



# Trinity Presbyterian Church

*Gathering in the Name of the Triune God*

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

## February 9, 2014

### **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 February 9, 2014

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

*Welcome & Announcements*

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

#### **\* Call to Worship**

Minister: Let us stand and worship God...in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit!

**People: Amen!**

*Matt 28:1*

Minister: The Lord be with you!

**People: And also with you!**

*Ruth 2:4*

Minister: O LORD, my God, I cried out to You,

**People: You healed me and brought my soul up from the grave**

Minister: Sing praise to the LORD, you saints of His;

**People: Give thanks at the remembrance of His holy name.**

*Ps 30:2-4*

#### **\* Hymn of Praise**

*Psalter, #30B*

*O LORD, I Will Exalt You*

#### **\* Prayer**

Minister: Let us pray to the Lord.

**People: Set us free, O God, from the bondage of our sins, and give us the liberty of that abundant life which you have made known to us in your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; who with you and the Holy Spirit, lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. Amen.**

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

Minister: Brothers and sisters in Christ, let us kneel together and humbly confess our sins to God our Father, asking him in the name of Christ our Savior to grant us forgiveness: Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer, we poor sinners confess to you that we are by nature sinful and unclean and that we have sinned against you by thought, word, and deed. Therefore, we flee for refuge to your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring your grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**People: O most merciful God, since you have given your one and only Son to die for me, have mercy on me and for his sake grant me forgiveness for all my sins; and by your Holy Spirit increase in me true knowledge of you and of your will and true**

**obedience to your Word, so that by your grace I may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. 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 good, right and beneficial that we should give thanks to you at all times and in every place, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God. For in the mystery of the Word made flesh you have given us a new revelation of your glory so that knowing you in the Person of your Son, we may be drawn to love you and your people. 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** Trinity Hymnal, #403  
*Not What My Hands Have Done*

\* **Lesson from the Old Testament** **Psalm 80; Daniel 7:13-14**

Minister: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

\* **Lesson from the New Testament** **Mark 2:1-12**

Minister: This is the Gospel of our Lord Jesus.

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

**Sermon** **"The Authority of the Son of Man: Jesus & a Paralytic"**

### **Tribute – We Offer Ourselves through Tithes**

\* **Hymn of Consecration** Trinity Hymnal, #279  
*O Thou Who the Shepherd of Israel Art*

\* **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** **John 6:53-63**

**We Confess Our Faith in the Triune, Incarnate God** **Creed**

\* **Hymn of Thanksgiving** *Great God of Wonders!* (See Insert)

### **Benediction – God Commissions & Blesses Us**

\* **The Lord's Commission of Us** **Colossian 3:13-14**

\* **We Receive God's Blessing, His Good Word to Us** **1 Thessalonians 5:23, 28**

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

\* **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 – February 9, 2014

### "The Authority of the Son of Man: Jesus & a Paralytic"

Text: Mark 2:1-12

1. How did Capernaum become the new " \_\_\_\_\_ " for Jesus? (1-2; Mt 9:1; Lu 5:17)
2. How can someone be \_\_\_\_\_ by another person's faith? (3-5)
3. How do we claim to be forgiven, if we still \_\_\_\_\_ the effects of sin? (6-9)
4. Who on earth has \_\_\_\_\_ to forgive sins? (10-12; Da 7:13-14,22; Mt 9:8; 16:19; 18:18; Jn 20:23)

## Announcements

### Sunday School

Sunday School will meet today at 11:30. The Session will present the 2013 financial report and 2014 budget.

### Fellowship Meal

After the financial report, we will have our Fellowship Meal downstairs. Please join us!

### Men's Retreat

Transformed: 2014 Men's Retreat, Friday Evening - Saturday Afternoon 3/7-3/8. Cost depends on your room choice. Registration deadline is today.

### Ladies Study

The ladies will meet tomorrow (2/10) at 7 pm to discuss Chapter 3 of the study book.

### Heidelberg Catechism Review - Part 2 Deliverance: Lord's Day 6

Q 16. *Why must the mediator be a true and righteous human?*

A. God's justice demands that human nature, which has sinned, must pay for sin; but a sinful human could never pay for others.

Q 17. *Why must the mediator also be true God?*

A. So that the mediator, by the power of his divinity, might bear the weight of God's wrath in his humanity and earn for us and restore to us righteousness and life.

Q 18. *Then who is this mediator—true God and at the same time a true and righteous human?*

A. Our Lord Jesus Christ, who was given to us to completely deliver us and make us right with God.

Q 19. *How do you come to know this?*

A. The holy gospel tells me. God began to reveal the gospel already in Paradise; later God proclaimed it by the holy patriarchs and prophets and foreshadowed it by the sacrifices and other ceremonies of the law; and finally God fulfilled it through his own beloved Son..

### Scripture Memory of the Week

Scripture memory: John 1:1-5, 11-15. This week memorize v 14-15, and review v 1-5, 11-13.

14, *And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth.*

15, *John bore witness of Him and cried out, saying, "This was He of whom I said, 'He who comes after me is preferred before me, for He was before me.'"*

### Men's Forum

Men's Forum will meet Sunday night February 23 at 7:00 pm.

### Midweek Study

Beginning March, Pastor will lead a mid-week Bible study on eschatology, building from the Revelation sermon series but considering other texts (Daniel, Mt 24...). The study will be at the church, 7 pm, either Wed or Thurs evening.

### 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; both team leaders should be notified of the change.

#### **NEXT WEEK:**

Team 2      February 16      J Hummel\*, Dietzel, B Dykema, Nagle, Ruchti

#### **FOLLOWING WEEKS:**

Team 3      February 23      J Pennington\*, Cox, K Hummel, Nader, N Pennington

Team 4      March 2      S Reich\*, Burie, Gerth, Hammer

Team 1      March 9      K Dykema\*, D Dykema, Greenwald, Jens, Kelling, Zitzke