

Inset: Our potential Sunday School check-in area for children

**Fourth Sunday of Easter** 

Contemporary Worship 9:00 and 10:45 am April 22, 2018





**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 image of the Good Shepherd shows us how the risen Christ brings us to life. It is the relationship between the shepherd and the sheep, one of mutual knowledge and love, that gives the shepherd authority. The shepherd's willingness to lay down his life for the sheep shows his love. First John illustrates what it means to lay down our lives for one another by the example of sharing our wealth with any sister or brother in need.

P: Pastor L: Lector C: Congregation

# + Gathering +

We gather together to praise God and receive His love.

# Song: "Rescuer" (Good News)

#### Chorus

He's our Rescuer, He's our Rescuer. We are free from sin forevermore. Oh, how sweet the sound! Oh, how grace abounds! We will praise the Lord,

Our Rescuer.

#### Verse 1

There is good news for the captive,

Good news for the shamed.

There is good news for the one who walked away.

There is good news for the doubter,

The one religion failed,

For the good Lord has come to seek and save.

#### Chorus

#### Verse 2

He is beauty for the blind man,

Riches for the poor.

He is friendship for the one the world ignores.

He is pasture for the weary, rest for those who strive.

Oh, the good Lord is the way, the truth, the life.

Yes, the good Lord is the way, the truth, the life.

#### Chorus

# Bridge (2X)

So come and be chainless.

Come and be fearless.

Come to the foot of Calvary.

There is redemption for ev'ry affliction

Here at the foot of Calvary.

# Chorus

Tag: We will praise the Lord, our Rescuer.

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# Song: "This is How We Know"

## Verse

This is how we know, this is how we know what love is, just one look at Your cross.

And this is where we see, this is where we see how love works for You surrendered Your all.

And this is how we know that You have loved us first, and this is where we chose to love You in return.

#### Chorus

For You so loved the world that You gave Your only Son, Love amazing, so divine, we will love You in return. For this life that You give, for this death that You have died. Love amazing, so divine, we will love You in reply, Lord.

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# **Bridge**

And our love will be loud, our love will be strong, our love shall be hands and feet that serve You in this world. So let us stay true and let it endure that You will be alorified and worshipped and adored.

#### Chorus

# **Ending**

Savior of the world.
King Jesus, we love You,
for we have been loved.
King Jesus, we love You,
for we have been loved.

We have been loved.

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# Song: "Hold Us Together"

# Verse 1

It don't have a job.

It don't pay your bills.

Won't buy you a home in Beverly Hills.

Won't fix your life

In five easy steps.

Ain't the law of the land or the government.

But it's all you need.

## Chorus

And love will hold us together, Make us a shelter to weather the storm. And I'll be my brother's keeper, So the whole world will know That we're not alone.

#### Verse 2

It's waiting for you.
Knockin' at your door.
In the moment of truth,
When your heart hits the floor
And you're on your knees.

#### Chorus

# Bridge (2X)

This is the first day of the rest of your life.

This is the first day of the rest of your life.

'Cause even in the dark, you can still see the light.

It's gonna be alright. It's gonna be alright.

## Chorus

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Welcome and Announcements

(Stand)

Confession and Forgiveness

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.

C: Amen.

- P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
- C: Amen.
- P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

- P: Gracious God,
- C: have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and given ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your

# Spirit, so that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

P: God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of + Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

C: Amen.

Greeting

P: Rejoice and be glad. Christ is risen!

C: He is risen indeed! Alleluig!

Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray. O Lord Christ, good shepherd of the sheep, you seek the lost and guide us into your fold. Feed us, and we shall be satisfied; heal us, and we shall be whole. Make us one with you, for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

(Sit)

# + Word +

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

First Reading 1 John 3:16-24

Jesus' death on our behalf is the clearest demonstration of divine love. This is the very love we share with others, not just through our words but especially through our deeds. In sharing such love we fulfill God's commandments.

<sup>16</sup>We know love by this, that [Jesus Christ] laid down his life for us—and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. <sup>17</sup>How does God's love abide in anyone who has the world's goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help? <sup>18</sup>Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. <sup>19</sup>And by this we will know that we are from the truth and will reassure our hearts before him <sup>20</sup>whenever our hearts condemn us; for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. <sup>21</sup>Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have boldness before God; <sup>22</sup>and we receive from him whatever we ask, because we obey his commandments and do what pleases him. <sup>23</sup>And this is his commandment, that we should

believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. <sup>24</sup>All who obey his commandments abide in him, and he abides in them. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit that he has given us.

L: The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Children's Story

(Stand)

Gospel Acclamation: "Alleluia! Hear the Good News!"



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Gospel John 10:11-18

In language that recalls the twenty-third psalm, Jesus describes himself as the shepherd who cares for his sheep. He is willing to die for them, and he is able to overcome death for them.

[Jesus said:] 11"I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. 12The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not

own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away—and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. <sup>13</sup>The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. <sup>14</sup>I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, <sup>15</sup>Just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. <sup>16</sup>I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. <sup>17</sup>For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. <sup>18</sup>No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father."

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

(Sit)

Sermon: "A Future with Hope: Unified"

Bishop James S. Dunlop

(Stand)

Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the  $\pm$  resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the Church

Following each petition are the words: "Lord, in your mercy,"

Please respond with: "hear our prayer."

# + 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:

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# Special Music: "Come to the Table"

# Verse 1

We all start on the outside,

The outside looking in.

This is where grace begins.

We were hungry, we were thirsty,

With nothing left to give.

Oh, the shape that we were in.

# **Pre-Chorus**

Just when all hope seemed lost, Love opened the door for us.

## Chorus

(He said) come to the table,

Come join the sinners who have been redeemed.

Take your place beside the Savior,

Sit down and be set free.

(Come to the table.)

# Verse 2

Come meet this motley crew of misfits,

These liars and these thieves.

There's no one unwelcome here. So that sin and shame that you've brought with you, You can leave it at the door And let mercy draw you near.

#### Chorus

(He said) come to the table, Come join the sinners who have been redeemed. Take your place beside the Savior, Sit down and be set free. (Come to the table.)

# **Bridge**

To the thief and to the doubter, To the hero and the coward. To the pris'ner and the soldier, To the young and to the older.

All who hunger, all who thirst,

All the last and all the first:

All the paupers and the princes;

All who've failed, you've been forgiven.

All who dream and all who suffer;

All who've loved and lost another,

All the chained and all the free.

All who follow, all who lead,

Anvone who's been let down.

All the lost, you have been found.

All who've been labeled right or wrong,

To ev'ryone who hears this song.

#### Chorus

# **Ending**

Oh, sit down and be set free.

Come to the table,

Come to the table.

Sit down and be set free.

Come to the table.

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(Stand)

Offering Prayer

P: Let us pray.

C: Be known to us, O Lord, in the breaking of bread, as you were made known to the disciples. Receive these gifts, and the offering of our lives, that we may be your risen body in the world. 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: Holy God, we praise you for rolling away the stone, for emptying the tomb, and for raising your Son, Jesus Christ from the dead. Through his love, we receive healing and the forgiveness of our sins. Through his resurrection, we receive the promise of new life, both now and in the kingdom to come.

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."

Remembering his command, we gather together in fellowship, celebrating all he has done. Strengthen us through this meal, as we await the day Jesus Christ will come again. By the power of the Holy Spirit, make us witnesses of our Lord's resurrection and proclaimers of his name, for the sake of the world you created.

To you, O God, Father, + Son and Holy Spirit, be the glory forever.

C: Amen.

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: Come to the banquet, for all is now ready.

C: Fill us, Lord, with good things.

(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. Eternal God, we thank you for nourishing us with this heavenly gift. May our Lord's life, offered in this meal, strengthen us in faith, build us up in hope, and make us grow in love. In Jesus' name

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.

# Blessina

P: May God who brought us from death to life fill you with great joy. Almighty God, Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.

C: Amen.

Song: "We Are One In The Spirit"

Verse 1

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord.

We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord.

And we pray that all unity may one day be restored.

#### Chorus

And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love,

Yes they'll know we are Christians by our love.

#### Verse 2

We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand.

We will walk with each other, we will walk hand in hand.

And together we'll spread the news that God is in our land.

#### Chorus

# Verse 3

All praise to the Father from whom all things come.

And all praise to Christ Jesus, His only Son.

And all praise to the Spirit who makes us one.

#### Chorus

And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love,

Yes they'll know we are Christians by our love.

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#### Dismissal

P: You are the body of Christ raised up for the world. Go in peace. Share the good news.

C: Thanks be to God.

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# worship notes

**Attendance at our services** last week was 668. 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: <a href="www.trinitycamphill.org">www.trinitycamphill.org</a>.

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 Arthyr A. Bennett-Nornhold by Harry O'Donnell; Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Thompson, Jr. and Dr. L. K. Thompson, Ill, by Mrs. L. K. Thompson Ill and family; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Hearn by Kathy Roy, and Emma Hanson.

# **leaders**

**Presiding Minister:** The Rev. Jennifer A. Hope-Tringali

Preacher: Bishop James S. Dunlop

Storyteller: Becky Enney

Lector: (9:00) Charles Reddinger; (10:45) Jennifer Schwalm

Greeters: (9:00) Jon Andrews (head greeter); (10:45) Dan Drury (head greeter),

Sandy Lunger, Bill and Karen Purnell

**Communion Assistants:** (9:00) Charles Reddinger, Jake Miller, Jane Killian; (10:45) Jennifer Schwalm, Ginny Honesett, Tom Drye

**Offering Assistants:** (10:45) Jacob Libby, Adyson Machemer, Lily and Lucas McGeorge

Ushers: (9:00) Randy and Michelle Sine; (10:45) Dennis and Karen Welker

Altar Care: (9:00) Shirley Wilkie; (10:45) Pat Eby

Sound Technician: (9:00) Daryl Ackerman; (10:45) Gary Rini

Video Presentation: (9:00) Barb Henderson; (10:45) Dona Norris

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