



**Epiphany of
Our Lord**

**Contemporary Worship
8:30 and 11:00 am
January 6, 2019**



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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

Epiphany means "manifestation." On this day we celebrate the revelation of Christ to the Gentiles—that is, to all nations. Some Christian traditions celebrate three great epiphanies on this day: the magi's adoration of the Christ child, Jesus' baptism in the Jordan River, and his first miracle, in which he changes water into wine. The word and sacraments are for us the great epiphany of God's grace and mercy. We go forth to witness to the light that shines brightly in our midst.

P: Pastor

L: Lector

C: Congregation

✝ Gathering ✝

We gather together to praise God and receive His love.

Song: "Beautiful Savior (All My Days)"

Verse 1

All my days I will sing this song of gladness,
Give my praise to the Fountain of delights;
for in my helplessness You heard my cry,
and waves of mercy poured down on my life.

Verse 2

I will trust in the cross of my Redeemer,
I will sing of the blood that never fails,
of sins forgiven, of conscience cleansed,

of death defeated and life without end.

Chorus 1

Beautiful Savior, Wonderful Counselor, clothed in majesty, Lord of history,
You're the Way, the Truth, the Life.
Star of the Morning, glorious in holiness,
You're the Risen One, heaven's Champion,
and You reign, You reign over all!

Verse 3

I long to be where the praise is never ending,
yearn to dwell where the glory never fades,
where countless worshippers will share one song,
and cries of "worthy" will honor the Lamb.

Chorus 2

Beautiful Savior, Wonderful Counselor,
clothed in majesty, Lord of history,
You're the Way, the Truth, the Life.
Star of the Morning, glorious in holiness,
You're the Risen One, heaven's Champion,
and You reign, You reign!

Chorus 1

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Song: "Shine, Jesus, Shine"

Chorus

Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father's glory;
Blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with love and mercy;
Send forth your Word, Lord, and let there be light!

Verse 1

Lord, the light of your love is shining, in the midst of the darkness, shining;
Jesus, light of the world, shine upon us, set us free by the truth you now bring us.
Shine on me, shine on me.

Chorus

Verse 2

As we gaze on your kingly brightness, so our faces display your likeness,
Ever changing from glory to glory, mirrored here, may our lives tell Your story.
Shine on me, shine on me.

Chorus (2X)

Tag: Send forth your Word, Lord, and let there be light!

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Welcome

(Stand)

Song: "Here I Am to Worship"

Verse 1 (2X)

Light of the world, You stepped down into darkness,
Opened my eyes, let me see.
Beauty that made this heart adore You,
Hope of a life spent with You.

Chorus

Here I am to worship,
Here I am to bow down,
Here I am to say that You're my God.
You're altogether lovely,
Altogether worthy,
Altogether wonderful to me.

Verse 2

King of all days, oh so highly exalted,
Glorious in heaven above.
Humbly You came to the earth You created,
All for love's sake became poor.

Chorus (2X)

Bridge (2X)

And I'll never know how much it cost
To see my sin upon that cross.

Chorus (2X)

Tag: Light of the world, You stepped down into darkness, opened my eyes, let me see.

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Confession and Forgiveness

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who shines in glory, clothes us in compassion, and bears gifts of mercy for all.

C: Amen.

P: *Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.*

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

P: God, wonderful counselor,

C: we confess that we have turned from your gifts and chosen our own way. We have not made room for you in our hearts or in our world. We have lived in fear; we have not welcomed the stranger; we desire gifts that will not endure. Forgive us our sins, known and unknown, and open us to receive the peace of Jesus dwelling in and among us. Amen.

P: God's lovingkindness has appeared to us in Christ our Savior. We are saved, not by anything we have done, but by God's mercy poured out on us richly. In the name of † Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Through the Spirit living in you, God give you faith to trust Jesus, who is Love born for you, now and always.

C: Amen.

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.

Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray. O God, on this day you revealed your Son to the nations by the leading of a star. Lead us now by faith to know your presence in our lives, and bring us at last to the full vision of your glory, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you 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

Isaiah 60:1-6

Jerusalem is assured that nations will make a pilgrimage to her, because the light of God's presence is in her midst. The bountiful food of the sea and the profits of international trade will come streaming to Jerusalem and thereby declare God's praise.

Arise, shine; for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you. ²For darkness shall cover the earth, and thick darkness the peoples; but the Lord will arise upon you, and his glory will appear over you. ³Nations shall

come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your dawn. ⁴Lift up your eyes and look around; they all gather together, they come to you; your sons shall come from far away, and your daughters shall be carried on their nurses' arms. ⁵Then you shall see and be radiant; your heart shall thrill and rejoice, because the abundance of the sea shall be brought to you, the wealth of the nations shall come to you. ⁶A multitude of camels shall cover you, the young camels of Midian and Ephah; all those from Sheba shall come. They shall bring gold and frankincense, and shall proclaim the praise of the Lord.

L: The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

(Stand)

Gospel Acclamation: **"Thy Word"**

Chorus

Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

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Gospel

Matthew 2:1-12

God's promise shines bright in the night as magi follow a star to honor a new king. Strangers from a faraway land, they welcome the long-awaited messiah of Israel.

In the time of King Herod, after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, ²asking, "Where is the child who has been born king of the Jews? For we observed his star at its rising, and have come to pay him homage." ³When King Herod heard this, he was frightened, and all Jerusalem with him; ⁴and calling together all the chief priests and scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Messiah was to be born. ⁵They told him, "In Bethlehem of Judea; for so it has been written by the prophet: ⁶'And you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; for from you shall come a ruler who is to shepherd my people Israel.' " ⁷Then Herod secretly called for the wise men and learned from them the exact time when the star had appeared. ⁸Then he sent them to Bethlehem, saying, "Go and search

diligently for the child; and when you have found him, bring me word so that I may also go and pay him homage." ⁹When they had heard the king, they set out; and there, ahead of them, went the star that they had seen at its rising, until it stopped over the place where the child was. ¹⁰When they saw that the star had stopped, they were overwhelmed with joy. ¹¹On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. ¹²And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they left for their own country by another road.

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

(Sit)

Sermon: "Starbright"

Pastor Jack Horner

Children's Story

Becky Enney

(Stand)

Song: "I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light"

Verse 1

I want to walk as a child of the light. I want to follow Jesus.

God set the stars to give light to the world. The star of my life is Jesus.

Chorus

In him there is no darkness at all. The night and the day are both alike.

The Lamb is the light of the city of God. Shine in my heart, Lord Jesus.

Verse 2

I want to see the brightness of God. I want to look at Jesus.

Clear Sun of Righteousness, shine on my path, and show me the way to the Father.

Chorus

Verse 3

I'm looking for the coming of Christ. I want to be with Jesus.

When we have run with patience the race, we shall know the joy of Jesus.

Chorus

Tag: Shine in my heart, Lord Jesus.

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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 + 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)

Announcements

Offering:

Optional giving methods: Use the Give+ app on your mobile device • Use the Giving Station in the Gathering Space • Text an amount to 717-963-2281 (be sure to use a "\$") • Use the "DONATE" button on our website and e-blasts

Special Music: "Christmas Offering"

Verse 1

Over the skies of Bethlehem appeared a star
while angels sang to lonely shepherds.
Three wise men seeking truth traveled from afar,
hoping to find the child from heaven.
And falling on their knees,
they bowed before the humble Prince of Peace.

Chorus

I bring an offering of worship to my King.
No one on earth deserves the praises that I sing.
Jesus, may You receive the honor that You're due.
O Lord, I bring an offering to You.

Verse 2

The sun cannot compare to the glory of Your love.
There is no shadow in Your presence.
No mortal man would dare to stand before Your throne,
before the holy One of heaven.
It's only by Your blood
And it's only through Your mercy. Lord, I come.

Chorus 2X

Tag:

O Lord, I bring an offering to You.
O Lord I bring an offering to You.
I bring an offering to You.

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(Stand)

Offering Prayer

L: Let us pray. Holy God,

C: your beauty shines forth from the manger, and your love flows from the cross. As you gather us around these signs of your love come among us, warm us to extend your care among the hungry and all in need. In Jesus' name we pray. 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: Blessed are you, O holy God: you are the Life and Light of all. By your powerful word you created all things. Through the prophets you called your people to be a light to the nations. Blessed are you for Jesus, your Son. He is your Light, shining in our darkness and revealing to us your mercy and might.

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, therefore, his preaching and healing, his dying and rising, and his promise to come again, we await that day when all the universe will rejoice in your holy and life-giving light. By your Spirit bless us and this meal, that, refreshed with this heavenly food, we may be light for the world, revealing the brilliance of your Son. Through him all glory and honor is yours, Almighty Father, with the Holy Spirit, in your holy Church, both now and 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: Amen.

(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 Blessing and Prayer

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

C: Amen.

P: Let us pray. God of wonder, in Jesus we behold the light of the world come near. As you have come among us now, send us out in joy, hastening to share the good news of your love. We ask this in the name of Jesus, through the Spirit dwelling among us now and forever.

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: The Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and ✝ give you peace.

C: Amen.

Song: "This Little Light of Mine"

Verse 1

This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine.
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine.
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine.
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

Verse 2: Hide it under a bushel, NO.

Verse 3: Won't let Satan blow it out.

Verse 4: Shine it all around the world.

Traditional

Dismissal

P: Go in peace. Share the joy of Christ.

C: Thanks be to God.

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worship notes

Attendance at our services last week was 520. 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 Tilman and Nadine Foust by their daughter, Barbara Kriebel; Helen Bigelow by the family; Arlene Corso by Keith and Sally and children; Ann Wardlow, by her family; John J. Krafsgig, Jr. by his wife Sandra.

leaders

Presiding Minister: The Rev. Elizabeth E. Frey

Preacher: The Rev. Jack M. Horner

Storyteller: Becky Enney

Lector: (8:30) Maggie Chester; (11:00) Jeff Fair

Greeters: (8:30) Jon Andrews (head greeter); (11:00) Ellen Ney (head greeter), Jayne Coover, Pat Eby

Communion Assistants: (8:30) Maggie Chester, Vicki Wilkens, Michelle Jones; (11:00) Jeff Fair, Angela Clark, Matt McGeorge

Ushers: (8:30) George and Karen Yeager; (11:00) Dennis and Karen Welker

Altar Care: (8:30) Kelly Rice; (11:00) Janet Fogg

Flower Delivery: Ruth and Frank Bertovich

Bulletin Artwork: Trinity Staff

Sound Technician: (8:30) Royce Hoffman; (11:00) Gary Rini

Video Technician: (8:30) Barb Martin; (11:00) Max Hahn

Slide Show Production: Barb Martin

Visual Announcements: Jane Killian

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

Garden of Eatin': (GOE1) Vicki Wilken, Mary Ellen Hettinger; (GOE II) Carol Peiffer, Jess Hetrick

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Service Times

Thursdays, 6:30 pm
Spoken worship, Chapel

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Prayer service, Chapel

Saturdays, 5:30 pm
Blended worship
Fellowship Hall

Sundays 8:30 & 11:00 am
Traditional worship
Nave
&
Contemporary worship
Fellowship Hall

Faith Connections Open House

THIS Sunday, Jan. 6, 9:45 – 10:45 am

Explore adult classes for 2019! Examples: Bible studies, Truly Living, Listen-better parenting, being Lutheran, Friends of Jesus, Faith Connect Kids, Ale House table talk, Navigating a Digital World

Discover Trinity THIS Sunday, Jan. 6, 9:45-10:45 am

Discover how to connect. No RSVP.

BEGIN: Becoming a Trinity member

Starts Sunday, Jan. 13, 9:45-10:45 am

Take the path to becoming a Trinity member.
Four classes. No RSVP needed

Sermon next week Jan. 10, 12, 13: *God Made Known in the Water*, Pastor Brock preaching

Every member prayer list Jan 4 - 10

Gladys Laubenstine; Gloria, Shelly, Krista, and Megan Latin; Jack and Marge Lashay; Robert Lane; Mary Ann Landis; Dave Lambert; Michael Lamarca; Lois Lamarca

Men's Breakfast Gathering: Saturday, January 12, home of John Crowe, 330 South 31st Street, Camp Hill. 8 am breakfast, then discussion until 9:30. Let John know you are coming: johncrowe194809@hotmail.com or 717-737-2936.

7th Annual Chili Cook-off: Sunday, January 20, after late services. Sign up in Gathering Space or at <https://timetosignup.com/trinitycamphill>.

Annual meeting: Sunday, January 27, after late services. Light lunch served.

The Missions Team's Fair Trade sale is this Sunday, January 6.

Men's Tues. a.m. Bible Study: 8 am, January 8, Brothers Restaurant, Mechanicsburg

Thank you, Trinity people! Your Blanket Sunday donations mean that Church World Services gets \$2,217 to help folks recovering from disaster. Your gifts of 400+ pieces of knitwear went for city kids. Your donations of supplies allowed our tutors to assemble 300+ school kits for grade schoolers they tutor. And those are but a few recent ways you've made a difference. Way to share God's love!

