



# Emmanuel Lutheran Church

***BLENDING WORSHIP AT 10:00 AM***

***SUNDAY, JUNE 07<sup>TH</sup>, 2020***

**Holy Trinity Sunday**

*(You may also follow the Order of Worship as projected on the overhead screens.)*

## **THE GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## **A PRAYER ASKING FOR GOD'S PRESENCE**

**OPENING SONG:** "Stand in Your Love"

## **THE INVOCATION**

### **CONFESSION**

Lord, we are a restless and fearful people. As the weight of our sins increase, we look everywhere for release. We confess today that we have not found solutions to our problems or deliverance from our burdens. We desire peace. Our hearts need a resting place where the worries, anxieties, and stress of everyday life are in perspective and where the sin of our life is forgiven. Lord, give us peace and forgive our sin.

### **ABSOLUTION**

Our God is a God of peace. God says, "Come to me, all who are tired from carrying heavy loads and I will give you rest. Take my yoke and put it on you, and learn from me, because I am gentle and humble in spirit; and you will find rest for your souls". The peace we so desperately seek is ours through Christ Jesus. The weight of our sin has been taken by Him in His death and resurrection. We no longer are carrying our sin but we are free; released from sin's burden. We can be at peace because of God's great love for us as His children. Praise God for His love and peace.

**INTROIT:** *Psalm 146:1-10 (ESV)*

Praise the Lord!

Praise the Lord, O my soul!

I will praise the Lord as long as I live;  
I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.

Put not your trust in princes,  
in a son of man, in whom there is no salvation.  
When his breath departs, he returns to the earth;  
on that very day his plans perish.

Blessed is he whose help is the God of Jacob,  
whose hope is in the Lord his God,  
who made heaven and earth,  
the sea, and all that is in them,  
who keeps faith forever;  
who executes justice for the oppressed,  
who gives food to the hungry.

The Lord sets the prisoners free;  
the Lord opens the eyes of the blind.  
The Lord lifts up those who are bowed down;  
the Lord loves the righteous.  
The Lord watches over the sojourners;  
he upholds the widow and the fatherless,  
but the way of the wicked he brings to ruin.

The Lord will reign forever,  
your God, O Zion, to all generations.  
Praise the Lord!

**SONG:** "In Christ Alone"

## **CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

### **THE SCRIPTURE READINGS**

**THE OLD TESTAMENT READING:** *Deuteronomy 4:32-39 (ESV)*

For ask now of the days that are past, which were before you, since the day that God created man on the earth, and ask from one end of heaven to the other, whether such a great thing as this has ever happened or was ever heard of. Did any people ever hear the voice of a god speaking out of the midst of the fire, as you have heard, and still live? Or has any god ever attempted to go and take a nation for himself from the midst of another nation, by trials, by signs, by

wonders, and by war, by a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, and by great deeds of terror, all of which the Lord your God did for you in Egypt before your eyes? To you it was shown, that you might know that the Lord is God; there is no other besides him. Out of heaven he let you hear his voice, that he might discipline you. And on earth he let you see his great fire, and you heard his words out of the midst of the fire. And because he loved your fathers and chose their offspring after them and brought you out of Egypt with his own presence, by his great power, driving out before you nations greater and mightier than you, to bring you in, to give you their land for an inheritance, as it is this day, know therefore today, and lay it to your heart, that the Lord is God in heaven above and on the earth beneath; there is no other.

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

**THE EPISTLE READING:** *Romans 8:12-17 (ESV)*

So then, brothers, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh. For if you live according to the flesh you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, "Abba! Father!" The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him.

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

**THE HOLY GOSPEL:** *Matthew 28:16-20 (ESV)*

Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. And 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, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

**SONG OF THE DAY:** "Trust In You"~ Soloist Rachel Seiler

**SERMON:** *"Why Are You Afraid?" ~ Rev. Keith Enko*

**CONFESSION OF FAITH:** *The Apostles Creed*

**LIFTING UP OF OUR PRAYERS**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER** (*LSB pg. 162*)

**THE BLESSING**

**CLOSING SONG:** "Whom Shall I Fear?"

**(OFFERING: collection plates are located at the doors of the sanctuary.)**