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BIG REWARDS**

**4th Sunday after
Pentecost**

**Contemporary Worship
9:30 and 11:00 am
July 2, 2017**



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Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church! Please sign the red Worship Witness booklet to record your attendance with us this day, and indicate how many are communing. Then pass the booklet to the worshipers beside you in your row. If you are a guest, name tags are available for you to wear---we would be delighted to greet you by name. Hearing assistance devices are available at the Gathering Space desk.

about today's service

The welcome of baptism is for all God's children. This baptismal gift sets us free from the power of sin and death. In today's gospel, Christ promises that the disciple who gives a cup of cold water to the little ones serves Christ himself. From worship we are sent on our baptismal mission: to serve the little ones of this world and to be a sign of God's merciful welcome.

P: Pastor

L: Lector

C: Congregation

✝ Gathering ✝

We gather together to praise God and receive His love.

Song of Praise: "Amen, Hallelujah"

Verse

Gathered here together in Jesus' name
We have the Gospel to proclaim,
Sin and death are conquered, Jesus reigns,
Now everybody can be saved!

Chorus

Amen hallelujah, (we sing) give thanks to the Lord.
Amen hallelujah, the Lord is good and His love lasts forever.
The Lord is good and His love lasts forever, oh yeah.

Verse

Gathered here together in Jesus' name
We have the Gospel to proclaim,
Sin and death are conquered, Jesus reigns,
Now everybody can be saved!

Chorus (2X)**Tag:**

The Lord is good and His love lasts forever.
Hallelujah
Oh yeah!

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Welcome and Announcements

(Stand)

Song: "Gather Us In"**Verse 1**

Here in this place the new light is streaming,
now is the darkness vanished away;
see in this space our fears and our dreamings
brought here to you in the light of this day.
Gather us in, the lost and forsaken,
gather us in, the blind and the lame;
call to us now, and we shall awaken,
we shall arise at the sound of our name.

Verse 2

We are the young, our lives are a myst'ry,
we are the old who yearn for your face;
we have been sung throughout all of hist'ry,
called to be light to the whole human race.
Gather us in, the rich and the haughty,
gather us in, the proud and the strong;
give us a heart, so meek and so lowly,
give us the courage to enter the song.

Verse 3

Here we will take the wine and the water,
here we will take the bread of new birth,
here you shall call your sons and your daughters,
call us anew to be salt for the earth.
Give us to drink the wine of compassion,

give us to eat the bread that is you;
nourish us well, and teach us to fashion
lives that are holy and hearts that are true.

Verse 4

Not in the dark of buildings confining,
not in some heaven, light years away—
but here in this place the new light is shining,
now is the kingdom, and now is the day.
Gather us in and hold us forever,
gather us in and make us your own;
gather us in, all peoples together,
fire of love in our flesh and our bone.

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Confessional Prayer

P: (Pastoral Prayer) ... trusting in the power of God to make all things new, let
us confess our sin to God and our neighbor.

**C: Lord God, in the light of your glory we see the evil we have done, the
suffering we have caused, the good we have refused, and the truth we
have denied. Heal us of our sin, wash us in your mercy, and feed us with
your grace, so that we may follow your way and tell the good news of the
gospel. Amen.**

P: God loves you and forgives you all your sins. Hear this word of forgiveness, in
the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Thanks be to God.

Song: "Salvation Belongs To Our God"

Verse 1

Salvation belongs to our God who sits upon the throne.
And unto the Lamb
Praise and glory, wisdom and thanks, honor and power and strength.

Chorus

Be to our God forever and ever.
Be to our God forever and ever.
Be to our God forever and ever. Amen.

Verse 2

And we the redeemed shall be strong in purpose and unity.
Declaring aloud praise and glory, wisdom and thanks,
honor and power and strength.

Chorus

Bridge: Praise and glory, wisdom and thanks, honor and power and strength.

Chorus

Tag (2X): Amen.

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Greeting

P: The steadfast love of God, the life of Jesus Christ, and the growth of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray. O God, you direct our lives by your grace, and your words of justice and mercy reshape the world. Mold us into a people who welcome your word and serve one another, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

(Sit)

✝ Word ✝

We listen to the story of God's mighty acts for the sake of His people.

Children's Story

First Reading

Jeremiah 28:5-9

Through a symbolic action, Jeremiah insisted that Judah and all the surrounding nations should submit to the king of Babylon. Hananiah contradicted Jeremiah, who in reply insisted that Hananiah's rosy prediction should not be believed until it came true. God confirmed the word of Jeremiah and sentenced the false prophet Hananiah to death (vv. 16-17).

⁵The prophet Jeremiah spoke to the prophet Hananiah in the presence of the priests and all the people who were standing in the house of the Lord; ⁶and the prophet Jeremiah said, "Amen! May the Lord do so; may the Lord fulfill the words that you have prophesied, and bring back to this place from Babylon the vessels of the house of the Lord, and all the exiles. ⁷But listen now to this word that I speak in your hearing and in the hearing of all the people. ⁸The prophets who preceded you and me from ancient times prophesied war, famine, and pestilence against many countries and great kingdoms. ⁹As for the prophet who prophesies peace, when the word of that prophet comes true, then it will be known that the Lord has truly sent the prophet."

L: The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

L: I will sing of the tender mercies of the LORD forever! Young and old will hear of your faithfulness.

C: Your unfailing love will last forever. Your faithfulness is as enduring as the heavens.

L: The LORD said, "I have made a solemn agreement with David, my chosen servant. I have sworn this oath to him:

C: 'I will establish your descendants as kings forever; they will sit on your throne from now until eternity.'"

L: Happy are those who hear the joyful call to worship, for they will walk in the light of your presence, LORD.

C. They rejoice all day long in your wonderful reputation. They exult in your righteousness.

L: You are their glorious strength. Our power is based on your favor.

C: Yes, our protection comes from the LORD, and he, the Holy One of Israel, has given us our king.

(Stand)

Gospel Acclamation: **"The Word of the Lord is Good"**

The musical score is written for piano and voice. It consists of two systems of music. The first system has a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The vocal line is in G major and 6/8 time, with lyrics: "Al - le - lu - ia! The word of the Lord en - dures. - Al - le - lu - ia! The". The piano accompaniment consists of chords in the left hand and a melodic line in the right hand. The second system continues the vocal line with lyrics: "word of the Lord is good!". The piano accompaniment continues with chords and a melodic line.

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When Jesus sends his disciples out as missionaries, he warns them of persecution and hardships they will face. He also promises to reward any who aid his followers and support their ministry.

[Jesus said to the twelve:] ⁴⁰“Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. ⁴¹Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet’s reward; and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous; ⁴²and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple—truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward.”

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

(Sit)

Sermon: Small Cups, Big Rewards

Pastor John H. Brock

(Stand)

Apostles’ Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s 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 to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

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

Prayers of the Church

Following each petition are the words: “Hear us, O God.”

Please respond with: “Your mercy is great.”

† Meal †

When we celebrate communion we remember that Jesus died for us and we experience His love and forgiveness. As we eat the bread and wine Christ is present with us.

Sharing of the Peace

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

(Sit)

Offering:

Optional methods of giving: text an amount to 717-963-2281 (be sure to use a "\$"); use the Giving Kiosk in the Gathering Space to donate by credit card.

Special Music: "Beauty for Brokenness"

Verse 1

Beauty for brokenness, hope for despair
Lord in Your suff'ring world this is our prayer
Bread for the children, justice, joy, peace
Sunrise to sunset, Your kingdom increase.

Verse 2

Shelter for fragile lives, cures for their ills
Work for the craftsmen, trade for their skills
Land for the dispossessed, rights for the weak
Voices to plead the cause of those who can't speak

Chorus

God of the poor, friend of the weak
Give us compassion we pray
Melt our cold hearts, let tears fall like rain
Come change our love from a spark to a flame

Verse 3

Lighten our darkness, breathe on this flame
Until Your justice burns brightly again
Until the nations learn of Your ways
Seek Your salvation and bring You their praise

Verse 4

Rest for the ravaged earth, oceans and streams,
Plundered and poisoned, our future our dreams.
Lord, end our madness, carelessness, greed.
Make us content with the things that we need.

Chorus

Verse 5

Lighten our darkness, breathe on this flame,
Until Your justice burns brightly again;
Until the nations learn of Your ways,

Seek Your salvation and bring You their praise.

Chorus (2X)

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(Stand)

Offering Prayer

P: Gracious God,

C: Receive these gifts we bring that you first gave to us. Let our offering proclaim the news of your redeeming love in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Great Thanksgiving

P: Christ is here.

C: The Spirit is with us.

P: With joy, we lift up our hearts.

C: And give thanks to the Lord of Life.

P: Almighty God, we praise you, for you are the source of all goodness. When we sinned and turned away, you gave us your Son, Jesus Christ, to be for us the way, the truth and the life. He shared our human nature, and by his death on the cross, he brought us your forgiveness. You raised him from death, forever destroying its sting. In him you make us a holy people by pouring upon us your Spirit of life and power. Through this meal, join us together with one another in the bond of your Son's love.

C: Amen. Come Lord Jesus.

P: *In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread and gave thanks; broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying: "Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."*

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: "This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me."

Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Invitation to Holy Communion

P: This is the bread that comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.

C: Whoever eats this bread will live forever.

(Sit)

Sharing our Lord's Supper

All baptized Christians are welcome to celebrate the real presence of Jesus Christ in our Lord's Supper. Please come forward by the middle aisle, receive the bread, dip it into the wine, and return by the side aisles. Communion may be received in bread only, if desired. Non-communing children and adults are invited to come forward for a blessing. As a gesture of hospitality we use dealcoholized wine (less than .5% alcohol). In addition, we offer gluten-free wafers available upon request--please ask the pastor at the time of communion.

(Stand)

Post-Communion Prayer

P: Let us pray. The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen.

✠ Sending ✠

We have heard the Word of God, offered our gifts, and been fed at the table. Now we are sent out, strengthened by the Holy Spirit to be God's people in the world.

Blessing

P: May the God who breathed life into creation be your delight. May the love of Christ Jesus ✠ give you hope. And may the Holy Spirit, your advocate and supporter, set your hearts afire to serve.

C: Amen.

Song: "Mighty to Save"

Verse 1

Ev'ryone needs compassion, love that's never failing.

Let mercy fall on me.

Ev'ryone needs forgiveness, the kindness of a Saviour. The Hope of nations.

Chorus

Saviour, He can move the mountains.

My God is mighty to save. He is mighty to save.

Forever, Author of Salvation.

He rose and conquered the grave. Jesus conquered the grave.

Verse 2

So take me as You find me, all my fears and failures.

Fill my life again.

I give my life to follow, ev'rything I believe in. Now I surrender.

Chorus (2X)

Bridge (2X)

Shine your light, and let the whole world see.

We're singing for the glory of the risen King.

Jesus. Shine your light and let the whole world see.

We're singing for the glory of the risen King.

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Dismissal

P: Go out into the world and labor to bring forth new life.

C: Thanks be to God.

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worship notes

Attendance at our services last week was 546. Copies of last week's sermons are available on the tables in Fellowship Hall, in the narthex, the tract rack in the Gathering Space, and on our website. Our web address is: www.trinitycamphill.org.

The flowers in the Nave and Fellowship Hall, the communion elements for all services, and the sanctuary lamp candle, the symbol of God's abiding presence, are presented to the glory of God and in loving memory of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Collins and Mr. and Mrs. William A. Range, by Bill and Kay Range; and in honor of the anniversary of the baptism of Olivia Ruth Rice by her parents, Tim and Kelly Rice.

leaders

Presiding Minister:

The Rev. Dr. Jack M. Horner

Preacher: The Rev. John H. Brock

Storyteller: Becky Enney

Lector: (9:30) Jane Killian; (11:00)

Jonathan Heilman

Greeters: (9:30) Barbara Kriebel (head greeter) (11:00) Maggie Ackerman (head greeter), Bruce and Nancy Bigelow, Carol Steffy

Communion Assistants: (9:30)
Gretchen Brodie, Karen Woodring,
Jane Killian, Marianne Brock, Rick
Wilson, Tom Reddinger, Tom Stank;
(11:00) Lyn Reed, Vicki Wilken,
Jonathan Heilman, Kevin Brady,
Marianne Brock, Rick Wilson, Tom Stank

Offering Assistants: (11:00) Connor and
Teaghen Northridge, Josh and Alex
Easley

Ushers: (9:30) Dan Reed; (11:00) Perry
Shindle, Brian Musselman

FaithX: Kevin Appleby, Kevin Brady, Marianne Brock, Pam Hess, Shannon Jones,
Devin Miller, Jesse Northridge, Tom Reddinger, Mike Schwalm, Tom Stank, Paul
Walker, Debbie Wilson, Rick Wilson

Garden of Eatin': (GOE I) Mary Ellen Hettinger; (GOE II) Deb Adams

Cover art/design: Trinity Staff

Altar Care: (9:30) Lois Lamarca; (11:00)
Donna Campbell

Flower Delivery: Betsy DeStefano

Sound Technician: (9:30) James
Roberts; (11:00) Gary Rini

Video Presentation: (9:30) Barb
Henderson; (11:00) Chuck Roy

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