

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church



Holy Trinity

9:30 Unity Service

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Our Mission is to be a spiritual community called to know, love, and serve God
as ambassadors of Christ to the world.

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Welcome to St. Paul's Lutheran Church

We are glad you have joined with us this morning in giving thanks & praise to God. If you are new or have special needs please speak with one of our worship leaders.

Prelude

Welcome

(Please be seated)

Brief Order for Confession

Please stand as you are able.

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign marked at baptism.

Leader: In the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

ALL: Amen.

A Moment of Silence for Reflection

Leader: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

ALL: Amen.

Leader: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness

*We will have a moment of silence
for reflection and self examination.*

Leader: Most Merciful God,

ALL: we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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. 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.

The minister addresses the congregation.

Pastor: Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the ☩ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

ALL: Amen.

Song: *LBW (Green) #165 /Holy, Holy, Holy*

The Greeting

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

ALL: And also with you.

The Prayer of the Day

Assisting: Almighty Creator and ever-living God: we worship your glory, eternal Three-in-One, and we praise your power, majestic One-in-Three. Keep us steadfast in this faith, defend us in all adversity, and bring us at last into your presence, where you live in endless joy and love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

All: Amen.

(Please be seated)

The Readings from Scripture

The Lesson ~ 2 Corinthians 13:11-13

[Paul writes:] ¹¹Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. ¹²Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you.

¹³The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

The Verse (Please stand)

LBW setting 1



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

The Gospel ~ Matthew 28:16-20

Preacher: A reading from the Gospel of Matthew



Glo - ry to you, O Lord.

(Preacher)

¹⁶Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. ¹⁷When 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. ¹⁹Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

Reader: The Gospel of our Lord.



Praise to you, O Christ.

(Please be seated)

The Children's Message

The Message (a time of silence follows for reflection and prayer).

Song: LBW (Green) #522 | Come, Thou Almighty King

The Nicene Creed

Assisting: Living together in trust and hope, we confess our faith.

ALL: We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven; by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen

The Prayers of Intercession

Assisting (light print):

Called together in the Spirit's embrace, let us pray for the healing of God's world.

A brief silence.

Holy Mystery, you call us to be your church. Keep calling your people to faithful reform. Give us vision and courage to share your new life with all the world. Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Joyful Creator, you made a wondrous universe and call us to be partners in its care. Inspire us to care for all your creation, everything that lives and breathes. Teach us to faithfully care for our earthly home so that generations to come may enjoy its blessings. Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Merciful God, you love our enemies and bless all people. Make our hearts yearn to be joyful and share your generosity. Help leaders and citizens use their power and authority in building your peaceful kingdom, watch over and protect our brothers and sisters in Syria, Afghanistan, England and in all places where terror threatens life. Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Compassionate One, you bring about the fullness of life. When sorrow wounds faith, send wise ones to comfort and encourage those who suffer. Heal your people in body, mind, and spirit. We especially pray for those on our prayer list and all whom we mention now before you. Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Holy Trinity, you call us together to bless your world. Guide all who are preparing for baptism into the joy of new life in your name, especially Dylan McPherson. Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Gracious God, we lift up the concerns and joys of our child care community and commend them to your care. Pour out your healing, comfort, and light wherever there is need. We give you thanks and praise for the joys that you have graciously given. Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Faithful Lord, abide with our servicemen and servicewoman deployed around the world. Keep them safe in your care as they serve our country, and give strength and support to their families and loved ones at home. Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Holy God, you bring life out of death at every turn. We give you thanks for all the saints and for dear ones whom we mourn. Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Glorious God, hear the prayers of your people offered aloud or silently.

Here other intercessions may be offered.

Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

All these things, and whatever else you see that we need, we entrust to your care through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Peace

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

ALL: And also with you.

Pastor: Let us share a sign of God's peace.

The Offering

Please be seated for the offering

Musical Interlude: (Organist)

Offertory

Song:

Offering

words and music by Paul Baloche | 2002 Integrity's Hosanna! Music

The sun cannot compare to the glory of Your love;
There is no shadow in Your presence.;
No mortal man would dare to stand before Your throne.
Before the Holy One of Heaven;
It's only by Your blood and it's only thro' Your mercy,
Lord, I come

Chorus

Chorus: I bring an offering of worship to my King;
No one on earth deserves the praises that I sing;
Jesus, may You receive the honor that You're due;
O Lord, I bring an offering to You.

The sun cannot compare to the glory of Your love;
There is no shadow in Your presence.;
No mortal man would dare to stand before Your throne.
Before the Holy One of Heaven;
It's only by Your blood and it's only thro' Your mercy,
Lord, I come

Chorus

Song:

Just as Jesus Told Us

*Dancing at the Harvest # 29 Printed by Ownership of Sufficient Copies
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Just as Jesus told us, we will break this bread.

Just as Jesus told us, we shall all be fed; and we will remember
what he did and said, and how he goes on living in the bread.

Just as Jesus told us, we will pour this wine.

Just as Jesus told us, we will come and dine;
and we will remember

How he lived in time, and how he goes on living in the wine.

Just as Jesus told us, pass the bread around.

Just as Jesus told us, more wine can be found;
and we will remember

Bread and wine abound. So break the loaf and pass the cup around

Offertory Prayer

Assisting: Let us pray. God of all creation, all you have made is
good, and your love endures forever. You bring forth
bread from the earth and fruit from the vine. Nourish us
with these gifts, that we might be for the world signs of
your gracious presence in Jesus Christ, our Savior
and Lord.

ALL: Amen.

The Eucharist

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

ALL: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

ALL: We lift them to the Lord.

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

ALL: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

These or similar words are offered as the table is blessed.

Pastor: In the night in which He was betrayed...

The Lord's Prayer

Pastor: Let us join hands as we pray the prayer Jesus taught us.

ALL: 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. *(Please be seated)*

The Distribution

Please receive the bread and dip it in either of the cups held by the assistant. Wine is in the first cup, closest to the Pastor. Grape Juice is in the second cup.

Distribution Songs

How Great Is Our God

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The splendor of the King, clothed in majesty;
Let all the earth rejoice, all the earth rejoice.
He wraps Himself in light, and darkness tries to hide,
and trembles at His voice, and trembles at His voice.

Chorus: How great is our God! Sing with me:
How great is our God! And all will see how great,
how great is our God.

And age to age He stands, and time is in His hands;
Beginning and the End, Beginning and the End.
The God-head, three in one, Father, Spirit, Son,
the Lion and the Lamb, the Lion and the Lamb. ***Chorus***

Bridge: Name above all names, worthy of all praise.
My heart will sing: How great is our God! ***Chorus***

I Will Never Be the Same Again

Geoff Bullock/ CCLI#1083898

I will never be the same again
I can never return, I've closed the door.
I will walk the path, I'll run the race,
and I will never be the same again.

Chorus Fall like fire, soak like rain;
Flow like mighty waters again and again.
Sweep away the darkness, burn away the chaff,
And let the flame burn to glorify Your name!

There are higher heights, there are deeper seas;
what ever you need to do, Lord do in me.
The glory of God fills my life, and I will never be the same again.
And I will never be the same again. **Repeat Song**

All Who Are Thirsty

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All who are thirsty, all who are weak
Come to the fountain, dip your heart in the stream of life,
Let the pain and the sorrow, be washed away
In the waves of His mercy, as deep cries out to deep - We sing

Come Lord Jesus come, Come Lord Jesus come.

All who are thirsty, all who are weak
Come to the fountain, dip your heart in the stream of life,
Let the pain and the sorrow, be washed away
In the waves of His mercy, as deep cries out to deep - We sing

Come Lord Jesus come, Come Lord Jesus come.
Holy Spirit come, Holy Spirit come

The Communion Blessing (Please stand)

Pastor: The body and blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ strengthen and keep you in his grace.

All: Amen

The Post Communion Prayer

Assisting: God of abundance, with this bread of life and cup of salvation you have united us with Christ, making us one with all your people. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue forever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Lord.

ALL: Amen.

Announcements for the Community (leader)
Please be seated

The Benediction

Please stand

Leader: The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.
The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

ALL: Amen.

Sending Song:

Days of Elijah
Robin Mark | CCLI# 1083898

These are the days of Elijah, declaring the Word of the Lord;
And these are the days of Your Servant,
Moses, righteousness being restored;
And though these are days of great trials,
of famine and darkness and sword;
We are the voice in the desert crying
“Prepare ye the way of the Lord.”

Chorus: Behold, He comes, riding on the clouds,
shining like the sun at the trumpet call;
Lift your voice, it’s the year of Jubilee
and out of Zion’s hill salvation comes.

And these are the days of Ezekiel,
the dry bones becoming as flesh;
And these are the days of your servant, David,
rebuilding a temple of praise;
And these are the days of the harvest,
the fields are as white in the world;
And we are the laborers in your vineyard,
declaring the Word of the Lord. ***Chorus***

Bridge: There is no god like Jehovah (4x) HEY! ***Chorus 2x***

The Dismissal

Assisting: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

The Postlude

We Remember in our Prayers

Clara Castorina; Collin Enright; Rosemarie Hitchcock;
Jennifer Hull; Elaine Hockenberger; Stacia Jewell; Shirley Keyser;
Brenda Koder; Kevin Mensch; Holly Pettit; Verna Thomas;
Rev. William Vanderslice; Bob Williams; Karen Worthington;
Herb Wolf; Lara Wood.

The Hager family and friends of Rodman J. Leister who went to
his eternal rest on June 8th.

The Altar Flowers are given to the glory of God in honor of the
Birthday of Nina Fehnel and Kermit Bergey, presented by Sandra
Bergey.

The Chancel Flowers are given to the glory of God in loving
memory of Herbert R. Wolf, presented by his children.

The Bulletin is given in loving memory of Darryl Johnson by
parents Dale & Judy Johnson and by brothers & sister, Susan,
Steven and Andrew.

Announcements

Stock Sales Today: Some of the youth from our ASP Mission Team will be selling stocks before and after the 9:30 Service today and between services next week as well. Buying a stock will get you a letter of thank you from one of the youth mailed to you while the Team is in Avery County, NC. from July 8th through 15th. Please consider offering support to this wonderful ministry.

Please join us for fellowship following the service today in the fellowship hall.

Lunch Bunch: Join us on **Wednesday, June 14th at 11:30** in Fellowship Hall. Bring your lunch, your mug, and an unwrapped gift such as a baked good, handmade item, or any gift for our Chance Auction. Monies will go to ASP to help with their upcoming trip. Fifties singer, Chris Darin will be entertaining us. Beverages and Desserts provided. For more info please contact Joanne at 215-679-3614 or Bonnie at 267-923-5567. Remember your Redner's Tapes.

We are seeking a volunteer to be our flower sponsor coordinator. Please contact the office if you can help. 215-679-5553 ext 110.

Our apologies for forgetting to take off the Memorial Day note in last weeks bulletin calendar, it was noticed too late after printing and we didn't think re-printing was a good use of church resources. If you did get Constant contact we corrected it there. Again, sorry for any confusion that error could have caused you.

Electronic Giving - Would you find it helpful to have your offerings debited directly from your bank account or charged to your credit card? St. Paul's offers electronic giving for those who wish to have contributions transferred electronically to the church's account. If you have plans to travel this summer, electronic giving gives you a convenient way to keep up with your intended offerings. Simply go to St. Paul's webpage to sign up, or call the church office for more information.

Worship Team Today

Bread: Alice Oliver **Altar Set Up:** Nicole Walter

9:30AM Ushers: Floyd Treffinger & John Hinkle

Worship Assistant: Nick Ferrero

Counters: Team #3: Tom Sands and Charles Shagg

June 18th Worship Team:

Bread: Leigh Hansen **Altar Set Up:** Sandy Landis

8:00AM Ushers: Alan Richard & Donald Dulin

Worship Assistant: Joanne Hersh

9:30AM Ushers: Ron & Diane Leister

Worship Assistant: Tim Lauanders

Counters: Team #4: Sandy Bergey, Alan & Diane Richard

June 25th Worship Teams:

Bread: Avah Virus **Altar Set Up:** A. & D. Richard

8:00AM Ushers: Ron Rodenberger & George Bonekemper

Worship Assistant: Karen Creghan

9:30AM Ushers: Carol Elias & Aric Kressly

Worship Assistant: Diane Brust

Counters: Team #5: Leroy Stevens, Robert Stevens, John Hinkle

June Paraments - Barbara Nace and Debbie Collins

June Linens - Bonnie Haubert

This Week This Week at St. Paul's

Sunday 11th	Unity Worship Service	9:30AM
ASP Stock Sale	Fellowship Time	10:30AM
	Soup Kitchen @ Victory House	4:00PM
	Narcotics Anonymous	8:00PM
Wednesday 14th	Lunch Bunch	11:30AM
	Alcoholics Anonymous	8:00PM
Saturday 17th	Women's Breakfast @ Pennsburg Diner	8:30AM
Sunday 18th	Traditional Worship Service	8:00AM
Father's Day	Family Service	9:30AM
ASP Stock Sale	Pack 170	1:00PM
	Narcotics Anonymous	8:00PM

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