



TRINITY *3 March 2024*

ABOUT TRINITY

Trinity is a growing Anglican Church in Lafayette. Our mission is to live the gospel through worship, friendship, and scholarship.

FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN

We welcome children in the sanctuary – their sounds are the sign of a growing church!

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Weekdays	Day & Time	Location
Men's Bible Study	Wednesday @ 7:00 am	ZOOM
Women's Bible Study	Wednesday @ 10:30/6:00	Family Center
Trinity School of Arts	Thursday @ 4:00 pm	Sanctuary
Trinity Scholars	Thursday @ 6:00 pm	Sanctuary
Morning Prayer	Friday @ 11 am	Sanctuary
Women's Prayer	Friday @ Noon	Library

Sundays

Adult Sunday School	Sunday @ 9 am	Sanctuary
Children's Sunday School	Sunday @ 9 am	Family Center

Ephphatha! Raising Funds For a New Sound System

Help us raise \$7500 for a new sound system. Donate by check with “sound system” in the memo, or give to the designated fund online.

Trinity Fundraising Gala

Please join us on Friday, March 15 for a fundraising dinner with author David Roseberry who will be speaking on his book “The Psalm on the Cross.” Dinner will start at 6PM, followed by David's lecture, Q&A, and book signing. All proceeds will go toward the new sound system. Register today on our app or by emailing lisa@trinitylafayette.com!

	Old Testament	Responsive Psalm	New Testament
This Week	David Brammer	Shawn Howren	Ed Abell
Next Week	Pat Briney	Patricia Townsdin	Donna Guillory

All stand and sing the **THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN**



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THE ACCLAMATION

Priest The time is fulfilled, and the Kingdom of God is at hand.

People **We will repent and believe the good news.**

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE PRAYERS

We pray to thee, Lord Christ. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

For all ministries and missions, especially _____, that they may proclaim the gospel in word and deed, we pray to thee, O Lord. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

For those requesting prayer: _____, and others we now name silently or aloud _____, we pray to thee, O Lord. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

All kneel or sit for THE DECALOGUE

God spoke these words and said:

- I. I am the Lord your God. You shall have no other gods but me.
Lord have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.
- II. You shall not make for yourself any idol.
Lord have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.
- III. You shall not take the Name of the Lord your God in vain.
Lord have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.
- IV. Remember the Sabbath day and keep it holy.
Lord have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.
- V. Honor your father and your mother.
Lord have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.
- VI. You shall not murder.
Lord have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.
- VII. You shall not commit adultery.
Lord have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.
- VIII. You shall not steal.
Lord have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.
- IX. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.
Lord have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.
- X. You shall not covet.
Lord have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION OF SIN

Priest Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

We take a moment of silence for repentance.

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against thee, by thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved thee with our whole hearts. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of thy Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in thy will, and walk in thy ways, to the glory of thy name. Amen.

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit, keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

All stand for

THE NICENE CREED

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Let us confess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed.

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

FROM DEPTHS OF WOE (*Psalm 130, by Martin Luther*)

<p>1 From depths of woe I raise to Thee, The voice of lamentation Lord, turn a gracious ear to me And hear my supplication If Thou shouldst be extreme to mark Each secret sin and misdeed dark O who could stand before Thee? O who could stand before Thee?</p>	<p>4 What though I wait the live-long night And till the dawn appeareth My heart still trusteth in His might: It doubteth not, nor feareth So let the Israelite in heart, Born of the Spirit, do his part And wait till God appeareth, And wait till God appeareth</p>
<p>2 To wash away the crimson stain, Grace, grace alone availeth Our works, alas! Are all in vain In much the best life falleth No man can glory in Thy sight, All must alike confess Thy might And live alone by mercy, And live alone by mercy</p>	<p>5 Although our sin is great indeed, God's mercies far exceed it His hand can give the help we need, However much we need it He is the Shepherd of the sheep, Who Israel doth guard and keep And shall from sin redeem him, And shall from sin redeem him</p>
<p>3 Therefore my trust is in the Lord And not in mine own merit On Him my shall rest, His word upholds my fainting spirit His promised mercy is my fort, My comfort and my sweet support I wait for it with patience I wait for it with patience</p>	

COLLECT OF THE WEEK

Heavenly Father, you have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless until they rest in you: Look with compassion upon the heartfelt desires of your servants, and purify our disordered affections, that we may behold your eternal glory in the face of Christ Jesus; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT

Isaiah 52:5-10

Now therefore what have I here,” declares the Lord, “seeing that my people are taken away for nothing? Their rulers wail,” declares the Lord, “and continually all the day my name is despised. Therefore my people shall know my name. Therefore in that day they shall know that it is I who speak; here I am.”

How beautiful upon the mountain are the feet of him who brings good news, who publishes peace, who brings good news of happiness, who publishes salvation, who says to Zion, “Your God reigns.” The voice of your watchmen—they lift up their voice; together they sing for joy; for eye to eye they see the return of the Lord to Zion. Break forth together into singing, you waste places of Jerusalem, for the Lord has comforted his people; he has redeemed Jerusalem. The Lord has bared his holy arm before the eyes of all the nations, and all the ends of the earth shall see the salvation of our God.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 130

Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord!

O Lord, hear my voice!

Let your ears be attentive

to the voice of my pleas for mercy!

If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities,

O Lord, who could stand?

But with you there is forgiveness,

that you may be feared.

I wait for the Lord, my soul waits,

and in his word I hope;

my soul waits for the Lord

more than watchmen for the morning,

more than watchmen for the morning.

O Israel, hope in the Lord!

For with the Lord there is steadfast love,

and with him is plentiful redemption.

And he will redeem Israel

from all his iniquities.

NEW TESTAMENT

2 Corinthians 2: 12-17

When I came to Troas to preach the gospel of Christ, even though a door was opened for me in the Lord, my spirit was not at rest because I did not find my brother Titus there. So I took leave of them and went on to Macedonia.

But thanks be to God, who in Christ always leads us in triumphal procession, and through us spreads the fragrance of the knowledge of him everywhere. For we are the aroma of Christ to God among those who are being saved and among those who are perishing, to one a fragrance from death to death, to the other a fragrance from life to life. Who is sufficient for these things? For we are not, like so many, peddlers of God's word, but as men of sincerity, as commissioned by God, in the sight of God we speak in Christ.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

All stand for **THE SEQUENCE HYMN**

Jesus, remember me, when you come into your kingdom.

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THE GOSPEL

JOHN 12:1-11

Lector The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to John.

People **Glory be to thee, Lord Christ.**

Six days before the Passover, Jesus therefore came to Bethany, where Lazarus was, whom Jesus had raised from the dead. So they gave a dinner for him there. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those reclining with him at table. Mary therefore took a pound of expensive ointment made from pure nard, and anointed the feet of Jesus and wiped his feet with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (he who was about to betray him), said, "Why was this ointment not sold for three hundred denarii and given to the poor?" He said this, not because he cared about the poor, but because he was a thief, and having charge of the moneybag he used to help himself to what was put into it. Jesus said, "Leave her alone, so that she may keep it for the day of my burial. For the poor you always have with you, but you do not always have me."

When the large crowd of the Jews learned that Jesus was there, they came, not only on account of him but also to see Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. So the chief priests made plans to put Lazarus to death as well, because on account of him many of the Jews were going away and believing in Jesus.

Lector The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise be to thee, Lord Christ.**

THE SERMON

THE REV'D DR. PETER JOHNSTON

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SERMON NOTES

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THE OFFERTORY AND DOXOLOGY

This Lent, cash offerings are given to support St. Joseph's Diner.

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise Him all creatures here below
Praise Him above ye heavenly host
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

THE COMMUNION PRAYERS

Officiant The Lord be with you

People **And with thy spirit**

Officiant Lift up your hearts

People **We lift them up unto the Lord**

Officiant Let us give thanks unto our Lord God

People **It is meet and right so to do**

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God. Therefore, with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious name, forever praising thee and singing

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power, God of might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

All sit or kneel

All glory be to thee, Almighty God, our heavenly Father, for that thou did give thine only son, Jesus Christ, to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there, by his one oblation of himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation, and satisfaction for the sins of the whole world, and did institute, and in his holy gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.

Here the Priest circles the altar and faces the people

On the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my Body which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the forgiveness of sins: Whenever you drink it, do this in remembrance of me."

Therefore, Lord Jesus, according to thy commandment, we with these gifts make that memorial; remembering thy blessed passion and precious death, thy mighty resurrection and glorious ascension.

All sing: **Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
have mer-cy on us, have mer-cy on us. (Repeat)**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
gra-nt us peace, gra-nt us peace.**

Come thou, Holy Spirit, descend upon us and fill this place, that we who in faith receive these gifts of bread and wine may partake of the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Here we present unto thee ourselves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy, and living sacrifice, that dying to ourselves, we might live in Christ.

By Him, with Him, and in Him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory be thine, Father Almighty, world without end. **Amen.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER AND THE RECEPTION OF COMMUNION

Priest In the words that Christ has taught us, we are bold to say:

People **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, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.**

Priest The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

People **We do not presume to come to this thy table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy table. But thou art the same Lord, whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.**

+ *All baptized Christians are welcome to receive communion*

+ *Wine is distributed, grape juice is on the pedestal*

+ *To receive a blessing instead of communion, cross hands in front of chest*

To THEE I COME

To Thee I come a sinner poor And wait for mercy at Thy door
Indeed, I've nowhere else to flee, Oh God be merciful to me!

To Thee I come a sinner weak And scarce know how to pray or speak
From fear and weakness set me free, Oh God be merciful to me!

To Thee I come a sinner vile, Upon me Lord vouch-safe to smile
Mercy through blood I make my plea, Oh God be merciful to me!

To Thee I come a sinner great And well thou knowest all my state
Yet full forgiveness is with thee, Oh God be merciful to me!

To Thee I come a sinner lost, Nor have I aught where into trust
But where thou art, Lord, I would be, Oh God be merciful to me!
To glory bring me Lord at last And there when all my sins are passed
With all the saints I'll then agree, Oh God be merciful to me!

MIGHTY TO SAVE

Everyone needs compassion, a love that's never failing
Let mercy fall on me, everyone needs forgiveness
The kindness of a Saviour, the hope of nations

Chorus: Savior, He can move the mountains
My God is mighty to save, He is mighty to save
Forever, Author of Salvation
He rose and conquered the grave
Jesus conquered the grave

So take me as You find me, all my fears and failures
And fill my life again, I give my life to follow
Everything I believe in, now I surrender (*Chorus*)

Shine your light and let the whole world see
We're singing for the glory of the risen King, Jesus
Shine your light and let the whole world see
We're singing for the glory of the risen King! (*Chorus*)

THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Priest Let us pray.

Almighty and everliving God, we thank thee for feeding us with the spiritual food, of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of thy Son, and heirs of thine eternal kingdom.

And now, Father, send us out to do the work thou hast given us to do, to love and serve thee as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to thee, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

All stand to sing **LIVING HOPE**

**How great the chasm that lay between us
How high the mountain I could not climb
In desperation, I turned to heaven
And spoke Your name into the night
Then through the darkness, Your loving-kindness
Tore through the shadows of my soul
The work is finished, the end is written
Jesus Christ, my living hope**

**Who could imagine so great a mercy?
What heart could fathom such boundless grace?
The God of ages stepped down from glory
To wear my sin and bear my shame
The cross has spoken, I am forgiven
The King of kings calls me His own
Beautiful Savior, I'm Yours forever
Jesus Christ, my living hope**

Chorus: **Hallelujah, praise the One who set me free
Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on me
You have broken every chain
There's salvation in Your name
Jesus Christ, my living hope**

**Then came the morning that sealed the promise
Your buried body began to breathe
Out of the silence, the Roaring Lion
Declared the grave has no claim on me
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Out of the silence, the Roaring Lion
Declared the grave has no claim on me
Jesus, Yours is the victory, whoa!**

Chorus

THE PEACE AND THE BENEDICTION

Priest The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And with your Spirit.**

Priest Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Priest Now may the God of peace himself sanctify you completely, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ; and the Blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be amongst you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

As we go, we share with one another a sign of Christ's peace.



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