

WELCOME TO VIRTUAL WORSHIP AT HOLY TRINITY COMMUNITY CHURCH

We welcome you to our virtual worship experience. To get the most out of this service we recommend the following steps to prepare for worship:

- Gather in front of your computer, smart TV or phone in a comfortable, quiet space. This is your sanctuary and sacred space today.
- Download the bulletin and have some paper and a pen handy in case you want to take any notes—especially during Announcements and Prayer time.
- Have a candle near you ready to light as we bring in the Light of Christ to begin worship.
- Sing our Praise Songs—OUT LOUD and PROUD! Sing Praise to God—we can all make a JOYFUL noise in our own places and sacred spaces!
- During the Passing of the Peace, we'll encourage you to send an email or text message to someone you're thinking of and extend to them the Peace of Christ. Imagine those at HTCC who you usually hug or offer handshakes to—have them in your mind and on your heart. You can post audio greetings as well in the chatroom provided.
- Have your Bible or Bible app ready to follow along with the sacred story.
- Pastor Brice will offer a “Children’s Time” before his sermon. We want to assure our kids that God is with us, so please include them in our worship time.
- During prayer time, post any needs or concerns that you’d like to lift up—remember these prayers and comments will be PUBLIC. We’ll also lift up community prayers—those we already have and those you’ve posted in the chatroom.
- **PREPARE TO TAKE COMMUNION ONLINE**
 1. Purchase Grape Juice (or any drink item that is available) and pour into small individual cups to share with each other. Fresh grapes are also a great way to share an individual portion.
 2. Purchase Bread or Baked Crackers. Unleavened bread is the best expression of the “bread” element (bread baked without a rising agent) but you any bread or cracker will do.

3. Be Ready at Home with Your Elements. Pastor Brice will direct you through properly receiving communion. All you need to do is follow along online individually or as a group.

4. Share With Us. After receiving communion online, send an email to htccmedia@gmail.com letting us know how many in your home participated in communion. Snap a quick photo and include in your email as well.

- During our offering time, we hope you'll share your gifts via a multiple of ways: online, via text or various giving apps.
- When we dismiss service, we will encourage you to "BE AT PEACE", even in the middle of such unrest. Allow the Peace of Christ, which passes all understanding, dwell in you—richly—sincerely—faithfully. Take care of yourself—love one another—And KNOW that we are not alone."
- Be in this world with our God who created us and loves us so much. Be in this world with our God who came to save us and to redeem us. Be in this world with our God who sustains us and is with us, always. And let EVERYONE-EVERYONE-EVERYONE say, "AMEN!"