

Blackstone Valley
United Methodist Church

Trinity Sunday
Peace With Justice Sunday
June 19, 2011 10:00AM

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*Our Mission is to change people's lives
through a relationship with Jesus Christ.*

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~WE GATHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE~

Greeting of Peace

Lighting of the Altar Candles

Opening Song

"How Majestic Is Your Name"

#2023

Call to Worship

L: God, who has displayed mighty power, welcomes us;
the earth is full of the steadfast love of God.

P: ***The work of God is done in faithfulness;
God loves righteousness and justice.***

L: Stand in awe before the counsel of God;
there is one God who speaks and shows us the way.

**ALL: *God has chosen us; we are all God's children;
we will proclaim God's love and commandments to the world.***

Hymn

"All Things Bright and Beautiful"

#147

Opening Prayer

Amazing God, Creator and Confronter, open our hearts to hear your voice in unexpected times and places. Appear to us in forms we can not deny. Challenge us in ways we can not avoid. Lead us in paths from which we can not turn back. Test us that we may test ourselves by the model of Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

This Week at Blackstone Valley United Methodist Church

Celebration of the Sacrament of Holy Baptism

Patrick John Brauning, child of God

and of Tara and David Brauning



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Offertory "Freely, Freely" #389

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Doxology #95

~WE GO FORTH TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD~

Offertory Prayer

May our offering, O God, be a fitting response to your manifold gifts! May our gifts communicate your mighty power that protects your creation. May it send others to give counsel in nations we cannot go, while equipping us here for the witness we are called to make. Keep us humbly aware that we have much to learn from your children in other times, places, and circumstances. Connect us in discipleship. Amen.

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~WE LISTEN FOR GOD'S WORD~

Anthem "Softly and Tenderly/In the Garden"

Reading of the Word

Epistle 2 Corinthians 13: 11-13

Gospel Matthew 28: 16-20

Hymn "How Great Thou Art" #77

Message Rev. Michele Ewers

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~WE RESPOND TO GOD'S GRACE~

A Time for Prayer

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass 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.

Hymn "Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying" #2193

Sending Forth

L: Go and make disciples of all nations.
Teach them to obey everything that Christ has commanded.

P: *Christ is alive in us, perfecting God's truth among us.
We greet one another as saints in Christ Jesus.*

L: Agree with one another and live in peace;
The God of love and peace will be with you.

All: *In steadfast love, God upholds and strengthens us.
In faithfulness, God blesses and equips us to serve. Amen*

Closing Song "Go Ye, Go Ye into the World" #2239

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Bringing the Light into the World

Call to Worship Opening Prayer, Offertory Prayer, Sending Forth :
From *Fresh Winds of the Spirit* by Lavon Bayler

Other Lectionary Readings

Genesis 1: 1-2: 4a

Psalm 8