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# Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church

Trinity Sunday  
June 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023

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## Service of the Word

### Opening Prayer

### Opening Hymn

*TLH 239 Come, Thou Almighty King*

### Invocation

- P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
**C** Amen.

### Confession and Absolution

- P** Our Help is in the Name of the Lord,  
**C** **Who made heaven and earth**
- P** If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?  
**C** **But with you there is forgiveness; therefore, You are feared.**
- P** Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, and to call upon Him in prayer and praise, let us first consider our own unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God be merciful to me, a sinner.  
**C** **Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.**

- P** Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called servant of Christ, and by His

authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the  $\text{†}$  Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

### Kyrie - Lord, Have Mercy



**C** Lord, have mer - cy; Christ, have mer - cy; Lord, have mer - cy.

### Gloria in Excelsis - Glory to God in the Highest



**C** 1 To God on high be glo - ry And peace to all the earth;  
2 To You, O sole-be - got - ten, The Fa - ther's Son, we pray;  
3 For You a - lone are ho - ly; You on - ly are the Lord.



Good-will from God in heav - en Pro - claimed at Je - sus' birth!  
O Lamb of God, our Sav - ior, You take our sins a - way.  
For - ev - er and for - ev - er, Be wor - shipped and a - dored;



We praise and bless You, Fa - ther; Your ho - ly name, we sing—  
Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus; Re - ceive our heart - felt cry,  
You with the Ho - ly Spir - it A - lone are Lord Most High,



Our thanks for Your great glo - ry, Lord God, our heav'n - ly King.  
Where You in pow'r are seat - ed At God's right hand on high—  
In God the Fa - ther's glo - ry. "A - men!" our glad re - ply.

### Salutation and Collect of the Day

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** (spoken) And also with you.

**P** Let us pray. . .

**C** (spoken) Amen

### First Reading

*Isaiah 6:1-6*

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and

lifted up, and the train of His robe filled the temple. 2 Above it stood seraphim; each one had six wings: with two he covered his face, with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. 3 And one cried to another and said: "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; The whole earth is full of His glory!"

4 And the posts of the door were shaken by the voice of him who cried out, and the house was filled with smoke.

5 So I said: "Woe is me, for I am undone! Because I am a man of unclean lips, And I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; For my eyes have seen the King, The Lord of hosts."

6 Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a live coal which he had taken with the tongs from the altar. 7 And he touched my mouth with it, and said: "Behold, this has touched your lips; Your iniquity is taken away, And your sin purged."

### Psalm of the Day

*Psalm 33:1-5*

**P** Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous!

**C** **For praise from the upright is beautiful.**

**P** Praise the Lord with the harp; Make melody to Him with an instrument of ten strings.

**C** **Sing to Him a new song; Play skillfully with a shout of joy.**

**P** For the Word of the Lord is right,

**C** **And all His work is done in truth.**

**P** He loves righteousness and justice;

**C** **The earth is full of the goodness of the Lord.**

### Second Reading

*John 3:1-15*

There was a man of the Pharisees named Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews. 2 This man came to Jesus by night and said to Him, "Rabbi, we know that You are a teacher come from God; for no one can do these signs that You do unless God is with him."

3 Jesus answered and said to him, "Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God."

4 Nicodemus said to Him, "How can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter a second time into his mother's womb and be born?"

5 Jesus answered, "Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God. 6 That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. 7 Do not marvel that I said to you, 'You must be born again.' 8 The wind blows where it wishes, and you hear the sound of it, but cannot tell where it comes from

and where it goes. So is everyone who is born of the Spirit.”

9 Nicodemus answered and said to Him, “How can these things be?”

10 Jesus answered and said to him, “Are you the teacher of Israel, and do not know these things? 11 Most assuredly, I say to you, We speak what We know and testify what We have seen, and you do not receive Our witness. 12 If I have told you earthly things and you do not believe, how will you believe if I tell you heavenly things? 13 No one has ascended to heaven but He who came down from heaven, that is, the Son of Man who is in heaven. 14 And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of Man be lifted up, 15 that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.

**P** Blessed are they who hear the Word of God and keep it!



**C** Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.



**C** These things are writ-ten that you may be - lieve that



Je - sus is the Christ, the Son of God.



**C** Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

## Athanasian Creed

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## Hymn of the Day

*TLH 246 Holy, Holy, Holy*

## Sermon

*Romans 11:33-36*

Oh, the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are His judgments and His ways past finding out!

34 “For who has known the mind of the Lord?

Or who has become His counselor?”

35 “Or who has first given to Him

And it shall be repaid to him?”

36 For of Him and through Him and to Him are all things, to whom be glory forever. Amen.

## We Don't Know Everything, and That's Okay

I: About how we were created

II: About how we have been redeemed

III: About how we are being sanctified

**P** The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus. Amen.

### OFFERTORY

C: Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -  
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me  
not a - way from Your pres - ence. Take not Your Ho - ly  
Spir - it from me. Re - store to me the joy of  
Your sal - va - tion. Up - hold with Your Spir - it free.

Hymn

*TLH 240 Father Most Holy*

Offering

Prayer of the Church

## Service of the Sacrament

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And also with you.

**P** Lift up your hearts!

**C** We lift them up to the LORD!

**P** It is truly proper and beneficial that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God. For You revealed to us the mysteries of Your might and love through Holy Scripture, and have given us faith to trust in them. Therefore, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY *Sanctus*

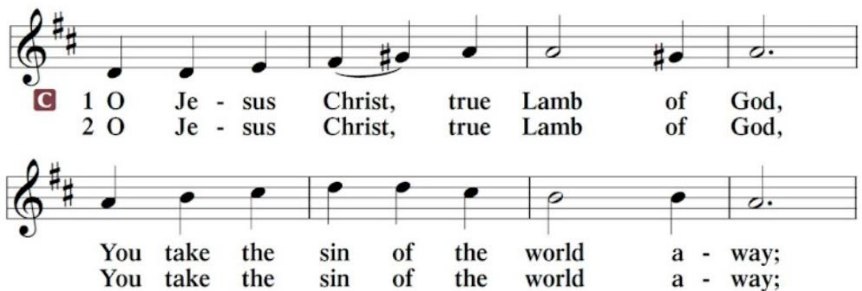


C: Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of Sa - ba - oth, a - dored; Heav'n and  
earth with full ac - claim shout the glo - ry of Your name. Sing ho -  
san - na in the high - est, sing ho - san - na to the Lord; Tru - ly  
blest is He who comes in the name of the Lord!

## Words of Institution

**P** ... and the peace of the Lord be with you always.

## Agnus Dei - *Lamb of God*



**C** 1 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,  
2 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,  
You take the sin of the world a - way;  
You take the sin of the world a - way;

O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,  
 Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus Christ,  
 Have mer - cy on us, Lord, we pray.  
 And grant us peace, O Lord, we pray.

## Distribution of the Lord's Supper

***A NOTE TO OUR GUESTS ABOUT COMMUNION:*** All CLC churches practice "close communion." ***We ask that only those who are members of our church or another congregation in the CLC come forward to receive the Sacrament.*** This is NOT a judgment on your faith! Rather, it is an expression of our own faith and unity. If you would like more information, or are interested in becoming a member, please speak to the pastor.

**P** We continue with the singing of the Nunc Dimittis

O LORD, NOW LET YOUR SERVANT *Nunc Dimittis*

C: 1 O Lord, now let Your ser - vant De -  
 2 All glo - ry to the Fa - ther, All  
 part in heav'n - ly peace, For I have seen the  
 glo - ry to the Son, All glo - ry to the  
 glo - ry Of Your re - deem - ing grace: A  
 Spir - it, For - ev - er Three - in - One; For  
 light to lead the Gen - tiles Un -  
 as in the be - gin - ning, Is





to Your ho - ly hill, The glo - ry of Your  
now, shall ev - er be, God's tri - une name re -  
peo - ple, Your cho - sen Is - ra - el.  
sound - ing Through all e - ter - ni - ty.

## Thanksgiving + Lord's Prayer

**P** Let us pray:

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this beneficial gift, and we pray that You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and fervent love toward one another. We ask this in Jesus' Name, whose Name we also join to pray together:

**C** **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;  
And lead us not into temptation,  
But deliver us from evil,  
For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory  
Forever and ever. Amen**

## Benediction

**P** The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and  $\text{✠}$  give you peace.

**C** (spoken) Amen.

## Closing Hymn

*TLH 38 The Lord, My God, be Praised (vv. 1-4)*

## Silent Prayer

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# Welcome to worship at Trinity!

**Please wait to be ushered** out of the sanctuary. Please do not leave any bulletins or other materials behind. **Offerings** may be left in the offering plate in the rear of the sanctuary or mailed to the church.

**Guest and Visitors**, we are delighted to have you here for worship with us this morning and are grateful for the opportunity to share the saving gospel message of Jesus Christ with you! Because He lives, we shall live also! We invite you to sign our guest book in the entryway. Please speak to the members and pastor if you wish to learn more about the Gospel ministry here at *Trinity*, and we hope to see you again!

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**PASTOR ABSENCES** – Pastor Naumann will be away from the parish from Friday until Tuesday (6/9-6/13) serving the vacancies. He will also be away for CLC General Pastoral Conference in Eau Claire WI from 6/19-6/25. If an emergency should arise during this time, please contact our president, Dennis Lux, whose information can be found on the inside cover of this bulletin.

**BIBLE CLASS** – This Tuesday's midweek Bible class will conclude all of our formal Bible classes for the summer. We will resume Bible classes on the week of September 10<sup>th</sup>. May the Lord bless your continued growth in individual and family studies in His Word!

**CHURCH COUNCIL** – The church council will meet two weeks from today (6/18) following worship. Women's Circle meets only as needed over the summer, so unless announced otherwise there will be no Women's Circle on the 18<sup>th</sup>.

**Walk with the Apostle Paul (Greece and Turkey trip)** - A group trip to Greece and Turkey is planned for May 27-June 5, 2024 with a possible three day extension to Rome for those who are interested. The trip will include visits to Athens, Corinth, Berea, Thessaloniki, Philippi, Ephesus and much more. It will include visits to the traditional sites of many of the visits of the Apostle Paul recorded in the Book of Acts. We will be reminded of the zeal and spread of the early Christian church. The extension to Rome will include visits to the Sistine Chapel, Basilica of St. Peter, Catacombs, Colosseum, St. Paul's Church, and more. A video of a similar trip can be seen here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ul-o6E47MMw>. If you would like more

information about this trip, please contact Nathanael Mayhew (nnmayhew@sleepyeyelutheran.com). Brochures with additional trip details are available upon request.

**PRAYERS REQUESTED**

- Please keep Molly Bettinger’s friend from Ohio, **Jeanne**, in your prayers. Jeanne’s had a recurrence of brain cancer. May the redemption that Christ won for all people anchor the hope of Jeanne, her family, and her friends during this difficult time.
- Please keep **Pastor John Hein and his family** in your prayers as he continues treatment for his thymic carcinoma. For updates on his care, visit: <https://www.caringbridge.org/visit/pastorjohnhein>. Additionally, a GoFundMe has been set up to help offset medical and travel expenses: <https://www.gofundme.com/f/john-and-janelle-hein-family>.

**CALL NEWS**

- Pastor Matthew Hanel of St. Matthew Lutheran in Dallas, TX has returned the call from Messiah Lutheran Church, Eau Claire, WI to be their third pastor.
- Noah Ohlmann is considering the call from Grace Lutheran of Valentine, NE to be a fulltime assistant for the lower grades of Grace School for the 2023-2024 school year.
- Pastor Sam Naumann of Resurrection Lutheran, Corpus Christi, TX has returned the call to Calvary Lutheran of Marquette, MI.

FRUITS OF FAITH AT TRINITY		
Date	Attendance	Offering
5/7/23	20	\$2,975
5/14/23	17	\$1,045
5/21/23	29	\$1,410
5/28/23	22	\$940.05

GREETER SCHEDULE	
Next Sunday	Jeanne Helke
6/18	Dennis & Linda Lux
6/25	Ben Reim

<b>JUNE CLEANING SCHEDULE</b>	
<b>North Entry</b>	<b>Lux</b>
<b>Sanctuary</b>	<b>Reim</b>
<b>Basement</b>	<b>Helke</b>

