



*He Lives to
Pour Out
His Spirit*



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Welcome to Holy Trinity

We're glad you came today to join us in worshiping the one true God: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. He has graciously created us, mercifully redeemed us, and freely gives us all the treasures of heaven through His Word and Sacraments!

If you are a visitor with us today and want to find out more about what we teach, or are curious about church membership, please talk to our pastor. Please be sure to provide us with your contact information in our friendship register that is passed around before or after the service.

A Parents' Room is located at the rear of the sanctuary if you need to temporarily leave to calm a child.

Wheelchair accommodations are found halfway down the rows of pews in the center aisle of the church.

HOLY TRINITY is a member of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod (ELS), a national church body headquartered in Mankato, Minnesota. We confess that we are saved by Grace Alone (Eph. 2:8) through Faith Alone (Acts 16:31) revealed in Scripture Alone (John 5:24). Though we are totally sinful from birth, Jesus Christ paid for our sins on the cross and gives us eternal life in heaven. We subscribe to the Lutheran Confessions (the Book of Concord, 1580) because they are a faithful and accurate summary of this Biblical doctrine. The ELS has been in fellowship with the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod (WELS) since 1872.



ORDER OF WORSHIP

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Hymn • *“Jehovah, Let Me Now Adore You”*

[CW93 189]

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| <p>1. Jehovah, let me now adore you,
 For where is there a God such, Lord, as
 you?
 With joyful songs I come before you;
 Oh, let your Spirit teach my heart anew
 To praise you in his name through
 whom alone
 Our songs can praise you, through your
 blessed Son.</p> <p>2. O Father, draw me to my Savior
 That your dear Son may draw me then
 to you.
 Your Spirit guide my whole behavior
 And rule both sense and reason in me,
 too,
 That, Lord, your peace from me may
 ne'er depart
 But wake sweet melodies within my
 heart.</p> | <p>3. Grant that your Spirit prompt my
 praises;
 Then shall my singing surely please
 your ear.
 Sweet are the sounds my heart then
 raises;
 My prayer in truth and spirit you will
 hear.
 Then shall your Spirit lift my heart in
 love
 To sing these psalms to you, my God
 above.</p> <p>4. For he can plead for me with sighings
 That are not speakable by lips defiled.
 He bids me pray with earnest cryings,
 Bears witness that I am your precious
 child,
 Joint heir with Christ, and thus may
 dare to say:
 O heav'nly Father, hear me when I pray!</p> |
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-Stand-

Call to Worship

PASTOR *In the name of the Father and of the Son † and of the Holy Spirit.*

CONGREGATION **Amen.**

Confession and Absolution

☐ *Our Savior Jesus Christ commanded Baptism when he said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always to the very end of the age."*

All of us are born into this world with a deep need for Baptism. From our parents we inherit a sinful nature; we are without true fear of God and true faith in God and are condemned to eternal death. But while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. He took away our sin by giving his life on the cross. In Baptism, he clothes us with the robe of his righteousness and gives us new life. We recall what Baptism means for our daily lives:

☑ Baptism means that the sinful nature in us should be drowned by daily sorrow and repentance, and that all its evil deeds and desires be put to death. It also means that a new person should daily arise to live before God in righteousness and purity forever.

☐ *As baptized children of God, we confess our sins:*

☑ Holy God, gracious Father, I am sinful by nature and have sinned against you in my thoughts, words, and actions. I have not loved you with my whole heart; I have not loved others as I should. I deserve your punishment both now and forever. But Jesus, my Savior, paid for my sins with his innocent suffering and death. Trusting in him, I pray: God, have mercy on me, a sinner.

☐ *God saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit and united us to the death and resurrection of Jesus. Every day God forgives your sins, removes your guilt, and strengthens you to defeat Satan's power. His promise is for you and your children, and he will never forsake you. Your sins are forgiven. You are clothed with Christ. You are at peace with God now and forever.*

☑ Amen.

Hymn • “Dearest Jesus, We Are Here”

[ELH 244]

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| <p>1. Dearest Jesus, we are here,
Gladly Thy command obeying;
With this child we now draw near
In accord with Thine own saying
That of Thee he shall be given
As a child and heir of heaven.</p> | <p>2. Yea, Thy word is clear and plain,
And we would obey it duly:
“He who is not born again,
Heart and life renewing truly,
Born of water and the Spirit,
Can My kingdom not inherit.”</p> |
| <p>4. Wash him, Jesus, in Thy blood,
From the sin-stain of his nature;
Let him rise from out this flood
Clothed in Thee, a newborn creature;
May he, washed as Thou hast bidden,
In Thine innocence be hidden.</p> | |

Sacrament of Baptism

☞ *The Gospel according to St. Mark:*

People were bringing little children to Jesus for him to place his hands on them, but the disciples rebuked them. When Jesus saw this, he was indignant. He said to them, “Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. Truly I tell you, anyone who will not receive the kingdom of God like a little child will never enter it.” And he took the children in his arms, placed his hands on them and blessed them.

☞ *I baptize you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.*

Receive the sign of the cross on the head and the heart ☩ to mark you as one redeemed by Christ the crucified.

The almighty God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ has given you the new birth of water and the Spirit and has forgiven all your sins. May he strengthen you with his grace all the days of your life. Peace be with you.

Exhortation to Parents

- ☐ *Dear parents, our Lord Jesus Christ in instituting Baptism, not only commanded that children should be baptized, but that they should be taught to obey everything he has commanded us. I therefore ask you:*

Do you intend to bring up in the way of the Lord and to instruct him in the truths of God's saving Word so that he may grow in faith, serve God with a Christian life, and remain in his baptismal grace all the days of his life? If you are willing to do so, answer: "Yes, and we ask God to help us."

Yes, and we ask God to help us.

Exhortation to Witnesses

- ☐ *Dear friends, has been baptized in the name of the triune God. It is your privilege and responsibility to remember him in your prayers, to remind him of his baptism, and to assist in whatever manner possible so that he remains a child of God all the days of his life. If you are willing to do so, answer: "Yes, and we ask God to help us."*

Yes, and we ask God to help us.

Exhortation to Congregation

- ☐ *Brothers and sisters in Christ, this child has been baptized into the family of believers, the holy Christian Church. It is our privilege and responsibility to care for the children of our congregation, to remember them in our prayers, to encourage their parents in their God-given work, and to demonstrate a Christian life. If you are willing to do so, answer: "Yes, and we ask God to help us."*

- ☑ **Yes, and we ask God to help us.**

-Stand-

Apostles' Creed

☐ *We join in confessing the faith into which this child has been baptized using the words of the Apostles' Creed:*

A **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 is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From there He shall 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.

-Be seated-

Hymn • "Dearest Jesus, We Are Here"

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6. **Gracious Head, Thy member own;
Shepherd, take Thy lamb and feed him;
Prince of Peace, make here Thy throne;
Way of Life, to heaven lead him.
Precious Vine, let nothing sever
From Thy side this branch forever.**

7. **Now into Thy heart we pour
Prayers that from our hearts proceeded.
Our petitions heav'nward soar;
May our warm desires be heeded!
Write the name we now have given,
Write it in the book of heaven.**

-Stand-

Prayer of the Day

☐ *Let us pray.*

Holy Spirit, God and Lord, come to us this joyful day with your sevenfold gift of grace. Rekindle in our hearts the holy fire of your love that in a true and living faith we may tell abroad the glory of our Savior, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Father, one God, now and forever.



-Be seated-

THE WORD

First Lesson • Acts 2:1-21

[NIV84]

On Pentecost the disciples proclaimed the gospel. Through their words the Holy Spirit unleashes his saving power.

When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place.²Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting.³They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them.⁴All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

⁵Now there were staying in Jerusalem God-fearing Jews from every nation under heaven.⁶When they heard this sound, a crowd came together in bewilderment, because each one heard them speaking in his own language.⁷Utterly amazed, they asked: “Are not all these men who are speaking Galileans?”⁸Then how is it that each of us hears them in his own native language?⁹Parthians, Medes and Elamites; residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia,¹⁰Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya near Cyrene; visitors from Rome¹¹(both Jews and converts to Judaism); Cretans and Arabs—we hear them declaring the wonders of God in our own tongues!”¹²Amazed and perplexed, they asked one another, “What does this mean?”

¹³Some, however, made fun of them and said, “They have had too much wine.”

¹⁴Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd: “Fellow Jews and all of you who live in Jerusalem, let me explain this to you; listen carefully to what I say.¹⁵These men are not drunk, as you suppose. It’s only nine in the morning!¹⁶No, this is what was spoken by the prophet Joel:

¹⁷” In the last days, God says, I will pour out my Spirit on all people.
Your sons and daughters will prophesy,
your young men will see visions,
your old men will dream dreams.

¹⁸Even on my servants, both men and women,
I will pour out my Spirit in those days, and they will prophesy.

¹⁹I will show wonders in the heaven above
and signs on the earth below,
blood and fire and billows of smoke.

²⁰The sun will be turned to darkness and the moon to blood
before the coming of the great and glorious day of the Lord.

²¹And everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.'

Psalm of the Day • 51b

Refrain

Come, Ho-ly Spir - it, re - new our hearts and
kin - dle in us the fire of your love.

Psalm tone *

O Lord, open | my lips, *

and my mouth will de- | clare your praise.

You do not delight in sacrifice, or I would | bring it; *

you do not take pleasure in burnt | offerings.

The sacrifices of God are a broken | spirit; *

a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will | not despise.

[Refrain]

Create in me a pure | heart, O God,*

and renew a steadfast spirit with- | in me.

Do not cast me from your | presence *

or take your Holy Spirit | from me.

Restore to me the joy of your sal- | vation, *
 and grant me a willing spirit, to sus- | tain me.
 Then I will teach transgressors | your ways, *
 and sinners will turn | back to you.

**Glorify be to the Father and | to the Son * and to the Holy | Spirit,
 As it was in the be- | ginning,* is now, and will be forever. | A-men.**

[Refrain]

Refrain

Come, Ho - ly Spir - it, re - new our hearts and
 kin - dle in us the fire of your love.

Second Lesson • 1 Corinthians 12:3-11

When God pours out his Spirit, it is for the benefit of the entire Church.

³Therefore I am informing you that no one speaking by God's Spirit says, "A curse be upon Jesus," and no one can say, "Jesus is Lord," except by the Holy Spirit.

⁴There are various kinds of gifts, but the same Spirit. ⁵There are different kinds of ministries, and yet the same Lord. ⁶There are various kinds of activity, but the same God, who produces all of them in everyone.

⁷Each person is given a manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. ⁸To one person a message of wisdom is given by the Spirit; to another, a message of knowledge, as the same Spirit provides it; ⁹by the same Spirit, faith is given to someone else; and to another, the same Spirit gives healing gifts. ¹⁰Another is given powers to do miracles; another, the gift of prophecy; another, the evaluating of spirits; someone else, different kinds of tongues; and another, the interpretation of tongues. ¹¹One and the same Spirit produces all of these, distributing them to each one individually as he desires.

Verse of the Day

Antiphon for Pentecost

☐ *Alleluia. Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful people, and kindle in them the fire of your love. Alleluia.*

Please Note: There is a brief musical introduction before the congregation joins in singing the Alleluia.

C: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

These words are writ - ten that we may be - lieve that

Je - sus is the Christ, the Son of God.

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Stand-

Gospel • *John 7:37-39*

Jesus promised that those who were spiritually thirsty would be filled with the living water of the Spirit.

³⁷On the last and most important day of the festival, Jesus stood up and called out, “If anyone is thirsty, let him come to me and drink! ³⁸As the Scripture has said, streams of living water will flow from deep within the person who believes in me.” ³⁹By this he meant the Spirit, whom those who believed in him were going to receive. For the Holy Spirit had not yet come, because Jesus had not yet been glorified.

☐ *Here ends the Gospel.*



-Be seated-

Hymn of the Day · *“Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord”*

[ELH 2]

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| <p>1. Come, Holy Ghost, God and Lord!
 Be all Thy graces now out poured
 On each believer’s mind and heart;
 Thy fervent love to them impart.
 Lord, by the brightness of Thy light
 Thou in the faith dost men unite
 Of ev’ry land and ev’ry tongue;
 This to Thy praise, O Lord, our God, be
 sung. Alleluia! Alleluia!</p> | <p>2. Thou holy Light, Guide Divine,
 Oh, cause the Word of Life to shine.
 Teach us to know our God aright
 And call Him Father with delight.
 From ev’ry error keep us free;
 Let none but Christ our Master be
 That we in living faith abide,
 In Him, our Lord, with all our might
 confide. Alleluia! Alleluia!</p> |
| <p>3. Thou holy Fire, Comfort true, Grant us the will Thy work to do
 And in Thy service to abide; Let trials turn us not aside.
 Lord, by Thy pow’r prepare each heart, And to our weakness strength impart
 That bravely here we may contend,
 Through life and death to Thee, our Lord, ascend. Alleluia! Alleluia!</p> | |

Sermon · *Acts 2:1-21*

The Harvest Wind Is Still Blowing

THANKSGIVING

Offering

*An offering plate is located in the entryway in the back of the church.
 Offerings can be placed in the plate either before or after the service.*

Please fill out the friendship register and pass it down the row. Thank you.

Prayer of the Church

-Stand-

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.

-Be seated-

Hymn • "O Holy Spirit, Enter In"

[CW93 184]

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| <p>1. O Holy Spirit, enter in
And in our hearts your work begin,
Your dwelling place now make us.
Sun of the soul, O Light divine,
Around and in us brightly shine,
To joy and gladness wake us.
That we May be
Truly living, To you giving
Prayer unceasing
And in love be still increasing.</p> | <p>2. Give to your Word impressive pow'r
That in our hearts from this good hour
As fire it may be glowing,
That in true Christian unity
We faithful witnesses may be,
Your glory ever showing.
Hear us, Cheer us
By your teaching; Let our preaching
And our labor
Praise you, Lord, and serve our neighbor.</p> |
| <p>3. O mighty Rock, O Source of life,
Let your dear Word, in doubt and strife,
In us be strongly burning
That we be faithful unto death,
And live in love and holy faith,
From you true wisdom learning.
Your grace And peace
On us shower; By your power
Christ confessing,
Let us see our Savior's blessing.</p> | |

-Stand-

Prayer of Thanksgiving

☐ *Almighty God, we thank you for teaching us the things you want us to believe and do. Help us by your Holy Spirit to keep your Word in pure hearts that we may be strengthened in faith, guided in holiness, and comforted in life and in death, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.*



Blessing

☐ *Brothers and sisters, go in peace. Live in harmony with one another.
Serve the Lord with gladness.*

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look on you with favor and give you peace †.



-Be seated-

Closing Hymn • “Come, O Come, Life-Giving Spirit”

[CW93 181]

**1. Come, oh, come, life-giving Spirit,
God from all eternity!
May your power never fail us;
Dwell within us constantly.
Then shall truth and life and light
Banish all the gloom of night.**

**2. Show us, Lord, the path of blessing;
When we trespass on our way,
Cast, O Lord, our sins behind you
and be with us day by day.
Should we stray, O Lord, recall;
Work repentance when we fall.**

**5. Grant our hearts in fullest measure
Wisdom, counsel, purity,
That we always strive to please you,
Working for you willingly.
Let the gospel spread and grow,
Bringing Satan's overthrow.**

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