



# Holy Trinity

## LUTHERAN CHURCH

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*Growing in Faith - Making a Difference - Open to All*

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*You are a child of God and you are welcome here: whatever your faith commitment, experience, or level of doubt, mental or emotional health, physical abilities, financial or employment status, race, ethnicity, or primary language; whatever your gender identity, gender expression, or sexual orientation. We welcome you whether you are a parent or caregiver; whether you are a fussy baby, an energetic toddler, a 'tween, or a teen; whether you are an inquisitive young adult, exhausted adult, or wise senior citizen; whether you are single, in a relationship, married, divorced, or widowed; whether you struggle with an addiction to drugs, alcohol, or anything else. We welcome you however you found us: on the internet, from your neighbor or friend, or passing by our Giving Garden. We welcome those who hurt and those who celebrate, those who worship every week or just this once, and in whatever you choose to wear. We extend a special welcome to those who could use a prayer right now. We welcome you to join us as we grow in faith through worship, study, and friendship. We welcome you as we seek to make a difference through combating food insecurity, ministering with those in need, and committing to racial equity. And we welcome you to help us be fully open to all. Whoever you are and wherever you are from, you are a child of God and you are welcome here.*

**+ GATHERING +**

**Prelude**

Communio (in festo Pentecostes)

Charles Tournemire

**Welcome**

**Confession & Forgiveness**

L: Blessed be the holy Trinity, ✠ one God, whose steadfast love endures forever.

C: **Amen.**

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

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

L: Merciful God,

**C: we confess that we have not followed your path but have chosen our own way. Instead of putting others before ourselves, we long to take the best seats at the table. When met by those in need, we have too often passed by on the other side. Set us again on the path of life. Save us from ourselves and free us to love our neighbors. Amen.**

L: Hear the good news!

God does not deal with us according to our sins but delights in granting pardon and mercy. In the name of ✝ Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. You are free to love as God loves.

**C: Amen.**

## Gathering Hymn: Will You Come and Follow Me



1 "Will you come and fol - low me if I but call  
 2 "Will you leave your - self be - hind if I but call  
 3 "Will you let the blind - ed see if I but call  
 4 "Will you love the you you hide if I but call  
 5 Lord, your sum - mons ech - oes true when you but call



your name? Will you go where you don't  
 your name? Will you care for cruel and  
 your name? Will you set the pris - 'ners  
 your name? Will you quell the fear in -  
 my name. Let me turn and fol - low



know and nev - er be the same?  
 kind and nev - er be the same?  
 free and nev - er be the same?  
 side and nev - er be the same?  
 you and nev - er be the same.



Will you let my love be shown, will you let my  
 Will you risk the hos - tile stare, should your life at -  
 Will you kiss the lep - er clean, and do such as  
 Will you use the faith you've found to re - shape the  
 In your com - pa - ny I'll go where your love and



name be known, will you let my life be  
 tract or scare? Will you let me an - swer  
 this un - seen, and ad - mit to what I  
 world a - round, through my sight and touch and  
 foot - steps show. Thus I'll move and live and



grown in you and you in me?"  
 pray'r in you and you in me?"  
 mean in you and you in me?"  
 sound in you and you in me?"  
 grow in you and you in me.

## Greeting:

L: 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:

L: Let us pray together...

C: **Sovereign God, ruler of all hearts, you call us to obey you, and you favor us with true freedom. Keep us faithful to the ways of your Son, that, leaving behind all that hinders us, we may steadfastly follow your paths, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

## Holy Trinity Remembrances: Expressions of Faith & Community

**+ WORD +**

### First Reading: 1 Kings 19:15-16, 19-21

L: A reading from the book of First Kings, the 19th chapter.

<sup>15</sup>Then the Lord said to [Elijah,] “Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus; when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael as king over Aram. <sup>16</sup>Also you shall anoint Jehu son of Nimshi as king over Israel; and you shall anoint Elisha son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah as prophet in your place.

<sup>19</sup>So he set out from there, and found Elisha son of Shaphat, who was plowing. There were twelve yoke of oxen ahead of him, and he was with the twelfth. Elijah passed by him and threw his mantle over him. <sup>20</sup>He left the oxen, ran after Elijah, and said, “Let me kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow you.” Then Elijah said to him, “Go back again; for what have I done to you?”

<sup>21</sup>He returned from following him, took the yoke of oxen, and slaughtered them; using the equipment from the oxen, he boiled their flesh, and gave it to the people, and they ate. Then he set out and followed Elijah, and became his servant.

L: Word of God. Word of life.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

### **Psalm 66:1-9**

<sup>1</sup>Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth;

**<sup>2</sup>sing the glory of his name;  
give to him glorious praise.**

<sup>3</sup>Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds!

Because of your great power, your enemies cringe before you.

**<sup>4</sup>All the earth worships you;  
they sing praises to you,  
sing praises to your name."**

<sup>5</sup>Come and see what God has done:

he is awesome in his deeds among mortals.

**<sup>6</sup>He turned the sea into dry land;  
they passed through the river on foot.**

**There we rejoiced in him,**

<sup>7</sup>who rules by his might forever,  
whose eyes keep watch on the nations —  
let the rebellious not exalt themselves.

**<sup>8</sup>Bless our God, O peoples,  
let the sound of his praise be heard,**

<sup>9</sup>who has kept us among the living,  
and has not let our feet slip.

### **Second Reading: Galatians 5:13-25**

L: A reading from Paul's letter to the Galatians, the 5th chapter.

<sup>13</sup>For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters; only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for self-indulgence, but through love become slaves to one another. <sup>14</sup>For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself."

<sup>15</sup>If, however, you bite and devour one another, take care that you are not consumed by one another.

<sup>16</sup>Live by the Spirit, I say, and do not gratify the desires of the flesh. <sup>17</sup>For what the flesh desires is opposed to the Spirit, and what the Spirit desires is opposed to the flesh; for these are opposed to each other, to prevent you from doing what you want. <sup>18</sup>But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not subject to the law. <sup>19</sup>Now the works of the flesh are obvious: fornication, impurity, licentiousness, <sup>20</sup>idolatry, sorcery, enmities, strife, jealousy, anger, quarrels, dissensions, factions, <sup>21</sup>envy, drunkenness, carousing, and things like these. I am warning you, as I warned you before: those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God.

<sup>22</sup>By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, <sup>23</sup>gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things. <sup>24</sup>And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. <sup>25</sup>If we live by the Spirit, let us also be guided by the Spirit.

L: Word of God. Word of life.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

**Gospel Acclamation:**

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,

al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

*Repeat alleluia*

Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of e - ter - nal life.

## **Gospel Reading: Luke 9:51-62**

**L:** The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 9th chapter.

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

<sup>51</sup>When the days drew near for [Jesus] to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem. <sup>52</sup>And he sent messengers ahead of him. On their way they entered a village of the Samaritans to make ready for him; <sup>53</sup>but they did not receive him, because his face was set toward Jerusalem. <sup>54</sup>When his disciples James and John saw it, they said, "Lord, do you want us to command fire to come down from heaven and consume them?" <sup>55</sup>But he turned and rebuked them. <sup>56</sup>Then they went on to another village.

<sup>57</sup>As they were going along the road, someone said to him, "I will follow you wherever you go." <sup>58</sup>And Jesus said to him, "Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests; but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head." <sup>59</sup>To another he said, "Follow me." But he said, "Lord, first let me go and bury my father." <sup>60</sup>But Jesus said to him, "Let the dead bury their own dead; but as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God." <sup>61</sup>Another said, "I will follow you, Lord; but let me first say farewell to those at my home." <sup>62</sup>Jesus said to him, "No one who puts a hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God."

**L:** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

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

**Sermon:** Pastor Dan Smith

## Hymn of the Day: How Great Thou Art



1 O Lord my God, when I in awe-some won-der con-sid-er  
2 When through the woods and for-est glades I wan-der, I hear the  
3 But when I think that God, his Son not spar-ing, sent him to  
4 When Christ shall come, with shout of ac-cla-ma-tion, and take me



all the works thy hand hath made, I see the stars, I hear the might-y  
birds sing sweet-ly in the trees; when I look down from loft-y moun-tain  
die, I scarce can take it in, that on the cross my bur-den glad-ly  
home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow in hum-ble ad-o-



thun-der, thy pow'r through-out the u-ni-verse dis-played;  
gran-deur and hear the brook and feel the gen-tle breeze;  
bear-ing he bled and died to take a-way my sin;  
ra-tion and there pro-claim, "My God, how great thou art!"

### *Refrain*



Then sings my soul, my Sav-ior God, to thee, how great thou



art! How great thou art! Then sings my soul, my Sav-ior God, to



thee, how great thou art! How great thou art!

## **Apostles' Creed:**

**L:** Let us make public profession of our faith together, reflecting on the love of God in Christ Jesus.

**C:** **I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.  
I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord.  
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit  
and born of the virgin Mary.  
He 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,  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again 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.**

## **The Prayers:**

**L:** United in Christ and guided by the Spirit, we pray for the church, the creation, and all in need.

*A brief silence*

**L:** God of faithfulness, set the face of your church firmly on you. Rooted in your self-giving love, may the church find freedom in loving our neighbors. God of grace,

**C:** **hear our prayer.**

L: God of gentleness, strengthen the earth's ability to heal. Where there are dangerous storms, bring calm. Where there are destructive fires, bring rain. Protect homes, habitats, and livelihoods threatened by climate disasters. God of grace,

**C: hear our prayer.**

L: God of kindness, reveal your healing presence to all who are sick or dying. Uphold those who grieve. Support the needs of any who are unemployed, hungry, or have nowhere to lay their heads. Be with Dottie, Harvey, Doris Jane, Linda, and Frank. God of grace,

**C: hear our prayer.**

L: God of joy, we give thanks for all who have died and now celebrate the inheritance of life in you. Keep their examples of faithfulness always before us, that we may trust your promises in life and in death. God of grace,

**C: hear our prayer.**

L: God of community, we lift up all of the joys and concerns represented by the ribbons tied to the heart located outside of our church building. May you bless and keep all who have added their prayers to it. God of grace,

**C: hear our prayer.**

L: God of every time and place, in Jesus' name and filled with your Holy Spirit, we entrust these spoken prayers and those in our hearts into your holy keeping.

**C: Amen.**

**+MEAL +**

### **The Great Thanksgiving:**

L: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

L: Lift up your hearts.

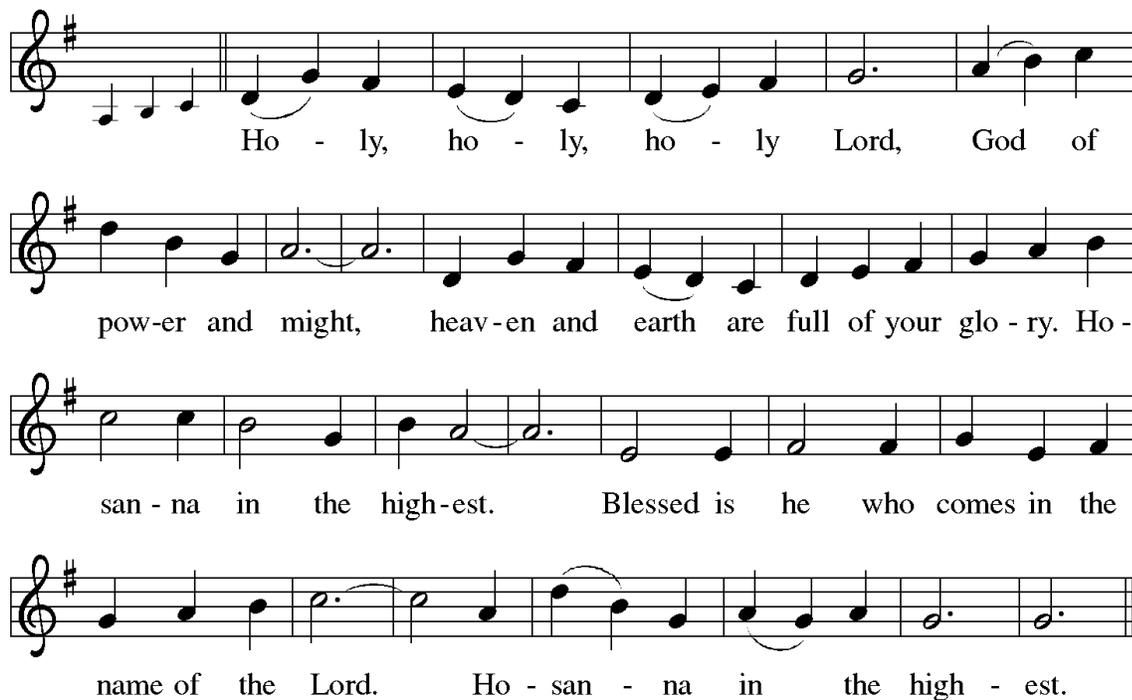
**C: We lift them to the Lord.**

L: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

## The Proper Preface:

L: God of our weary years, God of our silent tears, you have brought us this far along the way. In times of bitterness you did not abandon us, but guided us into the path of love and light. In every age you sent prophets to make known your loving will for all humanity. The cry of the poor has become your own cry; our hunger and thirst for justice is your own desire. In the fullness of time, you sent your chosen servant to preach good news to the afflicted, to break bread with the outcast and despised, and to ransom those in bondage to prejudice and sin. Therefore, we praise your name and join the unending hymn:

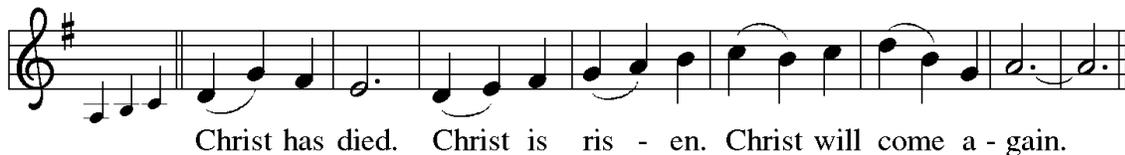


Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of  
pow-er and might, heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -  
san - na in the high-est. Blessed is he who comes in the  
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

L: 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.

L: For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup  
we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.



L: Remembering, therefore, his death and resurrection,  
we await the day when Jesus shall return  
to free all the earth from the bonds of slavery and death.  
Come, Lord Jesus! And let the church say, Amen.

C: **Amen.**

L: Send your Holy Spirit, our advocate,  
to fill the hearts of all who share this bread and cup  
with courage and wisdom to pursue love and justice in all the world.  
Come, Spirit of freedom! And let the church say, Amen.

C: **Amen.**

L: Join our prayers and praise with your prophets and martyrs of every age,  
that, rejoicing in the hope of the resurrection,  
we might live in the freedom and hope of your Son.  
Through him, with him, in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
all glory and honor is yours, almighty Father, now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

### **Lord's Prayer:**

L: Lord, remember us in your Kingdom and teach us to pray:  
**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:**

L: In Christ's presence there is fullness of joy. Come to the banquet.  
C: **Amen.**

### **Communion Song**

By Your Hand You Feed Your People

Marty Haugen

### **Prayer after Communion:**

L: Let us pray. Life-giving God, through this meal you have bandaged our wounds and fed us with your mercy. Now send us forth to live for others, both friend and stranger, that all may come to know your love. This we pray in the name of Jesus.  
C: **Amen.**

### **Announcements**

**+ SENDING +**

**Benediction:**

L: The God of peace, Father, ✠ Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you, comfort you, and show you the path of life this day and always.

C: Amen.

**Sending Hymn: Lead Me, Guide Me**

*Refrain*  
Lead me, guide me, a - long the way;  
for if you lead me, I can - not stray.  
Lord, let me walk each day with thee.  
Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

1 I am weak and I need thy strength and pow'r  
2 Help me tread in the paths of righ - teous - ness,  
3 I am lost if you take your hand from me,  
to help me o - ver my weak - est hour.  
be my aid when Sa - tan and sin op - press.  
I am blind with - out . . . thy light to see.

Help me through the dark - ness thy face to see.  
I am put - ting all . . . my trust in thee.  
Lord, just al - ways let me thy ser - vant be.

*Refrain*  
Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

## Dismissal:

L: Go in peace. Serve our neighbors.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

## Postlude

“Little” Prelude in C

J. S. Bach

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**Happy birthday to:** Bruce McCluskey (6/30) and Alan Herold (7/2).

### **Holy Trinity’s Prayer List**

Dottie Adams

Harvey Davis

Doris Jane Starankovic

Frank Wick

Linda Wieteha

Condolences to the loved ones of  
Dolores Recchiute and Susan Stuart upon  
their passing

### **Friends and Relatives**

Bettina Chavanne (friend of the McCluskeys)

Katy & Nick (Pat Brubaker’s family)

Kellie & Bob Coombs (friends of Anne Hoffman)

Vincent Sangmeister (Mary Williamson’s  
brother)

Fran Gebhart

Sharon Neall (Hall family member)

Ve Woodson (daughter of Harvey Davis)

Beth Brady (Kristine DelMonte’s co-worker)

Lois Kistler (friend of the Hoffmann’s)

Norma DelMonte (Tom’s mother)

Sandy Bauer (friend of Pat Brubaker)

Cindy and Bobbie (cousins of the Hoffmann’s)

The Houghs (friends of Pat Brubaker)

Linda Baldi-Boyd

Cheryl & Donna (friends of Pat Brubaker)

Kelly (Carolmarie Scanlon’s sister in law)  
Beth Ann Force (friend of Louise Hoffman)

Georgette, her daughter Kara, and Chuck  
Marbury Hooey

John & Rosemary Lynch (friends of Pat  
Brubaker)

June Duncan

Nancy Nesbitt (friend of Bob Catherman)

Annette Steiger (Dave Steiger’s sister)

Martin Eichner (Gloria Eichner’s son)

Margie (Jan Doan’s friend)

Eleanor Crissman (Bob Catherman’s sister)

Joseph Davis

Winifred Joyce (friend of the Hoffmans)

Peter Stein (friend of the McCluskeys)

Danelle VanInstendal (friend of the Steigers)

Heinrich Mengel - cousin of the Hoffmann  
Family

Donna Dutten (daughter of June Duncan)

Peter Stein and Michelle Murdock (Peter’s wife)

Louise Jackson (cousin of Julie Ackerman)

Ralph Hunt (Kim Crews-Engelhard’s step-father)

Ginny Engelhard (John’s step-mother)

Mae Smith (Diana Vidlak’s mom)

Jody and Alan (friends of Pat Brubaker)

Margaret and Kurt (friends of Pat Brubaker)

*Want to add someone you love and care about to the  
prayer list? Contact the church office anytime.*