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Howards Grove, Wisconsin



TO MAKE THE SAINTS - "WISE UNTO SALVATION" AND TO "EQUIP FOR SERVING"

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Welcome to Trinity!

June 6 & 9, 2024

Third Sunday after Pentecost

Divine Service, Setting 1

Worship:

Thursdays at 6:30pm

Sundays at 9:00am

He who raised the Lord Jesus
will raise us also with Jesus and
bring us with you



2 Corinthians 4:14, ESV

+ CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION +

906 O DAY OF REST AND GLADNESS



1 O day of rest and glad - ness, O day of joy and light,
2 This day at earth's cre - a - tion The light first had its birth;
3 This day, God's peo - ple meet - ing, His Ho - ly Scrip - ture hear;
△ 4 That light our hope sus - tain - ing, We walk the pil - grim way,



O balm of care and sad - ness, Most beau - ti - ful, most bright;
This day for our sal - va - tion Christ rose from depths of earth;
His liv - ing pres - ence greet - ing, Through bread and wine made near.
At length our rest at - tain - ing, Our end - less Sab - bath day.



This day the high and low - ly, Through a - ges joined to bless,
This day our Lord vic - to - rious The Spir - it sent from heav'n,
We jour - ney on, be - liev - ing, Re - newed with heav'n - ly might,
We sing to Thee our prais - es, O Fa - ther, Spir - it, Son;



Sing, "Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly," The tri - une God con - fess.
And thus this day most glo - rious A three - fold light was giv'n.
From grace more grace re - ceiv - ing, On this blest day of light.
The Church her voice up - rais - es To Thee, blest Three in One.

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(Stand)

(The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.)

P In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

P If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

C **But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

(Kneel/Sit)

(Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.)

P Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

C **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.**

P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

(Stand)

+ SERVICE OF THE WORD +

INTROIT

Psalm 28:7–9; antiphon: v. 6

P Blessed be the LORD!

C For he has heard the voice of my pleas for mercy.

P The LORD is my strength and my shield; in him my heart trusts, and I am helped;

C my heart exults, and with my song I give thanks to him.

P The LORD is the strength of his people;

C he is the saving refuge of his anointed.

P Oh, save your people and bless your heritage!

C Be their shepherd and carry them forever.

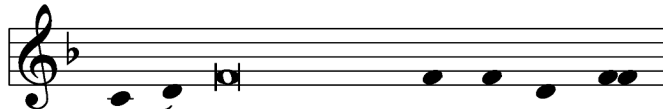
ALL: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

P Blessed be the LORD!

C For he has heard the voice of my pleas for mercy.

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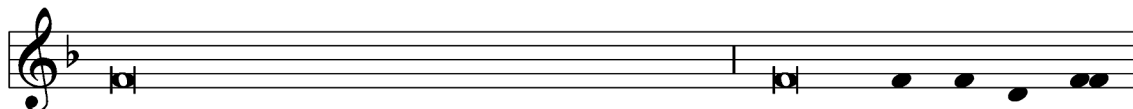
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A In peace let us pray to the Lord.



C Lord, have mer - cy.



A For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.



C Lord, have mer - cy.



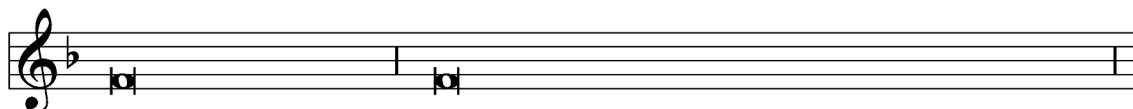
A For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God,



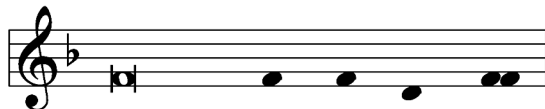
and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.



C Lord, have mer - cy.



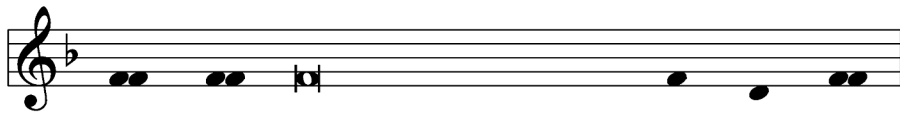
A For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise



let us pray to the Lord.



C Lord, have mer - cy.



A Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gra - cious Lord.



C A - men.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

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A Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His peo - ple on earth.



C Lord God, heav-en-ly king, al-might-y God and Fa - ther:



We wor-ship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glo-ry.



Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God:



You take a - way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.



You are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther; re-ceive our prayer.



For You a-lone are the Ho-ly One, You a-lone are the Lord,



You a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it,



in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.



C And al - so with you.

P Let us pray. Almighty and eternal God, Your Son Jesus triumphed over the prince of demons and freed us from bondage to sin. Help us to stand firm against every assault of Satan, and enable us always to do Your will; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



C A - men.

(Sit)

OLD TESTAMENT READING *Genesis 3:8–15*

⁸They heard the sound of the LORD God walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and the man and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the LORD God among the trees of the garden. ⁹But the LORD God called to the man and said to him, “Where are you?” ¹⁰And he said, “I heard the sound of you in the garden, and I was afraid, because I was naked,

and I hid myself.” ¹¹He said, “Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten of the tree of which I commanded you not to eat?” ¹²The man said, “The woman whom you gave to be with me, she gave me fruit of the tree, and I ate.” ¹³Then the LORD God said to the woman, “What is this that you have done?” The woman said, “The serpent deceived me, and I ate.”

¹⁴The LORD God said to the serpent,

“Because you have done this,
cursed are you above all livestock
and above all beasts of the field;
on your belly you shall go,
and dust you shall eat
all the days of your life.

¹⁵I will put enmity between you and the woman,
and between your offspring and her offspring;
he shall bruise your head,
and you shall bruise his heel.”

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

¹³Since we have the same spirit of faith according to what has been written, “I believed, and so I spoke,” we also believe, and so we also speak, ¹⁴knowing that he who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus and bring us with you into his presence. ¹⁵For it is all for your sake, so that as grace extends to more and more people it may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.

¹⁶So we do not lose heart. Though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. ¹⁷For this slight momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison, ¹⁸as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen. For the things that are seen are transient, but the things that are unseen are eternal.

¹For we know that if the tent, which is our earthly home, is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

(Stand)

ALLELUIA AND VERSE

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C Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the
words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

HOLY GOSPEL

Mark 3:20–35

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the third chapter.

C Glo - ry to You, O Lord.

²⁰Then [Jesus] went home, and the crowd gathered again, so that they could not even eat. ²¹And when his family heard it, they went out to seize him, for they were saying, “He is out of his mind.”

²²And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem were saying, “He is possessed by Beelzebul,” and “by the prince of demons he casts out the demons.” ²³And he called them to him and said to them in parables, “How can Satan cast out Satan? ²⁴If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. ²⁵And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be

able to stand. ²⁶And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but is coming to an end. ²⁷But no one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his goods, unless he first binds the strong man. Then indeed he may plunder his house.

²⁸“Truly, I say to you, all sins will be forgiven the children of man, and whatever blasphemies they utter, ²⁹but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit never has forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin”—³⁰for they had said, “He has an unclean spirit.”

³¹And his mother and his brothers came, and standing outside they sent to him and called him. ³²And a crowd was sitting around him, and they said to him, “Your mother and your brothers are outside, seeking you.” ³³And he answered them, “Who are my mother and my brothers?” ³⁴And looking about at those who sat around him, he said, “Here are my mother and my brothers! ³⁵Whoever does the will of God, he is my brother and sister and mother.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



C Praise to You, O Christ.

(Sit)

529 SINCE OUR GREAT HIGH PRIEST, CHRIST JESUS



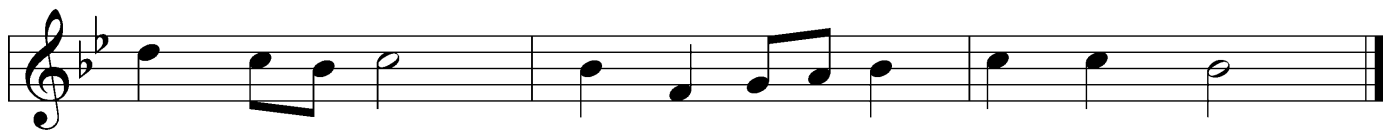
1 Since our great High Priest, Christ Je - sus, Bears the name a -
 2 Since we have a priest who suf - fered, Know - ing weak - ness,
 3 Sac - ri - fice and suf - f'ring o - ver, Now He sits at
 4 Love's ex - am - ple, hope's at - trac - tion, Faith's be - gin - ning



bove all names, Reign - ing Son of God, sur - pass - ing
 tears, and pain, Who like us was tried and tempt - ed,
 God's right hand, Crowned with praise, no more an out - cast,
 and its end, Pi - o - neer of our sal - va - tion,



Oth - er ti - tles, pow'rs and claims— Since to heav'n our
 Un - like us, with - out a stain— Since He shared our
 His pre - em - i - nence long - planned; Such a great High
 Might - y ad - vo - cate and friend; Je - sus, high in



Lord has passed, Let us hold our wit - ness fast!
 low - ly place, Let us bold - ly seek His grace.
 Priest we have, Strong to help, su - preme to save.
 glo - ry raised, Our as - cend - ed Lord be praised!

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SERMON

(Stand)

APOSTLES' CREED

**☐ 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 sits at the right hand of God the Fa-
ther Almighty.**

**From thence He will come to judge the liv-
ing 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.**

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH *We respond with Amen.*
Prayer requests: Michael Winter, Connie Hansen, Todd Bender, Marie Rietbrock, Lori (Kober) Badtke, Ken Korb, Barb Wolfert, Sue Kober, Lucy Roediger, and our shut-ins.

(Sit)

OFFERING—*Please rise as the offerings are brought forward to the altar.*

OFFERTORY

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What shall I ren-der to the Lord for all His ben-e-fits to
me? I will of - fer the sac-ri-fice of thanks-giv - ing and will
call on the name of the Lord. I will take the cup of sal-
va - tion and will call on the name of the Lord. I will pay my
vows to the Lord now in the pres-ence of all His peo-ple, in the
courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Je - ru - sa - lem.

LORD'S PRAYER

C 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.

BENEDICTION

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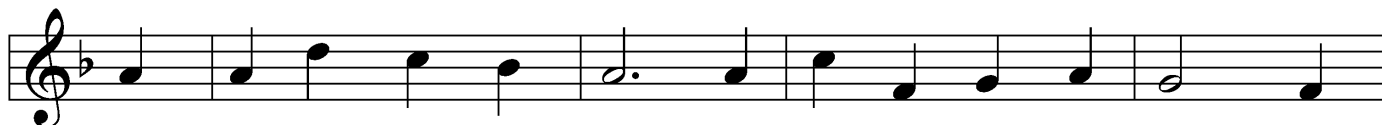
P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord
make His face shine on you and be gracious to
you. The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠
give you peace.



C A - men.

(Sit)

696 O GOD, MY FAITHFUL GOD



1 O God, my faith - ful God, True foun-tain ev - er flow - ing,
2 Grant me the strength to do With read - y heart and will - ing
3 Keep me from say - ing words That lat - er need re - call - ing;
4 Lord, let me win my foes With kind - ly words and ac - tions,



With - out whom noth - ing is, All per - fect gifts be - stow - ing:
What - ev - er You com - mand, My call - ing here ful - fill - ing;
Guard me lest i - dle speech May from my lips be fall - ing;
And let me find good friends For coun - sel and cor - rec - tion.



Give me a health - y frame, And may I have with - in
That I do what I should While trust - ing You to bless
But when with - in my place I must and ought to speak,
Help me, as You have taught, To love both great and small



A con - science free from blame, A soul un - stained by sin.
The out - come for my good, For You must give suc - cess.
Then to my words give grace Lest I of - fend the weak.
And by Your Spir - it's might To live in peace with all.

5 Let me depart this life
 Confiding in my Savior;
By grace receive my soul
 That it may live forever;
And let my body have
 A quiet resting place
Within a Christian grave;
 And let it sleep in peace.

6 And on that final day
When all the dead are waking,
Stretch out Your mighty hand,
My deathly slumber breaking.
Then let me hear Your voice,
Redeem this earthly frame,
And bid me to rejoice
With those who love Your name.

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Trinity Messenger

Thank you to Andrew Dirkse for playing for us this week. We appreciate you!

Flowers on the altar this week are in celebration of Wallace and Margaret Born's 70th Anniversary.

Birthday Blessings to: Larry Milbrath, Brayden Peter, Scott Plocar, Joel Moths, Marshall Fox, and Tracey Schueler.

Vacation Bible School: Trinity's VBS will be held June 10th -14th from 8:00-11:30am. The children will sing at the **Thursday, June 13, 6:30pm worship service**. There will be an ice cream social following the worship service. Helpers must have completed one year of confirmation class. ***We are asking for donations of cookies for snack time. Please bring your cookies to the kitchen in a disposable container.*** We depend on our congregation for the VBS snacks. If you would be so kind and bring cookies or snacks, it would be greatly appreciated. Please bring them to the kitchen as it gets closer to VBS.

Women's Luncheon & Bible Study: There will be a women's luncheon and Bible study event every 2nd Wednesday starting in June and continuing through the summer, organized by Christian Women's Fellowship. All women are invited; no need to have attended CWF in the past. Bring your money to enjoy a lunch at Log Cabin at 11:00am and then meet at church for a Bible study at 1:00pm, or just take part in one or the other if you wish! Bringing children or grandchildren is welcomed. **The first one is June 12.** Amy Assmann will facilitate three sessions this summer to focus on sharing Jesus within our four walls, beneath the steeple and out into our community. We will explore God's word to see how God empowers us to carry out His command to go forth and spread the Good News! Develop action plans to carry through and create a support system with other women in expanding God's Kingdom!

PB&J Back to School Drive: Keep an eye out for our upcoming peanut butter and jelly collection June 27th-Aug 11th.

Thank you for the prayers & cards after surgery & recovery from a broken femur!! It is comforting to know so many people have prayed & those prayers were answered!! - Sue Kober

Trivia Night for a Cause: Please join St. Mark Lutheran Church (1019 N 7th St. Sheboygan) on Thursday, June 20th at 6:30 PM for our trivia night to support Pay It Forward in Sheboygan! \$10 admission per person or teams of 6 pay \$50. Pizza, snacks, and drinks will be provided. Join us for a night of fun and fellowship!

St. Mark Lutheran Church in Sheboygan is looking to hire a part-time church secretary. Hours are flexible (20-24 hours per week, Monday through Friday), with a starting pay of \$16 an hour. If you are interested and want to apply, or if you have any questions, contact Todd Goebel, chairman of the congregation (920-918-2186).

Is Volunteering your Charism? We are currently looking for Daytime Volunteers at the Gathering Place. Come be a part of an organization with over 15,000 volunteer hours a year. Contact Ginas@stpaulfalls.com to find out

more and Check out memorymattersmost.com to learn more.

ST. Thomas Annual Event: Rummage Sale/Brat Fry/Bake Sale/Silent Auction is Saturday June 22, 2024 9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. (RAIN OR SHINE) St. Thomas Lutheran Church is located at N4097 CTY. M (Corner of County Trunks M&N) , WALDO (South of HWY 28). **Something for everyone and lots of bargains!**

Neat Repeats is turning 15! To celebrate, they are having their biggest sale ever. The week of June 4th, everything in the store will be on sale as follows: **June 4th**—Everything is 15% off. **June 5th**—Everything is 20% off. **June 6th**—Everything is 30% off. **June 7th**—Everything is 40% off. **June 8th**—Everything is 50% off.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Acolytes</u>	<u>Greeters</u>	<u>Video Operators</u>
June 6	6:30pm	Brody Timm and Owen Timm	Mark and Karen Plocar	Craig Lallensack
June 9	9:00am	Emily Harris and Avery Sachse	Dale and Donna Bitter	
June 13	6:30pm	Bryce Peter and Ethan Fenn	Dick and Lee Schoessow	Scott Timm
June 16	9:00am	Rylan Bahr and Carson Grunewald	Betty Butler	

<u>June</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Elders</u>
6:30pm	Team 3	Peter Franz
9:00am	Team 2	Jim Post

<u>Date</u>	<u>Altar Guild</u>
June 3 - June 16	Connie Bitter and Linda Plocar
June 17 - June 30	Wendy Forward and Debbie Henschel

<u>May 30 & June 2, 2024 Offering</u>	
General	\$5,811.00
Special Offering: Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch	\$85.00
Kitchen Remodel	\$60.00
Church Improvement	\$190.00

<u>Attendance</u>	
<u>May 30 & June 2, 2024</u>	
	6:30pm: 67
	9:00am: 81
	Total: 148