

Lake of the Isles Lutheran Church

¥ Holy Trinity Sunday**¥** June 7, 2020

Though the word trinity is not found in the scriptures, today's second reading includes the apostolic greeting that begins the liturgy: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. In the gospel Jesus sends his disciples forth to baptize in the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit. More than a doctrine, the Trinity expresses the heart of our faith: we have experienced the God of creation made known in Jesus Christ and with us always through the Holy Spirit.

Today Pastor Haug begins his summer sermon series on the Book of Genesis.

¥ Gathering **¥**

Following the call of God's Spirit, the community of faith gathers, welcoming one another and praying for God's mercy to fill the church and the world. We invite you to use the prelude time to prepare your heart and mind for worship.

Fantasy Pieces for Clarinet and Piano, Opus 73

1st Movement, Tender and With Expression

Robert Schumann

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

Please stand as you are able.

Psalm 8

O LORD our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!—

you whose glory is chanted above the heavens out of the mouths of infants and children; you have set up a fortress against your enemies, to silence the foe and avenger.

When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars you have set in their courses,

what are mere mortals that you should be mindful of them, human beings that you should care for them?

Yet you have made them little less than divine; with glory and honor you crown them.

You have made them rule over the works of your hands; you have put all things under their feet:

all flocks and cattle, even the wild beasts of the field,

the birds of the air, the fish of the sea, and whatever passes along the paths of the sea.

O LORD our Lord,

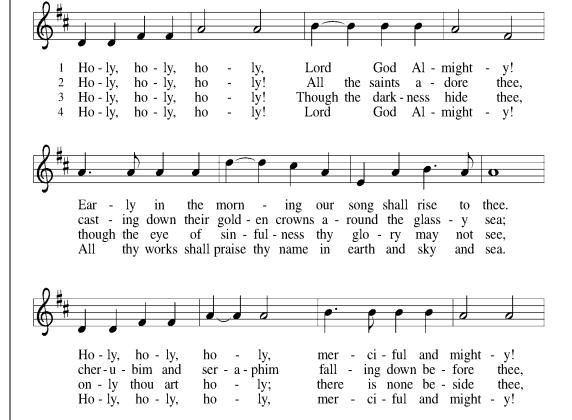
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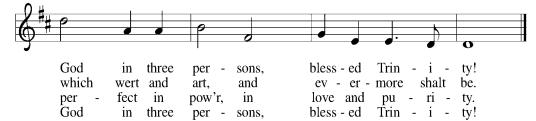
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit

As it was in the beginning is now and will be forever. Amen

Gathering Hymn

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!





Text: Reginald Heber, 1783–1826, alt. Music: NICAEA, John B. Dykes, 1823–1876

Apostolic Greeting

- P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- C: And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

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.. Amen.

₩ Word ₩

The Word of God comes alive for the gathered community As God speaks to us in scriptures read, sung and preached.

Children's Sermon

Reading

Genesis 24-2:4a

At the beginning

of time, God the

Creator, God the

giving Spirit form

the earth and all

God sees that all

this created work

is good and then

rests on the

seventh day.

its inhabitants.

powerful Word, and God the life¹In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, ²the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. ³Then God said, "Let there be light"; and there was light. ⁴And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. ⁵God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

²⁴And God said, "Let the earth bring forth living creatures of every kind: cattle and creeping things and wild animals of the earth of every kind." And it was so. ²⁵God made the wild animals of the earth of every kind, and the cattle of every kind, and everything that creeps upon the ground of every kind. And God saw that it was good.

²⁶Then God said, "Let us make humankind in our image, according to our likeness; and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the wild animals of the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth."

²⁷So God created humankind in his image,

in the image of God he created them;

male and female he created them.

²⁸God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth." ²⁹God said, "See, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit; you shall have them for food. ³⁰And to every beast of the earth, and to every bird of the air, and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food." And it was so. ³¹God saw everything that he had made, and indeed, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.

^{2:1}Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all their multitude. ²And on the seventh day God finished the work that he had done, and he rested on the seventh day from all the work that he had done. ³So God blessed the seventh day and hallowed it, because on it God rested from all the work that he had done in creation.

^{4a}These are the generations of the heavens and the earth when they were created.



R: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Alleluia Verse



Gospel

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

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

Matthew 28:16-20 After his resurrection, Jesus summons his

remaining disciples and commissions them to baptize and teach all nations in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. 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."

P: The Gospel of our Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

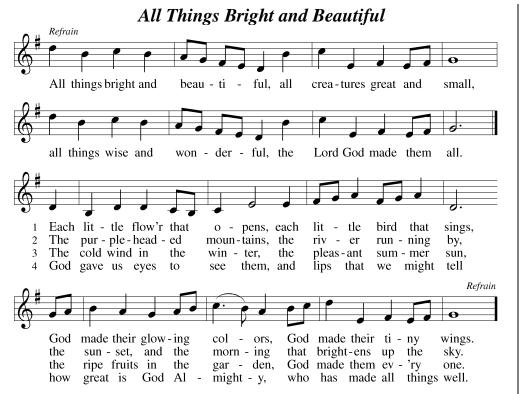
I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.*

On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Sermon

Following the sermon, we will take a moment of silence to reflect on today's gospel message.



Text: Cecil F. Alexander, 1818–1895, alt.
Music: ROYAL OAK, English tune, 17th cent., adapt. Martin Shaw, 1875–1958

¥ Offering **¥**

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Consider

Christina Rosetti / Roland E. Martin

Consider the lilies of the field whose bloom is brief: We are as they; Like them we fade away, As doth a leaf.

Consider The sparrows of the air of small account: Our God doth view Whether they fall or mount, He guards us too.

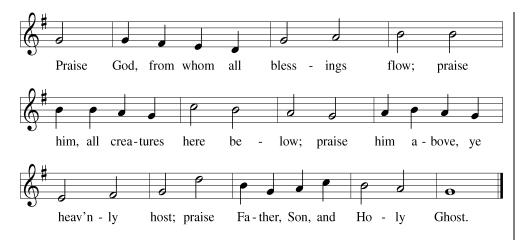
Consider The lilies that do neither spin nor toil, Yet are most fair:— What profits all this care And all this coil?

Consider The birds that have no barn nor harvest-weeks; God gives them food: Much more our Father seeks to do us good.

Hymn of the Day



Anthem



OffertoryThe Offertory closes with, "Amen."

Text: Thomas Ken, 1637-1711

Music: OLD HUNDREDTH, Louis Bourgeois, c. 1510-1561

A: God of goodness and growth, all creation is yours, and your faithfulness is as firm as the heavens. Water and word, wine and bread: these are signs of your abundant grace. Nourish us through these gifts, that we might proclaim your steadfast love in our communities and in the world, through Jesus Christ, our strength and our song. **Amen.**

Prayers of the Church

P: Called into unity with one another and the whole creation, let us pray for our shared world.

A brief silence.

- A: God of community, you form us as your church. Guide.... Lord, in your mercy,
- C: hear our prayer.
- P: Into your hands, God of abundant grace, we commend all of whom we pray, trusting in your mercy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior.
- C: Amen.

Lord's Prayer

C: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

★ SENDING **★**

We receive the blessing of God and leave in peace, Sent out to live the way of Jesus for the sake of the world God loves.

Offertory Prayer



Sending Hymn



Text: John S. B. Monsell, 1811–1875, alt. Music: HERMAS, Frances R. Havergal, 1836–1879

Benediction

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

C: Amen.

Announcements

Dismissal

P: Go in peace. Live in love, as Christ loved us.

C: Thanks be to God.

Fantasy Pieces for Clarinet and Piano, Opus 73 3rd Movement, Quick and with Fire **Postlude**

Robert Schumann

You are free to leave during the Postlude or remain to enjoy the offering of music and praise. Bulletin liturgy and hymnody reprinted under CCLI license #1821244 and or OneLicense.net #A-704053

WELCOME

We thank you for celebrating the love of Jesus Christ with us this week, and we invite you back again—for prayer and worship and to any of the events our congregation has scheduled. We hope the message of God's grace will guide and strengthen you as you grow in love and faith in your daily life.

Your worship **Pastor** Rev. Dr. Arden D. Haug Organist Dr. Kris Rizzotto LEADERS TODAY

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PRAYER LIST



Please keep the following friends & members of our community of faith in your prayers of

thanksgiving or for comfort, peace, and healing: Gary Olson, father of Lars Olson; Sam Pederson, nephew of Jennifer Cook; Sam **Brown**, child of Liz and Mike Brown: **Jim** Peterson, brother-in-law of Rick and Suzanne Pepin: Bruce Pavne and Mike Pavne, cousins of Michelle McCreery; Mary McCarthy, friend of Nancy McCutcheon; Lynn Williamson, family of Bruce and Carol Kuehn; Heluza

Ramos, grandmother of Rebecca Morell, Deb Benson, mother of Kayla Hoel; Trevor Daniel, prayer request by Cheri Moe.



Arlo Frahm 6.8 Alexei Haug 6.9 Mike Berkland 6.11

Mark Duff 6.9 Tedi O'Brien 6.11

Loved Ones In The Military

Please keep all the members and families of the military in your prayers of thanksgiving and protection.



OUR SAVIOUR'S HOUSING MEALS IN 2020

Lake of the Isles Lutheran Church has provided a meal for 40 the first Friday of every month for many years. This is a wonderful opportunity for families or a group of friends. Check your calendars and pick a month now for 2020. You can reserve your month by calling emailing Cheri Moe (952-431-5226, moeclana@aol.com). She can provide you with recipes for a crowd. If you are a Thrivent member, you can apply for a Thrivent Action grant that will cover the cost of the meal as well as some left over to purchase the supplies that Our Saviour's is always in need of.

Thank you to everyone who has volunteered to provide a meal for the shelter. The only date we now need volunteers for is October 2nd. Because of the covid 19 restrictions, the only way to currently provide our monthly meal is to donate by check,

money order or online and the shelter will order a meal. the suggested cost is \$250. Please contact cheri if you can serve on october 2^{nd} . Thank you.

WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Pastor Haug will lead a virtual Bible study by Zoom for the regular 10:00 am Wednesday morning Bible study group. If you would like to participate, please contact Pastor Haug at pastor@loti.org. He will in turn, send you a link and invitation to the group meeting.

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