

TRINITY SUNDAY

JUNE 11, 2017

TODAY'S WORSHIP

Divine Service III LSB pages 184-202

L = Liturgist * = Stand C = Congregation

PRELUDE (5:00)

Orchestra of Peace
Bells of Peace

All Creatures of our God and King
Rondo Passacaglia

arr: Jeff Cranfill
Cynthia Dobrinski

***HYMN OF INVOCATION**

Holy, Holy, Holy

LSB 507

- 1. Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty!**
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee;
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!
- 2. Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore Thee**
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee,
Which wert and art and evermore shalt be.
- 3. Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!**
All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea.
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

***INVOCATION AND GENERAL CONFESSION**

L: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **✠ Amen.**

BAPTISMS (10:30)

L: God the Father, Creator and Preserver:

C: **Sustain our life in You.**

L: God the Son who came down for us and our salvation:

C: **Cleanse us by Your blood.**

L: God the Holy Spirit, Promised Paraclete:

C: **Dwell in our lives with Your holy fruits.**

L: Pardon our iniquity,

C: **And cleanse us of all our transgressions.**

L: Lord God Almighty, Father, Son and Holy Spirit:

C: **We praise You for the revelation of your love and Your mercy.**

L: Blessed be the Holy Trinity and the undivided Unity!

C: **Let us give glory to Him because He has shown His mercy to us!**

L: O Lord, our Lord:

C: **How excellent is Your name in all the earth!**

***THE ABSOLUTION**

C: **✠ Amen.**

***THE GLORIA PATRI** (Taken from LSB, page 186)

C: **✠ Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and shall be, world without end. Amen.**

***THE KYRIE**

C: ♪ Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

***THE COLLECT OF THE DAY**

L: The Lord be with you.

C: ♪ And with thy spirit.

L: Let us pray.

C: ♪ Amen.

THE OLD TESTAMENT READING for the Holy Trinity Sunday is from Genesis 1:1-2, 1:26-31, 2:1-3, pages 1-2:

¹In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth. ²The earth was without form and void, and darkness was over the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God was hovering over the face of the waters... ²⁶Then God said, "Let us make man in our image, after our likeness. And let them have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over the livestock and over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth." ²⁷So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them. ²⁸And God blessed them. And God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth and subdue it and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over every living thing that moves on the earth." ²⁹And God said, "Behold, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is on the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit. You shall have them for food. ³⁰And to every beast of the earth and to every bird of the heavens and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food." And it was so. ³¹ And God saw everything that he had made, and behold, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day. ¹Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all the host of them. ²And on the seventh day God finished his work that he had done, and he rested on the seventh day from all his work that he had done. ³So God blessed the seventh day and made it holy, because on it God rested from all his work that he had done in creation.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: ♪ Thanks be to God.

Chancel Choir (5:00)

Let All Creation Sing

Patti Drennan

Flute: Jacqui Gathman Cello: Jonathan Gathman

THE SECOND READING is from Acts 2:14a, 29-36, page 910:

¹⁴But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them... ²⁹"Brothers, I may say to you with confidence about the patriarch David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. ³⁰ Being therefore a prophet, and knowing that God had sworn with an oath to him that he would set one of his descendants on his throne, ³¹he foresaw and spoke about the resurrection of the Christ, that he was not abandoned to Hades, nor did his flesh see corruption. ³²This Jesus God raised up, and of that we all are witnesses. ³³ Being therefore exalted at the right hand of God, and having received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit, he has poured out this that you yourselves are seeing and hearing. ³⁴For David did not ascend into the heavens, but he himself says, "'The Lord said to my Lord, Sit at my right hand, ³⁵until I make your enemies your footstool.' ³⁶Let all the house of Israel therefore know for certain that God has made him both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified."

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

***ALLELUIA AND VERSE**

C: ♪ Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

***THE HOLY GOSPEL - according to St. Matthew, the twenty-eighth chapter, verses 16-20, page 835:**

C: ♪ Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

¹⁶Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. ¹⁷And when they saw him they worshiped him, but some doubted. ¹⁸And 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, ²⁰teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

L: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: ♪ Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

*THE ATHANASIAN CREED (Complete Creed LSB pages 319-320)

... We worship one God in three persons, neither confusing the persons nor dividing the substance. For there is one person of the Father, another of the Son and another of the Holy Spirit. But the Godhead ... is all one; the glory equal, the majesty coeternal ... In this Trinity none is before or after another; none is greater or less than another, ... He, therefore, that will be saved is compelled thus to think of the Trinity. Furthermore, it is necessary to everlasting salvation that we also believe faithfully the incarnation of our Lord Jesus Christ for the right faith is that we believe and confess that our Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of God, is God and man; ... who suffered for our salvation, descended into hell, rose again the third day from the dead. He ascended into heaven, He sits at the right hand of the Father, God Almighty, from whence He will come to judge the living and the dead. This is the Christian faith. Amen.

CHILDREN'S SONG (Sung as the children come forward)

(8:00 & 10:30)

1. **Glory be to God the Father, Glory be to God the Son,
Glory be to God the Spirit: Great Jehovah, Three in One!
Glory, glory, While eternal ages run!**
2. **Glory, blessing, praise eternal! Thus the choir of angels sings;
Honor, riches, pow'r, dominion! Thus its praise creation brings.
Glory, glory, glory to the King of kings!**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (8:00 & 10:30)

Christina Stackle

COMMISSIONING (10:30) OF 45 SERVANT-EVENT VOLUNTEERS

HYMN OF THE DAY

All Glory Be to God on High

LSB 947

1. **All glory be to God on high And thanks for all His favor;
No harm can touch or terrify A child of God forever.
God show His good and gracious will
And grants His peace, the world to fill—All strife at last has ended.**
2. **We praise and laud and worship You; We give You thanks forever,
O Father, for Your rule is true And just and changes never.
With boundless pow'r, Your mighty reign
Fulfills whatever You ordain. Lord grant us ev'ry blessing!**
3. *(Choir - 5:00) O Jesus Christ, the only Son Begotten of the Father,
Your saving death has made us one With God and with each other.
O Lamb of God, to You on high
In our distress we sinners cry, Have mercy on us, amen!*
4. **O Holy Spirit, our delight And source of consolation,
Protect us from the devil's might Through Jesus, our salvation,
Who by His death upon a tree
Has rescued us from misery: To this we hold forever.**

THE SERMON

"The Trinity Matters"

(Acts 2:14a, 29-36)

THE OFFERING - *During the offering all worshipers are asked to fill out the blue or ivory cards found in the pew rack. Please pass cards down to center aisle. They will be collected immediately after the offering.*

VOLUNTARY 5:00 The Orchestra of Peace

Fairest Lord Jesus

arr: Jeff Cranfill

*THE OFFERTORY LSB page 192

✠ 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.

*PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

*LORD'S PRAYER (Found on inside back cover of the hymnal.)

*THE BENEDICTION

L: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

C: ✠ Amen, amen, amen.

*THE CLOSING HYMN

God Loved the World

LSB 571

1. God love the world so that He gave His only Son the lost to save,
That all who would in Him believe Should everlasting life receive.
2. Glory to God the Father, Son, And Holy Spirit, Three in One!
To You, O blessed Trinity, Be praise now and eternally!

*SILENT PRAYER

POSTLUDE 5:00 Orchestra of Peace *Blessed Be The Name* arr: Jeff Anderson

SERVING IN OUR WORSHIP TODAY:

Preacher: Pastor Jon C. Furgeson

Liturgist: Pastor Dennis A. Kastens

Organist: 5, 8, & 10:30: Kendra Ruesler; 9:20: Burnell Hackman

Choir Dir.: Burnell Hackman, DMM

KFUO 850 AM Broadcaster/Engineer: Bob Mullen/Rick Goodman

NEWS AND NOTES:

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TODAY'S EDUCATION HOUR: 9:15 - 10:15 a.m.

Adult Bible Class (Lower Commons): Augsburg Confession

Bible Study for 18 - 25 Year Olds (Former Sanctuary Overflow Room)

Women's Bible Class (Office Conf. Rm.): led by Janice McCreary

Youth Bible Class: led by Christina Stackle, DCE

8th Grade: Rick Goodman & Mike Renner

7th Grade: Greg Wirtel & Louise Oster

PLEASE SILENCE ALL CELL PHONES.

HEARING ASSIST TRANSMITTERS are available from the ushers. Ear pieces are available although we suggest you bring your own.

FOOD & DRINK consumption should be kept inside the Gym.

BAPTISMS (10:30) Haydin Makey and Rosalie Tanner Fegan, children of Joey L. And Brittany A. nee Kohm Fegan.
Sponsors: Douglas and Brittany Wolken.

ALTAR FLOWERS are from Wayne and Marilyn Schuessler in celebration of their 45th wedding anniversary on June 10 and in honor of the marriage of Lisa Marie Drechsler and Oliver Weber in Chemnitz, Germany, also on June 10.

THE WISCONSIN CHILDREN'S CHOIR will present a free choral concert here tomorrow, Monday, June 12 from 7-8:00 p.m. The performance includes traditional secular and sacred compositions as well as a cappella pieces. Join us!

CONCERTS AT PEACE present The Milwaukee Handbell Ensemble in concert, Saturday, June 24, 7:30pm in the sanctuary. Now in its 14th year, this auditioned community choir composed of 16 ringers plays 73 handbells (6 octaves) and 73 handchimes (7 octaves) in their performances.

HOST FAMILIES NEEDED for 10 adults from the Milwaukee Handbell Ensemble on Saturday evening, June 24. Please fill out a form at the Welcome Center or visit www.peacestlmusic.org. Thank you.—Burnell Hackman, DMM.

LADIES GUILD ANNUAL PICNIC LUNCHEON **this** Thurs., June 15, at 12 Noon. Meat is provided, please bring a side dish to share. All ladies are invited!

SHOWN ON THE COVER is the doctrine of the Blessed Trinity as clearly expressed by the early armorists. Pater = Father, Filius = Son, Spiritus Sanctus = Holy Spirit, Deus = God.

THE UNIVERSE consists of 3 things: matter, space, and time. Each of these also are a trinity. Matter = mass/energy/motion. Space = length/height/breadth. Time = past/present/future. The whole universe witnesses to the character of God who made it. One God: Father/Son/Holy Spirit. (Ps. 19:1)

AT OUR SATURDAY EVENING SERVICE the Bells of Peace, Orchestra of Peace, and Chancel Choir are celebrating the end of another successful year of music making. We thank members of Peace for their on-going support of our Music Ministry.

YOUTH NEWS: Sr. Youth Servant Event Meeting is Monday, June 12 from 7:00-8:00 p.m. Youth Sign Up to help serve at St. Vincent. Sr. Youth will serve on Tuesday, June 27, and Jr. Youth will serve on Wednesday, June 28.

VBS STAFF MEETING **today**, June 11, 11:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m., in the Lower Commons.

SAVE THE DATE! Green Park Lutheran School's 3rd annual Golf Fore Education is Sun., Sept. 17, 2017, at the Acorns Golf Links in Waterloo, IL. Registration and sponsorship opportunities available August 1.

ALASKA MISSION NEEDS YARN There are several people willing to make afghans, hats, and scarves for the mission team to take to Hooper Bay. If you have yarn you don't need (any amount, any color), please put in box by the coat rack in the Commons. Thank you.

FLAG RETIREMENT CEREMONY On Thurs., June 15, Boy Scout Troop 584 will be holding a retirement ceremony for all non-serviceable US flags. A container is in the upper Commons for placement of any non-serviceable flags. Questions, contact Ralph Truemper.

PART TIME TEACHER AIDES NEEDED at Green Park, for the Kindergarten – Gr. 4 teachers for the 2017-18 school year. Please send resumes to Green Park, attn.: Stephen Eggold or email stephen.eggold@greenparklutherschool.org.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - July 10-14, 9a.m. - 12p.m. We are looking forward to Mighty Fortress adventures this year as we explore our faith in Christ! Registration is now open for children age 3 through going into 4th grade. Early registration is appreciated as we move forward with preparations. Go to www.peacelutheranstl.org. We look forward to seeing you there!

BBQ to BENEFIT LHS-S 2018 CUBA OPERATION WALLACEA TEAM - BBQ Saturday, June 17, at Christ Memorial, 11:00-6:00 p.m. Posted.

BAPTIZED (June 3) Ethan Thomas and Alex Christopher Stabile, sons of John C. and Laurie A. nee Bohn Stabile. Sponsors: Thomas Vanek, Kristi Hemmann, Michael and Jenna Bohn.

CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF JUNE 11, 2017:

Today: 11:30 VBS Staff Meeting
Mon: 7:00 Wisconsin Children's Choir Concert
7:00 Boy Scout Troop 584
Tue: 9:00 Quilters
7:00 Eagle Board of Review
Wed: 7:00 Wednesday Bible Study
Thu: 12:00 Ladies Guild Picnic
Sat: 5:00 Worship Service w/Comm
Sun: 6:30 Youth Servant Event Leaves