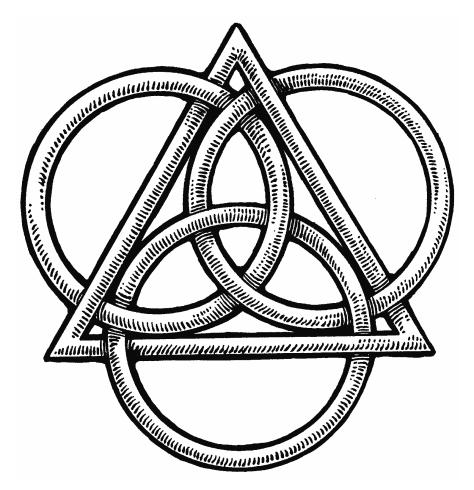
St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church The Festival of the Holy Trinity

Full Service Bulletin
Pastor Erik Sorenson



June 4, 2023

MEMBERS AND GUESTS:

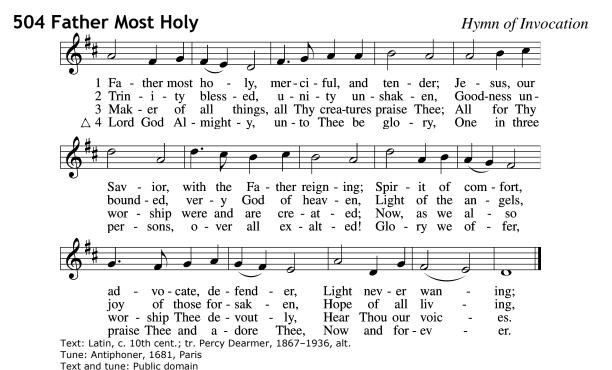
We will celebrate Holy Communion during our worship service this evening.

If you are partaking of the Lord's Supper, <u>please read and fill out one of the registration</u> <u>cards</u> on the back of the pew. You may place it in the offering plate or hand it to the usher.

To listen via radio, please tune to AM 750.

Communion Statement - The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth His death until He comes. Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the Sacrament, are kindly asked first to speak with the pastor. In addition to this being our practice, we do not want our visitors to violate their own conscience or the public confession of faith that is made through their home Church membership. Those not receiving communion are invited to come forward with arms crossed to receive a blessing from the pastor. We thank you for respecting our practice. For further study, see Matt. 5:23f.; 10:32f.; 18:15–35; 26:26–29; 1 Cor. 11:17–34.

Confession and Absolution



Invocation LSB 184

- **P** In the name of the Father and of the

 → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.
- P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

- **P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- **C** who made heaven and earth.
- **P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.
- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
- I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.
- P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, 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.
- C Amen.

Service of the Word

Introit

Psalm 16:8–11; antiphon: Liturgical Text

Blessèd be the Holy Trinity and the undivided Unity.

Let us give glory to him because he has shown his mercy to us.

I have set the LORD always before me;

because he is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.

Therefore my heart is glad, and my whole being rejoices; my flesh also dwells secure.

For you will not abandon my soul to Sheol, or let your holy one see corruption.

You make known to me the path of life;

in your presence there is fullness of joy; at your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;

as it was in the beginning,

is now, and will be forever. Amen.

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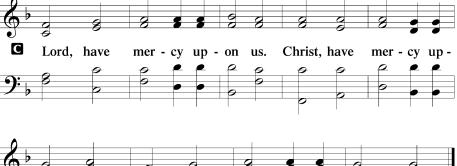
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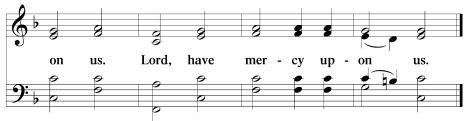
Gloria Patri LSB 186





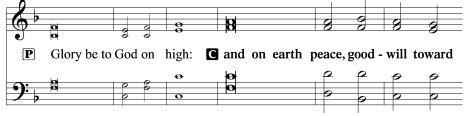
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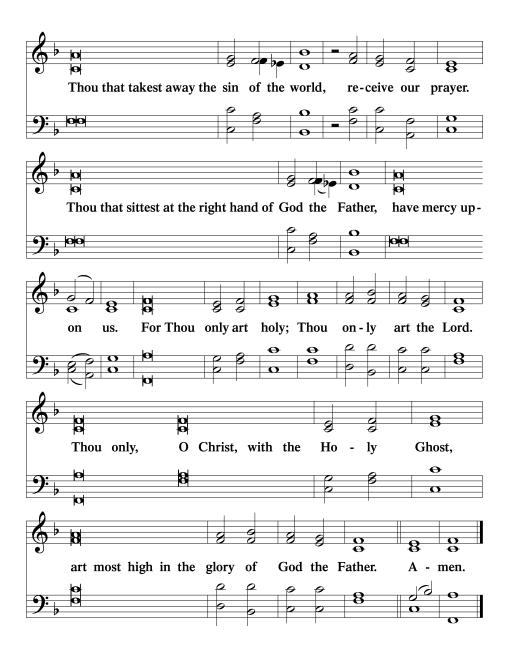




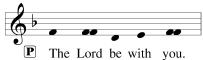
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Salutation and Collect of the Day



LSB 189



Almighty and everlasting God, You have given us grace to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity by the confession of a true faith and to worship the Unity in the power of the Divine Majesty. Keep us steadfast in this faith and defend us from all adversities; for You, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, live and reign, one God, now and forever.



Old Testament Reading

Genesis 1:1—2:4a (p. 1, p. 1 LP)

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

Gradual *Psalm 145:3, 5b, 6b*

Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised, and his greatness is unsearchable.

On your wondrous works, I will meditate, and I will declare your greatness.

Second Reading

Acts 2:14a, 22–36 (p. 910, p. 1157 LP)

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

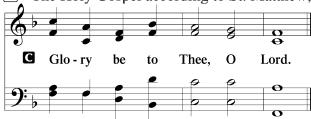
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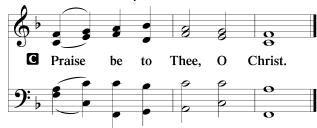
Holy Gospel

Matthew 28:16–20 (p. 835, p. 1062 LP)

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twenty-eighth chapter.



P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



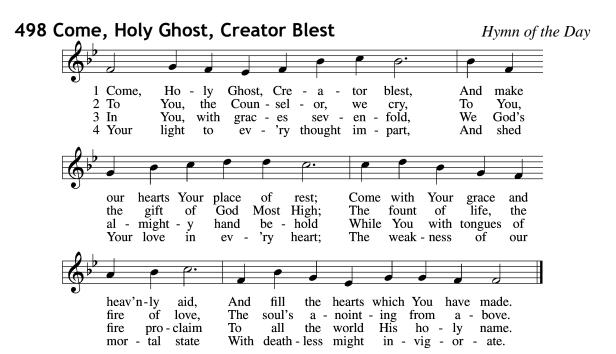
Athanasian Creed

LSB 319; spoken responsively by whole verse

- L Whoever desires to be saved must, above all, hold the catholic faith.
- Whoever does not keep it whole and undefiled will without doubt perish eternally.
- **L** And the catholic faith is this,
- that we worship one God in Trinity and Trinity in Unity, neither confusing the persons nor dividing the substance.
- **L** For the Father is one person, the Son is another, and the Holy Spirit is another.
- **©** But the Godhead of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit is one: the glory equal, the majesty coeternal.
- L Such as the Father is, such is the Son, and such is the Holy Spirit:
- **C** the Father uncreated, the Son uncreated, the Holy Spirit uncreated;

- L the Father infinite, the Son infinite, the Holy Spirit infinite;
- **C** the Father eternal, the Son eternal, the Holy Spirit eternal.
- **L** And yet there are not three Eternals, but one Eternal,
- just as there are not three Uncreated or three Infinites, but one Uncreated and one Infinite.
- L In the same way, the Father is almighty, the Son almighty, the Holy Spirit almighty;
- and yet there are not three Almighties, but one Almighty.
- L So the Father is God, the Son is God, the Holy Spirit is God;
- and yet there are not three Gods, but one God.
- L So the Father is Lord, the Son is Lord, the Holy Spirit is Lord;
- and yet there are not three Lords, but one Lord.
- L 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.
- **C** The Father is not made nor created nor begotten by anyone.
- **L** The Son is neither made nor created, but begotten of the Father alone.
- The Holy Spirit is of the Father and of the Son, neither made nor created nor begotten, but proceeding.
- Thus, there is one Father, not three Fathers; one Son, not three Sons; one Holy Spirit, not three Holy Spirits.
- And in this Trinity none is before or after another; none is greater or less than another;
- L 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.
- **C** Therefore, whoever desires to be saved must think thus about the Trinity.
- L But it is also necessary for everlasting salvation that one faithfully believe the incarnation of our Lord Jesus Christ.
- 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.
- L 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:
- perfect God and perfect man, composed of a rational soul and human flesh;
- **L** equal to the Father with respect to His divinity, less than the Father with respect to His humanity.
- **C** Although He is God and man, He is not two, but one Christ:

- one, however, not by the conversion of the divinity into flesh, but by the assumption of the humanity into God;
- one altogether, not by confusion of substance, but by unity of person.
- **L** For as the rational soul and flesh is one man, so God and man is one Christ,
- who suffered for our salvation, descended into hell, rose again the third day from the dead,
- 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.
- At His coming all people will rise again with their bodies and give an account concerning their own deeds.
- And those who have done good will enter into eternal life, and those who have done evil into eternal fire.
- This is the catholic faith; whoever does not believe it faithfully and firmly cannot be saved.



- Drive far away our wily foe,
 And Your abiding peace bestow;
 With You as our protecting guide,
 No evil can with us abide.
- 6 Teach us to know the Father, Son, And You, from both, as Three in One That we Your name may ever bless And in our lives the truth confess.

 $\triangle 7$ Praise we the Father and the Son And Holy Spirit, with them One, And may the Son on us bestow

The gifts that from the Spirit flow!

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Sermon

With You Always

LSB 192



Offering

Prayer of the Church

Service of the Sacrament

Preface LSB 194



Proper Preface

It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, who with Your

only-begotten Son and the Holy Spirit are one God, one Lord. In the confession of the only true God, we worship the Trinity in person and the Unity in substance, of majesty coequal. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus LSB 195



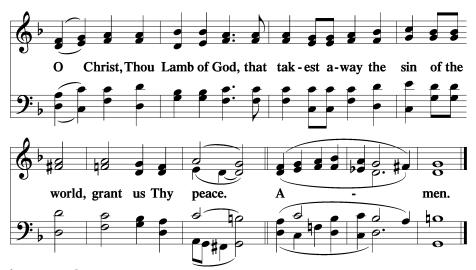
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Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

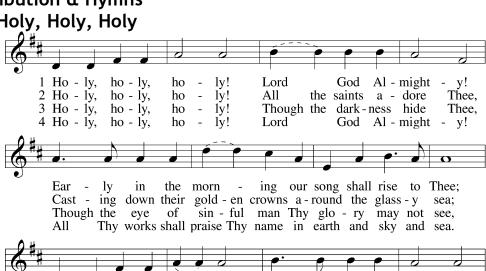








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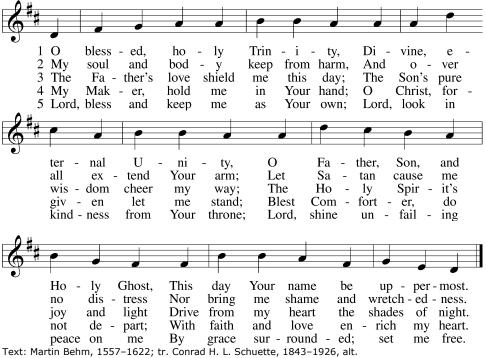


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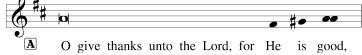
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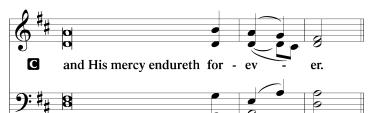




Thanksgiving

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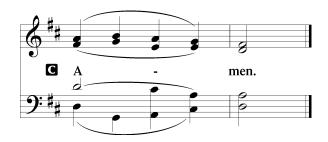


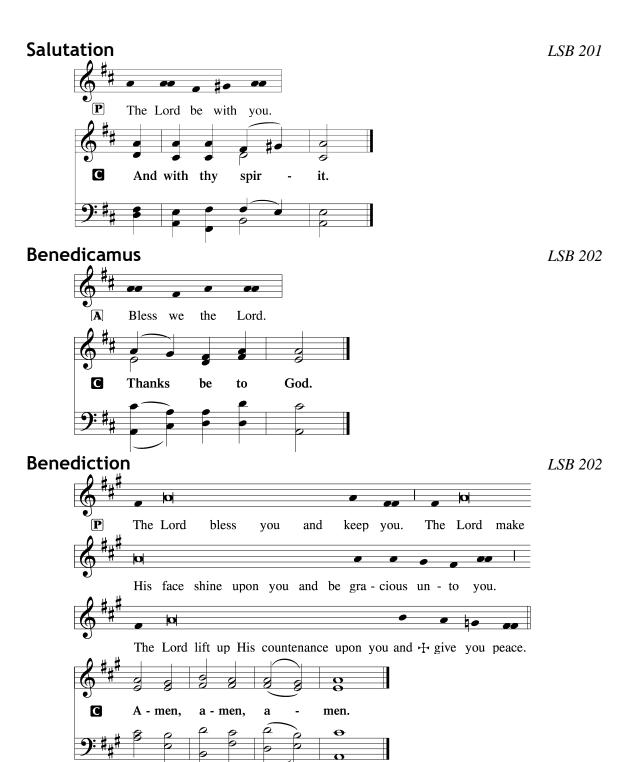
Post-Communion Collect

LSB 201

A Let us pray.

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.





941 We Praise You and Acknowledge You, O God Closing Hymn



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Announcements for the Week of June 4, 2023

Sunday	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
6/4	6/5	6/6	6/7	6/8	6/9	6/10
9:00 AM – Divine Service						
10:15 AM – Pastor's Bible			6:30 PM –	6 PM – Music		
study			Wednesday Night	Group		
			Bible study	7 PM – Council		
			,	meeting		

Birthdays & Anniversaries:

6/4: Chris & Sue Anne Heilers

6/9: Joe Acree, Allen & Beverly Acton

Stewardship: Budget per week: \$3135

5/28 offerings: \$1223

5/28 Synodical Fund: \$70 **5/28 Building Fund:** \$375

The altar flowers are given to the praise and glory of God

June Newsletters: Available for pickup in the narthex.

Wednesday Night Bible Study: This Wednesday at 6:30 PM. We will conclude our study on different people in the Passion accounts and talk about ideas for our next study.

Clarity Baby Bottles: Available to pick-up. We will collect them through Father's Day (June 18th).

Texas Roadhouse Fundraiser: We will be having a Texas Roadhouse Fundraiser on Monday, June 12th from 4:00-9:30 PM. 10% of all purchases that night from people who have our flyer will be donated back to the church. Flyers are available in the narthex or on the table by the library. Take as many as you want and hand them out to family and friends!

Cemetery Trustees: If you are interested in becoming a cemetery trustee for our church cemetery, please speak to Pastor or a council member. Thank you to Rick Flohr and Eric Turner for their many years of service in this capacity!

Praver List:

Teresa Lucas (shut-in)

Ron Cox (health issues)

Luella Holle (shut-in)

Bekah Brown

Carolyn Trimpe (health issues)

Larry Phelps (health issues)

Upcoming Acolytes:

6/11: Rayleigh Acton **6/18**: Trevor Acree **6/25**: Abe Acton

Below you will find a model you can use for your personal or family devotions that focuses you on the readings from the previous Sunday, while also preparing you for what you will hear the following Sunday. In modeling your devotions this way, you and your family can stay united to the church year and reinforce what you hear, sing, and pray every Sunday.

Mon. 6/5: Read the Old Testament lesson: Genesis 1:1-2:4a – The Father speaks and through the Word, who is Jesus Christ, all things come into being even as the Spirit hovers over all creation.

Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 498 – Come, Holy Ghost, Creator Blest Pray the Collect of the Day: Almighty and everlasting God, You have given us grace to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity by the confession of a true faith and to worship the Unity in the power of the Divine Majesty. Keep us steadfast in this faith and defend us from all adversities; for You, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, live and reign, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Tues. 6/6: Read the Epistle lesson: Acts 2:14a, 22-36 – Having received the Holy Spirit from the Father, Peter confesses the death and resurrection of Jesus who is both Christ and Lord.

Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 498 – Come, Holy Ghost, Creator Blest Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 6/5)

Wed. 6/7: Read the Gospel lesson: Matthew 28:16-20 – Christ is with us always as His Word is proclaimed and as we are joined into Him through Holy Baptism, where we receive the name of the Trinity, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 498 – Come, Holy Ghost, Creator Blest Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 6/5)

Thur. 6/8: Read the Old Testament lesson: Hosea 5:15-6:6 – God strikes us down and calls us to repent so that He may turn us back to Himself and raise us up to eternal life.

Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 689 – Let Me Be Thine Forever
Pray the Collect of the Day: Almighty and most merciful God, You sent Your Son, Jesus Christ, to seek and to save the lost. Graciously open our ears and our hearts to hear His call and to follow Him by faith that we may feast with Him forever in His kingdom; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Fri. 6/9: Read the Epistle lesson: Romans 4:13-25 – The righteousness of Christ is counted to us through faith alone.

Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 689 – Let Me Be Thine Forever Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 6/8)

Sat. 6/10: Read the Gospel lesson: Matthew 9:9-13 – Christ comes to call sinners to Himself in order that He may heal them and make them righteous through His mercy.

Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 689 – Let Me Be Thine Forever Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 6/8)