

REDEMPTION LUTHERAN CHURCH

Trinity Sunday



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Pre-Service Meditation:

Matthew 28:19-20 ¹⁹ Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.

Prayer: O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, may You fill us with Your grace and favor, for by them we have life and eternal salvation! O Holy Trinity, how marvelous are Your works and mighty Your wonders. The whole earth is full of Your glory! May we always flee to Your presence when we are burdened by sin and assailed by temptation. For You have promised to never turn away Your children. Help us to be reflections of Your grace and glory so that all may come to know You as the one true God. In the name of Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God forever, Amen.

Opening: TLH 246 Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty

Invocation

P In the Name of the Father and of the Son
and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

Confession and Absolution

P: Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

P: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C: **Who made heaven and earth.**

P: I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

C: **And You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

P: Almighty God, our maker and redeemer, we poor sinners confess unto You that we are by nature sinful and unclean and that we have sinned against You by thought, word, and deed. Wherefore we flee for refuge to Your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring Your grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

C: **O most merciful God, who has given Your only-begotten Son to die for us, have mercy upon us and for His sake grant us remission of all our sins; and by Your Holy Spirit increase in us true knowledge of You and of Your will and true obedience to Your Word, to the end that by Your grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

P: Upon this your confession, I, as a called servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

Introit:

Psalm 16 & Antiphon

P Let us give glory to Him because He has shown His mercy to us. I have set the LORD always before me; because He is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken. You make known to me the path of life; in Your presence there is fullness of joy; at Your right hand are pleasures forevermore. Blessed be the Holy Trinity and the undivided Unity. Let us give glory to Him because He has shown mercy to us.

Gloria Patri



C Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost;



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

Kyrie



C Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -



on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

Hymn of Response: WS 745 Let All The World

Let all the world in ev'ery corner sing: My God and King!
The heav'ns are not too high, His praise may thither fly;
The earth is not too low, His praises there may grow.
Let all the world in ev'ry corner sing, My God and King!
Let all the world in ev'ry corner sing, My God and King!
The Father, with the Son, And Spirit, Three in One,
One everlasting Lord, Be evermore adored!
Let all the world in ev'ry corner sing, My God and King!.

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Let us pray... Almighty God, You have graciously called us into Your kingdom, and have brought us to confess the true faith in You as the Holy Trinity, so that we rejoice in the divine majesty of Your true unity. We ask that You would keep us steadfast in this faith, for You, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, live and reign, one true God forever,

C Amen.

Old Testament Lesson

Isaiah 6:1-7

¹ In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lifted up, and the train of His *robe* filled the temple. ² Above it stood seraphim; each one had six wings: with two he covered his face, with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. ³ And one cried to another and said: "Holy, holy, holy *is* the LORD of hosts; The whole earth *is* full of His glory!" ⁴ And the posts of the door were shaken by the voice of him who cried out, and the house was filled with smoke. ⁵ So I said: "Woe *is* me, for I am undone! Because I *am* a man of unclean lips, And I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; For my eyes have seen the King, The LORD of hosts." ⁶ Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a live coal *which* he had taken with the tongs from the altar. ⁷ And he touched my mouth *with it*, and said: "Behold, this has touched your lips; Your iniquity is taken away, And your sin purged."

Responsive Reading

Psalm 33 [Selected Verses]

P Blessed *is* the nation whose God *is* the LORD

C The people He has chosen as His own inheritance.

P The LORD looks from heaven; He sees all the sons of men.

C He fashions their hearts individually; He considers all their works.

P No king *is* saved by the multitude of an army; A mighty man is not delivered by great strength.

C A horse *is* a vain hope for safety; Neither shall it deliver *any* by its great strength.

P Behold, the eye of the LORD *is* on those who fear Him, On those who hope in His mercy,

C To deliver their soul from death, And to keep them alive in famine.

P Our soul waits for the LORD; He *is* our help and our shield.

C Let Your mercy, O LORD, be upon us, Just as we hope in You.

Epistle Lesson:

Ephesians 1:3-14

³ Blessed *be* the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly *places* in Christ, ⁴ just as He chose us in Him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and without blame before Him in love, ⁵ having predestined us to adoption as sons by Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the good pleasure of His will, ⁶ to the praise of the glory of His grace, by which He has made us accepted in the Beloved. ⁷ In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace ⁸ which He made to abound toward us in all wisdom and prudence, ⁹ having made known to us the mystery of His will, according to His good pleasure which He purposed in Himself, ¹⁰ that in the dispensation of the fullness of the times He might gather together in one all things in Christ, both which are in heaven and which are on earth - in Him. ¹¹ In Him also we have obtained an inheritance, being predestined according to the purpose of Him who works all things according to the counsel of His will, ¹² that we who first trusted in Christ should be to the praise of His glory. ¹³ In Him you also *trusted*, after you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation; in whom also, having believed, you were sealed with the Holy Spirit of promise, ¹⁴ who is the guarantee of our inheritance until the redemption of the purchased possession, to the praise of His glory.

Confession of Faith:

Athanasian Creed [See Insert]

P Whoever will be saved must hold to the true Christian faith. Now this is the Christian faith:

C We worship one God in three Persons and three Persons in one God, without mixing the Persons or dividing the Divine Being.

P For each Person – the Father, Son and Holy Spirit – is distinct,

C Yet the Deity of Father, Son and Holy Spirit is one, equal in glory and coeternal in majesty.

P What the Father is, so is the Son and so is the Holy Spirit – infinite, eternal, almighty.

C So the Father is God, the Son is God and the Holy Spirit is God – Yet they are not three Gods, but one God.

P And within this Trinity none comes before or after; None is greater or inferior, but all three Persons are coequal and coeternal.

C Whoever wishes to be saved must have this conviction of the Trinity.

P It is furthermore necessary for eternal salvation truly to believe that our Lord Jesus Christ also took on human flesh.

C Now this is the true Christian faith: We believe and confess that our Lord Jesus Christ, God's Son, is both God and Man.

P He is God, divinely existing from all eternity, and He is Man, born of His mother in time – fully God and fully Man.

C Yet Christ is not two Persons but One – One, not by changing the deity into flesh, but by taking the humanity into God.

P He suffered for our salvation, rose from the dead, ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father.

C From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.

P All who believe in Him will enter eternal life and all who do not believe will enter eternal hellfire.

C This is the true Christian faith in which all who believe this will be saved.

Hymn:

WS 746 Father Most Holy, Merciful and Tender

Sermon

Matthew 28:16-20

¹⁶ Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. ¹⁷ And when they saw him they worshiped him, but some doubted. ¹⁸ And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹ Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of

the Son and of the Holy Spirit,²⁰ teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.

God's Triune Action for Your Salvation

1. Being your Father
2. Being your Redeemer
3. Being your Comforter

Offertory:

Create in Me

Create in me a clean heart O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

Hymn:

TLH 243 Oh, that I Had a Thousand Voices

Offering of Thankful Hearts

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

☐ 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

Benediction

Numbers 6:24-25

☐ Amen.

Hymn:

TLH 250 Holy God, We Praise Thy Name

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WELCOME To all of you who are visiting our service this morning, we extend a most cordial welcome in Jesus' name. It is our hope that you will feel at home in our midst and will be blessed by our message of Christ crucified and risen for the sins of the world.

If you are looking for a church home or would like to know more about our beliefs and practices, please see the pastor. He will be glad to visit with you at your convenience. Be sure to join us again.

Announcements

Upcoming Events:

- **Convention:** The 37th Convention of the CLC will be held from June 25th-28th. Justin Penwell and Nathanael Gibbs will represent the congregation as delegates. We thank them for their service!
- **Bible Class:** We are on break until the Sunday after Labor Day.
- **Stained Glass Update:** The Church Council will gather the information gained through the survey and make an announcement next week. Thank you for voicing your thoughts concerning your church building!

Call News:

- Pastor Chad Seybt of a Quad Parish in Western WI ***has returned the call*** to Living Hope Lutheran in Appleton, WI; he ***has returned the call*** to St. Luke's Lutheran in Lemmon, SD
- Pastor David Pfeiffer of Holy Trinity Lutheran in West Columbia, SC ***has returned the call*** to Messiah Lutheran Church in Eau Claire, WI
- Pastor Ben Libby of Redeemer Ev. Lutheran in Cheyenne, WY ***has returned the call*** to Mt. Zion Lutheran in Madison Heights, MI

Upcoming Schedule:

Sunday, June 7th Redemption Sunday Service at 9

Sunday, June 14th Redemption Communion Service at 9

Sunday, June 21st Redemption Sunday Service at 9