

Inset: Our narthex potentially expanded into Gathering Space

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Traditional Worship 8:30 and 11:00 am May 6, 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 and large print bulletins are available from an usher.

about today's service

This Sunday's image of the life the risen Christ shares with us is the image of friendship. We are called to serve others as Jesus came to serve; but for John's gospel, the image of servanthood is too hierarchical, too distant, to capture the essence of life with Christ. Friendship captures the love, the joy, the deep mutuality of the relationship into which Christ invites us. The Greeks believed that true friends are willing to die for each other. This is the mutual love of Christian community commanded by Christ and enabled by the Spirit.

P: Presiding Minister A: Assisting Minister L: Lector C: Congregation

+ Gathering +

Prelude: "Prelude" (Sonata for Strings and Trumpet) Arcangelo Corelli/arr. Wolff Brass and organ

Welcome

[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.

Gathering Hymn No. 631: Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

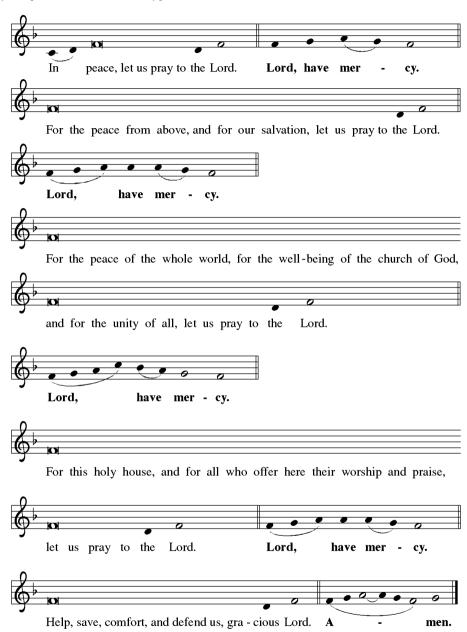
HYFRYDOL

Greeting

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

(8:30) Kyrie [Lord, have mercy]



The refrains are sung by all; 1 and 3 are sung by women; 2 and 4 are sung by men





(11:00) Anthem: "Festive Praise"

Allen Pote

Sing to the Lord a song of praise; a wonderful, marvelous song!
Sing to the Lord with joy in your heart a wonderful, marvelous song! Alleluia! Amen.
Come, rejoice, as you sing you will lift up your voices in praise and thanksgiving to God.
Sing, all of the heavens, sing of the glory of God. Sing all of the earth, rejoice!
Sing of the marvelous glory of God. Sing to the Lord...

Sing a new song with the lute and the harp. Make melody with the sound of the lyre.

It is good to give thanks to the Lord, to sing praises,

Rejoice and be glad for the Lord is our God. Sing to the Lord....

Combined Choirs and Instrumentalists

Prayer of the Day

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Let us pray. O God, you have prepared for those who love you joys beyond understanding. Pour into our hearts such love for you that, loving you above all things, we may obtain your promises, which exceed all we can desire; through Jesus Christ, your Son and our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

[Sit]

+ Word +

First Reading Acts 10:44-48

While Peter shares the good news of Jesus with a Gentile soldier and his family, the Holy Spirit comes upon them. Recognizing that the Spirit works inclusively in the lives of both Jews and Gentiles, Peter commands that these Gentiles also be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ.

While Peter was still speaking, the Holy Spirit fell upon all who heard the word. ⁴⁵The circumcised believers who had come with Peter were astounded that the gift of the Holy Spirit had been poured out even on the Gentiles, ⁴⁶for they heard them speaking in tongues and extolling God. Then Peter said, ⁴⁷"Can anyone withhold the water for baptizing these people who have received the Holy Spirit just as we have?" ⁴⁸So he ordered them to be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ. Then they invited him to stay for several days.

L: The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Second Reading 1 John 5:1-6

God's children believe that Jesus is the Messiah and love God by keeping God's commandments. Thus the world is conquered not through military might but through love and faith.

Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the parent loves the child. ²By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. ³For the love of God is this, that we obey his

commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome, ⁴for whatever is born of God conquers the world. And this is the victory that conquers the world, our faith. ⁵Who is it that conquers the world but the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God? ⁶This is the one who came by water and blood, Jesus Christ, not with the water only but with the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one that testifies, for the Spirit is the truth.

L: The word of the Lord.

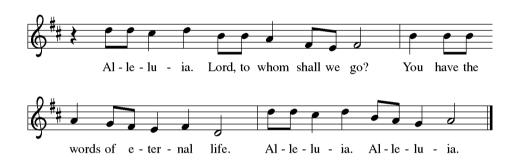
C: Thanks be to God.

Children's Message

Pastor John H. Brock

[Stand]

Alleluia



P: The holy gospel according to St. John, the 15th chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

Gospel Reading John 15:9-17

On the night of his arrest, Jesus delivers a final testimony to his disciples to help them in the days ahead. Here, he repeats the most important of all his commands, that they love one another.

[Jesus said:] ⁹"As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. ¹⁰If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. ¹¹I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete. ¹²"This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. ¹³No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. ¹⁴You are my friends if you do what I command you. ¹⁵I do not

call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. ¹⁶You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. ¹⁷I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another."

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

[Sit]

Sermon: "A Future with Hope: Loved"

Pastor Ron Glusenkamp

[Stand]

(8:30) Hymn of the Day No. 708: Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love

CHEREPONI

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 Intercession

Each petition ends:

A: Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

Prayer Response (sung by all)



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Music: BE NOT AFRAID, Jacques Berthier, 1923–1994
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+ Meal +

Peace

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.

C: And also with you.

[Sit]

Offering

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Worship Witness: (Please sign booklet and return to center aisle.)

(8:30) Solo: "They Shall Soar Like Eagles

Arr. Laura Manzo

They shall soar like eagles; rise up and soar like eagles.

They who wait upon the Lord shall not be weary.

They shall never stumble, but gain new strength and power.

They who wait upon the Lord. Those who are weary and burdened with sorrow

need not despair there is hope for tomorrow.

God will be there each time you call on Him.

Olivia Shields, soloist; Sara Lobaugh, flute

(11:00) Anthem: "Love One Another"

Yancy

Love, love, love one another and be kind.

Be kind to each other.

Jesus told us to love him and to love everyone.

So let your light shine.

You can say hello and shake a hand.
Share your joy and help out a friend.
All with a great big smile and two thumbs up.
When there's a job to do you can get it all done.

Just remember to love, love love one another and be kind to your father and your mother.

Love, love one another and be kind to your sister and your brother. Love, love one another and be kind to your friends and your neighbors. Love, love, love one another and be kind. Be kind to each other. Love.

Cherub and Junior Choirs

[Stand]

Offertory

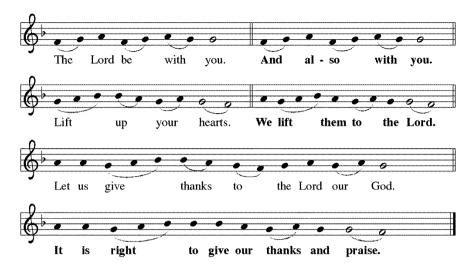


Offering Prayer

A: 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.

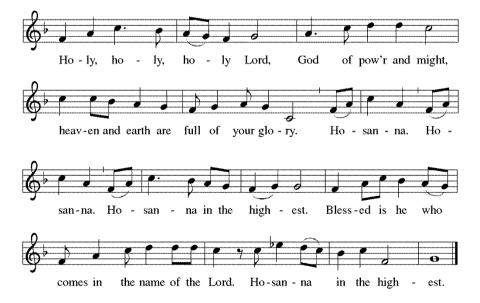
Great Thanksgiving



Proper Preface

P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy ... we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, Holy, Holy



P: Holy God, we praise you on this most joyous day 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.

The Lord's Prayer

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.

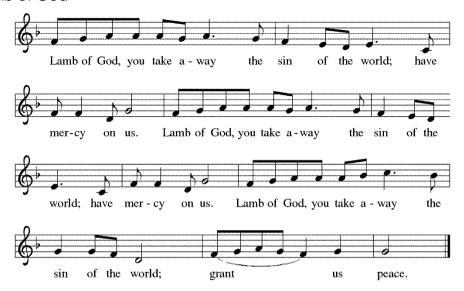
Invitation to Communion

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

C: Fill us, Lord, with good things.

[Sit]

Lamb of God



Distribution of Holy Communion

We invite all baptized Christians to the Lord's Table to celebrate the real presence of Christ in the Sacrament. (8:30) Take a chalice from the acolytes and come to the rail where you will receive a wafer and wine. (11:00) Communion is by intinction. You will receive a wafer. Dip it in the chalice of wine before consuming. You may then return to your seat or come to the altar rail for prayer.

Children and adults who aren't communing may come forward to receive 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 at the time of communion.

(11:00) Anthem: "The Lord is My Shepherd"

Allen Pote

The Lord is my shepherd. Nothing shall I want.

My shepherd makes me lie in fields of green, leads me beside still waters.

The Lord is my shepherd, who restores my life.

Leads me in the paths of righteousness for the sake of the Lord's name.

And even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,

I will fear no evil, for you are with me,

your rod and staff will comfort me.

You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies.

You anoint my head with oil, my cup overflows.

Surely goodness and mercy, shall follow me all the days of my life, and in the house of my God I will live forever.

Matins Choir; Sara Schmehl, piano

(11:00) Solo: "They Shall Soar Like Eagles

Arr. Laura Manzo

They shall soar like eagles; rise up and soar like eagles.

They who wait upon the Lord shall not be weary.

They shall never stumble, but gain new strength and power.

They who wait upon the Lord. Those who are weary and burdened with sorrow

need not despair there is hope for tomorrow.

God will be there each time you call on Him.

Olivia Shields, soloist; Sara Lobaugh, flute

(11:00) Hymn No. 466: In the Singing

(11:00) Hymn No. 471: Let Us Break Bread Together

[Stand]

Post Communion Blessing

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his arace.

C: Amen.

A: Let us pray. Life-giving God, in the mystery of Christ's death and resurrection you send light to conquer darkness, water to give new life, and the bread of heaven to nourish your people. Send us forth as witnesses to Jesus' resurrection that we may show your glory to all the world; through the same Jesus Christ our risen Lord.

C: Amen.

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Blessing

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.

Sending Hymn No. 851: When in Our Music God is Glorified

ENGELBERG

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.

Postlude: Canzona No. 29 Girolamo Frescobaldi

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Shirley Pierson, Grace Hoyt

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Book Bearer: (11:00) Nicole Purnell

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worship notes

Attendance at our worship services last week was 687. 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 (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 loved ones by the Hempt family; John Long, Jr. by his wife, Ginny, and family; Shirley Gulden by Carol and Dale Hochmiller and family; Helen M. Mummert by her daughter Janice Mummert Reid; and Fred Nelson by Karen Vecolitis.

We welcome guest instrumentalists this morning. Trumpets: William Stowman, William Landon; Trombones: Dane Hildebrand, Drew Wolgemuth; Tympani: Jonathan Lobaugh.

United and empowered to worship, connect, serve.

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