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Trinity Lutheran Church

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Trinity Lutheran Church, LCMS

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10:30am – Bremer/Soares

Lectors

8:00am – Bill Schwieger

10:30am – Sara Valentine

Keyboard

Judy Hall

Music Director

Jan Garner

Trinity Lutheran Church

Reverend Bryan O'Connor

Our Mission



“To share the good news of Jesus Christ”



Our Vision STATEMENT

“To serve as God guides us to bring people closer to Jesus Christ through worship, Bible studies, prayer and fellowship”

WELCOME!!!

A warm joyous welcome to all who gather to bear witness to the life of Jesus, our King of Kings!

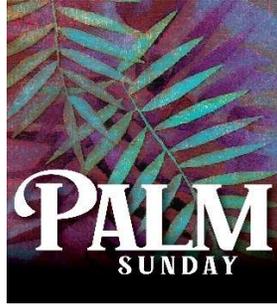
OUR RITE OF FRIENDSHIP:

Members and guests: Please register your attendance in the red pad located at the end of each row. **We ask our guests to please print your complete address and phone number.** When it reaches the other end of the row, pass it back. Upon its return note the other names; you may meet a new friend in Christ today.

Please turn off your cell phone.

If you desire a hearing assistance unit, speak with an usher.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH



**PALM SUNDAY
March 29, 2026**

Welcome! We believe The Lord's Supper is a gracious gift instituted by Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of sins and as a means of receiving God's grace. We believe that in the holy supper, the true body and blood of the Savior, along with the bread and wine, comes to us. We are encouraged by Jesus to commune frequently, and God tells us through St. Paul that we must examine ourselves in preparation for a worthy reception of the sacrament. This includes a confession of our sins, a proclamation of our faith, and a determination to lead a godlier life in the future. If you also acknowledge your sinfulness and your need for a Savior and recognize Christ's physical presence in the bread and wine, we invite you to join us at the Lord's table. Please enjoy our worship service!

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC by *Judy Hall*

"CHORALE: OUR REDEEMER AND OUR LORD"

by A. Schreiner

"JERUSALEM"

by Felix Mendelssohn

"THE PALMS"

by Jean Baptiste Faure

"CHORALE: FAREWELL WILL I THEE GIVE"

Melody by Melchior Teschner/Harmonized by J. S. Bach

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

[Please stand]

OPENING HYMN "RIDE ON, RIDE ON IN MAJESTY"
LSB #441 Text and tune: Public domain



1 Ride on, ride on in maj - es - ty! Hark! All the
 2 Ride on, ride on in maj - es - ty! In low - ly
 3 Ride on, ride on in maj - es - ty! The an - gel
 4 Ride on, ride on in maj - es - ty! Thy last and
 5 Ride on, ride on in maj - es - ty! In low - ly



tribes ho - san - na cry. O Sav - ior meek, pur -
 pomp ride on to die. O Christ, Thy tri - umphs
 ar - mies of the sky Look down with sad and
 fier - est strife is nigh. The Fa - ther on His
 pomp ride on to die. Bow Thy meek head to



sue Thy road, With palms and scat - tered gar - ments strowed.
 now be - gin O'er cap - tive death and con - quered sin.
 won - d'ring eyes To see the ap - proach - ing sac - ri - fice.
 sap - phire throne A - waits His own a - noint - ed Son.
 mor - tal pain, Then take, O God, Thy pow'r and reign.

INVOCATION

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

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

- P** Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.
- C** Hosanna in the highest.

- P** Almighty God, You heard how quickly the “hosannas” turned to shouts of “crucify him.” Because the story of Your cross is a story of love for each of us we can confidently bring our confession to You, trusting that You will forgive our sin.
- C** **Lord God, we stand before Your cross and we are in awe of Your plan to save the world from sin and death. Your gift of love and mercy that comes through the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ brings forgiveness of sin. Forgive us all our sins of thought, word and deed. Forgive those things done and undone. We cannot save ourselves.**

P The innocent Son of God bled and died for us; wore a crown of thorns for us; walked the road to the cross to give us life in eternity with Him. In His stead and by His command, I forgive all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

P Let us pray together,

C Most merciful God, as the people of Jerusalem, with palms in their hands, gathered to greet Your dearly beloved Son when He came into His Holy City, grant that we may ever hail Him as our King and, when He comes again, may go forth to meet Him with trusting and steadfast hearts, and follow Him in the way that leads to eternal life; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

[Please be seated]

HYMN

“HOSANNA, LOUD HOSANNA”

LSB #443 Text and tune: Public domain



1 Ho - san - na, loud ho - san - na, The lit - tle chil - dren sang;
2 From Ol - i - vet they fol - lowed Mid an ex - ul - tant crowd,
3 “Ho - san - na in the high - est!” That an - cient song we sing;



Through pil - lared court and tem - ple The love - ly an - them rang.
The vic - tor palm branch wav - ing And chant - ing clear and loud.
For Christ is our Re - deem - er, The Lord of heav'n our King.



To Je - sus, who had blessed them, Close fold - ed to His breast,
The Lord of earth and heav - en Rode on in low - ly state
Oh, may we ev - er praise Him With heart and life and voice



The chil - dren sang their prais - es, The sim - plest and the best.
Nor scorned that lit - tle chil - dren Should on His bid - ding wait.
And in His bliss - ful pres - ence E - ter - nal - ly re - joice!

++THE WORD++

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Isaiah 50:4-9a

L The Lord God has given me the tongue of those who are taught, that I may know how to sustain with a word him who is weary. Morning by morning he awakens; he awakens my ear to hear as those who are taught. The Lord God has opened my ear, and I was not rebellious; I turned not backward. I gave my back to those who strike, and my cheeks to those who pull out the beard; I hid not my face from disgrace and spitting. But the Lord God helps me; therefore I have not been disgraced; therefore I have set my face like a flint, and I know that I shall not be put to shame. He who vindicates me is near. Who will contend with me? Let us stand up together. Who is my adversary? Let him come near to me. Behold, the Lord God helps me; who will declare me guilty?

L This is the Word of the Lord

C Thanks be to God

ANTHEM

“ALL GLORY, LAUD AND HONOR”

The Trinity Choir

EPISTLE READING

Philippians 2:5-11

L Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but made himself nothing, taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

L This is the Word of the Lord

C Thanks be to God

(please stand)

GOSPEL READING

Luke 19:29-40

P The Holy Gospel according to Luke the 19th chapter.

C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

P When he drew near to Bethphage and Bethany, at the mount that is called Olivet, he sent two of the disciples, saying, “Go into the village in front of you, where on entering you will find a colt tied, on which no one has ever yet sat. Untie it and bring it here. If anyone asks you, ‘Why are you untying it?’ you shall say this: ‘The Lord has need of it.’” So those who were sent went away and found it just as he had told them. And as they were untying the colt, its owners said to them, “Why are you untying the colt?” And

they said, "The Lord has need of it." And they brought it to Jesus, and throwing their cloaks on the colt, they set Jesus on it. And as he rode along, they spread their cloaks on the road. As he was drawing near—already on the way down the Mount of Olives—the whole multitude of his disciples began to rejoice and praise God with a loud voice for all the mighty works that they had seen, saying, "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!" And some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, "Teacher, rebuke your disciples." He answered, "I tell you, if these were silent, the very stones would cry out."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

[please be seated]

HYMN "LET ME BE THINE FOREVER"
LSB #689 Text and tune: Public domain



1 Let me be Thine for - ev - er, My faith - ful God and Lord;
 2 Lord Je - sus, my sal - va - tion, My light, my life di - vine,
 3 And Thou, O Ho - ly Spir - it, My com - fort - er and guide,



Let me for - sake Thee nev - er Nor wan - der from Thy Word.
 My on - ly con - so - la - tion, O make me whol - ly Thine!
 Grant that in Je - sus' mer - it I al - ways may con - fide,



Lord, do not let me wa - ver, But give me stead - fast - ness,
 For Thou hast dear - ly bought me With blood and bit - ter pain.
 Him to the end con - fess - ing Whom I have known by faith.



And for such grace for - ev - er Thy ho - ly name I'll bless.
 Let me, since Thou hast sought me, E - ter - nal life ob - tain.
 Give me Thy con - stant bless - ing And grant a Chris - tian death.

SERMON

"God's Little Miracles"
Pastor Bryan O'Connor

[please stand]

CONFESSION OF FAITH – THE APOSTLE’S CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

[please be seated]

OFFERING HYMN:

**“I PRAY YOU, DEAR LORD JESUS”
(TUNE: LSB #742)**

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| 1. I pray You, dear Lord Jesus,
My heart to keep and train
That I Your holy temple
From youth to age remain. | 2. O turn my thoughts forever
From worldly wisdom’s lore;
If I but learn to know You
I shall not want for more. |
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PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

P Let us pray for the whole church of God and for all people according to their needs.
(after each petition:

P Lord, in Your mercy,

C Hear our prayer.

March Birthdays

30TH - Connie Crispin, Blair Staas,
Maureen Dunlap & Jim Moore

March Anniversaries

31st - Erhard & Paula Weigelmann (26)

April Birthdays

1st - Barb Grim
2nd - Paula Diemer
3rd - Craig Staas & Mary Merkling
4th - Wanda David & Don Krause

April Anniversaries

1st - Jim & Nancy Steinmark (66)

[please stand]

COMMUNION LITURGY

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Lift up your hearts!

C **We lift them to the Lord.**

P O Christ, You are the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world.

C **You are the One who comes in the name of the Lord.**

P You are the risen Christ who is present in bread and wine.

C **You are the Son of David and the Savior of the world.**

P As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup we proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.

C **Holy Spirit, come and lead us through this Holy Week and into a deeper experience of Your love for us.**

P Hear us as we pray in His name and As He has taught us:

THE LORD'S PRAYER

WORDS OF OUR LORD

PEACE OF THE LORD

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C **And also with you.**

[please be seated]

AGNUS DEI *(Tune LSB #451)*

Lamb of God, have mercy on us, Lamb of God, to You we pray.
Lamb of God, have mercy on us, Lamb of God, to You we pray.
All the world's sin You have taken, You have borne the awful load;
Grant us peace, have mercy on us, grant us peace, O Lamb of God.

NOTE: *If you have a physical condition that would prohibit you from taking wine in the Lord's Supper, a few individual cups of white grape juice, instead of wine, are placed in the center of each communion tray for you. For those with a gluten allergy we now provide gluten-free wafers. Please help yourself to the gluten-free wafers located in the center of the tray.*

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

“O HOW HE LOVES YOU AND ME”

The Trinity Choir

“CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS”

LSB # 525 Text and tune: Public domain



1 Crown Him with man - y crowns, The Lamb up - on His throne;
 2 Crown Him the vir - gin's Son, The God in - car - nate born,
 3 Crown Him the Lord of love. Be - hold His hands and side,
 4 Crown Him the Lord of life, Who tri - umphed o'er the grave
 5 Crown Him the Lord of heav'n, En - throned in worlds a - bove,



Hark how the heav'n-ly an - them drowns All mu - sic but its own.
 Whose arm those crim-son tro - phies won Which now His brow a-dorn:
 Rich wounds, yet vis - i - ble a - bove, In beau - ty glo - ri - fied.
 And rose vic - to - rious in the strife For those He came to save.
 Crown Him the king to whom is giv'n The won-drous name of Love.



A - wake, my soul, and sing Of Him who died for thee, And
 Fruit of the mys - tic rose, Yet of that rose the stem, The
 No an - gels in the sky Can ful - ly bear that sight, But
 His glo - ries now we sing, Who died and rose on high, Who
 Crown Him with man - y crowns As thrones be - fore Him fall; Crown



hail Him as thy match-less king Through all e - ter - ni - ty.
 root whence mer - cy ev - er flows, The babe of Beth - le - hem.
 down-ward bend their won-d'ring eyes At mys - ter - ies so bright.
 died e - ter - nal life to bring And lives that death may die.
 Him, ye kings, with man - y crowns, For He is king of all.

“MY FAITH LOOKS UP TO THEE”

LSB #702 Text and tune: Public domain



1 My faith looks up to Thee, Thou Lamb of Cal - va - ry,
2 May Thy rich grace im - part Strength to my faint - ing heart;
3 While life's dark maze I tread And griefs a - round me spread,
4 When ends life's tran - sient dream, When death's cold, sul - len stream



Sav - ior di - vine. Now hear me while I pray; Take all my
My zeal in - spire! As Thou hast died for me, Oh, may my
Be Thou my guide; Bid dark - ness turn to day, Wipe sor - row's
Shall o'er me roll, Blest Sav - ior, then, in love, Fear and dis -



guilt a - way; O let me from this day Be whol - ly Thine!
love to Thee Pure, warm, and change - less be, A liv - ing fire!
tears a - way, Nor let me ev - er stray From Thee a - side.
trust re - move; O bear me safe a - bove, A ran - somed soul!

“I LOVE TO TELL THE STORY”

TOSB #93 VS 1-3

1. I love to tell the story of unseen things above,
Of Jesus and His glory, of Jesus and His love.
I love to tell the story, because I know 'tis true;
It satisfies my longings as nothing else can do.

CHORUS:

**I love to tell the story
'Twill be my theme in glory
To tell the old, old story
Of Jesus and His love.**

2. I love to tell the story; how pleasant to repeat
What seems, each time I tell it, more wonderfully sweet
I love to tell the story, for some have never heard
The message of salvation from God's own holy Word. **Chorus**
3. I love to tell the story; for those who know it best
Seem hungering and thirsting to hear it, like the rest.
And when, in scenes of glory, I sing the new, new song,
'Twill be the old, old story, that I have love so long. **Chorus**

[please stand]

PRAYER

P Let us pray... Blessed Savior, Jesus Christ, You have given Yourself to us in this holy Sacrament. Keep us in Your faith and favor that we may live in You even as You live in us. May Your body and blood preserve us in the true faith to life everlasting. Hear us for the sake of Your name.

C Amen.

BENEDICTION

P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you His peace.

C Amen.

P Go in peace and serve the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

“REJOICE THE LORD IS KING”

LW #179

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| 1. Rejoice the Lord is King
Your Lord and King adore
Rejoice, give thanks and sing
And triumph evermore - Chorus | 3. His kingdom cannot fail
He rules o'er earth and heaven
The keys of death and hell
Are to our Jesus given – Chorus |
| 2. Jesus the Saviour reigns
The God of truth and love
When He had purged our stains
He took His seat above – Chorus | 4. He sits at God's right hand
Till all His foes submit
And bow to His command
And fall beneath His feet – Chorus |

CHORUS

Lift up your heart lift up your voice
Rejoice again I say rejoice