





**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

We worship on the first day of the week because our Savior was raised on that day. Every Sunday is a little Easter. This Sunday feels more like Easter than many as the appointed texts celebrate the reality of the resurrection. Live it up this Lord's day. Our God is the God of the living.

P: Pastor L: Lector C: Congregation

## + Gathering +

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

# Song: "Grateful"

#### Verse 1

This hunger cries from within me To be in Your presence. I come to You for I know you are The source of my life.

#### Bridge

You are a holy God; You are mighty and great. You are creator of the heavens and earth Yet You know me.

#### Chorus

Lord, I am so grateful that You gave Your life for me. Calling me to draw near and stay close to You! Lord, I am so grateful that You paid the price for me. Knowing I can draw near and stay close to You.

### Verse 2

You beckon me with Your love, Lord I give You my heart. I'm welcomed into Your presence; I rest in Your arms.

## Bridge

Chorus

Instrumental Bridge

## Chorus

By Therese Martinson © 2002 Vineyard Songs (Nordic). CCLI No. 1283514

# Song: "New Song"

## Verse 1

Your ways, oh Lord, are good and faithful, No one whose hope is in You will ever be put to shame. You turned my sorrow into dancing, You turned my tears to joy.

## Chorus

And You've given my heart a new song, And my heart can't be silent anymore, For I am not afraid to do Your will Lord, 'Cause to live is Christ, to die is gain.

## Verse 2

When I'm afraid, You give me shelter, When I am weak, You give me strength. I cried for mercy and You healed me, You brought me up from the grave.

## Chorus

## Instrumental

#### Verse 1

## Chorus 2X

Tag: To live is Christ, to die is gain. Sheri Keller and Melanie Best © 2000 Mercy/Vineyard Publishing, CCLI No. 1283514

#### (Stand)

## Song: "To Be Alive"

### Chorus (2X)

To be alive is to live the love that is alive In God's saving son who brought us back From a life of death to be alive.

#### Verse 1

There is nothing I can do to save me. Only God carries us home. So we live mercy, hope, and freedom, loving another to be whole.

## Chorus

To be alive is to live the love that is alive In God's saving son who brought us back From a life of death to be alive.

#### Verse 2

Join the singing, join the celebration, Jesus lives, we are restored. Love alive, giving and forgiving, loving another to be whole.

#### Chorus (2X)

Olson, Larry; Brown, David Lee ©1993 Dakota Road Music. All rights reserved. Used by permission. CCLI No. 1283514

Confession and Forgiveness

- P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, healer of our every ill, source of unending mercy.
- C: Amen.
- P: Embraced in enduring grace and good hope, let us turn again to God, confessing the truth about ourselves.

Silence is kept for reflection.

- P: Merciful God,
- C: we come before you, beloved but broken. We have not always treated others as we would want them to treat us. We have not always called out injustice and abuse. We have not always been kind to ourselves. We have not always taken care of the world we share with other living creatures. Remind us of who we are, beloved children bathed in your love. Renew us by your Spirit to live as your holy people, bringing healing to the brokenness around us. Amen.

- P: At every moment you are held in existence by the love of God, renewed by the Spirit within and among you, and made alive again in Christ. Receive this assurance in Jesus' name: you are + forgiven and freed to live for the healing of the world.
- 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, our eternal redeemer, by the presence of your Spirit you renew and direct our hearts. Keep always in our mind the end of all things and the day of judgment. Inspire us for a holy life here, and bring us to the joy of the resurrection, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
- C: Amen.

(Sit)

## + Word +

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

#### Reading

Job 19:23-27a

Job suffers the loss of children, wealth, and health. Accused by his companions of wrongdoing, he knows himself to be innocent. Here, in the midst of his suffering, Job clings to the radical hope that his vindicator, his redeemer, lives; and that one day he himself will see God.

<sup>23</sup>"O that my words were written down! O that they were inscribed in a book! <sup>24</sup>O that with an iron pen and with lead they were engraved on a rock forever! <sup>25</sup>For I know that my Redeemer lives, and that at the last he will stand upon the earth; <sup>26</sup>and after my skin has been thus destroyed, then in my flesh I shall see God, <sup>27a</sup>whom I shall see on my side, and my eyes shall behold, and not another."

- L: The word of the Lord.
- C: Thanks be to God.

(Stand)

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



Words and Music by Debbie Wilson and The Reverend Nancy R. Easton © Copyright 2006

#### Gospel

Luke 20:27-38

The Sadducees, who do not believe in the resurrection of the dead, try to trap Jesus. They formulate the convoluted case of a serial widow who marries a succession of seven brothers. Jesus responds by teaching about God, to whom all are alive and in whom all relationships are fulfilled.

<sup>27</sup>Some Sadducees, those who say there is no resurrection, came to [Jesus] <sup>28</sup>and asked him a question, "Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man's brother dies, leaving a wife but no children, the man shall marry the widow and raise up children for his brother. <sup>29</sup>Now there were seven brothers; the first married, and died childless; <sup>30</sup>then the second <sup>31</sup> and the third married her, and so in the same way all seven died childless. <sup>32</sup>Finally the woman also died. <sup>33</sup>In the resurrection, therefore, whose wife will the woman be? For the seven had married her." <sup>34</sup>Jesus said to them, "Those who belong to this age marry and are given in marriage; <sup>35</sup>but those who are considered worthy of a place in that age and in the resurrection from the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. <sup>36</sup>Indeed they cannot die anymore, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection. <sup>37</sup>And the fact that the dead are raised Moses himself showed, in the story about the bush, where he speaks of the Lord as the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. <sup>38</sup>Now he is God not of the dead, but of the living; for to him all of them are alive."

- P: The gospel of the Lord.
- C: Thanks be to God.

(Sit)

Sermon: "Living with Gratitude: Give"

Children's Story

Pastor Jack M. Horner

Pastor John Brock

(Stand)

#### Song: "I Give You My Heart" Verse

This is my desire, to honour You. Lord, with all my heart, I worship You. All I have within me, I give You praise. All that I adore, is in You.

#### Chorus

Lord I give You my heart, I give You my soul. I live for You alone. Ev'ry breath that I take, ev'ry moment I'm awake, Lord have Your way in me.

#### Verse

#### Chorus (2X)

Words and music by Reuben Morgan. © 1995 Hillsong Publishing. CCLI No. 1283514

#### 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 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 God's 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 and Worship Witness

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: "Because He Lives"

#### Verse 1

I believe in the Son; I believe in the Risen One;

I believe I overcome by the power of His blood;

#### Chorus 1

Amen, amen, I'm alive, I'm alive because He lives;

Amen, amen, let my song join the one that never ends because He lives.

#### Verse 2

I was dead in the grave, I was covered in sin and shame.

I heard mercy call my name, He rolled the stone away!

#### Chorus 2

Amen, amen, I'm alive, I'm alive because He lives;

Amen, amen, Let my song join the one that never ends.

#### Bridge

Because He lives, I can face tomorrow;

Because He lives ev'ry fear is gone; I know He holds my life, my future in His hands.

## Chorus 1

#### Chorus 2

Tag: Because He lives.

By Matt Maher © 2013 EMI Christian Music Publishing and Alletrop Music CCLI #1283514.

#### Song: "Give Thanks"

#### Chorus

Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy one; Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, his Son.

#### Verse 1

And now, let the weak say I am strong; Let the poor say I am rich, Because of what the Lord has done for us. **Ending:** Give thanks, give thanks. Words by H. Smith 1978 Integrity's Hosanna! Music, UBP CCLI License #1283514

#### (Stand)

Offering Prayer

- A: Let us pray.
- C: God our creator, you give us all we are, all we have, all we bring, and all we need. Draw us together around your table with all your saints on earth and in your eternal home. Let us eat and drink your promise of new life, that we might be your promise to the world, spoken in Jesus' name.

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.

Eucharistic Prayer

- P: God of destiny and coming joy...
  ...Send you Holy Spirit on this bread and this cup, that they may be for us the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ.
- P: Great is the mystery of faith.
- C: Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.
- P: God of hope, in you the future is always bigger than the past... ...and your whole creation is once a blessing, one God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, 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 Communion

#### P: Come to the banquet that has no end!

#### 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. Noncommuning 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

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

#### C: Amen.

Post Communion Prayer

A: Let us pray. We thank you, God our host, for inviting us here to taste the future when you will feed all the hungry at your table. Keep this hope alive in us and in our communities, so that we might bring hope to a suffering world, in the name of Jesus Christ our Savior.

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 love of God surround you; the grace of +Christ release you; and the Holy Spirit be your guide and strength, now and forevermore.
- C: Amen.

## Song: "Rock of My Salvation"

#### Verse 1

Though storms of strife assail me without warning,

And though they try to steal my joy away

I will find rest in knowing you have saved me, precious Jesus, Rock of my salvation.

#### Verse 2

Though times I stumble and fall short of your standard

I'll rest assured there is love enough for me,

For I find strength in knowing you have saved me, precious Jesus, Rock of my salvation.

## Chorus

Oh my Jesus, Rock of my salvation

Who bore the weight of Calvary's wood and shame

And cleansed my sin in the crimson flow of mercy,

Precious Jesus, Rock of my salvation.

#### Instrumental

#### Verse 2

## Chorus (2X)

**Tag 2X:** Precious Jesus, Rock of my salvation. ©1997 Mercy/Vineyard Publishing. Used by permission. CCLI #1283514.

Dismissal

- P: Go in peace. Set your hope on Christ.
- C: Thanks be to God.

Wm. B. Eerdmans Publishing Co. Grand Rapids MI 49505. Copyright 2016 Samuel Wells and Abigail Kocker. All rights reserved. Published 2016 printed in the USA

Portions of the liturgy were reprinted by permission of Westminster John Knox Press from Feasting on the Word Worship Companion. Copyright 2013.

Portions of the service are reprinted from: Evangelical Lutheran Worship, Copyright © 2006 Augsburg Fortress. Sundays & Seasons, Copyright © 2018 Augsburg Fortress. Used by permission of Augsburg Fortress License # 23686.

## Join us next week

+ + +

## Pastor John Brock "Living with Gratitude: Serve" FaithX

# Worship notes

Attendance at our services last week was 764. Copies of last week's sermons are available on the tables in Fellowship Hall, in the narthex, in the tract rack in the Gathering Space, and on our website. Our web address is: <u>www.trinitycamphill.org</u>. 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 Mr. & Mrs. Frederick J. Hookway and Mr. & Mrs. Roy A. Snyder by Doris Hookway; Mr. & Mrs. William E. Minium, Mr. & Mrs. Harry L. Bishop and Les's sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Bishop Hanemann by Peggy Bishop and family; In honor of the anniversary of the baptism of Sophie Patricia Rice by her parents Tim & Kelly Rice; for the baptism of Emma Rose Prowell and in loving memory of Judy Prowell, by husband Harry.

## United and empowered to worship, connect, serve.

## Worship leaders

Presiding Minister: The Rev. Dr. Jack M. Horner / The Rev. John H. Brock Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Jack M. Horner Lector: (8:30) Donna Roberts; (11:00) Joyce Roy Greeters: (8:30) Jon Andrews (head greeter); (11:00) Peter Glenn (head greeter), Adrienne Brady, Steph Morgan **Communion Assistants:** (8:30) Donna Roberts, John West, Linda Horner; (11:00) Joyce Roy, Rob and Lyn Bertram. Ushers: (8:30) Daryl Ackerman, John West; (11:00) Margie Walston, John and Susan Artevich Altar Care: (8:30) Louis Lamarca; (11:00) John and Susan Artevich Sound Technician: (8:30) Gary Rini; (11:00) Mike Schwalm Video Technician: (8:30) Barb Martin; (11:00) Carleigh Morgan 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 Flower Delivery: Linda Thompson, Rita Townsend Garden of Eatin': (GOE1) John West, Vicki Wilken; (GOE II) Carole Peiffer, Christine and Chris Catherman