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Trinity Lutheran Church, LCMS

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Head Elder

8:00am – Roy Egeland

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8:00am – Bailey & M. David

10:30am – Bremer & Buuck

Lectors

8:00am – Patsy Bock

10:30am – Sara Valentine

Keyboard

Judy Hall

Music Director

Jan Garner

Trinity Lutheran Church

Reverend Jack Mackowiak

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

**7th SUNDAY OF EASTER
May 17, 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*

"JESUS SHALL REIGN"

by John Hatton

"THE LOST CHORD"

by Arthur Sullivan

"ANDANTE"

by W. A. Mozart

SPECIAL MUSIC *by The Devotional Drums Ensemble w/Choir*

"ALLELUIA"

Words and Music by Jerry Sinclair

"IN THE CROSS OF CHRIST I GLORY"

Words by John Bowring / Music by Ithamar Conkey

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

[Please stand]

OPENING HYMN “ALL HAIL THE POWER OF JESUS’ NAME”
LSB #549 (Vs.1-4) Text and tune: Public domain



1 All hail the pow'r of Je - sus' name! Let an - gels pros-trate fall;
 2 Crown Him, ye mar-tyrs of our God, Who from His al - tar call;
 3 Ye seed of Is-rael's cho - sen race, Ye ran - somed from the fall,
 4 Hail Him, ye heirs of Da-vid's line, Whom Da - vid Lord did call,



Bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem And crown Him Lord of all.
 Ex - tol the stem of Jes - se's rod And crown Him Lord of all.
 Hail Him who saves you by His grace And crown Him Lord of all.
 The God in - car-nate, man di - vine, And crown Him Lord of all.



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INVOCATION

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

C Amen.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P We thank You, Holy God, for the gift of Your Son and the gift of the Holy Spirit.

C **Because of Your power and love, all of life is renewed and we can bring our confession to You in the full confidence that You forgive our sin.**

P Martin Luther encourages us, “Here examine your situation according to the Ten Commandments, whether you are a father, mother, son, daughter, master, mistress, servant; whether you have been disobedient, unfaithful, lazy; whether you have grieved any person by word or deed; whether you have stolen, neglected, or wasted anything, or done injury to another person.”

C **You are our God. We confess the sin of our human condition and ask for Your forgiveness. On our own, we cannot worship You with all our heart. On our own, we cannot love one another as we should. Forgive us. We need more of You in our life.**

P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As an 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.

P Let us pray...Merciful Lord, cleanse and defend Your Church by the sacrifice of Christ. United with Him in Holy Baptism, give us grace to receive with thanksgiving the fruits of His redeeming work and daily follow in His way; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

[Please be seated]

HYMN OF PRAISE "ALL HAIL THE POWER OF JESUS' NAME"

LSB #549 (vs.5-7) Text and tune: Public domain



5 Sin - ners, whose love can ne'er for - get The worm-wood and the gall,
6 Let ev - 'ry kin-dred, ev - 'ry tribe, On this ter - res-trial ball
7 Oh, that with yon-der sa - cred thron'g We at His feet may fall!



Go, spread your tro-phies at His feet And crown Him Lord of all.
To Him all maj - es - ty as - crite And crown Him Lord of all.
We'll join the ev - er - last - ing song And crown Him Lord of all.



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+THE WORD++

FIRST READING

Acts 1:1-11

L ¹In the first book, O Theophilus, I have dealt with all that Jesus began to do and teach, ²until the day when he was taken up, after he had given commands through the Holy Spirit to the apostles whom he had chosen. ³To them he presented himself alive after his suffering by many proofs, appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the kingdom of God. ⁴And while staying with them he ordered them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for the promise of the Father, which, he said, "you heard from me; ⁵for John baptized

with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now.”⁶ So when they had come together, they asked him, “Lord, will you at this time restore the kingdom to Israel?”⁷ He said to them, “It is not for you to know times or seasons that the Father has fixed by his own authority.⁸ But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.”⁹ And when he had said these things, as they were looking on, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight.¹⁰ And while they were gazing into heaven as he went, behold, two men stood by them in white robes,¹¹ and said, “Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking into heaven? This Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven.”

☒ This is the Word of the Lord

☑ Thanks be to God

SECOND READING

1 Peter 4:12-19, 5:6-11

☒¹² Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery trial when it comes upon you to test you, as though something strange were happening to you.¹³ But rejoice insofar as you share Christ’s sufferings, that you may also rejoice and be glad when his glory is revealed.¹⁴ If you are insulted for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the Spirit of glory and of God rests upon you.¹⁵ But let none of you suffer as a murderer or a thief or an evildoer or as a meddler.¹⁶ Yet if anyone suffers as a Christian, let him not be ashamed, but let him glorify God in that name.¹⁷ For it is time for judgment to begin at the household of God; and if it begins with us, what will be the outcome for those who do not obey the gospel of God?¹⁸ And “If the righteous is scarcely saved, what will become of the ungodly and the sinner?”¹⁹ Therefore let those who suffer according to God’s will entrust their souls to a faithful Creator while doing good. . . .⁶ Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you,⁷ casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you.⁸ Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour.⁹ Resist him, firm in your faith, knowing that the same kinds of suffering are being experienced by your brotherhood throughout the world.¹⁰ And after you have suffered a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, confirm, strengthen, and establish you.¹¹ To him be the dominion forever and ever. Amen.

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ANTHEM by *The Trinity Choir*

“HIS EYE IS ON THE SPARROW”

Music by Charles H. Gabriel/Arr. by Ruth Elaine Schram

(please stand)

GOSPEL READING

John 17:1-11

P The Holy Gospel according to John the 17th chapter.

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

P ¹When Jesus had spoken these words, he lifted up his eyes to heaven, and said, "Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son that the Son may glorify you, ²since you have given him authority over all flesh, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. ³And this is eternal life, that they know you the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. ⁴I glorified you on earth, having accomplished the work that you gave me to do. ⁵And now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had with you before the world existed. ⁶"I have manifested your name to the people whom you gave me out of the world. Yours they were, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. ⁷Now they know that everything that you have given me is from you. ⁸For I have given them the words that you gave me, and they have received them and have come to know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. ⁹I am praying for them. I am not praying for the world but for those whom you have given me, for they are yours. ¹⁰All mine are yours, and yours are mine, and I am glorified in them. ¹¹And I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, keep them in your name, which you have given me, that they may be one, even as we are one."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord

C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

[please be seated]

HYMN

"ON CHRIST'S ASCENSION I NOW BUILD"

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1 On Christ's as - cen - sion I now build The hope of my as -
 2 Since Christ re - turned to claim His throne, Great gifts for me ob -
 3 O grant, dear Lord, this grace to me, Re - call - ing Your as -

cen - sion; This hope a - lone has al - ways stilled All doubt and
 tain - ing, My heart will rest in Him a - lone, No oth - er
 cen - sion, That I may serve You faith - ful - ly In thanks for

ap - pre - hen - sion; For where the Head is, there as well I
 rest re - main - ing; For where my trea - sure went be - fore, There
 my re - demp - tion; And then, when all my days will cease, Let

know His mem - bers are to dwell When Christ will come and call them.
 all my thoughts will ev - er soar To still their deep - est yearn - ing.
 me de - part in joy and peace In an - swer to my plead - ing.

SERMON

Reanimated...for Spirit-Powered Witness

Acts 1:6-14

Pastor Jack Mackowiak

[please stand]

CONFESSION OF FAITH – APOSTLES’ 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: “CREATE IN ME”

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| 1. Create in me a pure heart, Lord,
A spirit new within.
O cast me not away from You,
But cleanse me from my sin. | 2. Restore to me salvation’s joy;
Your Holy Spirit breathe
Within my heart to grant me grace,
Uphold me, Spirit free. |
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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

May Birthdays

19th Jeannette Theiss

20th Jay Paxton, Dianne Glass

& Louise Ann Mockovciak

22nd Roberta Anderson & Charles Giertz

23rd Jerry Iseler

May Anniversaries

18th Donald & Barbara Hunter (52)

21st Jim & Kathy Skurzewski (47)

22nd Tim & Amy Ross (24)

[please stand]

COMMUNION LITURGY

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

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P The crowds asked Jesus:

C **What must we do to do the works God requires?**

P Jesus answered: The work of God is this – to believe in the one He has sent. So they asked Him:

C **What miraculous sign then will You give that we may see it and believe You? What will You do? Our forefathers ate the manna in the desert; as it is written: He gave them bread from heaven to eat.**

P Jesus said to them: I tell you the truth, it is not Moses who has given you bread from heaven, but it is My Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is He who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world. They said,

C **Sir, from now on give us this bread.**

P Then Jesus declared: I am the living bread that came down from heaven. If anyone eats of this bread, he will live forever. This bread is my flesh, which I will give for the life of the world.

C **Let us give thanks to the Lord, for He is good, and His mercy endures forever.**

P Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

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.**

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

C **Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

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

“O CHRIST, THE LAMB OF GOD”

Tune: LSB #895

O Christ, the Lamb of God,
O Christ, our loving Shepherd;
The sin of the whole globe
You take away forever.

O Christ, the Lamb of God
You take our sin away
Grant now to us Your peace,
Oh, hear us now we pray.

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

LSB #829 “CHRIST THE ETERNAL LORD”

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1 Christ the e - ter - nal Lord, Whose prom - ise here we claim,
2 Christ the un - chang - ing Word To ev - 'ry pass - ing age,
3 Christ the re - deem - ing Son, Who shares our hu - man birth,
4 Christ the un - fad - ing Light Of ev - er - last - ing day,
5 Christ the as - cend - ed King Ex - alt - ed high a - bove,



Whose gifts of grace are free - ly poured On all who name Your name;
Whose time - less teach - ings still are heard Set forth on Scrip - ture's page;
And by His death sal - va - tion won For ev - 'ry child of earth;
Our Morn - ing Star in splen - dor bright, The Life, the Truth, the Way;
Whose praise un - end - ing a - ges sing, Whom yet un - seen we love;



With thank - ful - ness and praise We stand be - fore Your throne,
Trans - form our thought and mind, En - light - en all who read,
In - spire our hearts, we pray, To tell Your love a - broad,
That light of truth You give To ser - vants as to friends,
When mor - tal life is past Your voice from heav - en's throne



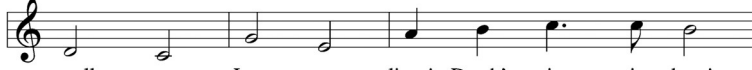
In - tent to serve You all our days And make Your glo - ry known.
With - in Your Word by faith to find The bread of life in - deed.
That all may hon - or Christ to - day And fol - low Him as Lord.
Your way to walk, Your life to live, Till earth's brief jour - ney ends.
Shall call Your chil - dren home at last To know as we are known.

"JESUS LIVES! THE VICTORY'S WON"

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1 Je - sus lives! The vic - t'ry's won! Death no long - er can ap -
2 Je - sus lives! To Him the throne High a - bove all things is
3 Je - sus lives! For me He died, Hence will I, to Je - sus
4 Je - sus lives! I know full well Noth - ing me from Him shall
5 Je - sus lives! And now is death But the gate of life im -



pall me; Je - sus lives! Death's reign is done!
giv - en, I shall go where He is gone,
liv - ing, Pure in heart and act a - bide,
sev - er, Nei - ther death nor pow'rs of hell
mor - tal; This shall calm my trem - bling breath



From the grave will Christ re - call me. Bright - er
Live and reign with Him in heav - en. God is
Praise to Him and glo - ry giv - ing. All I
Part me now from Christ for - ev - er. God will
When I pass its gloom - y por - tal. Faith shall



scenes will then com - mence; This shall be my con - fi - dence.
faith - ful; doubt - ings, hence! This shall be my con - fi - dence.
need God will dis - pense; This shall be my con - fi - dence.
be my sure de - fense; This shall be my con - fi - dence.
cry, as fails each sense: Je - sus is my con - fi - dence!

[please stand]

PRAYER

P Let us pray...God of power and glory, we give You thanks for the gift of Your Son's body and blood for our forgiveness. Having received those gifts along with Your Word, empower and embolden our witness daily; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen

BENEDICTION

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God the Father, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you. Go in peace and serve the Lord.

C Thanks be to God! Amen!

CLOSING HYMN "ALMIGHTY FATHER, BLESS THE WORD"

LSB #923 Text and tune: Public domain



1 Al - might - y Fa - ther, bless the Word Which through Your
2 We praise You for the means of grace As home - ward
△ 3 Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; Praise Him, all



grace we now have heard. Oh, may the pre - cious
now our steps we trace. Grant, Lord, that we who
crea - tures here be - low; Praise Him a - bove, ye



seed take root, Spring up, and bear a - bun - dant fruit!
wor - shiped here May all at last in heav'n ap - pear.
heav'n - ly host: Praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

