



# Trinity Presbyterian Church

*Gathering in the Name of the Triune God*

A Southeastern Wisconsin PCA (Presbyterian Church of America) church.

## November 17, 2013

### **JESUS IS RISEN!**

### **HE IS RISEN INDEED!**

*In the name of the risen and reigning Lord Jesus Christ welcome: to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; to all who are spiritually weary and seek rest; to all who mourn and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire hope; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are strangers and yearn for fellowship; and to whomever will come.*

*We assemble together each Lord's Day as a gathering of God's children with each other, but primarily, as a meeting of the triune God with His chosen people. God is present with us by His omnipresence but, much more intimately, as the faithful covenant Savior. Christ is the Mediator by whom alone we can come unto God. He is the head of the church. He rules over public worship. In corporate worship – when God meets with His people, Christ with His bride, the Spirit with His temple – we receive God's grace through the Word and sacrament, and we respond to Him with thanksgiving, faith, and love.*

**Lord's Day Service  
November 17, 2013**

*Prelude – We silently prepare our hearts to worship our Lord.*

### **Entrance – God Calls Us to Worship**

**\* Call to Worship**

**Psalm 113**

**\* Hymn of Praise**

Trinity Hymnal, #286  
*We Gather Together*

**\* Salutation & Responsive Scripture**

Minister: Jesus is risen!

**People: He is risen indeed!**

*Luke 24:6, 34*

Minister: Our help is in the Name of Yahweh,

**People: Who made heaven and earth.**

*Psalm 124:8*

Minister: The eyes of all look expectantly to You,

**People: And You give them their food in due season.**

Minister: You open Your hand

**People: And satisfy the desire of every living thing.**

*Psalm 145:15-16*

Minister: In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit!

**People: Amen!**

*Matthew 28:19*

Minister: The Lord be with you!

**People: And also with You!**

*Ruth 2:4*

### **Purification – We Confess Our Sins to God**

**Lord our God, we come to You as Your children and servants, grateful for the redemption that is ours in Jesus Christ, and yet aware of our continuing need of Your grace. We confess that we were born in sin and have continued to sin. We have broken Your commandments. We have fallen short of Your glory. We have not loved You with all our heart, mind, soul and strength. We have not always loved one another in deed and in truth. We acknowledge our guilt. Blot out our transgressions, wash us from our iniquities, deliver us from bloodguiltiness. Forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. Have mercy upon us, O Lord, in Jesus' name. Amen.**

(Silent prayers of confession are offered.)

Minister: Now lift up your heads and hear the good news! God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy on us. He has given His only Son to die for us, and for His sake forgives us of all our sins.

**People: Thanks be to God! Our sins are forgiven in Jesus' name. Amen.**

## Ascension – God Consecrates Us by His Word

Minister: Lift up your hearts! *Psalm 86:4*

People: **We lift them up to the Lord!** *Lam 3:41*

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

People: **It is proper and right to do so!** *Psalm 92:1*

Minister: Truly, it is proper, right, and beneficial, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks to You, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, who with your only-begotten Son and the Holy Spirit are one God, one Lord, Therefore with angels and archangels and all the company of heaven, and with the Church on earth, we praise and magnify Your glorious Name, evermore praising You and singing:

\* **Hymn of Preparation** *Psalter, #111A*  
*O Praise the LORD*

\* **Prayer**

**Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: Grant us so to hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.**

\* **Lesson from the Old Testament** *Psalm 111, 112*

Minister: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

\* **Lesson from the New Testament** *2 Corinthians 9:1-15*

Minister: This is the Gospel of our Lord Jesus.

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

**Sermon** **"Thanksgiving Applied: Imitating the Gracious, Compassionate Yahweh"**

## Tribute – We Offer Ourselves through Tithes

\* **Hymn of Consecration** *Psalter, #112B*  
*Praise to the Lord*

\***Presentation & Dedication of Tithes & Offerings**

**Prayers of the Church** **Requests & Lord's Prayer**

## Peace – We Commune with God

**Words of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper** *1 Corinthians 11:23-26*

**We Confess Our Faith in the Triune, Incarnate God** **Creed** (inside hymnal cover)

\* **Hymn of Thanksgiving** *Trinity Hymnal, #614*  
*We Plow the Fields*

## Benediction – God Commissions & Blesses Us

\* **The Lord's Commission of Us** **Matthew 28:19-20**

\* **We Receive God's Blessing, His Good Word to Us** **Numbers 6:24-26**

\* **We Bless the LORD, Lifting Our Hands and Voices to Him** **Doxology**

\* **Threefold Amen & Postlude**

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### LORD'S SUPPER

We observe Communion, or the Lord's Supper, weekly in our midst.

We believe it is worthily received by those who:

1. Have been baptized in the name of the Triune God (Matt 28:18-20);
2. Do profess faith in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God, and Savior of sinners, and do rest upon Him alone for salvation as He is offered in the Gospel (Ro 10:9-10);
3. Do live in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit and endeavor to live as becomes the followers of Jesus Christ (Gal 5:16-26); and
4. Are communing members in good standing in an evangelical church (1 Cor 10:1-6)

If these things are all true, we rejoice with you and invite you to commune with us at the Lord's Supper. If any of these are not true of you, we ask that you refrain. We invite you to speak to one of the Elders if you have doubts or questions regarding any of these beliefs, or if you are interested in learning more about Trinity.

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*Though collections are not ordinarily taken during a service, giving is a vital element of worship. Tithes and offerings may be placed in the basket at the rear of the church. (2 Corinthians 9:6-11)*

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## Sermon Notes – November 17, 2013

### "Thanksgiving Applied: Imitating the Gracious, Compassionate Yahweh" Text: Ps 111-112

1. Alphabetical song praising Yahweh for God at work (Ps 111).
  - A. His \_\_\_\_\_ (2)
  - B. His \_\_\_\_\_ (3,5,6)
  - C. His \_\_\_\_\_ (4-9)
2. Alphabetical song praising Yahweh for godliness at work, those who imitate Him (Ps 112)
  - A. His \_\_\_\_\_ (1)
  - B. His \_\_\_\_\_ (2-3; Ep 5,6; Ge 18:19; 2 Ti 1:5)
  - C. His \_\_\_\_\_ (4-9; 2 Cor 9)

## Announcements

### Sunday School

Sunday School will meet at 11:30. Lesson 3 – on Members, officers and courts of the Church.

### Lessons & Carols

Ladies who want to sing in the Christmas Lessons & Carols service, please gather at the front at 11:15, to practice *The Holly and the Ivy*. Each Sunday until the service, a practice will be held at this time before Sunday School.

### Westminster Shorter Catechism Review

Catechism review for this week:

Q. 98. *What is prayer?*

A. Prayer is an offering up of our desires unto God, for things agreeable to his will, in the name of Christ, with confession of our sins, and thankful acknowledgment of his mercies.

Q. 99. *What rule has God given for our direction in prayer?*

A. The whole Word of God is of use to direct us in prayer; but the special rule of direction is that form of prayer which Christ taught his disciples, commonly called *The Lord's Prayer*.

### Ladies Study

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Ladies Advent Party will be held on 12/29 in lieu of the regular December study time. Details will be e-mailed after Thanksgiving. Study will resume on Monday, January 13<sup>th</sup>.

### Save the Date

- November 27 – Thanksgiving Eve service, 7 pm.
- December 9 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Ladies Advent Party, 7 pm
- December 29 – Lessons & Carols service, Sunday night
- December 31 – New Year's eve fellowship

### Set-up Teams

Teams should arrive at 9:00 am Sunday mornings. If your family cannot set-up on your assigned week, please swap with another family and notify both team leaders.

#### **NEXT WEEK:**

Team 2    November 24    J Hummel\*, Dietzel, B Dykema, Nagle, Ruchti

#### **FOLLOWING WEEKS:**

Team 3    December 1    J Pennington\*, Cox, K Hummel, Nader, N Pennington

Team 4    December 8    S Reich\*, Burie, Gerth, Hammer

Team 1    December 15    K Dykema\*, D Dykema, Greenwald, Jens, Kelling, Zitzke