GOD MADE KNOWN

In the Word

3rd Sunday after Epiphany Contemporary Worship 8:30 and 11:00 am January 27, 2019





Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church! Please sign the red Worship Witness booklet to record your attendance with us this day. 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

The glory of the Lord is revealed in the reading of scripture. People stand at attention. People weep. People prostrate themselves in prayer. The unity of the church is another reflection of the glory of God. Most gloriously, the promises of God are fulfilled in the person of Jesus Christ. Gather round. Listen up. Glimpse the glory of God.

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

+ Gathering +

We gather together to praise God and receive His love.

Song: "Glory"

Verse 1

Glory, glory in the highest, glory, to the Almighty.

Glory to the Lamb of God, and glory to the living Word.

Glory to the Lamb.

Verse 2

Praises, praises in the highest, praises to the Almighty.

Praises to the Lamb of God, and praises to the living Word.

Praises to the Lamb.

Chorus 1

I give praises (praises), praises (praises), praises, praises to the Lamb.

I give praises (praises), praises (praises), praises, praises to the Lamb.

I give praises to the Lamb!

Verse 3

Honor, honor in the highest, honor to the Almighty. Honor to the Lamb of God, and honor to the living Word. Honor to the Lamb.

Chorus 2

I give honor (honor), honor (honor), honor, honor to the Lamb. I give honor (honor), honor (honor), honor, honor to the Lamb. I give honor to the Lamb!

Tag: I give praises to the Lamb, I give glory to the Lamb!
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Song: "Blessed Be"

Chorus

Blessed be the Lord the God of Israel, From everlasting to everlasting. (repeat) And let all the people say, "Amen!" AMEN! And let all the people say, "Amen!" AMEN! And let all the people say, "Amen!" O praise the Lord!

Verse 1

Praise the Lord, give thanks to the Lord, For He is good. (echo)
For His steadfast love endures forever, For He is good. (echo)
We will tell the mighty deeds of the Lord And show forth all his praise! Alleluia!

Chorus

Verse 2

Gather us O Lord, our God from among the nations. (echo) Deliver us and save us O God, God of our salvation. (echo) So may we give thanks to thy Holy Name, And glory in thy praise! Alleluia!

Chorus 2X

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Welcome

(Stand)

Song: "Thy Word"

Chorus

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

Verse 1

When I feel afraid, think I've lost my way still You're there right beside me. And nothing will I fear, as long as You are near. Please be near me to the end.

Chorus

Verse 2

I will not forget Your love for me and yet my heart forever is wandering. Jesus be my guide, and hold me to Your side. And I will love You to the end.

Chorus

Bridge: Nothing will I fear, as long as You are near. Please be near me to the end. **Chorus**

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Confession and Forgiveness

P: In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

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.

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

P: Most merciful God,

C: we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

P: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

Greeting

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

P: Blessed Lord God, you have caused the holy scriptures to be written for the nourishment of your people. Grant that we may hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that, comforted by your promises, we may embrace and forever hold fast to the hope of eternal life, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

(Sit)

+ Word +

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

Reading

Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10

The exiles have returned and rebuilt Jerusalem. Now Ezra, the priest, reads the law of Moses to them in the public square. When they hear it, they weep for their sins and for the long years in exile, but Ezra reminds them that the joy of the Lord is their strength.

¹All the people [of Israel] gathered together into the square before the Water Gate. They told the scribe Ezra to bring the book of the law of Moses, which the Lord had given to Israel. ²Accordingly, the priest Ezra brought the law before the assembly, both men and women and all who could hear with understanding. This was on the first day of the seventh month. ³He read from it facing the square before the Water Gate from early morning until midday, in the presence of the men and the women and those who could understand; and the ears of all the people were attentive to the book of the law. ⁵And Ezra opened the book in the sight of all the people, for he was standing above all the people; and when he opened it, all the people stood up. ⁶Then Ezra blessed the Lord, the great God, and all the people

answered, "Amen, Amen," lifting up their hands. Then they bowed their heads and worshiped the Lord with their faces to the ground. ⁸So they read from the book, from the law of God, with interpretation. They gave the sense, so that the people understood the reading. ⁹And Nehemiah, who was the governor, and Ezra the priest and scribe, and the Levites who taught the people said to all the people, "This day is holy to the Lord your God; do not mourn or weep." For all the people wept when they heard the words of the law. ¹⁰Then he said to them, "Go your way, eat the fat and drink sweet wine and send portions of them to those for whom nothing is prepared, for this day is holy to our Lord; and do not be grieved, for the joy of the Lord is your strength."

L: The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

(Stand)

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



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Gospel Reading

Luke 4:14-21

Near the beginning of Jesus' public ministry, he visits his hometown of Nazareth. In the words of Isaiah, he states and claims his identity, purpose, and mission.

¹⁴Then Jesus, filled with the power of the Spirit, returned to Galilee, and a report about him spread through all the surrounding country. ¹⁵He began to teach in their synagogues and was praised by everyone. ¹⁶When he came

to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, ¹⁷and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written: ¹⁸"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, ¹⁹to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor." ²⁰And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. ²¹Then he began to say to them, "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing."

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

(Sit)

Sermon: "God Made Known in the Word"

Pastor Liz Frey

Children's Story

Becky Enney

(Stand)

Song: "We Are Marching in the Light" Verse 1

We are marching in the light of God, we are marching in the light of God. We are marching in the light of God, we are marching in the light of God.

Chorus

We are marching, (marching, we are marching, marching,) we are marching in the light of God.

We are marching, (marching, we are marching, marching,) we are marching in the light of God.

Verse 2

We are dancing...

Chorus

Verse 3

We are praying...

Chorus

Verse 4

We are singing...

Chorus

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Apostles' Creed

C: 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: "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: "Famous One"

Chorus

You are the Lord, the famous One, (famous One).

Great is Your name in all the earth.

The heavens declare You're glorious, (glorious).

Great is Your fame beyond the earth.

Verse 1

And for all You've done and yet to do,

With ev'ry breath I'm praising You.

Desire of nations and ev'ry heart.

You alone are God, You alone are God!

Chorus

Verse 2

The morning star is shining through And ev'ry eye is watching You Revealed by nature and miracles. You are beautiful, You are beautiful!

Chorus 2X

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(Stand)

Offering Prayer

A: Let us pray. God of all creation,

C: all you have made is good, and your love endures forever. You bring forth bread from the earth and fruit from the vine. Nourish us with these gifts, that we might be for the world signs of your gracious presence in Jesus Christ, our Savior and 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: 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 table. Feast on God's abundant life for you.

C: Thanks be to God.

(Sit)

Sharing our Lord's Supper

All 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 glutenfree 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. We thank you, O God, that you have fed us at your banqueting table with bread and wine beyond compare, the very life of Christ for us. Send your Spirit with us now, that we may set the captive free, use your gifts to build one another up, and in everything reflect your glory revealed in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

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 God of glory dwell in you richly, name you beloved, and shine brightly on your path; and the blessing of almighty God, the Father, the + Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you always.

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:

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

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: Go in peace. Christ is your light.

C: Thanks be to God.

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Worship notes

Attendance at our worship services last week was 277. 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 Bob and Evelyn Campbell by their daughter, Ardella Campbell-Darlington; Dr. James F. Enterline by his daughter Joan.

United and empowered to worship, connect, serve.

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Leaders

Presiding Minister: The Rev. John H. Brock

Preacher: The Rev. Elizabeth E. Frey

Storyteller: Becky Enney

Lector: (8:30) Brett Eshenour; (11:00) Bruce Bigelow

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

Kim Panasuck, Marla and Eric Peters

Communion Assistants: (8:30) Brett Eshenour, John West, Karen Woodring; (11:00)

Bruce Bigelow, Nicole Vangenhassend, Linda Horner

Ushers: (8:30) Dan Reed; (11:00) Don and Micki McCoy

Altar Care: (8:30) Kathy Gottlieb; (11:00) Jack and Martha Nagle

Flower Delivery: Cheryl and Paul Enck

Bulletin Artwork: Patty Marshall

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

Video Technician: (8:30) Dona Norris; (11:00) Max Hahn

Video Technician Student: (11:00) Carleigh Morgan

Slide Show Production: Barb Martin

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Wilson, Rick Wilson

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