



TRINITY *8 September 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

Men's Bible Study

Women's Bible Reading Group

Trinity School of Arts

Morning Prayer

Trinity Scholars

Prayer Group

Day & Time

Wednesday @ 7AM

Thursday @ 10 AM

Thursday @ 4 PM

Friday @ 11 AM

Saturday @ 8AM

Sunday @ 11:30 AM

Location

ZOOM

Family Center

Sanctuary

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Library

Sundays

Communion Service

Sunday @ 10 AM

Sanctuary

Potluck Lunch Celebration for Kevin Lindholm

Join us for a Potluck Lunch following today's morning service to celebrate Kevin Lindholm, as he relocates to his home in California. Everyone is welcome!

	Old Testament	Responsive Psalm	New Testament
<i>This Week</i>	Virginia Reinhardt	Maura Foret	Pat Briney
<i>Next Week</i>	Bill Cober	Shawn Howren	Pat Brenham

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

**See, the Conqu'ror mounts in triumph; see the King in royal state,
Riding on the clouds, his chariot, to his heav'nly palace gate.**

**Hear the choir of angel voices joyful alleluias sing,
And the gates on high are opened to receive their heav'nly King.**

**Who is this that comes in glory, trumpets sound with jubilee?
Lord of battles, God of armies, he has gained the victory.**

**He who on the cross did suffer, he who from the grave arose,
He has vanquished sin and Satan, he by death has beat his foes.**

**You have raised our human nature on the clouds to God's right hand;
There we'll sit in heav'nly places, there with you in glory stand.**

**Jesus reigns, adored by angels, man with God is on the throne;
Mighty Lord, in thine ascension, we by faith behold our own.**

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.**

All kneel or sit for **THE PRAYERS**

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

For our bishops, clergy, vestry and leaders, for all congregations and ministries, especially _____, we pray to thee, O Lord. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

For our elected officials and all public institutions, that they may govern according to thy truth, we pray to thee, O Lord. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

For all who suffer in body, mind, or spirit, that they may know the peace of God, we pray to thee, O Lord. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

For those who do not believe, that they may receive the light of the Gospel, and be born again to new life, 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.*

For ourselves and all who have died, that by faith in Christ we may be delivered on the Day of Judgment, we pray to thee, O Lord. *Lord, hear our prayer.*

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 APOSTLE'S CREED

Priest Let us confess our faith in the words of the Apostle's Creed.

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

I believe 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. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

WHY DO THE NATIONS RAGE? (PSALM 2)

Chorus: Why do the nations rage
And the kings of the earth all plot in vain?
One day every tongue will praise
And every knee will bow.

The kings of the earth have set themselves
The rulers join in dark cartels
Against the Lord they would rebel
They've turned from Christ the King. Huh! (*Chorus*)

I will tell of the decree
'You are my Son' he said to me
'Today I have begotten thee
In Zion is my King.' Huh! (*Chorus*)

Kiss the Son, lest he be mad
His anger's swift if your way is bad
In Him are grace and refuge had
Rejoice for Christ is King. Huh! (*Chorus*)

All sit for **THE WELCOME**

COLLECT OF THE WEEK

O Lord God, grant your people grace to withstand the temptations of the world, the flesh, and the devil, and with pure hearts and minds to follow you, the only God; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE OLD TESTAMENT

Exodus 35:30-35

Then Moses said to the people of Israel, “See, the Lord has called by name Bezalel the son of Uri, son of Hur, of the tribe of Judah; and he has filled him with the Spirit of God, with skill, with intelligence, with knowledge, and with all craftsmanship, to devise artistic designs, to work in gold and silver and bronze, in cutting stones for setting, and in carving wood, for work in every skilled craft. And he has inspired him to teach, both him and Oholiab the son of Ahisamach of the tribe of Dan. He has filled them with skill to do every sort of work done by an engraver or by a designer or by an embroiderer in blue and purple and scarlet yarns and fine twined linen, or by a weaver—by any sort of workman or skilled designer.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 2

Why do the nations rage
and the peoples plot in vain?

**The kings of the earth set themselves,
and the rulers take counsel together,
against the Lord and against his Anointed, saying,**

“Let us burst their bonds apart
and cast away their cords from us.”

**He who sits in the heavens laughs;
the Lord holds them in derision.**

Then he will speak to them in his wrath,
and terrify them in his fury, saying,

**“As for me, I have set my King
on Zion, my holy hill.”**

I will tell of the decree:

**The Lord said to me, “You are my Son;
today I have begotten you.**

Ask of me, and I will make the nations your heritage,
and the ends of the earth your possession.

**You shall break them with a rod of iron
and dash them in pieces like a potter’s vessel.”**

Now therefore, O kings, be wise;
be warned, O rulers of the earth.

**Serve the Lord with fear,
and rejoice with trembling.**

Kiss the Son, lest he be angry, and you perish
in the way, for his wrath is quickly kindled.

Blessed are all who take refuge in him.

THE NEW TESTAMENT

Ephesians 6:10-24

Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his might. Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil. For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers over this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand firm. Stand therefore, having fastened on the belt of truth, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness, and, as shoes for your feet, having put on the readiness given by the gospel of peace. In all circumstances take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming darts of the evil one; and take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God, praying at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer and supplication. To that end, keep alert with all perseverance, making supplication for all the saints, and also for me, that words may be given to me in opening my mouth boldly to proclaim the mystery of the gospel, for which I am an ambassador in chains, that I may declare it boldly, as I ought to speak.

So that you also may know how I am and what I am doing, Tychicus the beloved brother and faithful minister in the Lord will tell you everything. I have sent him to you for this very purpose, that you may know how we are, and that he may encourage your hearts.

Peace be to the brothers, and love with faith, from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. Grace be with all who love our Lord Jesus Christ with love incorruptible.

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

All stand for **THE SEQUENCE HYMN**

**He will rejoice over you with singing,
He will rejoice over you with His song!
The Lord your God is in your midst;
The Mighty One will save;
He will rejoice over you with gladness,
He will quiet you with His love,
He will rejoice, He will rejoice,
He will rejoice with shouts of joy!**

THE GOSPEL

Luke 18:1-8

Priest The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Luke.

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

And he told them a parable to the effect that they ought always to pray and not lose heart. He said, "In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor respected man. And there was a widow in that city who kept coming to him and saying, 'Give me justice against my adversary.' For a while he refused, but afterward he said to himself, 'Though I neither fear God nor respect man, yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will give her justice, so that she will not beat me down by her continual coming.'" And the Lord said, "Hear what the unrighteous judge says. And will not God give justice to his elect, who cry to him day and night? Will he delay long over them? I tell you, he will give justice to them speedily. Nevertheless, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?"

Priest 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

All stand to sing

**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

Priest The Lord be with you.

People **And with thy spirit.**

Priest Lift up your hearts.

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

Priest 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.

Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!

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.**

LET US LOVE AND SING AND WONDER

**Let us love and sing and wonder, let us praise the Savior's name
He has hushed the law's loud thunder, he has quenched Mount Sinai's flame
He has washed us with His blood (3X) He has brought us nigh to God**

**Let us love the Lord Who bought us, pitied us when enemies
Called us by His grace and taught us, gave us ears and gave us eyes
He has washed us with His blood (3X) He presents our souls to God**

**Let us sing though fierce temptation threatens hard to bear us down
For the Lord, our strong salvation, holds in view the conqu'ror's crown
He, Who washed us with His blood (3X) Soon will bring us home to God**

Let us wonder grace and justice, join and point to mercy's store
When through grace in Christ our trust is, justice smiles and asks no more
He Who washed us with His blood (3X) Has secured our way to God

Let us praise and join the chorus of the saints enthroned on high
Here they trusted Him before us, now their praises fill the sky
Thou hast washed us with Thy blood (3X) Thou art worthy Lamb of God

YOUR WILL BE DONE

Your will be done, my God and Father, as in heaven, so on earth
My heart is drawn to self-exalting, help me seek Your Kingdom first
As Jesus walked, so I shall walk, held by Your same unchanging love
Be still my soul, O lift your voice and pray:
'Father, not my will, but Yours be done.'

How in that Garden He persisted, I may never fully know
The fearful weight of true obedience, it was held by Him alone
What wondrous faith, to bear that cross,
To bear my sin, what wondrous love
My hope was sure, when there my Saviour prayed:
'Father, not my will, but Yours be done.'

When I am lost, when I am broken, in the night of fear and doubt
Still I will trust in my good Father, yes, to one great King I bow!
As Jesus rose, so I shall rise in ransomed glory at the throne
My heart restored, with all Your saints I sing:
'Father, not my will, but Yours be done!'

As we go forth, our God and Father, lead us daily in the fight
That all the world might see Your glory and Your Name be lifted high!
(2x) And in this Name we overcome for You shall see us safely home
Now as Your church, we lift our voice and pray:
'Father, not my will, but Yours be done!'
(2X) 'Father, not my will, but Yours be done'

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 **ALL GLORY BE TO CHRIST**

**Should nothing of our efforts stand, no legacy survive,
Unless the Lord does raise the house, in vain its builders strive.
To you who boast tomorrow's gain, tell me, what is your life?
A mist that vanishes at dawn, all glory be to Christ!**

***Chorus:* All glory be to Christ our king!
All glory be to Christ!
His rule and reign we'll ever sing
All glory be to Christ!**

**His will be done, His kingdom come on earth as is above.
Who is Himself our daily bread, praise Him, the Lord of love.
Let living water satisfy, the thirsty without price.
We'll take a cup of kindness yet, all glory be to Christ!**

(Chorus)

**When on the day the great I Am, the faithful and the true,
The Lamb who was for sinners slain is making all things new.
Behold our God shall live with us and be our steadfast light.
And we shall e'er his people be, All glory be to Christ!**

(Chorus)

THE PEACE AND THE BENEDICTION

Priest The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And with your Spirit.**

Priest Alleluia! Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia!**

Priest And the peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord: 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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