

MARCH 13, 2024

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Worship Times: Sundays 8am @ 10:30am

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Trinity Lutheran
Church, LCMS

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Blair Clark

And

Guest Pastor
Doug Bock

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Keyboard:
Judy Hall

March 13, 2024

Trinity Lutheran Church

Rev. Blair Clark, Pastor

Our Mission

STATEMENT
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“To share the good news of Jesus Christ”



**Our Vision
STATEMENT**

***“To serve as God guides us to bring people
closer to Jesus Christ through worship, Bible
studies, prayer and fellowship”***

WELCOME!!!

May the Holy Spirit bless our worship! We extend a warm welcome to each of you. May you find joy, comfort and strength as you worship with us today!

OUR RITE OF FRIENDSHIP:

Members and guests: Please register your attendance in the red pad located at the end of each row. **We ask our guests to please print your complete address and phone number.** When it reaches the other end of the row, pass it back. Upon its return note the other names; you may meet a new friend in Christ today.

Please turn off your cell phone.

**If you desire a hearing assistance unit,
speak with an usher.**

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH



*4th Midweek
Lenten Service*

GUIDED TO TRUST MARCH 13, 2024

We welcome Pastor Doug Bock and thank him for sharing God's Word with us today. It is our prayer that you are blessed with today's message and that it strengthens you in your faith walk with Jesus Christ.

PRELUDE – *By Judy Hall*

“BENEATH THE CROSS OF JESUS”

By Gerald Peterson

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“EVENTIDE”

by Alexander Schreiner

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“THE TWO ANGELS”

by J. Blumenthal

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

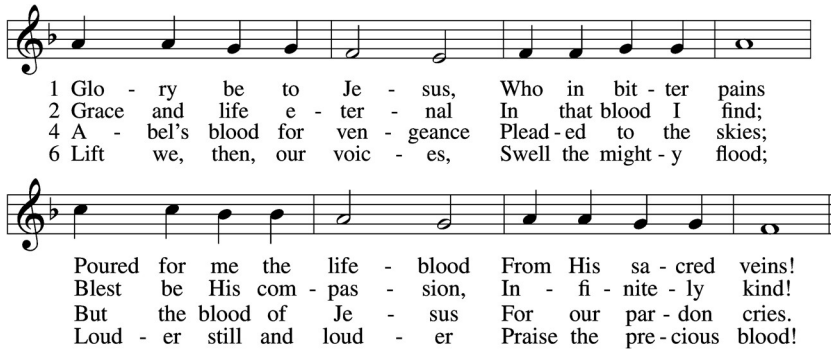
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OPENING HYMN

“GLORY BE TO JESUS”

LSB #433 VS 1, 2, 4 & 6

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1 Glo - ry be to Je - sus, Who in bit - ter pains
2 Grace and life e - ter - nal In that blood I find;
4 A - bel's blood for ven - geance Plead - ed to the skies;
6 Lift we, then, our voic - es, Swell the might - y flood;

Poured for me the life - blood From His sa - cred veins!
Blest be His com - pas - sion, In - fi - nite - ly kind!
But the blood of Je - sus For our par - don cries.
Loud - er still and loud - er Praise the pre - cious blood!

INVOCATION

P In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

P We place our trust in many things and in many people, yet often that trust is misplaced. Things do not work out as we planned, and people may fail us.

C Where do we place our trust?

P “Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths”

C How do we know that the Lord can be trusted?

P “He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things?” God sent his own Son to suffer and die on the cross for the sake of our salvation. In him, we place our trust, and he will never fail us.

C Lord, set the cross before us to guide us in trusting you.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P Let us confess our sins to God, and ask his forgiveness.

C Almighty God, you have called us to trust in you and to acknowledge you in all our ways. Yet we often fail to trust you as we should. We would rather acknowledge our own desires instead of your will. We do not love others as we should. We follow the temptations of the world around us instead of walking in your ways. Have mercy on us and forgive our sins.

P The apostle Paul wrote, “The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners”. God has had mercy on us and sent his Son to be our Savior. I announce to you that your sins are forgiven in the name of the Father and of the $\cdot\bar{\iota}\cdot$ Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

C Lord, lead us to walk in your ways and to trust you in all things.

[Please be seated]

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P Almighty God, we place our trust in friends and family, in political leaders and authority figures. Yet sometimes we are disappointed by those in whom we trust; sometimes our trust is misplaced. We trust in you for our eternal salvation through faith in Jesus our Savior. Help us by your Spirit to trust you daily in all things and to turn to you with prayer and praise in all of the circumstances of our lives. You have sent your Son to be our Savior, and you will never fail us. Set his cross always before us to guide us in trusting you. Hear our prayer, and accept our praise in Jesus’ name. Amen.

THE WORD

OLD TESTAMENT

Proverbs 3:5–6

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God!

EPISTLE

1 Timothy 1:15–17

The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the foremost. But I received mercy for this reason, that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display his perfect patience as an example to those who were to believe in him for eternal life. To the King of ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.

P This is the Word of the Lord

C Thanks be to God!

[Please stand]

HOLY GOSPEL

John 19:29–30

P The Holy Gospel according to John, the nineteenth chapter.

C Glory to You, O Lord!

A jar full of sour wine stood there, so they put a sponge full of the sour wine on a hyssop branch and held it to his mouth. When Jesus had received the sour wine, he said, "It is finished," and he bowed his head and gave up his spirit.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

[Please be seated]

SERMON HYMN

"LORD OF GLORY, YOU HAVE BOUGHT US"

LSB #851 vs 1-2

Text and tune: Public domain

1 Lord of glo - ry, You have bought us With Your
2 Grant us hearts, dear Lord, to give You Glad - ly,
life - blood as the price, Nev - er grudg - ing for the
free - ly of Your own. With the sun - shine of Your
lost ones That tre - men - dous sac - ri - fice;
good - ness Melt our thank - less hearts of stone
And with that have free - ly giv - en Bless - ings
Till our cold and self - ish na - tures, Warmed by
count - less as the sand To the un - thank - ful
You, at length be - lieve That more hap - py
and the e - vil With Your own un - spar - ing hand.
and more bless - ed 'Tis to give than to re - ceive.

SERMON

"Guided to Trust"

Proverbs 3:5

Pastor Doug Bock

[Please stand]

APOSTLES' CREED

C I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.

[Please be seated]

OFFERTORY HYMN

"LORD OF GLORY, YOU HAVE BOUGHT US"

LSB #851 vs 3-4

Text and tune: Public domain

The musical score is written for a single melodic line in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of six staves of music. The lyrics are written below the notes, with some lines having two versions (3 and 4) for different parts. The lyrics are: 3 Won - drous hon - or You have giv - en To our 4 Lord of glo - ry, You have bought us With Your hum - blest char - i - ty In Your own mys - te - rious life - blood as the price, Nev - er grudg - ing for the sen - tence, "You have done it all to Me." lost ones That tre - men - dous sac - ri - fice. Can it be, O gra - cious Mas - ter, That You Give us faith to trust You bold - ly, Hope, to deign for alms to sue, Say - ing by Your stay our souls on You; But, oh, best of poor and need - y, "Give as I have giv'n to you"? all Your grac - es, With Your love our love re - new.

PRAYERS

P Lord God, in a world where it is hard to know in whom or in what we can trust, we place our trust in you. You always keep your promises. Down through the centuries, the prophets announced your promise to send your Anointed One, the Messiah. When the time was right, that promise was fulfilled in Jesus. Our God and Savior, during this Lenten season,

C **Set the cross of Jesus before us to guide us in the way of trust.**

P Lord God, as Jesus drew near to the hour of his death, he trusted in you, his heavenly Father, to guide his steps to the cross as the Scripture had foretold. We place our trust in Jesus alone for our salvation. Bless and guide us as we take up our crosses and follow our Savior. Our God and Savior, during this Lenten season,

C **Set the cross of Jesus before us to guide us in the way of trust.**

P Lord God, help those who are struggling with illness, pain or grief, those we name now [mention known names of those who are hurt, injured or grieving] and those we name in our hearts. Comfort them with the promises of your Word and lead us to opportunities to serve them in Jesus' name. Our God and Savior, during this Lenten season,

C **Set the cross of Jesus before us to guide us in the way of trust.**

P Lord God, help us by your Spirit to depend on you each day, in all of the circumstances of our lives. Teach us not to rely on our own understanding, but to trust you in all things. We know that you will guide us. Our God and Savior, during this Lenten season,

C **Set the cross of Jesus before us to guide us in the way of trust.**

P Lord God, as we rely on you for help now in this earthly life, we know that we can trust in you for our eternal salvation through faith in Jesus. Our Lord has promised, "Surely I am coming soon". We look forward to the fulfillment of that promise and to life in your presence forever. Our God and Savior, during this Lenten season,

C **Set the cross of Jesus before us to guide us in the way of trust**

P Amen.

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

[Please stand]

THE BLESSING

P Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding.
C In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths.

P The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
C Amen.

BENEDICTION

P The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and ☩ give you peace.
C Amen.



CLOSING HYMN

“ABIDE WITH ME”

LSB #878 vs 1, 2 & 6

Text and tune: Public domain



1 A - bid e with me, fast falls the e - ven - tide.
2 I need Thy pres - ence ev - 'ry pass - ing hour;
6 Hold Thou Thy cross be - fore my clos - ing eyes;

The dark - ness deep - ens; Lord, with me a - bid e.
What but Thy grace can foil the tempt - er's pow'r?
Shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies.

When oth - er help - ers fail and com - forts flee,
Who like Thy - self my guide and stay can be?
Heav'n's morn - ing breaks, and earth's vain shad - ows flee;

Help of the help - less, O a - bid e with me.
Through cloud and sun - shine, O a - bid e with me.
In life, in death, O Lord, a - bid e with me.

POSTLUDE

“HARK MY SOUL, BE STILL”

by Cesar Malan

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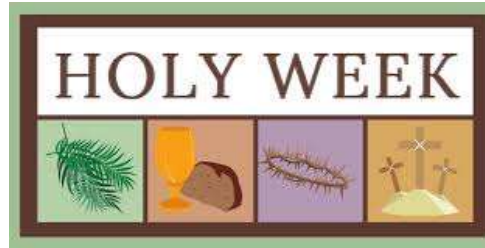
MIDWEEK LENTEN WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Theme: "GUIDED TO THE CROSS"

MIDWEEK LENTEN SERVICE - March 20, 2024 @ 4pm

"Guided to Perseverance"

5:00pm Dinner



HOLY WEEK WORSHIP SCHEDULE

PALM SUNDAY - March 24, 2024 @ 8:00am & 10:30am

"Guided to Humility"

MAUNDY THURSDAY - March 28, 2024 @ 11:00am & 6:00pm

**A UNIQUE WORSHIP AND COMMUNION EXPERIENCE
SEDER MEAL AND DINNER THEATER
(Attendance Registration)**

"THE ROOM UPSTAIRS"

GOOD FRIDAY - March 29, 2024 @ 4pm

"Guided to Sacrifice"

EASTER SUNDAY - March 31, 2024

"Guided to New Life"

EASTER COMMUNION SERVICE - 8:00AM

EASTER FESTIVAL CELEBRATION SERVICE - 10:30AM

Final Week to order EASTER LILIES



**Please consider ordering an Easter Lily to enhance our Chancel area
for Easter! Use this form to submit with your request.
(\$10.00 PER LILY)**

Name: _____

Envelope Number: _____

Quantity: _____ Amount Due: \$ _____

In "Memory" or "Honor" of:

Sentiment:

Place your order form with payment in the collection plate; or mail it to the church office. (checks made payable to Trinity Lutheran Church).

For questions, contact Dorothy Frenz or call the church office.

Orders due on or before Sunday, March 17, 2024