



# Church of the Savior

L U T H E R A N

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**The Holy Trinity**



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**Evangelical Lutheran Church in America**  
God's work. Our hands.

**Welcome to Church of the Savior – Lutheran:**

We are a community of believers, seekers, and doubters. We affirm all of God's people just as they are. We are a welcoming and inclusive community that does not require you to change in any way to worship with us.

We strive to make love grow both in our congregational life and in our nursery school. We recognize all the love we have is given to us from the Holy Spirit, we are but reflections of God's love. One of the ways we make love grow is by being accepting and existing the way Jesus taught us; living in harmony together no matter one's race, nationality, or gender. We strive to create and ensure the safest and most loving environment for everyone. We look forward to growing in faith with you.

**With Regard to Holy Communion:**

We celebrate Holy Communion nearly every week at Church of the Savior. Holy Communion is a sacred meal in which Christ comes to us in bread and wine. "This is my body given for you... This is my blood shed for you." We believe those words to be true. Christ is truly present in Holy Communion. When we receive the bread and wine of this meal, we receive his body and blood "in, with, and under the forms" of the consecrated bread and wine. All of God's beautiful children are welcome to our Lord's table — it's our Lord's table, after all, and all are invited. Let's be clear — it is not "my" table, or "our" table or a "Lutheran" table. It is our Lord's table, and he sends out the invitations — to everyone under the sun. This includes you to come forward just as are.

For the bread we provide two types of host, with gluten and without. If you would like gluten free let Pastor Paul know when you come forward. We offer both red wine and white grape juice.

**To the Parents of Children:**

Relax! God put the wiggle in children; don't feel you have to suppress it in God's house. All are welcome! Sit toward the front where it is easier for children to see and hear what is going on. Little one's tire of seeing the back of others' heads.

Explain the parts of the service and actions of the pastor, ushers, choir, and the people who make worship happen. Sing the hymns, pray, and voice the responses. Children learn liturgical behavior by copying you.

If you have to leave the service with your child, feel free to, but please come back. As Jesus said, "Let the children come to me."

The way we welcome children in church directly affects the way they respond to The Church, to God and to one another. Let them know, and let us show them, that they are at home in their house of worship. The presence of your child is a gift to Church of the Savior. We are blessed to welcome and worship with our children. We know that it took a lot of work to get to this pew today; you are doing a really good job!

## WEE WORSHIP HOLY COMMUNION

“Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them;  
For to such as these belongs the Kingdom of God. “  
-Mark 10:13-16



### Opening Song: Jesus in the Morning



1 Je - sus, Je - sus, Je - sus in the morn-ing, Je - sus in the noon-time;  
2 Praise him, praise him, praise him in the morn-ing, praise him in the noon-time;  
3 Love him, love him, love him in the morn-ing, love him in the noon-time;  
4 Serve him, serve him, serve him in the morn-ing, serve him in the noon-time;  
5 Je - sus, Je - sus, Je - sus in the morn-ing, Je - sus in the noon-time;



Je - sus, Je - sus, Je - sus when the sun goes down.  
praise him, praise him, praise him when the sun goes down.  
love him, love him, love him when the sun goes down.  
serve him, serve him, serve him when the sun goes down.  
Je - sus, Je - sus, Je - sus when the sun goes down.



### OPENING PRAYER

PASTOR: Let us love God with our hearts

**PEOPLE: and our neighbors as ourselves.**

PASTOR: Let us love God with our minds

**PEOPLE: and our neighbors as ourselves.**

PASTOR: Let us love God with our strength

**PEOPLE: and our neighbors as ourselves.**

## **FIRST READING: Genesis 1:1-2:4**

In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, the earth had no shape at all. There wasn't any light. The water was in total darkness and God's breath moved back and forth over the sea. God said out loud, "Let there be light "daytime" and called the dark "nighttime." That was the very first day.

"This is good," God said.

Then he worked on separating the water from the sky. That was the second day.

God said, "Let's put all the water on the earth together in one place and call it 'sea' and the places of dry land we'll call 'earth.' He called them "seas" and "earth." God was very pleased with how things were coming together. Then God said, "Let the earth put forth plants and trees. Let's have plants that grow food! Great!" God said "This third day was very good."

God said, "Now let's put some order to the light in the skies. We need something to separate day from night, and days for years, and seasons from seasons." And it was so. The big light is the sun, which we see in the day, and the smaller light is the moon. Then God made all the stars in the sky. That was the fourth day.

God said, "I'd like to see some living creatures—like fish in the sea and whales and all kinds of birds in the sky. Let's make some huge seas monsters that live way down deep, and then some little fish who like to flip out of the water. Oh, I've got so many great ideas about animals. Let's make them all." Every kind of animal that crawls or runs or flies was made by God. And God was delighted. He blessed them so that they could multiply, and said, "Please, fill up the oceans with things that swim and fill the skies with birds." That was the fifth day.

God said, "Now, let's see. What kind of animals should live on the dry parts? How about cows, and bugs, and cats? And all kinds of wild animals" And the earth was filled with every kind of animal he could imagine. And God saw that it was really, really good.

Then God said, "Let us make people in our image, who are more like us; and they can take care for the earth and the seas and the animals and the birds in the air and the fish in the sea." So God created man and woman. He blessed them and told them to be productive and have children so there would always be someone to take care of God's creation. God explained that they could use the plants to feed themselves.

God stepped back and looked at everything. Such excellent work! That was the end of the sixth day.

On the seventh day, God took a break, blessed and declared that day a day of rest. That rest felt very, very good.

Lector: Word of God, Word of Life

**People: Thanks Be to God**



**PSALM: Psalm 8**

God, you are in charge of everything. How great is that?  
Even babies and little children praise you and your name.  
You have drawn a line in the sand, and your enemies have backed off.  
When I look up at the night sky, and see the heavens,  
I am in awe of what you have made.  
The moon and the stars . . . You formed them  
And placed them right where they need to be in the sky.

**God, you are in charge of everything. How great is that?**

I feel so small when I see all the stars.  
How could you possibly take notice of us?  
Why do you bother to chase after us and give us good things?  
We're almost like angels, but not quite.  
You've given us honor and glory to wear like jewelry.

**God, you are in charge of everything. How great is that?**

You have given us the job of taking care of all that you have made.  
We're responsible for the ground on which we walk.  
We must care for the sheep and cows,  
Even the wild animals that roam outside any fences we've built;  
The birds that fly, the fish that swim,  
And whatsoever lives on the ocean floor that we can't see.  
All of them are awesome.  
All of them deserve our respect.

**God, you are in charge of everything. How great is that?****SECOND READING: 2 Corinthians 13:11-13**

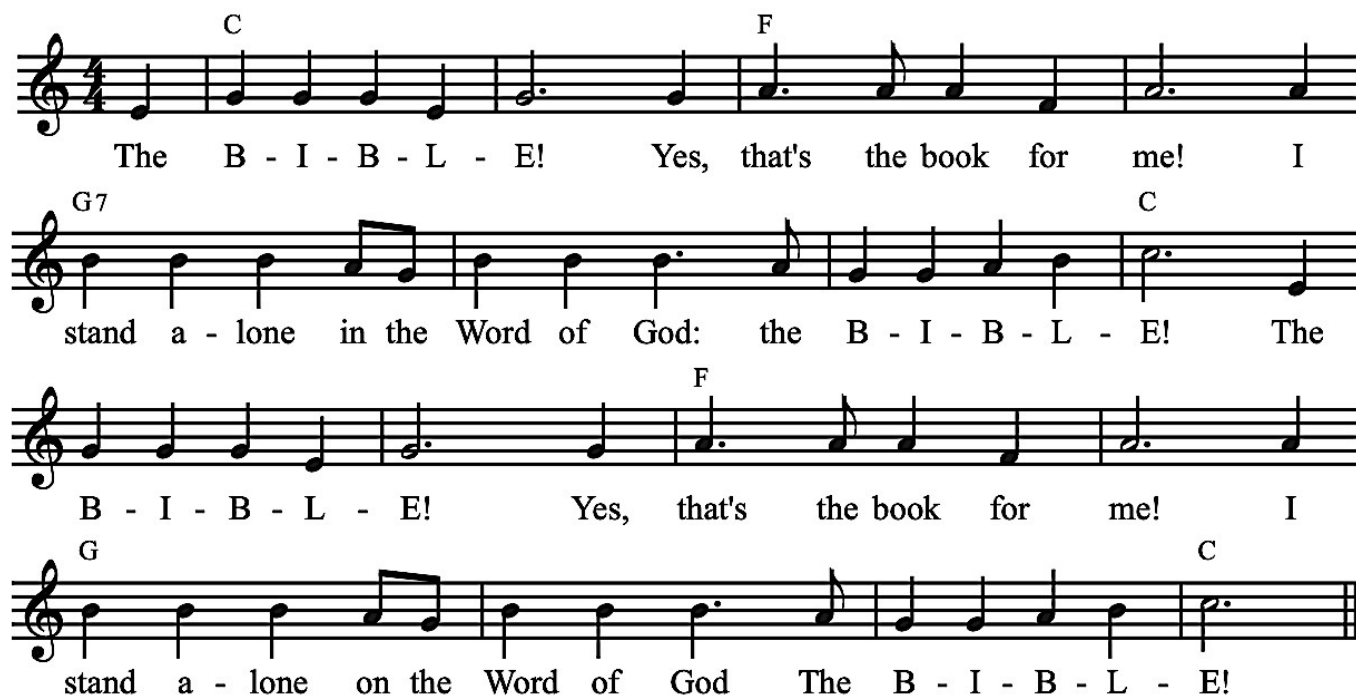
Now finally, brothers and sisters, I think that's all I have to say. Keep things together. And for God's sake, get along with each other! Love one another and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All your friends here say hello.

May all of you feel the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the warm embrace of the Holy Spirit.

Word of God, Word of Life

**People: Thanks Be to God**

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



The B - I - B - L - E! Yes, that's the book for me! I  
stand a - lone in the Word of God: the B - I - B - L - E! The  
B - I - B - L - E! Yes, that's the book for me! I  
stand a - lone on the Word of God The B - I - B - L - E!

The musical score is written in 4/4 time and consists of four staves. The first staff begins with a C chord and contains the lyrics 'The B - I - B - L - E! Yes, that's the book for me! I'. The second staff begins with a G7 chord and contains the lyrics 'stand a - lone in the Word of God: the B - I - B - L - E! The'. The third staff begins with an F chord and contains the lyrics 'B - I - B - L - E! Yes, that's the book for me! I'. The fourth staff begins with a G chord and contains the lyrics 'stand a - lone on the Word of God The B - I - B - L - E!'. The score uses a treble clef and includes various note values such as quarter, eighth, and half notes, along with rests.



### THE HOLY GOSPEL: Matthew 28:16-20

**People: Glory to you, O Lord.**

The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had told them to meet. When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some still weren't sure that he was God's son. Jesus said to them, "God has told me to tell you, don't ever stand still. Go and help people to become disciples. All of them, no matter where they live. Baptize them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teach them the new way of living I introduced to you. And don't you ever, ever forget this: I am with you always. Always."

The Gospel of the Lord

**People: Praise to you, O Christ.**

# HYMN OF THE DAY: Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty



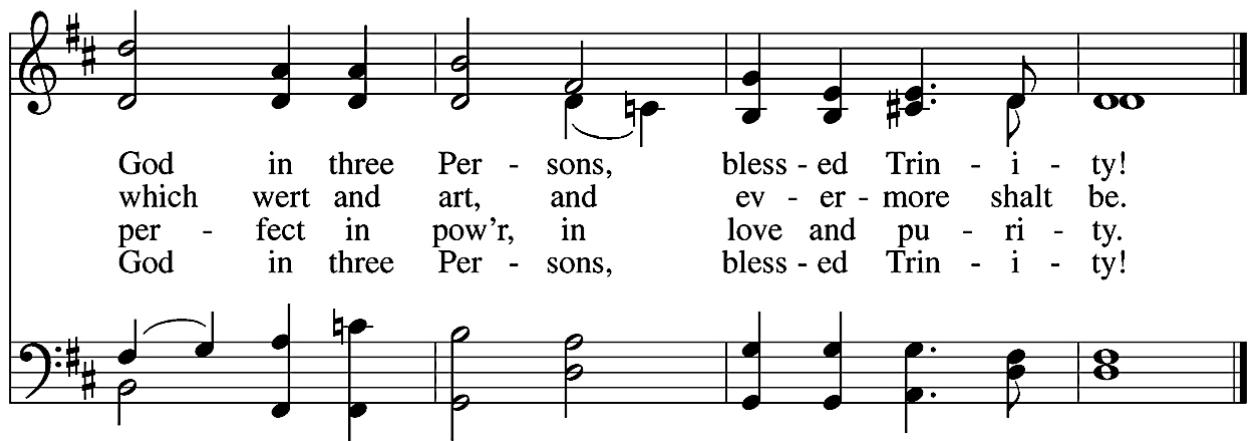
1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God Al - might - y!  
2 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! All the saints a - dore thee,  
3 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Though the dark - ness hide thee,  
4 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!



Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.  
cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;  
though the eye made blind by sin thy glo - ry may not see,  
All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and might - y!  
cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,  
on - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee,  
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and might - y!



God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!  
which wert and art, and ev - er - more shalt be.  
per - fect in pow'r, in love and pu - ri - ty.  
God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

## **A CREED**

**We believe in God the Creator**

**We believe in Jesus the Son.**

**We believe in God, Holy Spirit.**

**We Believe in God, the Holy three in one**

## **PRAYER OF THE CHURCH:**

**Each petition ends:** God of grace.

And we respond: **Hear our prayer.**

## **SHARING OF THE PEACE**

All greet one another in the name of Christ.

## **THE OFFERING**

**SPECIAL MUSIC: Children's Choir: Ho ho ho Hosanna,  
The Whole World's in God's Hands**

## **OFFERING PRAYER:**

PASTOR: Come, Lord Jesus

**PEOPLE: Come, Lord Jesus**

PASTOR: Be our guest

**PEOPLE: Be our guest**

PASTOR: And let these gifts

**PEOPLE: And let these gifts**

PASTOR: To us be blessed.

**PEOPLE: To us be blessed. Amen.**

## **GREAT THANKSGIVING**

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

**People: We lift them to the Lord.**

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

## **PREFACE FOR THE SEASON**

**It is indeed right, salutary, our duty and our joy...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:**

Cm Fm7 Bb7 Eb

San - to, san - to, san - to, es el Se - ñor,  
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord . . . . God,

Fm Cm G7 Cm

Dios del u - ni - ver - so; san - to, es el Se - ñor.  
 God of might and pow - er; ho - ly is the Lord.

Cm Fm7 Bb7 Eb

San - to, san - to, san - to, san - to, es el Se - ñor,  
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord . . . God,

Fm Cm G7 Cm C7

Dios del u - ni - ver - so; san - to, es el Se - ñor.  
 God of might and pow - er; ho - ly is the Lord.

C7 Fm Bb

Ho - san - na en el cie - lo, ho - san - na en la  
 Ho - san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na here on

Eb Fm G7

tie - rra. Ben - di - to el que vie - ne en el  
 earth. . . . . Blest is he who comes in the

G7 Cm C7

nom - bre del Se - ñor. Ho - san - na en el  
 name . . . of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the

Fm Bb7 Eb

cie - lo, ho - san - na en la tie - rra. Ben -  
 high - est, ho - san - na here on earth. . . . .

Fm G7 Cm

di - to el que vie - ne en el nom - bre del Se - ñor.  
 Blest is he who comes in the name . . . of the Lord.

## EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

...proclaim the Lord's death until he comes:

**People: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

At conclusion of Eucharistic Prayer ....

**People: Amen**

Cor - de - ro de Dios, tú que qui-tas el pe-ca-do del mun-do;  
O Lamb of . . God, you . . take a-way the sin of the world; . .

ten pie-dad de no - so - tros,      ten pie-dad de no - so - tros.  
have . . mer-cy up - on us,      have . . mer-cy up - on us.

Cor-de - ro de Dios, tú que qui-tas el pe-ca-do del mun-do;  
O Lamb of . . God, you . . take a-way the sin of the world; . .

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Cor-de - ro de Dios, tú que qui-tas el pe-ca-do del mun-do;  
O Lamb of . . God, you . . take a-way the sin of the world; . .

da - nos tu paz,      da - nos tu paz.  
grant us your peace,      grant us your peace.

We will conclude with the Lord's Prayer:

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed is 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 trial and deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours.**

**Now and forever. Amen.**

## RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

Everyone, regardless of age, is welcome to receive communion. If you do not wish for your child to receive communion, they are welcome to come forward for a blessing.

## DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION



## COMMUNION HYMN: Jesus Loves Me

C F C

1. Je - sus loves me, this I know. For the Bi - ble tells me so.

C F C C/G G C

Lit - tle ones to Him be - long. They are weak, but He is strong.

C F C C/G G

Yes, Je - sus loves me. Yes, Je - sus loves me.

C F C C/G G C

Yes, Je - sus loves me. The Bi - ble tells me so.

## BENEDICTION

The God of love, Father, ☩ Son, and Holy Spirit, lavish you with grace, illumine your path, and increase your joy, today and always. **Amen.**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## RECESSIONAL HYMN: Glory Be (the Klines)

text by David Kline II

# Glory Be!

music by David Kline III

### REFRAIN:

Glo-ry be— to God the Fa-ther. Glo-ry be— to God the Son.

Glo-ry be— to God the Spi-rit. Glo-ry be— the Three in One.

1. Glo - ry glo - ry glo - ry to the Three in One.  
2. God the Fa - ther, Fa - ther in— heav'n a - bove,  
3. God the hu - man, son of a — hu - man birth,  
4. God the Spi - rit, lea - der of the heav - 'nly host.  
5. Glo - ry glo - ry glo - ry to the Three in One.

Glo - ry glo - ry, Fa - ther, Ho - ly Spi - rit and Son.  
Knows all, sees all, pow - er - ful and full — of love.  
Born to save us, God the Son of man — on earth.  
All a - round us, Spi - rit of the Ho — ly Ghost.  
Glo - ry glo - ry, Fa - ther, Ho - ly Spi - rit and Son.

## DISMISSAL

Go in peace. The Word of God dwells in you richly.

**Thanks be to God.**



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## SERVING TODAY

<b>DATE</b>	<b>LECTOR</b>	<b>WORSHIP ASST.</b>	<b>USHER</b>
May 31	Vicki Coyle	Laurie Feingold	Maggie Harrer
June 7	Nicole Hazarian	Rick Henly	Ed Moderacki
June 14	Ed Moderacki	Maggie Harrer	Rick Henly

## FLOWERS

May 31	For: Maya Martinez 1st Birthday
	From: Susan Conrad
June 7	For: Katie Henly's Birthday
	From: Maggie & Rick
June 14	For: Sally's Retirement
	From: Leara Family

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Jun 6	Men's Breakfast
Jun 7	Sunday School & Coffee Hour
Jun 14	Church Picnic: 10am
Jun 15	Council Meeting
	Last Day of Classes
Jun 20	Summer Solstice Bonfire - S'mores will be served – 6pm
Jun 22-26	School Closed
Jun 27	Claudette Recital: 12pm to 5pm

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