

## Third Sunday of Epiphany

Order of Worship  
for streaming service  
January 24, 2021  
9:30 am



### about today's service

As we continue through the time after Epiphany, stories of the call to discipleship show us the implications of our baptismal calling to show Christ to the world. Jesus begins proclaiming the good news and calling people to repentance right after John the Baptist is arrested for preaching in a similar way. Knowing that John was later executed, we see at the very outset the cost of discipleship. Still, the two sets of brothers leave everything they have known and worked for all their lives to follow Jesus and fish for people.

P: Presiding Minister C: Congregation L: Lector

### ✚ Gathering ✚

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

Welcome Pastor Jack Horner

\*Prelude "Trumpet Jubilation" Richard Frey

Announcements

Confession and Forgiveness

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, ✚ one God, whose voice is upon the waters, whose mercy is poured out upon all people, whose goodness cascades over all creation. Amen.

P: Let us confess our sin, trusting in the abundant grace of God.

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

P: Holy God,

**C: you search us and know us. You are acquainted with all our ways. We confess that our hearts are burdened by sin—our own sins and the broken systems that bind us. We turn inward, failing to follow your outward way of love. We distrust those who are not like us. We exploit the earth and its resources and fail to consider generations to come. Forgive us, gracious God, for all we have done and left undone. Even before the words are on our tongues, you know them; receive them in your divine mercy. Amen.**

P: How vast is God's grace! Through the power and promise of ✚ Christ Jesus, our sins are washed away and we are claimed as God's own beloved. Indeed, we are forgiven. In the wake of God's forgiveness, we are called to be the beloved community living out Christ's justice and the Spirit's reconciling peace. Amen.

\*Hymn: Jesus Calls Us GALILEE

1 Jesus calls us; o'er the tumult of our life's wild, restless sea, day by day his clear voice sounding, saying, "Christian, follow me":

- 2 As of old Saint Andrew heard it by the Galilean lake, turned from home and toil and kindred, leaving all for Jesus' sake.
- 3 Jesus calls us from the worship of the vain world's golden store, from each idol that would keep us, saying, "Christian, love me more."
- 4 In our joys and in our sorrows, days of toil and hours of ease, still he calls, in cares and pleasures, "Christian, love me more than these."
- 5 Jesus calls us! By your mercy, Savior, may we hear your call, give our hearts to your obedience, serve and love you best of all.

Text: Cecil Frances Alexander, 1818-1895

Greeting

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

\*Hymn of Praise: *Glory to God  
Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to God's people on earth.*

Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father,  
we worship you,  
we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.  
Lord Jesus Christ,  
only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world:  
have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
receive our prayer.  
For you alone are the Holy One,  
you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray. Almighty God, by grace alone you call us and accept us in your service. Strengthen us by your Spirit, and make us worthy of your call, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Children's Message Pastor Liz Frey

Duet: "Amazing Grace" arr. Ovid Young  
Piano duet: Tim Koch and Sara Schmehl

### ✚ Word ✚

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

Reading: Jonah 3:1-5, 10 Anne Greenlund

*The book of Jonah is a comedy starring a reluctant prophet who is given a one-sentence message: Nineveh will be destroyed in forty days. Much to Jonah's dismay, the people of Nineveh repent. The point of the story is to get the reader to wrestle with the question "On whom should God have mercy?"*

<sup>1</sup>The word of the Lord came to Jonah a second time, saying, <sup>2</sup>"Get up, go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim to it the message that I tell you." <sup>3</sup>So Jonah set out and went to Nineveh, according to the word of the Lord. Now Nineveh was an exceedingly large city, a three days' walk across. <sup>4</sup>Jonah began to go into the city, going a day's walk. And he cried out, "Forty days more, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!" <sup>5</sup>And the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast, and everyone, great and small, put on sackcloth. <sup>10</sup>When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it.

L: The word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Acclamation

Pastor John Brock

P: The holy gospel according to *Mark*, the 1<sup>st</sup> chapter.

**C: Glory to you, O Lord.**

Gospel Reading: *Mark 1:14-20*

Pastor John Brock

*Before Jesus calls his first disciples, he proclaims a message that becomes known as "the gospel" or good news from God. God is ready to rule our lives. Those who realize this will respond with repentance and faith.*

<sup>14</sup>Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, <sup>15</sup>and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news." <sup>16</sup>As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the sea—for they were fishermen. <sup>17</sup>And Jesus said to them, "Follow me and I will make you fish for people." <sup>18</sup>And immediately they left their nets and followed him. <sup>19</sup>As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. <sup>20</sup>Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

P: The gospel of the Lord.

**C: Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sermon: "Find Your Purpose"

Pastor John Brock

\*Song: "We Are Marching in the Light of God"

FaithX Band

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.**

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

P: Let us pray the prayer our Lord taught us.

**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.**

Peace

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

† 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.*

Eucharistic Prayer

P: Holy One, the beginning and the end, the giver of life: Blessed are you for the birth of creation. Blessed are you in the darkness and in the light. Blessed are you for your promise to your people. Blessed are you in the prophets' hopes and dreams. Blessed are you for Mary's openness to your will. Blessed are you for your Son Jesus, the Word made flesh.

*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.*

P: With this bread and cup we remember your Word dwelling among us, full of grace and truth. We remember our new birth in his death and resurrection. We look with hope for his coming. **Come, Lord Jesus.**

P: Holy God, we long for your Spirit. Come among us. Bless this meal. May your Word take flesh in us. Awaken your people. Fill us with your light. Bring the gift of peace on earth. **Come, Holy Spirit.**

P: All praise and glory are yours, Holy One of Israel, Word of God incarnate, Power of the Most High, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

† Sending †

*We have heard the Word of God and offered our gifts. Now we are sent out, strengthened by the Holy Spirit to be God's people in the world.*

Blessing of Communion to the Homebound

P: Compassionate God, Bless those who receive your word and sacrament at home. May these gifts be signs of our love and prayers, that through the sharing of the body and blood of Christ, all may know your grace and healing revealed in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Blessing

P: The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you; the Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace.

**C: Amen.**

Dismissal

P: Go in peace. Be the light of Christ.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

Sending Song: "I Will Follow"

FaithX Band

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## worship leaders

**Presiding Ministers:** The Rev. Dr. Jack M. Horner

**Preaching Minister:** The Rev. John H. Brock

**Children's Message:** The Rev. Elizabeth E. Frey

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## ==Weekly News & Announcements==

### Keep checking our website or call the church office...

...but for now in-building worship is suspended at least through the end of January. Parking lot services are scheduled for 11 am on January 24 and 31.

### Annual Meeting January 31 in parking lot...

...immediately following the 11 am service. The sole purpose is to elect new Council members and approve minutes of last year's meeting. Watch for a letter in your home mailbox. Council nominees are Daryl Ackerman, Seth Maurer, Elizabeth Schenk, and Patti Shatto. Last years Annual Meeting minutes are available for view and download online and the Annual Report will be digitally available early next week. If you would like a printed copy contact the church office.

### Definitely a Hit! Our Podcasts Continue

Good Things Come In Threes! Tune in every other Wednesday – or catch up when you can -- by going to our website or wherever you hear your favorite podcasts. Next podcast premieres on Wednesday, February 3. You'll love the good-natured banter (and serious discussion) as pastors Horner, Brock, and Frey take on topics that will keep you listening and wanting more. Get info on our Facebook pages too.

### Donations for flowers and more

Many thanks for responding to our requests for needed donations for flowers and worship elements! Donate (minimum \$40) at [www.trinitycamphill.org/donate](http://www.trinitycamphill.org/donate). If you want your donation to be in memory of a loved one and/or for a specific date, please specify. Otherwise, we will use as needed.

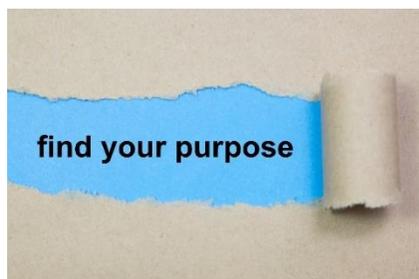
### Children and Youth Faith Connection Classes

Details online: [www.trinitycamphill.org/faithconnections](http://www.trinitycamphill.org/faithconnections)

- Preschool: Frolic Storybook on YouTube
- Grades K-5: Kids' Faith Formation, Zoom 9 am Sundays
- Grades 6-8: Middle School Connect, Zoom 9 am Sundays
- Grades 9-12: Sr. High FOJ, Zoom 9 am Sundays

### You ask: "Where is my end-of-year statement?"

Your end-of-year giving statement should be mailed out within the coming week. With it will be our new quarterly newsletter.



Join us for worship this week

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Fourth Sunday of Epiphany

**Sermon Theme:**

"Find Your Purpose"

**Preaching:** Pastor Jack Horner

# Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church

## Ministers: The People of Trinity

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Lead Pastor – The Reverend Dr. Jack M. Horner  
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Pastor for Engagement – The Reverend Elizabeth E. Frey

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### Congregation Council Members

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

### Worship notes

Copies of last week's sermons are available on our website ([www.trinitycamphill.org](http://www.trinitycamphill.org)). If you would like a printed copy, please call the church office and one can be mailed to you.

**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 memory of Al Stone, Ann Heiss, and Tom & Dorothy McKissick by John & Linda Zeigler.

If you would like to support this ministry with a one-time or regular contribution, please go to <https://www.trinitycamphill.org/donate/> or send a check (\$40) to the church office marked 'flowers/worship elements'.