

LORD's Day Service - July 5, 2020
Preparation for Worship: *Psalm 89:11,13-16*

God Calls us into His presence; we respond with praise.

*Call to Worship: Psalm 46

Grace to you and peace, in the name of the Father & of the Son & of the Holy Spirit.

Amen!

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Our help is in the Name of the Lord!

Who made heaven and earth!

Hymn: Trinity 617 "God the All terrible"

God Cleanses us; we gladly confess of our sins to Him.

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

But if we confess our sins, God, Who is faithful and just, will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. 2 Chronicles 36:11-12

Let us kneel before the Lord our God.

Eternal God and our heavenly Father, in You we live and move and have our being; Do not hide Your face from us because of our sins, but have compassion on us, and subdue our iniquities. Cleanse us from all our offenses; deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires. Grant that we may draw near to You, in lowliness and meekness. Confessing our sins, we confide in Your grace and mercy through Christ, Your Son, our Lord and Savior. Amen! (Silent prayer)

Assurance of Pardon: 2 Chronicles 7:13-14

Beloved, your sins are forgiven through Christ.

Thanks be to God! Our sins are forgiven in Jesus' name. AMEN!

Lift up your hearts!

We lift them up to the Lord!

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

It is proper and right to do so!

Truly it is our greatest joy to give thanks to You at all times and in every situation, O Lord, holy Father, Almighty and everlasting God; Only You can cleanse us and fill us with joy. Therefore, with all saints on earth and the heavenly host, we praise Your holy name and join their glorious song, singing:

Sanctus: **Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord, God of Hosts.**

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!

Hymn: Trinity 618 "To Thee, our God, we fly"

Prayer: **Keep, O Lord, Your household the Church in Your steadfast faith and love, that through Your grace we may proclaim Your truth with boldness, and minister Your justice with compassion; for the sake of our Savior Jesus Christ, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen!**

God Consecrates by His Word; we listen & offer ourselves to Him.

Old Testament Lesson: Daniel 5:17-31

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Epistle Lesson: Acts 17:22-34

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Gospel Lesson: Luke 18:9-17

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus.

Praise to You, O Christ!

Sermon: "The Finger-writing on the Wall: Interpreted & Fulfilled"

Hymn: Psalter 137 "By Babel's streams we sat and wept"

Dedication of tithes & offerings

Prayers of the Church

God communes with us; we eat with joy at His Table.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

We confess our faith in the Triune, Incarnate God

Hymn: Trinity 619 "Almighty God, Thy lofty throne"

God commissions & blesses us; we march out to serve Him

The Lord's Commission of us: 2 Timothy 4:2

We receive God's blessing, His good Word to us: 2 Thessalonians 3:16

We bless the Lord, lifting our hands and voices to Him: Doxology

“The Finger-writing on the Wall: Interpreted & Fulfilled”

Daniel 5:17-31 7/5/2020

1 A necessary, opening _____: the beginning & ending of the Babylonian empire

A. Daniel recounts God’s dealings with the father, Nebuchadnezzar, including his sins (18-21)

1) _____ (18-19; 1 Co 4:7)

2) _____ (20-21; Ps 9:17)

B. Daniel charges the son, Belshazzar, for similar, but heightened sins against God (22-24; Ro 3:23)

1) We are all _____ upon God as our Creator, preserver, benefactor, owner ruler.

2) It is our _____ to God to consider this _____ (WSC 1; 1 Co 10:31)

3) We all have _____ on this _____ (Ro 3:23).

2 The divine _____: the interpretation of the word on the wall (24-29)

3 The _____ inflicted: fulfillment of the writing on the wall (30-31)

Announcements:

1) **Welcome:** We are so glad you came today. If you have any questions about Trinity Presbyterian Church, please call 262-894-8768. We ask visitors to fill out a card in the rack and leave it in the offering basket on the back table.

2) **Children:** We love kids & encourage their presence in the entire Lord's Service. In the basement we do have an area for nursing moms and a cry area to attend to a child's need.

3) **Prayer:** An important part of worship is intercessory prayer. Each Sunday morning one of the officers prays for the congregation. If you have a request, please fill out a prayer card on the back table and put it in the offering box prior to the service.

4) **First Catechism:** This week memorize question 143, “Will the Lord Jesus come again?” Review questions 130-142.

- 5) **Fellowship meal/ picnic, next Sunday.** Bring your meat to grill and your own picnic lunch...
- 6) **No fellowship break/ snacks** or **S.S.** until further notice.