

**TRINITY
LUTHERAN
CHURCH**

9:30 AM

JUNE 28,
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Trinity Lutheran Church
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June 28, 2026, 9:30 am

PRELUDE

I Will Follow

Intro

Where You go I'll go
Where You stay I'll stay
When You move I'll move
I will follow
Oh oh oh

Verse 1

All Your ways are good
All Your ways are sure
I will trust in You alone
Higher than my sight
High above my life
I will trust in You alone

Chorus

Where You go I'll go
Where You stay I'll stay
When You move I'll move
I will follow You
Whom You love I'll love
How You serve I'll serve
If this life I lose
I will follow (You)

Interlude

Yeah I will follow You yeah

Verse 2

Light into the world
Light into my life
I will live for You alone
You're the One I seek
Knowing I will find
All I need in You alone
In You alone

Chorus

Bridge

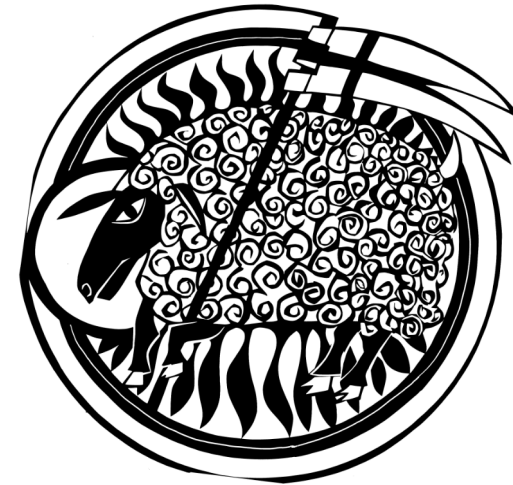
In You there's life everlasting
In You there's freedom for my soul
In You there's joy unending joy
And I will follow

Chorus 2x

Ending

Yeah I will follow You yeah
I will follow You yeah
I will follow You yeah

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WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

In the name of the Father, and of the ☩ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Come, people of God.

Bring your hands, your hearts, your voices, your gifts.

We offer ourselves to God as instruments of grace.

The world teaches us to hold tightly to ourselves.

Christ teaches us to pour ourselves out in love.

Bring your ordinary acts of kindness and compassion.

For even a cup of cold water offered in love becomes holy in God's kingdom.

Come and worship the One who welcomes us.

We come to welcome Christ, to receive Christ, and to become Christ's love for the world.

GATHERING SONGS

Our God Saves

Verse

In the name of the Father in the name of the Son
In the name of the Spirit Lord we come
We're gathered together to lift up Your Name
To call on our Savior to fall on Your grace

Repeat Verse

Pre-Chorus 1

Hear the joyful sound of our offering
As your saints bow down, as your people sing
We will rise with You lifted on Your wings
And the world will see that

Chorus 1

Our God saves our God saves
There is hope in Your name

Verse, Pre-Chorus 1

Chorus 2

Our God saves our God saves
There is hope in Your name
Mourning turns to songs of praise
Our God saves, our God saves

Interlude

Pre-Chorus 2

Hear the joyful sound
of our offering
As your saints bow down
as your people sing
We will rise with You
lifted on Your wings
And the world will see that
yes the world will see that

Chorus 2

Ending

Our God saves our God saves
our God saves our God saves

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He Is Among Us (The Least of These)

Intro

Oo oo oo oo oo oo

Verse 1

You'll find Me with the broken and the weak
In the spaces in between
You'll hear My voice cry out with those who
weep
Only if you're listening

Chorus

Whatever you do for the least of these
You do it unto Me

Verse 2

You'll find Me with the ones without a voice
The forgotten and ignored
My blessing is on those who love the poor
Will you open up the door

Chorus 2x

Bridge

Hallelujah, hallelujah
He is among us, He is among
us
(REPEAT 4x)

Tag

By this the world will know
the Father's love
We will know the Father's love

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

Generous God, you have welcomed us when we were strangers, claimed us when we were wandering, and loved us when we could not love ourselves. Free us from all that would claim mastery over our lives. Break the chains of fear, resentment, selfishness, and despair. Shape our hearts after the heart of Jesus, so that our lives become gifts for others: our words bringing encouragement, our hands bringing healing, our presence bringing hope. We pray through Christ, who welcomes us into your everlasting embrace. **Amen.**

CHILDREN’S SERMON

KIDS’ PRAISE

*At this time children age 3 – grade 5 are now dismissed,
at the parent’s discretion, to the Chapel.*

FIRST READING: Jeremiah 28:5-9

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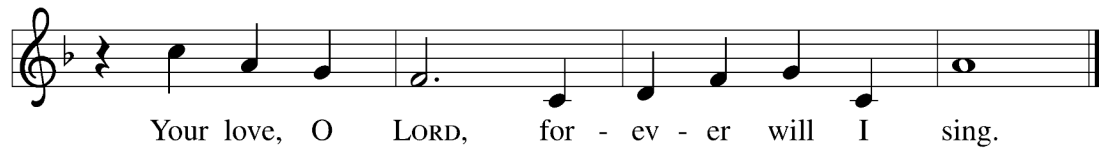
Through a symbolic action Jeremiah insisted that Judah and all the surrounding nations should submit to the king of Babylon (Jer. 27). Hananiah contradicted the word of Jeremiah, who in reply insisted that Hananiah’s rosy prediction should not be believed until it came true. God confirmed the word of Jeremiah and sentenced the false prophet Hananiah to death (vv. 16-17).

The reading is concluded:
Word of God, word of life.
Thanks be to God.

PSALM 89:1-4, 15-18

Sandy Schlesinger, cantor

Refrain



- ¹ Your love, O Lord, forever will I sing;
from age to age my mouth will proclaim your faithfulness.
² For I am persuaded that your steadfast love is established forever;
you have set your faithfulness firmly in the heavens.
³ “I have made a covenant with my chosen one;
I have sworn an oath to David my servant:
⁴ ‘I will establish your line forever,
and preserve your throne for all generations.’” **R**

- ¹⁵ Happy are the people who know the festal shout!
They walk, O Lord, in the light of your presence.
¹⁶ They rejoice daily in your name;
they are jubilant in your righteousness.
¹⁷ For you are the glory of their strength,
and by your favor our might is exalted.
¹⁸ Truly, our shield belongs to the Lord;
our king to the Holy One of Israel. **R**

SECOND READING: Romans 6:12-23

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Sin is an enslaving power which motivates us to live self-serving, disobedient lives. Sin’s final payoff is death. We, however, have been set free from sin’s slavery to live obediently under God’s grace, whose end is the free gift of eternal life.

The reading is concluded:
Word of God, word of life.
Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



GOSPEL ANNOUNCEMENT

The Holy Gospel according to Matthew, the 10th chapter.
Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL: MATTHEW 10:40-42

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When Jesus sends his disciples out as missionaries, he warns them of persecution and hardships they will face. He also promises to reward any who aid his followers and support their ministry.

After the reading:

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

Vicar Sophie Warnberg

HYMN OF THE DAY

For Everyone Born

Verse 1

For everyone born, a place at the table,
for everyone born, clean water and bread,
a shelter, a space, a safe place for growing,
for everyone born, a star overhead,

Chorus

and God will delight when we are creators
of justice and joy, compassion and peace,
yes, God will delight when we are creators
of justice, justice and joy!

Verse 2

For woman and man,
a place at the table,
revising the roles,
deciding the share,
with wisdom and grace
dividing the power,
for woman and man,
a system that's fair,

Chorus

Verse 3

For young and for old, a place at the table,
a voice to be heard, a part in the song,
the hands of a child in hands that are wrinkled,
for young and for old, the right to belong,

Chorus

Verse 5

For gay and for straight, a place at the table,
a covenant shared, a welcoming space,
a rainbow of race and gender and color,
for gay and for straight, a chalice of grace,

Chorus

Verse 6

For everyone born,
a place at the table,
to live without fear,
and simply to be,
to work, to speak out,
to witness and worship,
for everyone born,
the right to be free,

Chorus

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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

God of grace,
hear our prayer.

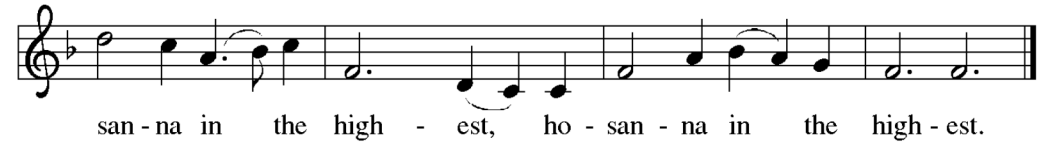
SHARING CHRIST'S PEACE

Offer a sign of peace with those around you

GATHERING OF GIFTS FOR MISSION AND MINISTRY

OFFERTORY

Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ arr. Robert A. Hobby
Summer Choir



OFFERING PRAYER

God of abundance, everything we have comes from your generous hand. Receive these gifts, and receive our lives as well. Take our resources and our relationships, our time and our talents, our work and our witness. Use them to welcome the stranger, encourage the weary, feed the hungry, and proclaim the good news of Christ. May all that we offer become a blessing for the world you love. **Amen.**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

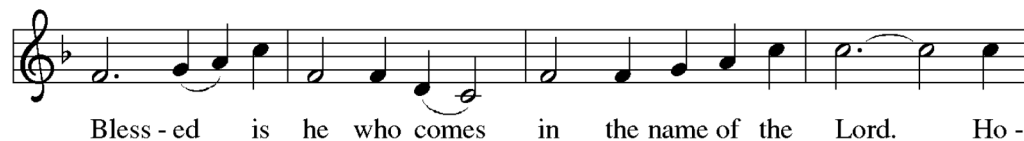
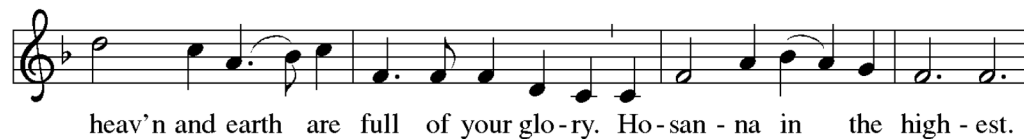
Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



WORDS OF INSTITUTION & LORD'S PRAYER

Lord, remember us in your kingdom, and teach us to pray:

**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.

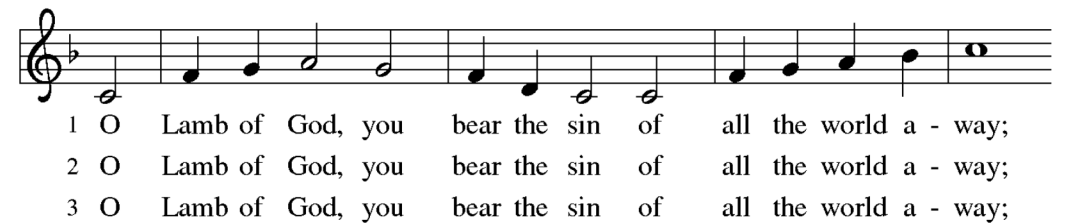
**For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the
glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

Communion will be distributed by coming forward and receiving the bread and wine. The center cups (white) are non-alcoholic grape juice. Upon receiving, please put empty cups in baskets provided. If you prefer gluten free, please ask Pastor who is distributing. Please proceed up the center aisle returning to your seat via the side aisles.

LAMB OF GOD





you suf-fered death our lives to save: have mer-cy now, we pray.
 you set us free from guilt and grave: have mer-cy now, we pray.
 e - ter-nal peace with God you made: give us your peace, we pray.

COMMUNION SONGS

As We Gather At Your Table ELW #522

Build a Longer Table (music below)

Just As I Am, Without One Plea ELW #592

Build a Longer Table



1 Build a long - er ta - ble, not a high - er wall,
 2 Build a saf - er ref - uge, not a larg - er jail;
 3 Build a broad - er door - way, not a long - er fence.
 4 When we lived as ex - iles, ref - u - gees a - broad,



feed - ing those who hun - ger, mak - ing room for all.
 where the weak find shel - ter, mer - cy will not fail.
 Love pro - tects all peo - ple, spar - ing no ex - pense.
 Christ be - came our door - way to the reign of God.



Feast - ing to - geth - er, strang - er turns to friend,
 For an - y place where jus - tice is de - nied,
 When we em - brace com - pas - sion more than fear,
 So must our ta - bles wel - come those who roam.



Christ breaks walls to piec - es; false di - vi - sions end.
 Christ will breach the jail wall, free - ing all in - side.
 Christ tears down our fenc - es; all are wel - come here.
 None can be ex - clud - ed; all must find a home.

Text: David Bjorlin, b. 1984
 Music: NOËL NOUVELET, French carol
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BENEDICTION

Go now in the freedom of Christ.

You are no longer servants of fear, but servants of grace.

Go with open hands, ready to welcome, ready to serve, ready to love.

And may the blessing of God, ☩ Father, Son, and Holy Spirit—rest upon you and remain with you always.

Amen.

SENDING SONG

ELW #676

Lord, Speak to Us, That We May Speak
 See next page

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Welcome Christ in every person you meet.

We will serve with joy. Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

Noel Nouvelet

stg. Wayne Wold
 Jonathan Lonsway, organ

Lord, Speak to Us, That We May Speak



1 Lord, speak to us, that we may speak in
2 Oh, lead us, Lord, that we may lead the
3 Oh, teach us, Lord, that we may teach the
4 Oh, fill us with your full - ness, Lord, un -



liv - ing ech - oes of your tone; as you have sought, so
wan-d'ring and the wa - v'ring feet; oh, feed us, Lord, that
pre - cious truths which you im - part; and wing our words, that
til our ver - y hearts o'er - flow in kin - dling thought and



let us seek your stray - ing chil - dren, lost and lone.
we may feed your hun - g'ring ones with man - na sweet.
they may reach the hid - den depths of man - y a heart.
glow - ing word, your love to tell, your praise to show.

Text: Frances R. Havergal, 1836–1879, alt.

Music: CANONBURY, Robert Schumann, 1810–1856

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