruth Duck  
 MUSIC: From *The Sacred Harp*, 1844

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## Pastor's Page:

We got a phone call from Marty's mother on Saturday. She doesn't usually call, but she was excited about the SpaceX launch that was about to take place.

Winnie is 95, and lives alone in LaFargeville, New York. LaFargeville is just a little town between Watertown and Alexandria Bay. Marty graduated from LaFargeville High School, in her class of 22 students.

You see, Winnie remembered a gentleman that years ago, lived in town, and would often go for walks. He spent some time with Marty's Dad, Carl. The man's name was Hurley, and his grandson is Doug Hurley, who is a pilot for the SpaceX.

We found the station that was showing the launch on the TV. We watched Doug Hurley, whose father grew up in LaFargeville ready himself for take-off. I quietly cheered for him, as he gave the thumbs up just seconds before take-off. I watched as the rockets started, and the SpaceX started to slowly climb and gain speed until he was traveling thousands of miles an hour and entered into orbit.

Then the cameras showed the earth, with an amazing perspective.

I have a book of pictures of earth from space. You can see live shots on the NASA channel on TV.

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But to have this connection with Doug Hurley, however stretched it may be, made things seem different. It was amazing for me to see the earth from Doug Hurley's view.

Once again, I was amazed at God's creation of the earth. What an amazing planet we live on, with so many different places, so many different people.

It is so important to be intimidated by God. It is so important to be amazed by God. It is so important to know that God is so much greater than we will ever understand. It is so important to be humbled by God.

Watching Doug Hurley pilot that SpaceX into space took me from a place and people I am so familiar with, to a view of the power of God I will never fully understand.

And I am thankful.

The amazing technology has had the flight go well, and the space station welcomed the crew and cargo. The stage one booster landed on the x on the ship that was waiting. All this technology I will never understand. But everything that humans can accomplish pales in comparison to what God has done, and most of all, what God does throughout the universe, and in yours and my heart.

**Rev. Brad**





## **Missions:**

Hello everyone! A few words about missions at West Barre. Even through this time, the soup kitchen that we help with in Albion, has been marching on. They are serving meals in take-out containers for people to take home, plus a bag of items to take home.

We took a meal of goulash, beans, bread and butter, last Friday, the 29<sup>th</sup>. We were prepared with 250 meals and we served around 185. Everyone is very appreciative of the meals and the extra bag they received.

The people that run the soup kitchen are there almost every day. If they aren't helping someone there, they are out gathering food items from their various locations, going into Rochester for some of it. There are many stores and individuals that help with the supply chain at the soup kitchen.

If you are interested, they could use help on Friday nights sometimes. We can give you the number for the lady, Faith, that runs the kitchen and she can tell you if they need help.

Now, we are moving on to the monthly mission for June, which is the Church World Service blanket drive. Each \$5 we receive will buy a wool blanket that can help someone in need, whether it is a homeless person, a family that is without anything because of a fire or other disaster, or a teen that has lost their way. Last year, we sent over \$700 for this mission. I hope to do that or better this year!

Some have questioned why we do missions across the world, why not just take care of the ones around us.

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Well, with this pandemic, we have learned just how small the world is. There is need everywhere and in every town or village.

The West Barre Church offers you many opportunities to help with a mission.

Not everyone is touched in the same way. You may see a mission in a different way than someone who doesn't have a personal experience.

We try to give you many opportunities to help "the least of these". It only takes one light in the darkness to break it. When we put all our lights together we make a lighthouse! Hopefully, it shines on our Lord and Savior Jesus.

Thank you for all the donations to the food pantry. We will continue to gather food to take to them. Just leave it at the top of the ramp or if you have a key, put it inside.

Again, thank you for all the support of our mission projects.



Joy Markle  
Missions Chair

*The church exists by mission, just as a fire exists by burning. Where there is no mission there is no church; and where there is neither church nor mission, there is no faith.*

*Emil Brunner*

## **Southern Sudan Health Project Update:**

It has been fascinating to create and support a mission in one of the most difficult places in the world. I have enjoyed knowing some of the people from Malek, or Bor area over the years.

But, the life in that area is always a challenge. Recently, we got the news that there was severe flooding in that area. The area is on the Nile River, and they are always expecting some flooding, but not like this.

Then we heard the news of the two main tribes doing battle with one another. Again.

There have been times when our Home Health Promoters had to go to refugee camps for long periods of time. Even in the refugee camps, they continued their work taking care of people.

We don't know what their situation is today, but keep them in your prayers and any support that you feel led to give will make a difference.

Thanks.



**Rev. Brad**



# Trinity Sunday

But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all the truth. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come. John 16:13 (NIV)



The puzzle is based on John 16:12-15

The words below have been written in code. Use the hints in the decoder at the top of the page to help break the code (the letters on top are the correct answers, the letters on the bottom are the code). Write the correct word on the line provided beside each code word.

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