

# Trinity Lutheran Church



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Divine Service –Setting Four

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#### **Holy Communion**

Welcome to Trinity Lutheran. We are delighted you have chosen to join us this day. Our Lord always blesses those who come to His house to hear His word and receive His sacraments. We pray you will experience God's love and care for you.

#### For our guests:

- ❖ Please fill out a blue "Prayer Request Card", found in the pew rack and place it into the offering plate during offering. The Pastor will add it to the morning prayers.
- ❖ Quiet bags are provided for your children during the service. They are located as you enter the church. The children's bulletin and color booklet is for you to keep. Please return the bags as you exit. "Busy Bibles" for the smaller children during the worship service are available! Please return to the rack when exiting.
- ❖ For your convenience we have a Cry Room. You will find it as you enter the church doors. From that room you can hear and observe the service.
- ❖ Here at Trinity we celebrate the Lord's Supper in the 8:30am service on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month and in the 11am service on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month. We believe, as Scripture teaches, that in the Lord's Supper, we receive not only bread and wine, but also the true Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, given and shed for the forgiveness of our sins, and the strengthening of our faith and our fellowship with one another. If you would like to participate in this Sacrament, but have further questions, we encourage you to speak with the pastor or elders. We also invite and encourage you to fill out the white card indicating your desire and intention to commune.
- ❖ Pastor Smith is available for visiting and consultations. Please contact the church office or Pastor's cell phone 760 485-5171 for an appointment.

\*\*Please silence cell phones...Thank you\*\*

God Bless Your Worship!!!



Light of the world, You stepped down into darkness, Opened my eyes, let me see. Beauty that made this heart adore You, hope of a life spent with you

> Here I am to worship; here I am to bow down Here I am to say that You're my God. You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy, Altogether wonderful to me.

King of all days, O so highly exalted, Glorious in heaven above. Humbly You came to the earth You created, All for love's sake became poor.

Here I am to worship; here I am to bow down Here I am to say that You're my God. You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy, Altogether wonderful to me.

Bridge: And I'll never know how much it cost to see my sin upon that cross. I'll never know how much it cost to see my sin upon that cross. I'll never know how much it cost.

Here I am to worship; here I am to bow down Here I am to say that You're my God. You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy, Altogether wonderful to me! Here I am to Worship!

#### CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P: In the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.

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[Matthew 28:19-20; [18:20]]

P: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

[Psalm 124:8]

- C: who made heaven and earth.
- P: If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord who could stand?

[Psalm130:3-4]

- C: But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.
- P: Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, [and receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar] let us first consider our 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 and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit
- C: Amen.

C:

Amen.

#### **INTROIT**

Behold, your King is coming to you; righteous and having salvation. To You, O LORD,

I lift up my soul.

O my God, in You I trust; let me not be put to shame:

let not my enemies exult over me.

Indeed, none who wait for You shall be put to shame:

Ps. 25:1-3; antiphon: Zech. 9:9b, alt.

they shall be ashamed who are wantonly treacherous.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;

as it was in the beginning,

is now, and will be forever. Amen.

Behold, your King is coming to you; righteous and having salvation.

#### **SERVICE OF THE WORD**

#### KYRIE/SALUTATION

C: Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

#### COLLECT OF THE DAY

Stir up Your power, O Lord, and come, that by Your protection we may be rescued from the threatening perils of our sins and saved by Your mighty deliverance; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

#### **HYMN OF PRAISE**

#### "Indescribable"

**Congregation/Troubadours** 

From the highest of heights to the depths of the sea Creation's revealing Your majesty From the colors of fall to the fragrance of spring Every creature unique in the song that it sings All exclaiming!

Refrain: Indescribable, uncontainable,

You placed the stars in the sky and You know them by name.

You are amazing God All powerful, untameable,

Awestruck we fall to our knees as we humbly proclaim

You are amazing God

Who has told every lightning bolt where it should go Or seen heavenly storehouses laden with snow Who imagined the sun and gives source to its light Yet conceals it to bring us the coolness of night None can fathom

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You placed the stars in the sky and You know them by name.

You are amazing God

Incomparable, unchangeable

You see the depths of my heart and You love me the same

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#### OLD TESTAMENT READING

Isaiah 64:1-9

<sup>1</sup>Oh that you would rend the heavens and come down, that the mountains might quake at your presence—

<sup>2</sup> as when fire kindles brushwood and the fire causes water to boil—

to make your name known to your adversaries,

and that the nations might tremble at your presence!

<sup>3</sup>When you did awesome things that we did not look for, you came down, the mountains quaked at your presence.

<sup>4</sup>From of old no one has heard

or perceived by the ear,

no eye has seen a God besides you,

who acts for those who wait for him.

<sup>5</sup>You meet him who joyfully works righteousness, those who remember you in your ways.

Behold, you were angry, and we sinned;

in our sins we have been a long time, and shall we be saved?

<sup>6</sup>We have all become like one who is unclean,

and all our righteous deeds are like a polluted garment.

We all fade like a leaf.

and our iniquities, like the wind, take us away.

<sup>7</sup>There is no one who calls upon your name,

who rouses himself to take hold of you;

for you have hidden your face from us,

and have made us melt in the hand of our iniquities.

<sup>8</sup>But now, O LORD, you are our Father;

we are the clay, and you are our potter;

we are all the work of your hand.

<sup>9</sup>Be not so terribly angry, O LORD, and remember not iniquity forever.

Behold, please look, we are all your people.

- **L** This is the Word of the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God

#### **GRADUAL**

Zech. 9:9; Ps. 118:26, alt.

Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion.

Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem.

Behold, your King is coming to you;

righteous and having salvation.

Blessèd is He who comes in the name of the Lord.

From the house of the Lord we bless You.

Epistle Reading 1 Corinthians 1:3–9

3Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

4I give thanks to my God always for you because of the grace of God that was given you in Christ Jesus, 5that in every way you were enriched in him in all speech and all knowledge—6even as the testimony about Christ was confirmed among you—7so that you are not lacking in any spiritual gift, as you wait for the revealing of our Lord Jesus Christ, 8who will sustain you to the end, guiltless in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. 9God is faithful, by whom you were called into the fellowship of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

**L** This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God

Holy Gospel Mark 11:1–10

<sup>1</sup>Now when they drew near to Jerusalem, to Bethphage and Bethany, at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two of his disciples <sup>2</sup>and said to them, "Go into the village in front of you, and immediately as you enter it you will find a colt tied, on which no one has ever sat. Untie it and bring it. <sup>3</sup>If anyone says to you, 'Why are you doing this?' say, 'The Lord has need of it and will send it back here immediately." <sup>4</sup>And they went away and found a colt tied at a door outside in the street, and they untied it. <sup>5</sup>And some of those standing there said to them, "What are you doing, untying the colt?" <sup>6</sup>And they told them what Jesus had said, and they let them go. <sup>7</sup>And they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks on it, and he sat on it. <sup>8</sup>And many spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut from the fields. <sup>9</sup>And those who went before and those who followed were shouting, "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! <sup>10</sup>Blessed is the coming kingdom of our father David! Hosanna in the highest!"

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord

C Praise to You O Christ

#### **Nicene Creed**

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heave and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

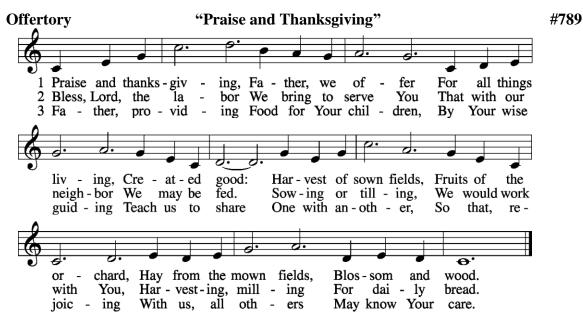
And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life + of the world to come. Amen.





Sermon Matthew 11:1-10



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#### **Prayer of the Church**

#### The Lord's Prayer

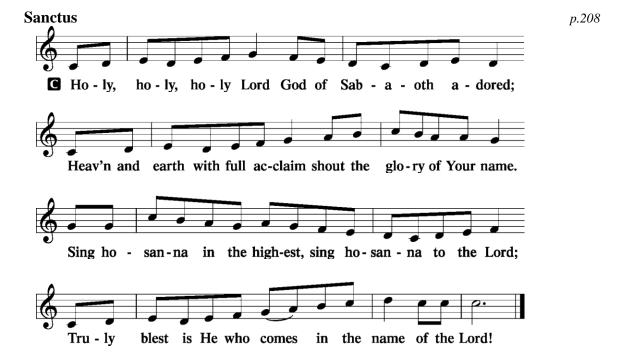
Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

#### **Service of the Sacrament**

Preface 2 Timothy 4:22

- **P** The Lord be with you.
- **C** And also with you.
- **P** Lift up your hearts.
- **C** We lift them to the Lord.
- **P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- **C** It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

P It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, for the countless blessings You so freely bestow on us and all creation. Above all, we give thanks for Your boundless love shown to us when You sent Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, into our flesh and laid on Him our sin, giving Him into death that we might not die eternally. Because He is now risen from the dead and lives and reigns to all eternity, all who believe in Him will overcome sin and death and will rise again to new life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and singing:



#### **Prayer of Thanksgiving**

Blessed are You, O Lord our God, king of all creation, for You have had mercy on us and given Your only-begotten Son that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.

In Your boundless mercy You sent Your servant, John the Baptist, to proclaim that in Christ the kingdom of heaven draws near.

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C Amen.

#### The Words of Our Lord

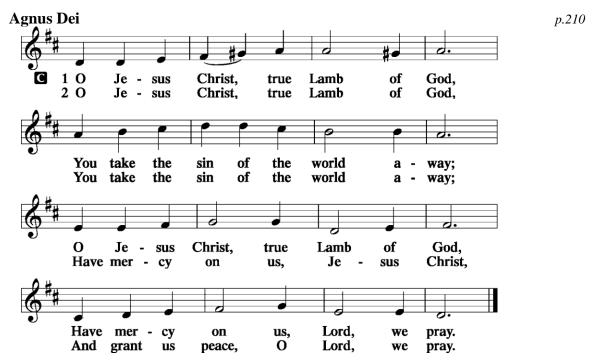
Matt. 26:26-28; Mark 14:22-24; Luke 22:19-20; 1 Cor. 11:23-25

Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, ... This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, ... This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Pax Domini John 20:19

- P The peace of the Lord be with you always.
- C Amen.



#### **Distribution Hymns**

#624, #632, #636

#### **Post-Communion Collect**

- P We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever..
- C Amen.

#### **Benedicamus**

- **P** Let us bless the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.

#### **Benediction**

- The Lord bless you and keep you
  The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.
  The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.
- C Amen.

#### **Closing Hymn**

#### "Savior of the Nations, Come"

#332 vs 5-8



- 5 God the Father was His source,
  Back to God He ran His course.
  Into hell His road went down,
  Back then to His throne and crown.
- 6 For You are the Father's Son
  Who in flesh the vict'ry won.
  By Your mighty pow'r make whole
  All our ills of flesh and soul.
- 7 From the manger newborn light Shines in glory through the night. Darkness there no more resides; In this light faith now abides.
- 8 Glory to the Father sing,
  Glory to the Son, our king,
  Glory to the Spirit be
  Now and through eternity.

## **This Week At Trinity**

Tuesday	7:00 pm	What Lutheran's Believe (Zoom)
Wednesday	3:00 pm	Advent Service (livestream & in person)
	4:00 pm	Jr. Confirmation( <b>Zoom</b> )
	6:00 pm	Choir Practice
	7:00 pm	Advent Service
Thursday	7:00 pm	Hosea Bible Study ( <b>Zoom</b> )
Friday	11:00 am	DOA Bible Study In person & (Zoom)
Next Sunday	8:30 am	Worship in person and live stream
		Holy Communion in person
	10:00 am	Sunday School
		(Fellowship Center)
		Adult Bible Class in person & Zoom
	11:00 am	Worship Holy Communion in person

Please contact Pastor or Bobbi Smith for Zoom Meeting information