



# CATHÉDRALE CHRIST CHURCH MONTRÉAL

HOLY COMMUNION

## TRINITY SUNDAY

Sunday, June 4, 2023 at 8:00 a.m.

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*Celebrant  
Preacher*

The Very Reverend Bertrand Olivier  
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*We gather today on the unceded territory of the Kanien'keha:ka (Mohawk),  
at a place called Tio'tia:ke (Montreal), a meeting place for many First Nations.  
Our acknowledgement stands as a promise to continue the ongoing work of  
recognition and reconciliation.*

## **COLLECT OF THE DAY**

Father, we praise thee: through thy Word and Holy Spirit thou createst all things. Thou hast revealed thy salvation in all the world by sending to us Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh. Through thy Holy Spirit thou givest us a share in thy life and love. Fill us with the vision of thy glory, that we may always serve and praise thee, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, one God, for ever and ever.

**Amen.**

## **FIRST READING** Genesis 1:1-2:4a

In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. Then God said, "Let there be light"; and there was light. And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

And God said, "Let there be a dome in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters." So God made the dome and separated the waters that were under the dome from the waters that were above the dome. And it was so. God called the dome Sky. And there was evening and there was morning, the second day.

And God said, "Let the waters under the sky be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear." And it was so. God called the dry land Earth, and the

waters that were gathered together he called Seas. And God saw that it was good. Then God said, "Let the earth put forth vegetation: plants yielding seed, and fruit trees of every kind on earth that bear fruit with the seed in it." And it was so. The earth brought forth vegetation: plants yielding seed of every kind, and trees of every kind bearing fruit with the seed in it. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the third day.

And God said, "Let there be lights in the dome of the sky to separate the day from the night; and let them be for signs and for seasons and for days and years, and let them be lights in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth." And it was so. God made the two great lights - the greater light to rule the day and the lesser light to rule the night - and the stars. God set them in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth, to rule over the day and over the night, and to separate the light from the darkness. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the fourth day.

And God said, "Let the waters bring forth swarms of living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the dome of the sky." So God created the great sea monsters and every living creature that moves, of every kind, with which the waters swarm, and every winged bird of every kind. And God saw that it was good. God blessed them, saying, "Be fruitful and multiply and fill the waters in the seas, and let birds multiply on the earth." And there was evening and there was morning, the fifth day.

And God said, "Let the earth bring forth living creatures of every kind: cattle and creeping things and wild animals of the earth of every kind." And it was so. God made the wild animals of the earth of every kind, and the cattle of every kind, and everything that creeps upon the ground of every kind. And God saw that it was good. Then God said, "Let us make humankind in our image, according to our likeness; and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the wild animals of the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth."

So God created humankind in his image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them. God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth." God said, "See, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit; you shall have them for food.

And to every beast of the earth, and to every bird of the air, and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food." And it was so. God saw everything that he had made, and indeed, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.

Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all their multitude. And on the seventh day God finished the work that he had done, and he rested on the seventh day from all the work that he had done. So God

blessed the seventh day and hallowed it, because on it God rested from all the work that he had done in creation. These are the generations of the heavens and the earth when they were created.

*Reader* For the word of God in scripture,  
For the word of God around us,  
For the word of God within us.  
*All* **Thanks be to God.**

*The Congregation remains seated to pray the psalm.*

## PSALM 8

- 1 Lord our governor, \*  
how exalted is your name in all the world!
- 2 **Out of the mouths of infants and children \***  
**your majesty is praised above the heavens.**
- 3 You have set up a stronghold against your adversaries, \*  
to quell the enemy and the avenger.
- 4 **When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, \***  
**the moon and the stars you have set in their courses,**
- 5 What is man that you should be mindful of him? \*  
the son of man that you should seek him out?
- 6 **You have made him but little lower than the angels; \***  
**you adorn him with glory and honour;**
- 7 You give him mastery over the works of your hands; \*  
you put all things under his feet;

- 8 **All sheep and oxen, \*  
even the wild beasts of the field,**
- 9 The birds of the air, the fish of the sea, \*  
and whatsoever walks in the paths of the  
sea.
- 10 **O Lord our governor, \*  
how exalted is your name in all the  
world!**

SECOND READING 2 Corinthians 13:11-13

Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you.

Greet one another with a holy kiss.

All the saints greet you. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

Reader For the word of God in scripture,  
For the word of God around us,  
For the word of God within us.

All **Thanks be to God.**

*Please stand*

**HOLY GOSPEL** Matthew 28:16-20

Priest The Lord be with you.

All **And with thy spirit.**

Priest The Holy Gospel of Our Lord  
Jesus Christ according to St.  
Matthew.

All **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee,  
to the mountain to which Jesus had  
directed them. When they saw him, they

worshipped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

Priest The Gospel of Christ.

All **Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

**THE CREED** (page 71)

**THE SERMON**

**THE OFFERTORY**

*A collection plate will be passed during the hymn.*

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**THE PRAYERS & CONFESSION** (page 75)

**THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER** (page 78)

*Everyone is welcome to receive Communion or a blessing at our services. You can receive both the bread and the wine, or choose only one of them. Dipping the wafer into the chalice is forbidden for epidemiological reasons.*

*Please come forward to receive the host, maintaining a safe distance from your neighbour. After receiving the host, remove your mask and consume it. You may then either keep your mask off to drink from the chalice or put your mask back on and return to your seat. If you prefer to receive a blessing, please cross your arms over your chest.*

**THE LORD'S PRAYER** (page 85)