



Living with Gratitude

St. Michael and
All Angels

Traditional Worship
8:30 and 11:00 am
September 29, 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. 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 archangel Michael is pictured as a prince and a general of the heavenly army, defeating the dragon (the ancient serpent, the devil, Satan). It is important, though, to see in Revelation 12:11 that God's victory ultimately comes by Jesus' death and the testimony of his followers. The power of God's truth gives us confidence in the face of evil on earth, even in the face of our own death.

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

✝ Gathering ✝

We gather together to praise God and receive God's love.

Prelude: "Pastorale"

Antonio Vivaldi

Kierra Heinly, violin; Alison Koch, cello

Welcome

Announcements

[Stand]

Confession and Forgiveness

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, the strength of our ancestors, the host of this meal, the builder of the city that is to come.

C: Amen.

P: If we have died with Christ, we will also live with Christ. Let us confess our sin to the one who is faithful.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: God our helper,

C: we confess the many ways we have failed to live as your disciples. We have not finished what we began. We have feasted with friends but ignored strangers. We have been captivated by our possessions. Lift our burdens, gracious God. Refresh our hearts and forgive our sin. Raise us to the new life you have chosen for us in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

P: There is rejoicing in heaven when sinners repent. Put your trust in these promises: God will never leave you or forsake you. You who were lost have been found. For the sake of † Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Rejoice with the angels at this good news.

C: Amen.

(11:00) Turn to face the cross as it enters our midst.

Gathering Hymn: No. 414: Holy God, We Praise Your Name

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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.

Hymn of Praise

Refrain
Assisting minister



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia.

All



1 Wor-ty is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us



free to be peo-ple of God. Pow - er and rich - es and wis - dom and



strength, and hon - or and bless-ing and glo - ry are his.

Refrain



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia.



2 Sing with all the peo - ple of God and join in the



hymn of all cre - a - tion: Bless-ing and hon - or and glo - ry and



might be to God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.

Final refrain



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God, for the Lamb who was slain



has be - gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

Prayer of the Day

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Let us pray. Everlasting God, you have wonderfully established the ministries of angels and mortals. Mercifully grant that as Michael and the angels contend against the cosmic forces of evil, so by your direction they may help and defend us here on earth, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God whom we worship and praise with angels and archangels and all the company of heaven, now and forever.

C: Amen.

[Sit]

✝ Word ✝

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

First Reading

Daniel 10:10-14; 12:1-3

Daniel trembles in the presence of an angel. That angel tells the prophet about the good and terrible future when the dead will be resurrected and the archangel Michael will usher in the deliverance of the nation.

¹⁰A hand touched me and roused me to my hands and knees. ¹¹He said to me, "Daniel, greatly beloved, pay attention to the words that I am going to speak to you. Stand on your feet, for I have now been sent to you." So while he was speaking this word to me, I stood up trembling. ¹²He said to me, "Do not fear, Daniel, for from the first day that you set your mind to gain understanding and to humble yourself before your God, your words have been heard, and I have come because of your words. ¹³But the prince of the kingdom of Persia opposed me twenty-one days. So Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me, and I left him there with the prince of the kingdom of Persia, ¹⁴and have come to help you understand what is to happen to your people at the end of days. For there is a further vision for those days. ^{12:1}"At that time Michael, the great prince, the protector of your people, shall arise. There shall be a time of anguish, such as has never occurred since nations first came into existence. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone who is found written in the book. ²Many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. ³Those who are wise

shall shine like the brightness of the sky, and those who lead many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever."

L: The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm of the Day

Psalm 103:1-5, 20-22

The assisting minister will sing the refrain then the congregation will sing it.

Refrain:

Bless the LORD, you an - gels, all you hosts of God.

A: ¹Bless the LORD, | O my soul,
and all that is within me, bless God's | holy name.

**C: ²Bless the LORD, | O my soul,
and forget not | all God's benefits—**

A: ³who forgives | all your sins
and heals all | your diseases;

**C: ⁴who redeems your life | from the grave
and crowns you with steadfast | love and mercy;**

A: ⁵who satisfies your desires | with good things
so that your youth is renewed | like an eagle's.

**C: ²⁰Bless the LORD, you angels, you mighty ones who | do God's bidding,
who obey the voice | of God's word.**

Refrain:

A: ²¹Bless the LORD, all you | hosts of God,
you servants who | do God's will.

**C: ²²Bless the LORD, all you works of God, in all places | where God rules;
bless the LORD, | O my soul.**

Refrain:

Second Reading:

Revelation 12:7-12

Armed with the power of God, Michael and the angels of God fight those armed with the power of evil, the devil and the devil's angels. The "blood of the Lamb," our crucified Lord Jesus, gives Michael the power to force the devil from a place in heaven.

⁷War broke out in heaven; Michael and his angels fought against the dragon. The dragon and his angels fought back, ⁸but they were defeated, and there was no longer any place for them in heaven. ⁹The great dragon was thrown down, that ancient serpent, who is called the Devil and Satan, the deceiver of the whole world—he was thrown down to the earth, and his angels were thrown down with him. ¹⁰Then I heard a loud voice in heaven, proclaiming, "Now have come the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Messiah, for the accuser of our comrades has been thrown down, who accuses them day and night before our God. ¹¹But they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, for they did not cling to life even in the face of death. ¹²Rejoice then, you heavens and those who dwell in them! But woe to the earth and the sea, for the devil has come down to you with great wrath, because he knows that his time is short!"

L: The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Anthem: (8:30) "On Eagle's Wings"

Joncas/arr. Mark Hayes

You who dwell in the shelter of the Lord, who abide in His shadow for life,

Say to the Lord: "My refuge, my Rock in whom I trust!"

*And He will raise you up on eagle's wings, bear you on the breath of dawn,
make you to shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of His hand.*

The snare of the fowler will never capture you, and famine will bring you no fear:

Under His wings your refuge, His faithfulness your shield. And He will raise....

You need not fear the terror of the night, nor the arrow that flies by day;

Though thousands fall about you, near you it shall not come. And He will raise....

For to His angels He's given a command to guard you in all of your ways;

Upon their hands they will bear you up, lest you dash your foot against a stone.

And He will raise...

Michael Clements, soloist

(11:00) "Halleluya! Pelo Tsa Rona"

South African

Halleluya, we sing Your praises, all our hearts are filled with gladness

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(Repeat)

*Christ the Lord to us said "I am wine I am bread",
"I am wine I am bread" Give to all who thirst and hunger*

Halleluya! Pelo tsa rona; dee ta bi leh kah o fay la

Halleluya! Pelo tsa rona; dee ta bi leh kah o fay la

(Repeat)

Now He sends us all out; Strong in faith, free of doubt

Strong in faith, free of doubt; Tell to all the joyful Gospel

Junior Choir

Children's Message

Pastor John Brock

[Stand]

Gospel Procession:

Turn to face the cross as it moves to the midst of God's people.

Ye watchers and ye holy ones,

Bright seraphs, cherubim and thrones, Raise the glad strain: Alleluia!

Cry out dominions, principedoms, powers,

Virtues, archangels, angel choirs: Alleluia!...

P: The holy gospel according to St. Luke, the 10th chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

Gospel Reading

Luke 10:17-20

The missionary church ("the seventy-two") is given magnificent power. Greater than this gift of power over the enemy, however, is the gift of salvation: their names are written in heaven.

¹⁷The seventy returned with joy, saying, "Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!" ¹⁸He said to them, "I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. ¹⁹See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. ²⁰Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Sing as the procession returns:

**Respond, ye souls in endless rest,
Ye patriarchs and prophets blest: Alleluia, Alleluia!
Ye holy twelve, ye martyrs strong,
All saints triumphant, raise the song: Alleluia!...**

[Sit]

Sermon: "Living with Gratitude: Eyes on God"

Pastor Jack Horner

[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 Intercession

Each petition ends:

A: Lord, in your mercy,

C: **hear our prayer.**

Prayer Response (sung by all)



Hear our prayer, hear our prayer, Lord, make us whole:



peace to all peo - ple, hope for each soul.



God of grace, in this place, hear now our prayer.

Text and music: Paul Andress, b. 1956
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✝ Meal ✝

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

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

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

[Stand]

Offertory



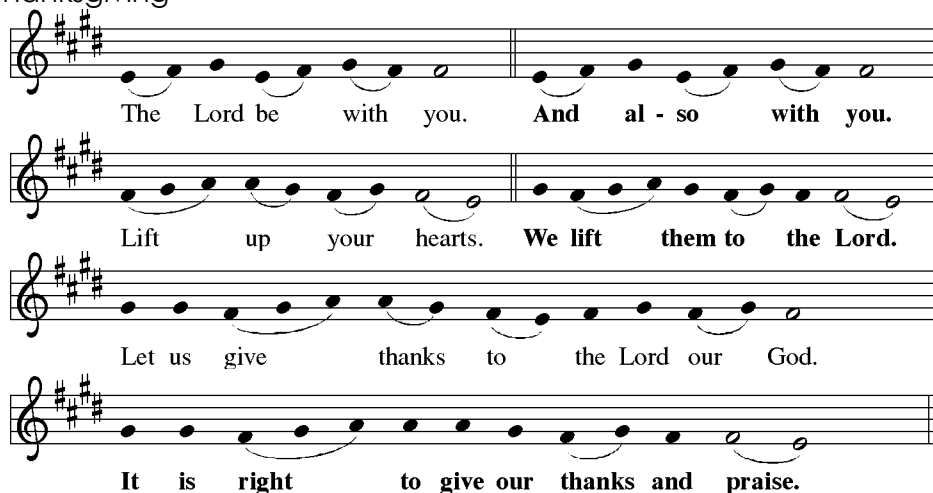
Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re - new a right
spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a - way from your
pres - ence, and take not your Ho - ly Spir - it from me.
Re - store to me the joy of your sal - va - tion, and up - hold me
with your free Spir - it. Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God,
and re - new a right spir - it with - in me.

Offering Prayer

A: Let us pray. God our provider,

C: we bring nothing into this world and we can take nothing out of it. Accept the gifts you have first given us, which we bring to your table, and with them the offering of our lives. Nourish us now with the life that really is life, revealed to us in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Great Thanksgiving

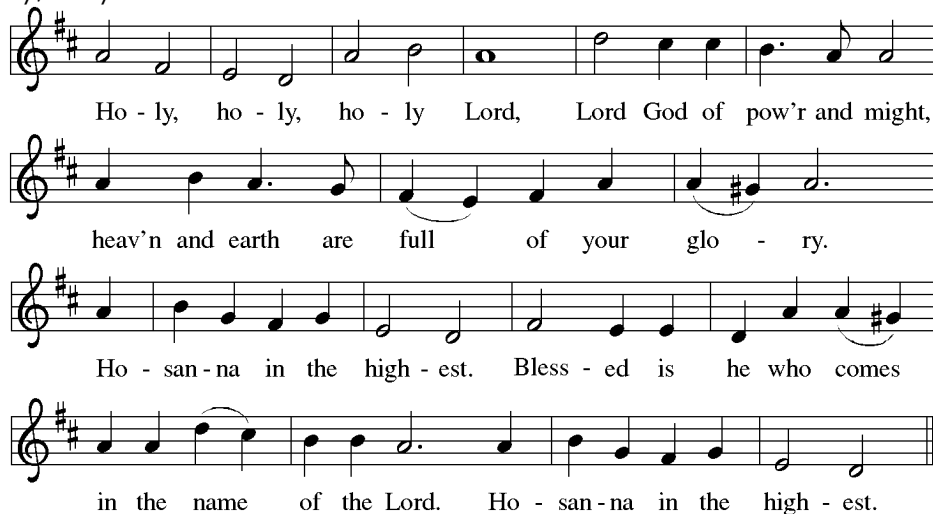


The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Proper Preface

P: Immortal God of unapproachable light... And so we celebrate your glory, with all the company of heaven, singing the everlasting song:

Holy, Holy, Holy



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,
heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.
Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Eucharistic Prayer

P: Trusting God, your servant Jeremiah believed ...

P: Great is the mystery of faith.

C: Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

P: Generous and ever-giving God ... who provide us so richly with everything for our enjoyment; until the day when you are all in all, ever one God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen.**

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: Jesus welcomes sinners and eats with them. Come, take your place at the feast.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

[Sit]

Lamb of God



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on



us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have



mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the



sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

Distribution of Holy Communion

We invite all Christians to the Lord's Table to celebrate the real presence of Christ in the Sacrament. 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 are not 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) "The Gift of Angels"

Charles Perry

Winging 'round you, warmly glowing, throngs of angels watch and guide,

Lift your weary eyes and see them, bright companions at your side.

Go with you in joy and sorrow, agents of God's love applied,

Not a burden unsupported, not a hope or dream denied.

Surely under shining pinions quiet refuge waits for you.

Angels rescue, guard, and shelter all your fears and doubts subdue.

Raise your voice and call them nearer, let their love and light come through.

Earthly evil melts before them, joy returns and hopes renew.

Oh, to hear the angel music! How the seraphs song must ring!

Cherubim and thrones now joining, praising their celestial King.

Heavenly Father, we your children, bind to halo, harp and wing,

Thank you for the gift of angels, praise you for the peace they bring.

Chancel Choir; Strings: Kierra Heinly, Sarah Hannigan, Alice Bish, Alison Koch

Communion Hymn No. 434

[Stand]

Post Communion Blessing

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

C: Amen.

A: Let us pray. God of blessing, at this table we have seen you face to face, and in the gift of Christ's body and blood, our hearts have been refreshed. Send us now to shine with your goodness and bear witness to the one we have received: Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

✝ Sending ✝

Blessing

P: Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us. Almighty God ✝ bless you with grace, mercy, and peace, now and forever.

C: Amen.

Sending Hymn No. 638: Blessed Assurance

ASSURANCE

Dismissal

P: Go in peace. Live in love as Christ loved us.

C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude: "Festival Toccata" (*excerpt*)

Percy Fletcher

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Join us next week...

**as we continue in our two-month sermon series
celebrating God's goodness and our response**

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Pastor Liz Frey

"Living with Gratitude: Thank Your Elders"

(8:30) Chancel Choir

(8:30 and 11:00) Adult Bells with duet:

Julie Stambaugh and Ron Livingston; Sara Lobaugh, flute

(11:00) Cherub Choir

worship notes

Attendance at our worship services last week was 659. 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 our mother and grandmother Jeanne Dell by Sharon and Jennifer.

worship leaders

Presiding Minister: The Rev. John H. Brock

Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Jack M. Horner

Assisting Minister: Ron Livingston

Lector: (8:30) Martha Nagle; (11:00) Anne Greenlund

Communion Assistants: (8:30) Kathy Smeal, Myrl Busler, Michele Addams;
(11:00) Anne Stafford, Sylvia and William Stotler, Julie Stambaugh

Acolytes: (8:30) Nick Smeal

Book Bearer: (11:00) Elana Kanelos

Crucifer: (11:00) Tyler Koch

Soundboard: (8:30) Jeff Weaver (11:00) Jay Killian

Greeters: (8:30) Jon Andrews (head greeter), Myrl Busler and David Harrington,
Tom & Cheryl Duffalo; (11:00) Ellen Ney (head greeter) Jean Grandon, Charlotte
& Don Lazarchik

Ushers: John Lingenfelter and Bruce Bigelow (head ushers), Frank Bertovich,
Dorine Bollinger, John Brady, Joseph Dixon, Zach Dixon, David Edmiston, Jason
and Karen Gavenda, Brad

Hollinger, Bill Miller, Mike Schmehl, Brett Warren

Altar Care: Anne Stafford, Michele Addams, Jan Lafaver, Joy Snyder, Phyllis
Mowery

Carillonneur: Chris Mirocco

Flower Delivery: Mary Ellen Hettinger

Garden of Eatin': (GOE I) Gretchen Brodie, John West; (GOE II) Zandra Bishop and
Family

Bulletin Artwork: Patty Marshall

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Pastor for Parish Life – The Reverend John H. Brock

Pastor for Engagement – The Reverend Elizabeth E. Frey