



Trinity Sunday
June 4, 2023
Peace Lutheran Church
Hutchinson, Minnesota

HYMN 507 (Maroon): Holy, Holy, Holy

Invocation & Call to Worship – Psalm 8

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

¹ LORD, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!
You have set your glory in the heavens.

² **Through the praise of children and infants
you have established a stronghold against your enemies,
to silence the foe and the avenger.**

³ When I consider your heavens,
the work of your fingers,
the moon and the stars,
which you have set in place,

⁴ what is mankind that you are mindful of them,
human beings that you care for them?

⁵ **You have made them a little lower than the angels
and crowned them with glory and honor.**

⁶ You made them rulers over the works of your hands;
you put everything under their feet:

⁷ all flocks and herds, and the animals of the wild,

⁸ the birds in the sky, and the fish in the sea,
all that swim the paths of the seas.

⁹ **LORD, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth! (NIV)**
This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

CONFESSION

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.

Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

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.

As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

SONG G612 (Green): There Is a Redeemer

**There is a Redeemer Jesus God's own Son
Precious Lamb of God Messiah Holy One**

Chorus: **Thank You O my Father, for giving us Your Son
And leaving Your Spirit till the work on earth is done**

**Jesus my Redeemer name above all names
Precious Lamb of God Messiah, Hope for sinners slain. *Chorus.***

**When I stand in Glory I will see His face
There I'll serve my King forever, in that holy place. *Chorus.***

Readers: 6:30pm John Lletz; 8:30am Sandra Hall; 10:30am Lee Uldjberg

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Genesis 1:1-2:4a

In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. ² Now the earth was formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters.

³ And God said, "Let there be light," and there was light. ⁴ God saw that the light was good, and he separated the light from the darkness. ⁵ God called the light "day," and the darkness he called "night." And there was evening, and there was morning—the first day.

⁶ And God said, "Let there be a vault between the waters to separate water from water." ⁷ So God made the vault and separated the water under the vault from the water above it. And it was so. ⁸ God called the vault "sky." And there was evening, and there was morning—the second day.

⁹ And God said, "Let the water under the sky be gathered to one place, and let dry ground appear." And it was so. ¹⁰ God called the dry ground "land," and the gathered waters he called "seas." And God saw that it was good.

¹¹ Then God said, "Let the land produce vegetation: seed-bearing plants and trees on the land that bear fruit with seed in it, according to their various kinds." And it was so. ¹² The land produced vegetation: plants bearing seed according to their kinds and trees bearing fruit with seed in it according to their kinds. And God saw that it was good. ¹³ And there was evening, and there was morning—the third day.

¹⁴ And God said, "Let there be lights in the vault of the sky to separate the day from the night, and let them serve as signs to mark sacred times, and days and years, ¹⁵ and let them be lights in the vault of the sky to give light on the earth." And it was so. ¹⁶ God made two great lights—the greater light to govern the day and the lesser light to govern the night. He also made the stars. ¹⁷ God set them in the vault of the sky to give light on the earth, ¹⁸ to govern the day and the night, and to separate light from darkness. And God saw that it was good. ¹⁹ And there was evening, and there was morning—the fourth day.

²⁰ And God said, "Let the water teem with living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the vault of the sky." ²¹ So God created the great creatures of the sea and every living thing with which the water teems and that

moves about in it, according to their kinds, and every winged bird according to its kind. And God saw that it was good. ²² God blessed them and said, “Be fruitful and increase in number and fill the water in the seas, and let the birds increase on the earth.” ²³ And there was evening, and there was morning—the fifth day.

²⁴ And God said, “Let the land produce living creatures according to their kinds: the livestock, the creatures that move along the ground, and the wild animals, each according to its kind.” And it was so. ²⁵ God made the wild animals according to their kinds, the livestock according to their kinds, and all the creatures that move along the ground according to their kinds. And God saw that it was good.

²⁶ Then God said, “Let us make mankind in our image, in our likeness, so that they may rule over the fish in the sea and the birds in the sky, over the livestock and all the wild animals, and over all the creatures that move along the ground.”

²⁷ So God created mankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.

²⁸ God blessed them and said to them, “Be fruitful and increase in number; fill the earth and subdue it. Rule over the fish in the sea and the birds in the sky and over every living creature that moves on the ground.”

²⁹ Then God said, “I give you every seed-bearing plant on the face of the whole earth and every tree that has fruit with seed in it. They will be yours for food. ³⁰ And to all the beasts of the earth and all the birds in the sky and all the creatures that move along the ground—everything that has the breath of life in it—I give every green plant for food.” And it was so.

³¹ God saw all that he had made, and it was very good. And there was evening, and there was morning—the sixth day. Thus the heavens and the earth were completed in all their vast array.

By the seventh day God had finished the work he had been doing; so on the seventh day he rested from all his work. ³ Then God blessed the seventh day and made it holy, because on it he rested from all the work of creating that he had done. ⁴ This is the account of the heavens and the earth when they were created. (NIV)

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

NEW TESTAMENT READING: Acts 2:14a, 22-36

¹⁴ Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd:

²² “Fellow Israelites, listen to this: Jesus of Nazareth was a man accredited by God to you by miracles, wonders and signs, which God did among you through him, as you yourselves know. ²³ This man was handed over to you by God’s deliberate plan and foreknowledge; and you, with the help of wicked men, put him to death by nailing him to the cross. ²⁴ But God raised him from the dead, freeing him from the agony of death, because it was impossible for death to keep its hold on him. ²⁵ David said about him:

“‘I saw the Lord always before me; Because he is at my right hand, I will not be shaken.

²⁶ Therefore my heart is glad and my tongue rejoices; my body also will rest in hope,

²⁷ because you will not abandon me to the realm of the dead, you will not let your holy one see decay.

²⁸ You have made known to me the paths of life; you will fill me with joy in your presence.’

²⁹ “Fellow Israelites, I can tell you confidently that the patriarch David died and was buried, and his tomb is here to this day. ³⁰ But he was a prophet and knew that God had promised him on oath that he would place one of his descendants on his throne. ³¹ Seeing what was to come, he spoke of the resurrection of the Messiah, that he was not abandoned to the realm of the dead, nor did his body see decay. ³² God has raised this Jesus to life, and we are all witnesses of it. ³³ Exalted to the right hand of God, he has received from the Father the promised Holy Spirit and has poured out what you now see and hear. ³⁴ For David did not ascend to heaven, and yet he said, “‘The Lord said to my Lord: “Sit at my right hand ³⁵ until I make your enemies a footstool for your feet.”’

³⁶ “Therefore let all Israel be assured of this: God has made this Jesus, whom you crucified, both Lord and Messiah.” (NIV)

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

▲ GOSPEL ALLELUIA

Alleluia, alleluia. Alleluia, alleluia. Alleluia, alleluia. Alleluia. (repeat)
The stone which the builders rejected, has become the cornerstone.
The stone which the builders rejected, has become the cornerstone.
Alleluia, alleluia. Alleluia, alleluia. Alleluia, alleluia. Alleluia. (repeat)

10:30am Caribbean Hallelujah

Halle, halle, hallelujah. Halle, halle, hallelujah.
Halle, halle, hallelujah. Hallelujah. Hallelujah.

GOSPEL READING: Matthew 28:16-20

The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the 28th chapter. **Glory to You, O Lord.**

¹⁶ Then the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go. ¹⁷ When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. ¹⁸ Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹ 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, ²⁰ and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age." (NIV)

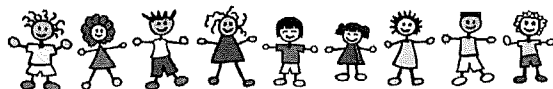
This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to You, O Christ.**

The Athanasian Creed

The Church's Confession of the Holy Trinity

1. Whoever desires to be saved must, above all, hold the catholic faith.
2. Whoever does not keep it whole and undefiled will without doubt perish eternally.
3. **And the catholic faith is this,**
4. **that we worship one God in Trinity and Trinity in Unity, neither confusing the persons nor dividing the substance.**
5. **For the Father is one person, the Son is another, and the Holy Spirit is another.**
6. **But the Godhead of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit is one: the glory equal, the majesty coeternal.**
7. Such as the Father is, such is the Son, and such is the Holy Spirit:
8. The Father uncreated, the Son uncreated, the Holy Spirit uncreated;
9. The Father infinite, the Son infinite, the Holy Spirit infinite;
10. The Father eternal, the Son eternal, the Holy Spirit eternal.
11. **And yet there are not three Eternals, but one Eternal,**
12. **just as there are not three Uncreated or three Infinities, but one Uncreated and one Infinite.**
13. In the same way, the Father is almighty, the Son almighty, the Holy Spirit almighty;
14. and yet there are not three Almighty's, but one Almighty.
15. **So the Father is God, the Son is God, the Holy Spirit is God;**
16. **And yet there are not three Gods, but one God.**
17. **So the Father is Lord, the Son is Lord, the Holy Spirit is Lord;**
18. **and yet there are not three Lords, but one Lord.**
19. Just as we are compelled by the Christian truth to acknowledge each distinct person as God and Lord, so also are we prohibited by the catholic religion to say that there are three Gods or Lords.

20. The Father is not made nor created nor begotten by anyone.
21. The Son is neither made nor created, but begotten of the Father alone.
22. The Holy Spirit is of the Father and of the Son, neither made nor created nor begotten, but proceeding.
23. Thus, there is one Father, not three Fathers; one Son, not three Sons; one Holy Spirit, not three Holy Spirits.
24. **And in this Trinity none is before or after another; none is greater or less than another;**
25. **but the whole three persons are coeternal with each other and coequal, so that in all things, as has been stated above, the Trinity in Unity and Unity in Trinity is to be worshiped.**
26. Therefore, whoever desires to be saved must think thus about the Trinity.
27. But it is also necessary for everlasting salvation that one faithfully believe the incarnation of our Lord Jesus Christ.
28. **Therefore, it is the right faith that we believe and confess that our Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of God, is at the same time both God and man.**
29. **He is God, begotten from the substance of the Father before all ages; And He is man, born from the substance of His mother in this age:**
30. **perfect God and perfect man, composed of a rational soul and human flesh;**
31. **equal to the Father with respect to His divinity, less than the Father with respect to His humanity.**
32. Although He is God and man, He is not two, but one Christ:
33. one, however, not by the conversion of the divinity into flesh, but by the assumption of the humanity into God;
34. one altogether, not by confusion of substance, but by unity of person.
35. **For as the rational soul and flesh is one man, so God and man is one Christ,**
36. **Who suffered for our salvation, descended into hell, rose again the third day from the dead,**
37. **ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father, God Almighty, from whence He will come to judge the living and the dead.**
38. **At His coming all people will rise again with their bodies and give an account concerning their own deeds.**
39. **And those who have done good will enter into eternal life, and those who have done evil into eternal fire.**
40. **This is the catholic faith; whoever does not believe it faithfully and firmly cannot be saved.**



Children's Sermon

6:30pm, 8:30am HYMN 504 (Maroon): Father Most Holy

10:30am HYMN G687 I Can Only Imagine

Message

"Matthew's Last Words"

Pastor Bode

PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS

8:30am "I Can Only Imagine" (Hymn – Green hymnal 687)

PRAYERS & THE LORD'S PRAYER

6:30pm, 8:30am SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

Page 155, AGNUS DEI, Lamb of God

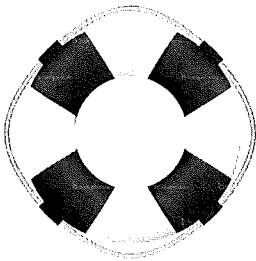
HYMN 763 (Maroon): When Peace Like a River

HYMN 594 (Maroon): God's Own Child, I Gladly Say It

BENEDICTION

The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace. **Amen.**

HYMN 727 (Maroon): On Eagles' Wings



PLEASE PRAY FOR VBS AND INVITE A STUDENT TO ATTEND

June 12-16 , 9:00-11:30am, Vacation Bible School – Jesus Is My Lifesaver!

Volunteers should call or meet with Dr. Joan this week (cell 952-277-9961).

On the last day of VBS, Friday, June 16th, we will have a program at 11:00am followed by a pizza party at 11:30am for all students, volunteers, family members and other guests.

VBS students will sing for 10:30am worship on Sunday, June 18th.

June 19-23 Garage Sale (will be held in the Peace Center)

June 19-20 Set up / June 21-23 Sale dates

Summer Concert Series

Wednesdays at 11:30am followed by 12:15 lunch (\$10)

June 28th – Brandon Begnaud and Joan DeVee Dixon

July 5th – Patriotic concert with Grace Puckett and the Hutchinson Memorial Rifle Squad

July 12th – Chuck Thiel

July 19th – Cogley Sisters

July 26th – Hutchinson Family Singers

August 2nd – BASICS

August 9th – Rootbeer & Bells, 6:00pm meal and 6:30pm program