



**THE HOLY TRINITY – MAY 30, 2021  
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*Worship Service:*  
Sundays at 9:00 am

**WELCOME TO ALL** guests and visitors this morning! It is great to have you here with us to receive the gifts of God in this place. If you have any questions, please speak with an usher. We look forward to seeing you again!

**COMMUNION:** The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper is being offered to our confirmed communicants today and is administered in accordance with the Holy Scriptures and the Lutheran Confessions. It is celebrated in the confidence that we truly receive, under the bread and wine, the body and blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ, through which we further truly receive the forgiveness of sins. Besides individually receiving Christ's gift of forgiveness in this Sacrament, all those who commune here make a confession of their unity in the faith as it is believed and taught in our Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod and in this congregation. Therefore, if you are not a confirmed communicant member, in good standing, of a Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod congregation, we kindly ask that you respect our beliefs and refrain from coming to the altar to receive the Sacrament until you have had an opportunity to speak with the Pastor.

**Those serving this week in May**

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# THE HOLY TRINITY

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## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING HYMN “*Holy, Holy, Holy*” .....LSB 507

*Stand*

**CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION** (p.184)

## **SERVICE OF THE WORD**

INTROIT *Psalm 8:1–2a, 3–5; 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.**

O LORD, our Lord,

**how majestic is your name in all the earth!**

You have set your glory above the heavens.

**Out of the mouth of babes and infants, you have established strength.**

When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers,

**the moon and the stars, which you have set in place,**

what is man that you are mindful of him,

**and the son of man that you care for him?**

Yet you have made him a little lower than the heavenly beings

**and crowned him with glory and honor.**

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.**

Blessèd be the Holy Trinity and the undivided Unity.

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

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**GLORIA IN EXCELSIS** (p. 187) 

# SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY (p. 189)

*Sit*

## OLD TESTAMENT READING *Isaiah 6:1-7*

In the year that King Uzziah died I saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and the train of his robe filled the temple. Above him stood the seraphim. Each had six wings: with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. And one called to another and said:

“Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts;  
the whole earth is full of his glory!”

And the foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of him who called, and the house was filled with smoke. And I said: “Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!”

Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a burning coal that he had taken with tongs from the altar. And he touched my mouth and said: “Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away, and your sin atoned for.”

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## EPISTLE READING *Romans 11:33-36*

Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable his ways!

“For who has known the mind of the Lord,  
or who has been his counselor?”

“Or who has given a gift to him  
that he might be repaid?”

For from him and through him and to him are all things. To him be glory forever.  
Amen.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## ALLELUIA AND VERSE (p.190)

## **HOLY GOSPEL** *John 3:1-17*

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. John, third chapter.

**C** **Glory be to Thee, O Lord.**

Now there was a man of the Pharisees named Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews. This man came to Jesus by night and said to him, “Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher come from God, for no one can do these signs that you do unless God is with him.” Jesus answered him, “Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born again he cannot see the kingdom of God.” Nicodemus said to him, “How can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter a second time into his mother’s womb and be born?” Jesus answered, “Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God. That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not marvel that I said to you, ‘You must be born again.’ The wind blows where it wishes, and you hear its sound, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit.”

Nicodemus said to him, “How can these things be?” Jesus answered him, “Are you the teacher of Israel and yet you do not understand these things? Truly, truly, I say to you, we speak of what we know, and bear witness to what we have seen, but you do not receive our testimony. If I have told you earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you heavenly things? No one has ascended into heaven except he who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.

“For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.”

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C** **Praise be to Thee, O Christ.**

## **ATHANASIAN CREED** (*p. 319 vs. 1-26*)

## **SERMON HYMN**

*“Thy Works, Not Mine, O Christ”* ..... **LSB 565**

**SERMON** by Pastor Provost

"How Do I Climb Back Into My Mother's Womb?" *John 3:1-17*

*Stand*

**ATHANASIAN CREED** (p. 319 vs. 27-40)

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT**

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**DISTRIBUTION HYMNS**

*"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"* .....LSB 802

*"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"* .....LSB 425

*"Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me"* .....LSB 761

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**CLOSING HYMN**

*"Lift High the Cross"* .....LSB 837

## ***This Week at Our Savior***

Day	Date	Time	Description
Sunday	30	9:00 AM	Worship
		10:30 AM	Sunday School and Bible Study
Monday	31		Memorial Day Observance
Tuesday	1		
Wednesday	2	1:30 PM	'Sunday Readings' Bible Study
		6:30 PM	Bible Study - Ephesians, Ch. 4 (in preparation for Special Voter's Assembly)
Thursday	3		
Friday	4	9:00 AM	LWML - Sharing and Caring Breakfast Meeting
Saturday	5		
Sunday	6	9:00 AM	Worship
		10:30 AM	Sunday School and Bible Study



# Remember in your prayers.....

- † Those afflicted by the novel Coronavirus, as well as those who are fearful in this challenging time.
- † The family of Bill Jenkins, who passed away at Newton Health Care Center on 5/21
- † The family of Deanna Ihde, for Jean Ihde, (sister-in-law of Deanna) who passed away in Florida on 5/21
- † Gerald Newill, brother of Carole Zimmermann, hospitalized in Sioux City after open-heart surgery
- † Pastor Moore, undergoing tests for medical concerns
- † Patty Feldman, sister of Dee Petersen, who is in hospice care for Covid-19.
- † John McGinley, medical concerns.
- † Gary Petersen, medical concerns.
- † Roger Breckenridge, residing at Park Centre with medical concerns.
- † Bill Jenkins, medical concerns
- † Dan Allen, medical concerns.
- † Kendra Boger, health concerns.
- † Marilyn Mertz, recuperating at home.
- † Charlene Vesely, residing at Nelson Manor in Newton.
- † Gabe Tancer, grandson of Bill & Norma Rozendaal, diagnosed with leukemia.
- † The Ministry of The Pregnancy Center of Central Iowa.
- † The Malaria Initiative and the end of Malaria deaths in the world.
- † **Our Missionaries**  
Rev. Dr. Thomas and Mary Aadland, Kenya.  
James and Angela Sharp, Uruguay.  
Carl & Chen Hsi Li Hanson, Korea.  
Phillip Magness, West & Central Africa