



GLORIA DEI LUTHERAN CHURCH

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HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY

May 30, 2021

(8:30am, 10:00am, 5:00pm)

WELCOME to worship! Today is Holy Trinity Sunday. We begin our summer emphasis: "Inside Outside Church." That is, we come together inside to be inspired and to give thanks, but then we go outside to be the church in service to all. A part of this theme will be a different classic prayer connected to scripture. We also will sing parts of a new musical liturgy/chanting. You will learn it quickly! May the Spirit inspire us while inside, in order to go outside to share God's grace with all we meet.

THE PRELUDE

Fred Johnson, Pianist/Organist

(The Sacrament of Baptism will take place at the outdoor font prior to the 8:30am service. You are welcome to participate there or find a seat inside and we will join you shortly.)

THE GATHERING HYMN: *Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God Almighty*

#413 vv. 1-2

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty!

Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.

Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!

God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

**Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
which wert and art, and evermore shalt be.**

THE INVOCATION AND CONFESSION

(People read/sing **bold** words.)

Most merciful God, we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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. 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.

(Silence for confession. The pastor proclaims the forgiveness.)

THE KYRIE (Kyrie eleison means "Lord have mercy.")

Kyrie, eleison - **Kyrie, eleison.**

Kyrie, eleison - **Kyrie, eleison.**

Lord of reconciliation, heal our wounds in darkest times.

Kyrie, eleison - **Kyrie, eleison.**

In the midst of fear and violence, make our lives a prayer of peace.

Christe, eleison - **Christe, eleison.**

Healer of the broken-hearted, guide us to heaven's shores.

Kyrie, eleison - **Kyrie eleison.**

Kyrie, eleison - **Kyrie eleison.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY (The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**)

THE FIRST LESSON: Isaiah 6:1-8 (Word of God. Word of Life. **Thanks be to God!**)

THE SECOND LESSON: Romans 8:12-17 (Word of God. Word of Life. **Thanks be to God!**)

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: (Please stand for the Gospel.)

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Leader: Speak, O Lord, Your servant is listening. You have the words of eternal life.
(People sing Alleluia again.)

The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew the twenty-eighth chapter. **Glory to You, O Lord.**

THE GOSPEL: Matthew 28:16-20

Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

(The Gospel of our Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**)

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, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary and became truly human. 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, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who 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.

THE CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Annette Fettis

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HYMN OF THE DAY: Will You Let Me Be Your Servant
Will you let me be your servant, let me be as Christ to you?
Pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant, too.

#659 vv. 1-3

We are pilgrims on a journey, we are trav-'lers on the road;
we are here to help each other walk the mile and bear the load.

I will hold the Christ-light for you in the night-time of your fear;
I will hold my hand out to you, speak the peace you long to hear.

THE MESSAGE: "*The Inside Out Church*"

Pastor David R. Mattson

OFFERING AND OFFERTORY MUSIC: "*Après un Reve*" by Fauré

Ashley Santore, viola and Fred Johnson, piano

OFFERTORY RESPONSE: **The Doxology**

THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH (After each prayer - Lord in Your mercy. **Hear our Prayer.**)

THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE BLESSING

THE SENDING HYMN: Lift High the Cross

#660 vv. 1-2

Refrain: **Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim**
till all the world adore his sacred name.

Come, Christians, follow where our captain trod,
our king victorious, Christ, the Son of God. [Refrain]

All newborn servants of the Crucified
bear on their brows the seal of him who died. [Refrain]

SENDING WORDS: Go in peace. Serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

THE POSTLUDE

Fred Johnson, Organist/Pianist

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

GUESTS - We're glad you have joined us! Please sign-in at the Welcome Table to receive a gift. Thank you for worshipping with us.

THANKS to Ashley Santore and Fred Johnson for playing the viola/piano duet this morning. And to Michelle Lum for leading us in singing and to all the other volunteers!

WORSHIP (inside, outside, online) - Sit wherever you see a bulletin. Face masks are required until the State/Bishop/Council say otherwise. We will "err" on the side of keeping everyone safe!

MEMORIAL DAY is tomorrow. We honor those who have died in service of our country during the Prayers of the Church and we pray for God's blessing and protection on our active service men and women and their families.

NEWSLETTER for June in paper form is available at the Welcome Table.

SUMMER EMPHASIS begins! "The Inside Out Church" - Each Sunday, a classic prayer will be connected with scripture for our inside emphasis and a monthly community bingo game will get us outside for the good of the neighbors. Pick up your bingo card at the Welcome Table (You can't win, if you don't play!).

WELCOME Emma Janzen who joins us for June/July as a ministry student. She is a Junior at California Lutheran University and she will experience many aspects of church work. She begins on Tuesday.

NURSERY is available at the 8:30am & 10am services. Services for babies - pre-K. The attendants are vaccinated and they will be wearing masks. They will be at the playground and inside.

SUMMER CONCERTS BEGIN - This Wednesday, June 2, 12pm. Come enjoy this lunchtime, casual concert, with Kathy person on violin and Micaela Lum playing the keyboard. No reservations needed.

COVID LONG HAUL RELIEF (CLHR) - All who continue to struggle with symptoms from Covid-19 are invited to this support group - Wednesdays, 7pm, beginning this Wednesday, June 2. Questions, call the office or Kayla Carlson.

BACCALAUREATE - Next Sunday - June 6. If you have a high schooler wanting to participate, call the office. The blessing rite will be held at all services.

EMPTY NESTERS - Backhus household on Saturday, June 12 at 5:30pm. Drinks & main dish provided. Bring an appetizer or dessert to share. Call the office for the gate code for Backhus's neighborhood.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - Three days of VBS fun on June 15 -17, 9am - noon. Registration forms available online at www.mygloriadei.org/youth-ministry-junior-high-and-younger or at the Welcome Table. Volunteers needed; Please sign-up at the Welcome Table. Next VBS Planning meeting is June 2, 4pm in the office conference room.

MINISTRY CELEBRATION (Annual Meeting) and lunch, June 27, 11am. Join us for a party as we give thanks to God for Gloria Dei. Taco Carts. Kids fun - Entertainment. Brief meeting.

OFFERING - Please place check/money in boxes, or **ELECTRONIC GIVING** - Venmo app - @GloriaDei-Dana Point. Alternatively, you can give via credit card or debit card through our secure site: mygloriadei.org/donate. Thank you for supporting the ministry of Gloria Dei Lutheran Church!

CONSTITUTION CHANGES - Annual Meeting - To ensure the Constitution/Bylaws reflect current practices (use of technology) and the treatment of real property given to the church. Proposed amendments at Welcome Table. Questions, contact Council V.P. Mark Schroeder.

COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS - Not feeling well or at risk (pre-existing conditions/elderly), or cannot wear a mask - please watch the livestream. Extra masks & hand sanitizers available at Welcome Table.

VACCINATIONS - If you or someone you know is having difficulty registering for a shot, please contact the church office. Volunteers are also able to drive people to receive their shot.

WELCOME South Coast Literacy Council - working to assist adults in OC acquire English skills. Meeting Thursday mornings 10am - 12pm, July 15 - September 2. Volunteers welcomed. Pick up a flyer at the Welcome Table.

UPCOMING: 3rd-5th Grade Bonfire/S'mores (June 30, 7pm); Casual Concert with Micaela Lum on Organ (July 7); Sr. Hi Youth Kern River White Water Rafting (July 24-27); Intern Pastor Veronica Gould joins Gloria Dei for the year beginning August 17.

THANKS TO OUR WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY!

8:30am: Lector: Henri Nurminen; Usher: Henri Nurminen; Welcome Table: Diane Kelly

10am: Lector: NEED; Usher: Willie Knottnerus; Welcome Table: Peggy Johnson

5pm: Communion & Lector: Bill Ramsey

OPPORTUNITIES FOR MAY 30 - JUNE 5, 2021

Today: Worship (8:30am & 10am, 5pm); Nursery Care (8:30am & 10am)

Monday: Memorial Day/office closed; Alanon (5:30pm); ACA (7pm); Alanon (7pm)

Tuesday: AA Men (7am); AA Women (9:30am); Brass Practice (4pm); Alanon (7pm)

Wednesday: AA Men (7am); Women's Bible Study (10am); Casual Lunch Concert (12pm); Covid Long Haul Relief Group (CLHR) 7pm

Thursday: AA Men (7am); AA Women (9:30am); Bell Rehearsal (6:30pm); AA Men (7pm)

Saturday: Prayer Shawl (9am); Women's Board Meeting (9:15am); NA Meeting (7pm)

THE INSIDE OUT CHURCH: The Prayer for the Week - *"Gloria Patri"*

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.