

## Lord's Day Service March 3, 2013

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

### Entrance – God Calls Us to Worship

**\* Call to Worship**

**Psalm 119, Selection 60**

Trinity Hymnal, page 655

**\* Hymn of Praise**

Trinity Hymnal, #32  
*The God of Abraham Praise*

**\* Salutation & Responsive Scripture**

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

**People: Amen!** *Matthew 28:19*

Minister: O Lord, open our lips

**People: And our mouth shall show forth your praise.** *Psalm 51:15*

Minister: I will say of the Lord, "He is my refuge and my fortress;

**People: My God, in Him will I trust."**

Minister: For He shall give His angels charge over you,

**People: To keep you in all your ways.** *Psalm 91:2, 11*

Minister: Our help is in the name of Yahweh,

**People: Who made heaven and earth.** *Psalm 124:8*

Minister: If we say that we have no sin,

**People: We deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us;**

Minister: But if we confess our sins,

**People: God is faithful and just to forgive our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.** *1 John 1:8, 9*

### Purification – We Confess Our Sins to God

**Most merciful God, I confess to you that I am by nature sinful and unclean, and that I have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed; not only in outward transgressions, but also in secret thoughts and desires that I am not able to understand, but which are all known to you. I have not loved You with my whole heart; I have not loved one another as myself. For this reason, I flee for refuge to your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring your grace, through my Lord Jesus Christ. 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: The Lord be with you!

**People: And also with you!**

*Ruth 2:4*

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 our duty that we should at all times, and in all places, give praise to You O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting King. 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:

**\* Doxology**

*Unto God Almighty* (see insert)

**\* Hymn of Preparation**

**Psalter, #1B**

*How Blessed the Man Who Does Not Walk*

**\* Prayer**

**Almighty God, you alone can bring into order the unruly wills and affections of sinners: Grant your people grace to love what you command and desire what you promise; that, among the swift and varied changes of the world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

**\* Lesson from the Old Testament**

**Genesis 3**

Minister: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**\* Lesson from the New Testament**

**1 John 2:3-17**

Minister: This is the Gospel of our Lord Jesus.

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

**Sermon**

**"Walking in Love"**

### Tribute – We Offer Ourselves through Tithes

**\* Hymn of Consecration**

Trinity Hymnal, #20

*Give to Our God Immortal Praise*

**\*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 10:14-22

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

\* *Hymn of Thanksgiving*      Trinity Hymnal, #70  
*Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven*

## Benediction – God Commissions & Blesses Us

\* *The Lord's Commission of Us*      Romans 12:1-2

\* *We Receive God's Blessing, His Good Word to Us*      Hebrews 13:20-21

\* *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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## Trinity Presbyterian Church

*Gathering in the Name of the Triune God*  
A Southeastern Wisconsin PCA (Presbyterian Church of America) church.

## March 3, 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.*

## Sermon Notes – March 3, 2013

### "Walking in Love"

Text: 1 Jn 2:12-17

1. Walk in Father-love as *children, fathers & young men*, the \_\_\_\_\_ of the church (2:12-14)
  - A. By *little children* John addresses all saints in the churches, identifying what we share in \_\_\_\_\_ (12,13)
  - B. By *fathers and young men*, John distinguishes two groups, each group having a particular \_\_\_\_\_ (13,14)
2. Don't walk in love with the world, or its evil desires (2:15-17)
  - A. John warns against loving the "*world*" of humanity organized in \_\_\_\_\_ to God.  
What *world* are we not to love?
  - B. How do the evil *desires* of the world correspond to:
    - 1) Eve's desires when she looked at the tree of knowledge?
    - 2) Yahweh's three gifts to Old Covenant Israel?
    - 3) The Gospel and God's gift of His incarnate Son?
    - 4) Temptations of desire which overtake us?

## Announcements

### Worship Service

Please note new responses in the worship order under the Salutation.

### Sunday School

During the Sunday School period, the Hammers will give a report of their recent trip to Guatemala and their past mission work there.

### Westminster Shorter Catechism Review

Catechism for this week:

Q.19. What is the misery of that estate whereinto man fell?

A. All mankind by their fall lost communion with God, are under his wrath and curse, and so made liable to all the miseries of this life, to death itself, and to the pains of hell forever.

Q.20. Did God leave all mankind to perish in the estate of sin and misery?

A. God having, out of his mere good pleasure, from all eternity, elected some to everlasting life, did enter into a covenant of grace to deliver them out of the estate of sin and misery, and to bring them into an estate of salvation by a Redeemer.

### Ladies Study

The women of the church will meet this Tuesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>, 7 pm at the church. Be prepared to discuss chapter 3 of *The True Woman*, by Susan Hunt.

### Fellowship Meal

We will have a Fellowship Meal next Sunday after the morning services. Each family should bring a main dish to share. In addition, Teams 1, 3 & 5 should bring a side dish of salad and bread; Teams 2 & 4 bring a dessert. Team 2 is on dinner set-up, kitchen management & clean-up.

### Set-up Teams

Set-up 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 4    March 10    J Pennington\*, Dietzel, Nader, Nagle, N Pennington

#### **FOLLOWING WEEKS:**

Team 5    March 17

S Reich\*, Burie, Gerth, Hammer

Team 1    March 24

Kingsley\*, Cotey, K Hummel, Jens, Markert

Team 2    March 31

Dykema\*, Greenwald, Kelling, Ruchti

Team 3    April 7

J Hummel\*, Cox, B Dykema, D Dykema, Zitzke