

A stone relief carving of a grapevine with clusters of grapes and a central circular medallion containing the letters 'A' and 'E'. The carving is intricate, showing the texture of the grapes and the curves of the vine. The central medallion is a focal point, with the letters 'A' and 'E' carved in a stylized font. The overall scene is set against a background of more grapevines and leaves.

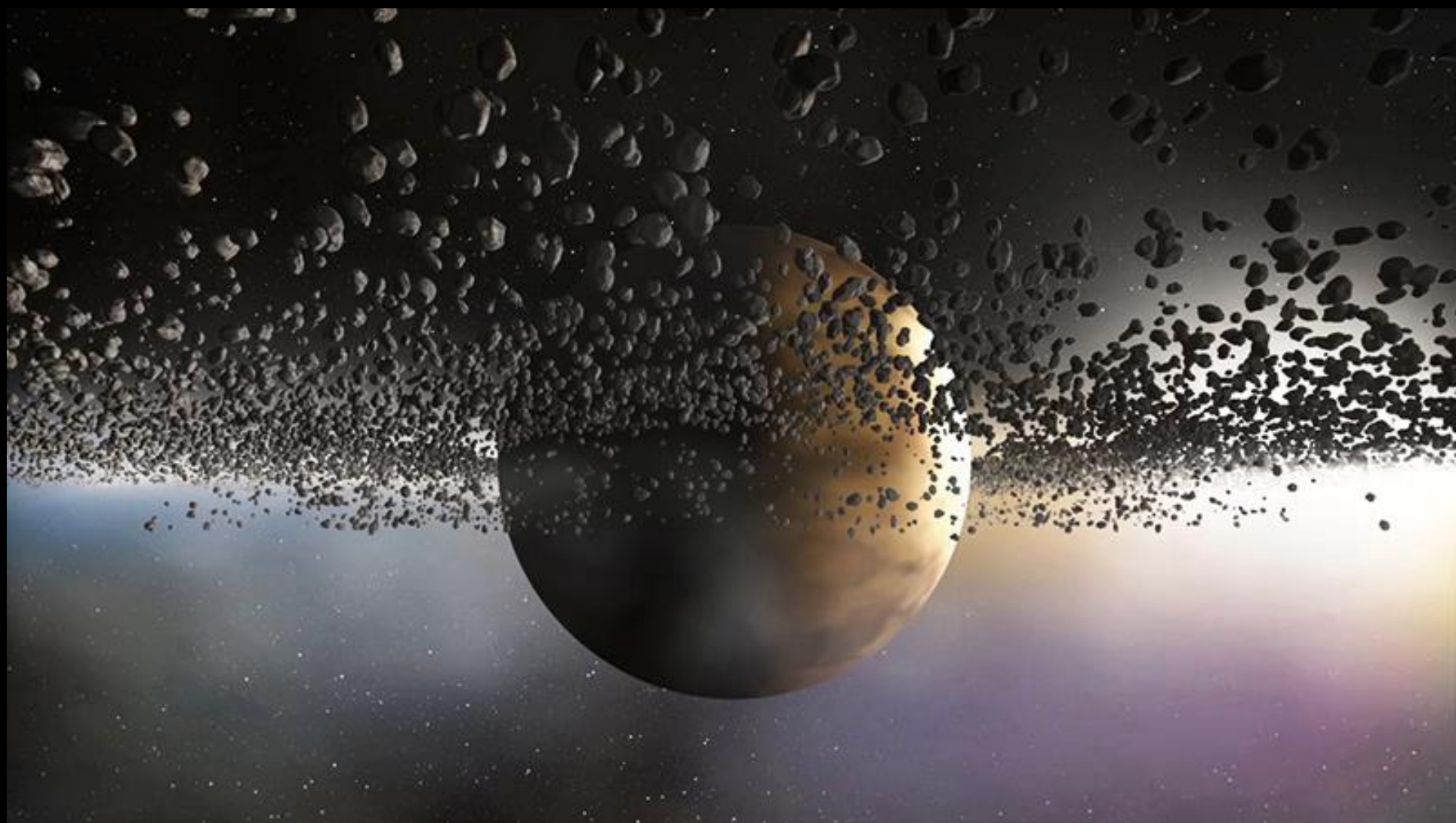
Trinity Sunday

Year A

Genesis 1:1-2:4a • Psalm 8 • 2 Corinthians 13:11-13
Matthew 28:16-20

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 ...

Genesis 1:1, 2a



In the Beginning... -- Seth Drum, Digital work

Then God said, "Let there be light";
and there was light ... God separated
the light from the darkness.

Genesis 1:3, 4b



Basilica of Our Lady of Peace -- Yamoussoukro, Ivory Coast

And God said, “Let there be a dome in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters.”
God called the dome Sky.

Genesis 1:6, 8a



Skyspace -- James Turrell, Live Oak Meeting House, Society of Friends, Houston, TX

And God said, "... let the dry land appear ... Let the earth put forth vegetation: plants yielding seed, and fruit trees of every kind ... "

Genesis 1:9a, 11a

Brazilian Forest

Martin Johnson Heade
RISD Museum
Providence, RI



And God said, "Let there be lights in the dome of the sky to separate the day from the night; the greater light to rule the day and the lesser light to rule the night ...

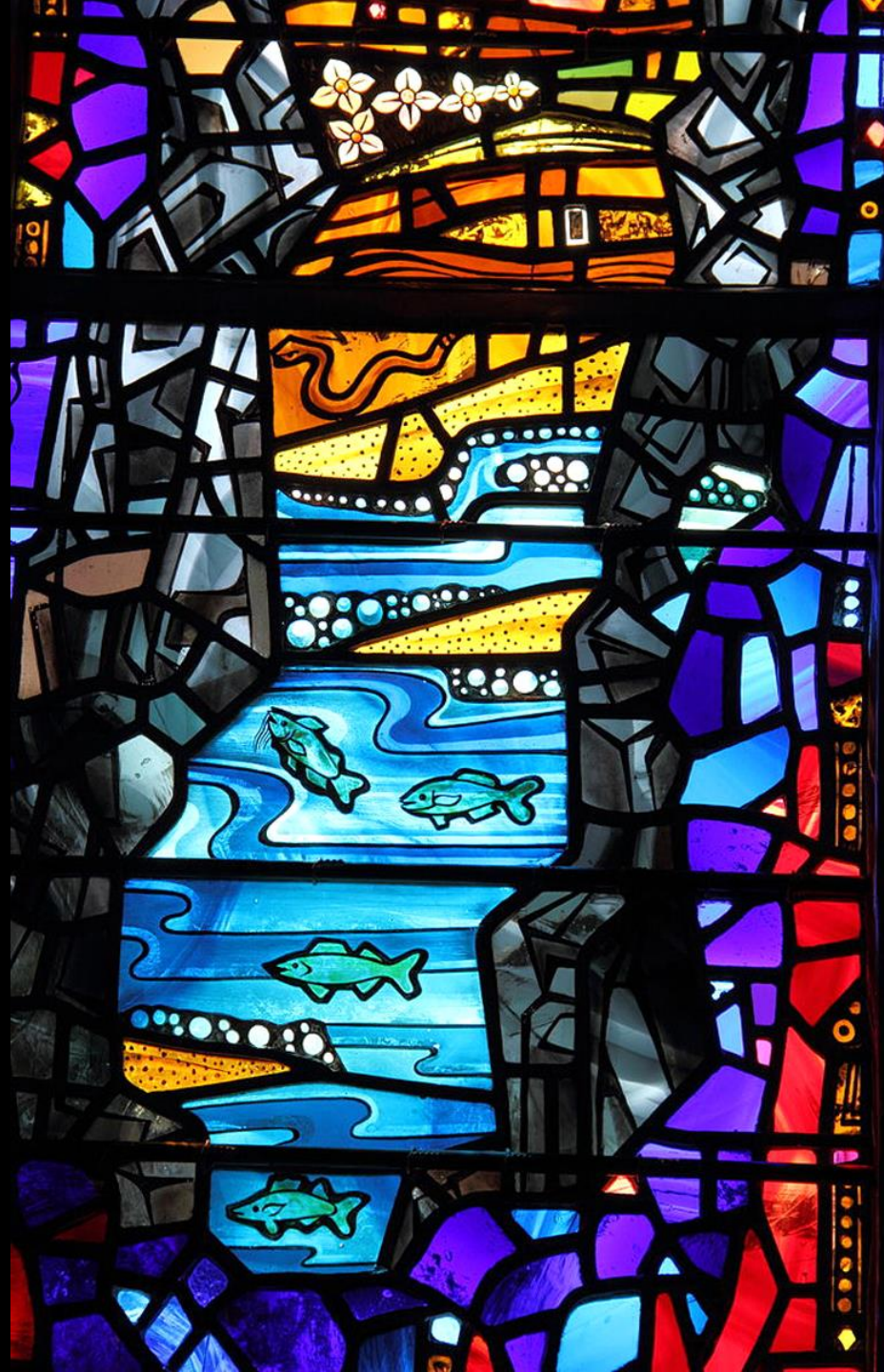
Genesis 1:14a, 16a



Sun and Moon -- Nagy Community Center, Budapest, Hungary

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."

Genesis 1:20



The Beauty of Creation

Irene and Rowan LeCompte
National Cathedral
Washington, DC

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."

Genesis 1:24



Snails -- Floor mosaic, Basilica of Aquileia, Aquileia, Udine, Italy

Then God said, "Let us make
humankind in our image, according to
our likeness; ... in the image of God he
created them; male and female he
created them.

Genesis 1:26a, 27b

Creation of Adam
and Eve

Russian Lubock
Woodcut, 1792



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.

Genesis 2:2



St. Mathias Mulumba Kalemba Metropolitan Cathedral, Songea, Tanzania

When I look at your heavens, the work
of your fingers, the moon and the stars
that you have established;... how
majestic is your name in all the earth!

Psalm 8:3, 9b



Starry Night -- Vincent van Gogh, Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY

Finally, brothers and sisters ... live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you.

2 Corinthians 13:11ac

Messenger of Peace

Barbara Pearson
Manchester, England



"And remember, I am with you always,
to the end of the age."

Matthew 28:20b



Alpha and Omega -- Drausin Sarcophagus, Louvre Museum, Paris, France

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