Welcome

Engagement Survey

Opening Hymn

"Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee"

LSB 803



Joy - ful, joy - ful we a - dore Thee, God of glo - ry, Lord of love! All Thy works with joy sur-round Thee, Earth and heav'n re-flect Thy rays, Thou art giv - ing and for - giv - ing, Ev - er bless-ing, ev - er blest,



Hearts un-fold like flow'rs be-fore Thee, Prais-ing Thee, their sun a - bove. Stars and an-gels sing a-round Thee, Cen - ter of un-bro-ken praise. Well-spring of the joy of liv - ing, O - cean-depth of hap-py rest!



Melt the clouds of sin and sad-ness, Drive the gloom of doubt a-way. Field and for - est, vale and moun-tain, Flow-'ry mead-ow, flash-ing sea, Fa - ther, Son, and Ho-ly Spir - it, Foun-tain-head of love di-vine:



Giv - er of im - mor - tal glad-ness, Fill us with the light of day. Chant-ing bird, and flow - ing foun-tain Call us to re - joice in Thee. Joy - ful, we Thy heav'n in - her - it! Joy - ful, we by grace are Thine!

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Invocation

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

Confession

Pastor: If you, O Lord, kept a record of sins,

People: O Lord, who could stand?

Pastor: But with You there is forgiveness;

People: Therefore You are feared. (*Psalm 130:3-4*)

Pastor: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

People: Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

(Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.)

Absolution

Pastor: Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office as a called and ordained servant of

the Word, announce the grace of God to all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I announce to you the forgiveness of all your sins in

the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

(Please be seated)

Kyrie Mark 10:47

Gloria in Excelsis

Luke 2:14

† The Word †

The Old Testament Lesson

Daniel 9:1-9, 17-19

(Daniel's Prayer)

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

(Please Stand)

Choir Anthem "Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)"

Trinity's 3rd & 4th Grade Choir

Gospel Acclamation

John 20:31

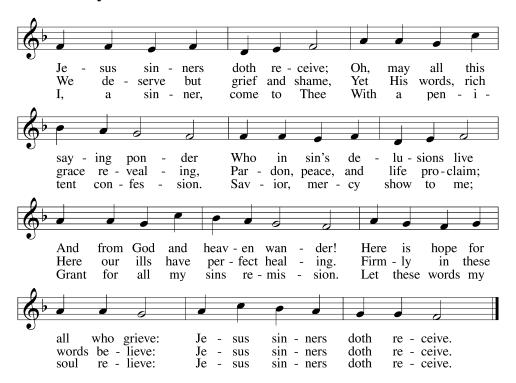
Gospel Lesson

Luke 7:36-50

(Jesus Anointed by a Sinful Woman)

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!



Oh, how blest it is to know:
Were as scarlet my transgression,
It shall be as white as snow
By Thy blood and bitter passion;
For these words I now believe:
Jesus sinners doth receive.

Jesus sinners doth receive; Also I have been forgiven; And when I this earth must leave, I shall find an open heaven. Dying, still to Him I cleave: Jesus sinners doth receive.

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The Sermon

S E N R O M T O E N S To think about this week:

Stories of Grace "The Sinful Woman"

The Nicene Creed

Tithes & Offerings/Friendship Roster

Because of the Lord's great love, we are not consumed, for His compassion's never fail. They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. Lamentations 3:22-23

Prayer of the Church (You may sit or kneel)

(After each petition)

Pastor: Lord, in your mercy; **People: Hear our prayer.**

The Lord's Prayer

On Screens

† The Celebration of Holy Communion †

Preface

Pastor: The Lord be with you. **People:** And with your spirit.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **People:** It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

Pastor: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere, to give thanks to You,

Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. You formed us in Your image and breathed into us the breath of life. When we turned away, and our love failed, Your love remained steadfast. You delivered us from captivity, made a covenant to be our sovereign God, and spoke to us through your prophets. And so with your people on earth and all the company of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending

hymn.

Sanctus *Isaiah 6:3, Matthew 21:9*

Words of Institution

Matt 26 & 1 Cor. 11

The Sharing of Peace

Agnus Dei John 1:29

The Distribution of the Sacrament

Today we celebrate the sacrament of Holy Communion. **<u>Baptized Christians</u>** who can answer **YES** to the following questions are welcome to join us at the Lord's Table.

- Do you admit you have sinned against God and do you **repent** (admit and turn away from) of those sins?
- Do you trust in **Jesus Christ** and Him alone as your **Savior** from sin and death?
- ⊕ Do you believe that the **Body and Blood of Jesus Christ** is actually received in and with the bread and wine (the bread and wine are not merely symbols or signs) for the **forgiveness** of your sins and to **strengthen** your faith?
- Do you believe that in Holy Communion we personally receive the **gift of God's forgiving love and grace** and we experience **oneness** with Christ and with one another?
- Do you intend and desire, by God's power, to turn away from your sin, and to grow in love for God and for others?

If this is your faith we invite you to join us at the Lord's Table. If you have questions, concerns, doubts, etc. please speak with a pastor, or an Elder, before receiving Holy Communion. We ask that children receive formal instruction in the meaning and purpose of Holy Communion through our 1st Communion Class or Confirmation program before participating in this sacrament. Non-Alcoholic Wine is available for those unable to receive the blood of Christ through regular wine. It is in the center of the communion tray and is light in color. Gluten Free "Hosts" are also available for those who are unable to receive the "Body of Christ" through the usual Communion Host. To receive the Sacrament with the Gluten Free Host stand at the very "back" of the communion rail (near the lectern or pulpit and wait for the Communion assistant to come to you. If you have questions please, ask a pastor or Elder.



Distribution Hymns



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By grace to timid hearts that tremble, In tribulation's furnace tried. By grace, in spite of fear and trouble, The Father's heart is open wide. Where could I help and strength secure If grace were not my anchor sure?

By grace! On this I'll rest when dying; In Jesus' promise I rejoice; For though I know my heart's condition, I also know my Savior's voice. My heart is glad, all grief has flown Since I am saved by grace alone.

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Post-Communion Canticle (*Please stand*)

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Pastor: We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary

gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and

forever.

People: Amen

Benediction *Numbers* 6:24-26

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face to shine upon you and be

gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

People: Amen.

Closing Hymn

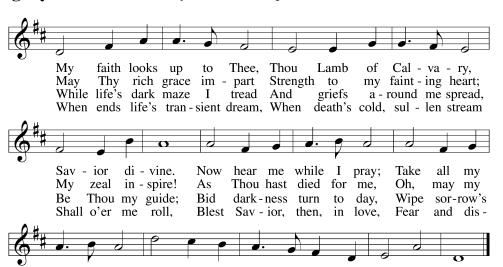
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"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"

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† Immediately following worship members of our Praying Hands Prayer Team will be available to pray with you or for you. They will be located behind the altar near the cross and candles. ††

PRAYER LIST Trinity seeks to be a

"praying church." This means far more than the pastor praying during worship. We encourage you to pray daily for the various people and needs listed below as well as the many needs of our community and our world. To add someone to the prayer list (or to remove someone) please contact church@trinityct.org or 586-463-2921 x 143.

Members Who Are III/Recovering

Helen Luft, Carol Jobse, Tim Crosby, Onalee Young, Josephine Young, Patti Kennedy, Frank and Kathy Carpenter, Kris Pauli, Donna Lockhart, Emelia Evola, Pat Stolzenfeld, Pastor Thees Hoft, Robert Sellers, Kris Rice, Doris Heymoss, Beverly Mueller, Allan Hurley, Dawn MacDonald, Aimee Kilcher, Patti Braga, Andrea Nowak, Denise Ringstad, Gary Brodeur, Jim Rozell, Bruce Rieck, Steve Parker, Jerry Smigielski, Judy Janssen, JoAnn Tehansky, Doreen Cook, John Cress, Lillian Williams, Deborah Hayes, Vanessa DeGeorge, Kelly McClean, Bill Wiczorek, Rusty Muszall, Michelle Puffpaff, Betty Howison, Karen Cuneo, Gloria Kandt

Others Who Are III/Recovering

Ken Cress, Kevin Weidenbach, Robert Impullitti, Bob Willets, Paul VanderMarliere, Chris Marino, Irene Detroyer, Kayser family, Helen Berger, Rusty, Harold Yost, Myron Thompson, Lawrence Malcheff, Greta Gronefeld, Rachel Conkrite, Arthur Murphy, Tandy Mazak, Corey Schales, Addie and her parents Nate and Joy, Gregg Glenn, Elaine Allen, Diana Sgrazzuti, Cliff Ringstad, Roberta Foster, Joseph Gawinski, Elaine Harmoning, Thomas Schippert, Colleen Caster, Griffin Stein *If you have submitted a prayer request for a non-member, please update the church office on the status so that this list remains current.*

In Memoriam

Bob Garrity, father of Stacy Cooper, Marilyn Nieman

Baptisms

Autumn Reign Thompson-Vanburen –
Daughter of Jeremy & Crystal (Thompson) Vanburen
Jaxon John Zaits – Son of Morgan Zaits
Lincoln James Brown – Son of Mark & Shannon Brown
Alayah Elizabeth Faith Miller –
Daughter of Alexis Bowman

Those Serving in the Armed Forces

Art Baker, Michael Berger, Daniel Bergstresser, Jeremy Bridgeman, Louis Cage, Shelby Clippard, Joe Cognitore, Chad Czischke, Richard Dembowski, Jeremy Detloff, Jorge Dimmer, Don Ehrke, John Fill, Melissa Flood, Anthony Gaiera, Sam Genna, Isaac Gibson, Matthew Hudson, Joseph Jedenasty, Michael Kayser, Daniel Klein, Kory Kramer, Brenden Kronner, Tyler Konwinski, Thomas LeClair, Ethan LeClair, Jason Lipka, Logan McFarland, David A. MacArthur, Sally Maize, Anthony Marsack, Mario Marval, M. Scott McCormick, John McGee, Matthew Moeser, Michael Niemczyk, Renae Niemczyk, Christine Olivares, Derek Olivares, Brandon Pirrone, Graham Puranen, John Renard, Zachary Rice, Michael Rich, Tyler Rakowski, Sean Schess, Troy Sears, Joshua Schumaker, Christopher Stanifer, Adam Taber, Samantha Uppleger, Jeremy Webber, Thomas Woloszyk, Zachary Woomer, Paul Zalar

This Week's Special Prayer Requests

- † For the sick and suffering
- † For those celebrating birthdays & anniversaries this month
- † For our nation and our leaders
- † For those who don't know Jesus as their Savior

SERVING AS LEADERS IN TODAY'S WORSHIP

Preacher: Pastor Ken Wise
Assisting: Pastor Brian West
Pastor Gary Richard

Minister of Worship/Music: Paul Finazzo

Elders: Tim Hardy

Praying Hands: Gary Stroup

Reader: Tim Hardy

