

Worship Leader: Pastor Ross Else  
Organist: Mrs. Marilyn Feliciano

**This Week at Emmaus**

<b>TODAY</b>	Worship w/Lord's Supper	8:00 am
	Bible Study	9:15 am
	Worship	10:30 am
<b>TUESDAY</b>	Church Council Meeting	6:30 pm
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	Bible Class	6:30 pm
<b>SATURDAY</b>	Confessional Service w/Lord's Supper	6:00 pm
<b>NEXT SUNDAY</b>	Worship	8:00 am
	Bible Study	9:15 am
	Worship w/Lord's Supper	10:30 am

**Announcements**

**Those with ongoing health and other struggles** - Lilly Ventura; Sarah Eversole; Mikayla Vander Galien; Katie Conklin; Collette Bodjanac; Daryll Wondrak; Wanda Yazzie; Dick and Linda Toetz's great grandson, Asher; Bill and Christa Hayes' friend, Chris Pool, (cancer); Marion Worgull's son-in-law, Pastor James Humann; Barb Wendt; Kelley Koroch's brother, Bobby Johns; Linda Thompson; Richard & Linda Toetz's brother-in-law, Dave Jagdfeld (bone cancer); Phyllis Baltisburger; Barb Osborn; Barb Widmann; Brad Anderson's cousin Butch Fahler; Rich Tollefson; Brad Anderson; Roger Wilde's wife, Carol; Vince Wallenberg; Ellen King; Diane Scheel; Linda Thompson's sister Kathy Desch (cancer)

**Those who are** - sick, unemployed, traveling, celebrating birthdays and anniversaries, serving in the military, single, married, parents, children.

**Giving Thanks** - along with Beverly and Darwin Stellmacher, who celebrated their 55<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on June 13. May God continue to bless and keep you both.

**Voters' Meeting** - Sunday, June 30<sup>th</sup>, we will be having our Voters' Meeting to approve the budget and elect new officers and board members. The meeting will start after the 10:30 am service, around 11:45 - 12:00. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

**Update** - At the end of May the Fellowship Hall roof was replaced. The A/C unit in the 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade classroom was also replaced with a new unit in May.

The other list of building projects/repairs/improvement that need doing will continue to be addressed as funds remain and become available, and in order of priority set by the Board. If you have any questions, please speak with our board chairman, Mr. Nathan Brekken.

**Bathrooms/Baby Changing Tables** - are located in the Fellowship Hall, which is the large building in front of the church. (The building closest to the parking lot) There are changing tables in both bathrooms for your convenience. The bathrooms are located on the east end of the building.

**Worship Attendance**

Sunday, June 9 - 141 (83 - 8:00 am, 58 - 10:30am)

**Income from week ending June 9, 2019**    **Month Total**    **Monthly Budget**

First Fruits Offering	\$4348	\$9960	\$23,377
School	\$8871.40	\$9925.47	\$16,810
Preschool/Extended Care	\$1484.86	\$1737.72	\$1442

**“The Holy Trinity reveals Himself to Sinners”**



**Emmaus Evangelical Lutheran Church**

**June 16, 2019**

**Holy Trinity Sunday**

## THE GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE BEFORE HIM

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OPENING HYMN “Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty” (CW #195)

*STAND*

**P:** The grace of our Lord (+) Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you.

**C:** **And also with you.**

### CONFESSION OF SINS

**P:** God invites us to come into his presence and worship him with humble and penitent hearts. Therefore, let us acknowledge our sinfulness and ask him to forgive us.

*The congregation may kneel.*

**C:** **Holy and merciful Father, I confess that I am by nature sinful, and that I have disobeyed you in my thoughts, words, and actions. I have done what is evil and failed to do what is good. For this I deserve your punishment both now and in eternity. But I am truly sorry for my sins, and trusting in my Savior Jesus Christ, I pray: Lord, have mercy on me, a sinner.**

**P:** God, our heavenly Father, has been merciful to us and has given his only Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by his authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son (+) and of the Holy Spirit.

**C:** **Amen.**

### PRAYER AND PRAISE

LORD, HAVE MERCY

*Kyrie*

**P:** For all that we need in life and for the wisdom to use all your gifts with gratitude and joy, hear our prayer, O Lord.

*(Part 2)*

M: The Father is neither made nor created nor begotten of anyone.

**C: The Son is neither made nor created, but is begotten of the Father alone.**

M: The Holy Spirit is neither made nor created nor begotten,

**C: but proceeds from the Father and the Son.**

M: So there is one Father, not three Fathers; one Son, not three Sons;  
one Holy Spirit, not three Holy Spirits.

**C: And within this Trinity none comes before or after; none is greater or inferior, but all three persons are coequal and coeternal,**

M: so that, in every way, as stated before, all three persons are to be worshipped as one God and one God worshipped as three persons.

**C: Whoever wishes to be saved must have this conviction of the Trinity.**

*(Part 3)*

M: It is furthermore necessary for eternal salvation truly to believe that our Lord Jesus Christ also took on human flesh.

**C: Now this is the true Christian faith: We believe and confess that our Lord Jesus Christ, God's Son, is both God and man.**

M: He is God, eternally begotten from the nature of the Father, and He is man, born in time from the nature of His mother, fully God, fully man, with rational soul and human flesh,

**C: Equal to the Father as to His deity, less than the Father as to His humanity;**

M: And though He is both God and man, Christ is not two persons but one,  
One, not by changing the deity into flesh, but by taking the humanity into God;

**C: One, indeed, not by mixture of the natures, but by unity in one person;**

M: For just as the rational soul and flesh are one human being,

**C: So God and man are one Christ.**

**All: He suffered for our salvation, descended into hell, rose the third day from the dead. He ascended into heaven, is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty, And from there will come to judge the living and the dead.**

M: At His coming all people will rise with their own bodies to answer for their personal deeds.

**C: Those who have done good will rise to enter eternal life,  
But those who have done evil will go into eternal fire.**

**All: This is the true Christian faith.**

**Whoever does not faithfully and firmly believe this cannot be saved.**

## ATHANASIAN CREED

### A Confession of Faith for Trinity Sunday

*This creed is named after St. Athanasius, a staunch defender of the Christian faith in the fourth century. It was prepared to assist the Church in combating two errors that undermined Bible teaching. One error denied that God's Son and the Holy Spirit are of one being or Godhead with the Father. The other error denied that Jesus Christ is true God and true man in one person. The Athanasian Creed continues to serve the Christian Church as a standard of the truth. It declares that whoever rejects the doctrine of the Trinity and the doctrine of Christ is without saving faith.*

#### (Part 1)

M: Whoever wishes to be saved must, above all else, hold to the true Christian faith.  
Whoever does not keep this faith pure in all points will certainly perish forever.

**C: Now this is the true Christian faith:**

**We worship one God in three persons and three persons in one God,  
Without mixing the persons or dividing the divine being.**

M: For each person—the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit—is distinct,

**C: but the deity of Father, Son, and Holy Spirit is one,  
equal in glory and coeternal in majesty.**

M: What the Father is, so is the Son, and so is the Holy Spirit.

**C: The Father is uncreated, the Son uncreated, the Holy Spirit uncreated;**

M: The Father is infinite, the Son infinite, the Holy Spirit infinite;

**C: The Father is eternal, the Son eternal, the Holy Spirit eternal;**

M: yet they are not three who are eternal, but there is one who is eternal,

**C: just as they are not three who are uncreated, nor three who are infinite,  
but there is one who is uncreated and one who is infinite.**

M: In the same way the Father is almighty, the Son is almighty, the Holy Spirit is almighty;

**C: yet they are not three who are almighty, but there is one who is almighty.**

M: So the Father is God, the Son is God, the Holy Spirit is God;

**C: yet they are not three Gods, but one God.**

M: So the Father is Lord, the Son is Lord, the Holy Spirit is Lord;

**C: yet they are not three Lords, but one Lord.**

M: For just as Christian truth compels us to confess each person individually to be God and Lord,

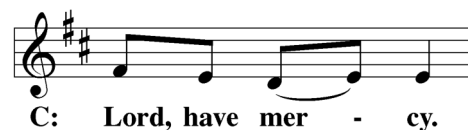
**C: so the true Christian faith forbids us to speak of three Gods or three Lords.**



**P:** For the steadfast assurance that nothing can separate us from your love and for the courage to stand firm against the assaults of Satan and every evil, hear our prayer, O Christ.



**P:** For the well-being of your holy Church in all the world and for those who offer here their worship and praise, hear our prayer, O Lord.



**P:** Merciful God, maker and preserver of life, uphold us by your power and keep us in your tender care:



**P:** The works of the Lord are great and glorious; his name is worthy of praise.

## O LORD, OUR LORD

C: O Lord, our Lord, how glo - rious is your name in  
all the earth. Al - might - y God, mer - ci - ful Fa - ther,  
you crown our life with your love. You take a - way our sin;  
you com - fort our spir - it; you make us pure and  
ho - ly in your sight. You did not spare your on - ly Son,  
but gave him up for us all. O Lord, our Lord,  
how glo - rious is your name in all the earth.  
O Son of God, e - ter - nal Word of the Fa - ther,  
you came to live with us; you made your Fa - ther known;

## \*SECOND SERVICE closing prayer

**P:** O Lord God, our heavenly Father, pour out the Holy Spirit on your faithful people. Keep us strong in your grace and truth, protect and comfort us in all temptation, and bestow on us your saving peace, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: A - men.

**P:** Brothers and sisters, go in peace. Live in harmony with one another. Serve the Lord with gladness.

The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.  
The Lord look on you with favor and (+) give you peace.

C: A - men. A - men. A - men.

## CLOSING HYMN

## “God Loved the World so that He Gave” (CW #391)

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## THANKSGIVING

STAND

## THANK THE LORD



C: Thank the Lord and sing his praise. Tell ev-'ry-one what he has done.



Let all who seek the Lord re-joice and proud-ly bear his name.



He re-news his prom-is - es and leads his peo-ple forth in joy with



shouts of thanks - giv - ing. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

## \*FIRST SERVICE closing prayer

**P:** Hear the prayer of your people, O Lord, that the lips which have praised you here may glorify you in the world, that the eyes which have seen the coming of Your Son may long for His coming again, and that all who have received in His true body and blood Your forgiveness may be restored to live a new and holy life, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



C: A - men.



you washed us from our sins in your own blood. You are the



King of glo - ry; you are the Lord! O Lord, our Lord,



how glo - rious is your name in all the earth.

**P:** Let us pray. Almighty God and Father, dwelling in majesty and mystery, filling and renewing all creation by Your eternal Spirit, and manifesting Your saving grace through our Lord Jesus Christ: in mercy cleanse our hearts and lips that, free from doubt and fear, we may ever worship You, one true immortal God, with Your Son and the Holy Spirit, living and reigning, now and forever.



C: A - men.

*Please be seated*

## THE WORD

## FIRST LESSON

Isaiah 6:1-7

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and exalted, and the train of his robe filled the temple. 2 Above him stood the seraphim. Each one had six wings. With two they covered their faces. With two they covered their feet. With two they flew. 3 One called to another and said, "Holy, holy, holy, is the LORD of Armies! The whole earth is full of his glory!" 4 The foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of the one who called, and the temple was filled with smoke. 5 Then I said, "Woe to me! I am ruined, because I am a man with unclean lips, and I dwell among a people with unclean lips, and because my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of Armies!" 6 Then one of the seraphim flew to me, carrying a glowing coal in his hand, which he had taken from the altar with tongs. 7 He touched my mouth with the coal and said, "See, this has touched your lips, so your guilt is taken away, and your sin is forgiven." (EHV)

## PSALM 73 (p.94 in front section of hymnal)

## SECOND LESSON

## Romans 11:33-36

33 Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are his judgments and how untraceable his ways! 34 “For who has known the mind of the Lord, or who has been his adviser?” 35 “Or who has first given to God that he will be repaid?” 36 For from him and through him and to him are all things. To him be the glory forever! Amen. (EHV)

## VERSE OF THE DAY

**P:** Alleluia. Holy, holy, holy is the Lord Almighty; the whole earth is full of His glory. Alleluia. (Isaiah 6:3)

C: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

These words are writ - ten that we may be - lieve that

Je - sus is the Christ, the Son of God.

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

*Please stand for the reading of the Gospel*

## GOSPEL LESSON

## John 3:1-17

1 There was a man of the Pharisees named Nicodemus, a member of the Jewish ruling council. 2 He came to Jesus at night and said to him, “Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God, for no one can do these miraculous signs you are doing unless God is with him.”

C: A - men.

## O CHRIST, LAMB OF GOD

*Agnus Dei*

C: O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the

world; have mer - cy on us. O Christ, Lamb of God, you

take a - way the sin of the world; have mer - cy on us.

O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the

world; grant us your peace. A - men.

**DISTRIBUTION** (*During distribution the congregation will sing Hymn 317*)

**HOLY, HOLY, HOLY**

*Sanctus*

C: Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord of hosts.

The whole earth is full of your glo - ry.

You are my God, and I will ex - alt you.

I will give you thanks, for you have be - come my sal -

va - tion. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord of hosts.

The whole earth is full of your glo - ry.

**WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

P: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night He was betrayed, took bread; and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying, “Take and eat; this is My body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of Me.”

Then He took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, “Drink from it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My blood, which is poured out for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

3 Jesus replied, “Amen, Amen I tell you: Unless someone is born from above, he cannot see the kingdom of God.” 4 Nicodemus said to him, “How can a man be born when he is old? He cannot enter a second time into his mother’s womb and be born, can he?” 5 Jesus answered, “Amen, Amen, I tell you: Unless someone is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God! 6 Whatever is born of the flesh is flesh. Whatever is born of the Spirit is spirit. 7 Do not be surprised when I tell you that you must be born from above. 8 The wind blows where it pleases. You hear its sound, but you do not know where it comes from or where it is going. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit.” 9 “How can these things be?” asked Nicodemus. 10 “You are the teacher of Israel,” Jesus answered, “and you do not know these things? 11 Amen, Amen, I tell you: We speak what we know, and we testify about what we have seen. But you people do not accept our testimony. 12 If I have told you earthly things and you do not believe, how will you believe if I tell you heavenly things? 13 No one has ascended into heaven, except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man, who is in heaven. 14 “Just as Moses lifted up the snake in the wilderness, so the Son of Man must be lifted up, 15 so that everyone who believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.” 16 “For God so loved the world that he gave his only-begotten Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish, but have eternal life. 17 For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him. (EHV)

C: Praise be to you, O Christ!

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*Please be seated*

**HYMN “Come, Holy Ghost, Creator Blest” (CW #177)**

**SERMON John 3:1-17**

**“The Triune God has given you birth by the gospel”**

1. Everyone needs this birth
2. The Holy Spirit works this birth in Baptism
3. The Son of Man was lifted up so we’d have this birth

*STAND*

**THE ATHANASIAN CREED—part 3, page 15 of worship folder**

*BE SEATED*

**OFFERING**

*STAND*

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**P:** Gracious God and Father, we praise you for the countless blessings, which we receive from your hand: the beauties of creation and the bounties of the earth, the joy of life and the pleasure of friendship, the good of work and the gift of rest, the privilege to share happiness and sorrow with one another. Above all we praise and thank you for your saving Word and for your Son's body and blood, which you give us to eat and to drink in the sacrament. Through these means of grace, you send the Holy Spirit into our hearts and unite us to Jesus and to the whole Christian Church on earth.

**C:** **Strengthen us through this heavenly food; increase our trust in Christ and our love for one another.**

**P:** Great God and Lord, without your continuing help we easily waver in our faith, lose courage, and grow careless in our watchfulness. The times and days are perilous. Give us strength to face the evils of each day with fresh confidence. Open our lips to speak of your grace, and move us to use the gifts that you give us to share your Word of salvation with all people. Protect and prosper the family, the school, the government, and all good institutions that you have established for the benefit of society. Remember in mercy those who are sick and suffering, and bring your healing to troubled homes and lives.

**C:** **Move us to pray for those in need and to help them with deeds of kindness.**

*Special prayers and intercessions may follow.*

**P:** Hear us, Lord, as we bring you our private petitions.

*Silent prayer.*

**P:** Now, eternal God and Father, keep us in the saving faith and so enable us to overcome all things through our Lord Jesus Christ.

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

*\*First service continues with the Sacrament; Second service continues on page 14*

**THE SACRAMENT**

**P:** The Lord be with you.



**C:** And al - so with you.

**P:** Lift up your hearts.



**C:** We lift them up to the Lord.

**P:** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.



**C:** It is right to give him thanks and praise.

**P:** Praise to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In love He has blessed us with every spiritual blessing. In perfect unity with His Son and the Holy Spirit, He is the Source, Guide, and Goal of our lives now and always.

Now have come the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of His Christ. To Him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be praise and thanks and honor and glory for ever and ever: