

Faith Lutheran Church

May 31, 2026

10:10 a.m. at Library Square
Holy Trinity Sunday



Gathering Music

God of Wonders (CCLI #3118757)

Lord of all creation, of water, earth, and sky.

The heavens are your tabernacle, Glory to the Lord on high.

Chorus: God of wonders beyond our galaxy, You are holy, holy,
The universe declares Your majesty. You are holy, holy.
Lord of heaven and earth. Lord of heaven and earth.

Early in the morning I will celebrate the light.

When I stumble in the darkness, I will call your name by night. *Chorus*

Hallelujah to the Lord of heaven and earth.

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Chorus: God of wonders beyond our galaxy, You are holy, holy.

Precious Lord reveal Your heart to me. Father hold me, hold me.

The universe declares Your majesty. You are holy, holy. *Repeat*

Indescribable (CCLI #4403076)

From the highest of heights to the depths of the sea
Creation's revealing Your majesty. From the colors of Fall
To the fragrance of Spring, Ev'ry creature unique
In the song that it sings all exclaiming.

Chorus: Indescribable, uncontainable, You placed the stars in the sky
And You know them by name. You are amazing God
All powerful, untamable. Awestruck we fall to our knees
As we humbly proclaim You are amazing God.

Who has told ev'ry lightning bolt where it should go?

Or seen heavenly storehouses laden with snow.

Who imagined the sun and gives source to its light

Yet conceals it to bring us the coolness of night? None can fathom. *Chorus*

You are amazing, God

Indescribable, uncontainable, You placed the stars in the sky

And You know them by name. You are amazing God.

Incomparable, unchangeable, You see the depths of my heart

And You love me the same. You are amazing God,

You see the depths of my heart And You love me the same.

You are amazing God. *Repeat*

You see the depths of our hearts and You love us the same.

You are amazing God.

Greeting and Announcements

Holy, Holy, Holy (CCLI Song #1156)

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!

Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.

Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!

God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,

Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;

Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,

Which wert and art and evermore shalt be.

Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,

Though the eye of sinful man Thy glory may not see,

Only thou art Holy; there is none beside thee,

Perfect in power, in love and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!

All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.

Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!

God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness

P: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

P: 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 our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

P: Most merciful God,

C: We confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name, Amen.

P: Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. As a fellow member of the priesthood of all believers and by the authority of Jesus Christ I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God our Father, dwelling in majesty and mystery, renewing and fulfilling creation by your eternal Spirit, and revealing your glory through our Lord Jesus Christ: Cleanse us from doubt and fear, keep us steadfast in faith, and bring us at last to worship you in the presence of your eternal glory, with your Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

His Glory And My Good (CCLI Song #7235691)

I have seen my Father's glory revealed in Jesus Christ

And the more that I behold Him the more He satisfies

When I gaze upon His beauty, when I see Him as I should

Then my eyes are lifted upward for His glory and my good.

There is hope in every trial; For I can trust the Lord

He will turn my heart towards Him and help me bear the thorn

So in faith I follow Jesus on the road not understood

For I know that He is working for His glory and my good.

Chorus: To our God be the glory; To our God be praise

He alone the name above all names. I will boast ever only

In the Lord my God for I know His glory is my good

See the open arms of Jesus upon the cross that day

What they understood as weakness deserves my every praise

For the charge that was against me, it was nailed into the wood

Yes I know that He has saved me for His glory and my good.

Would I gladly be made nothing that Christ would be made more

Would I seek the only kingdom that far outweighs them all

I will stand before my Father where the faithful saints have stood

And with joy my heart shall praise Him for His glory and my good. Chorus

First Reading: Isaiah 42:1-4

Here is my servant, whom I uphold, my chosen, in whom my soul delights; I have put my spirit upon him; he will bring forth justice to the nations. He will not cry or lift up his voice, or make it heard in the street; a bruised reed he will not break, and a dimly burning wick he will not quench; he will faithfully bring forth justice. He will not grow faint or be crushed until he has established justice in the earth; and the coastlands wait for his teaching.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Second Reading: Acts 2:14a, 22-39

Peter said, "You that are Israelites, listen to what I have to say: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with deeds of power, wonders, and signs that God did through him among you, as you yourselves know—this man, handed over to you according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of those outside the law. But God raised him up, having freed him from death, because it was impossible for him to be held in its power.

David says concerning him, "I saw the Lord always before me, for he is at my right hand so that I will not be shaken; therefore my heart was glad, and my tongue rejoiced; moreover my flesh will live in hope. For you will not abandon my soul to Hades, or let your Holy One experience corruption. You have made known to me the ways of life; you will make me full of gladness with your presence." "Fellow Israelites, I may say to you confidently of our ancestor David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. Since he was a prophet, he knew that God had sworn with an oath to him that he would put one of his descendants on his throne. Foreseeing this, David spoke of the resurrection of the Messiah, saying, "He was not abandoned to Hades, nor did his flesh experience corruption." This Jesus God raised up, and of that all of us are witnesses. Being therefore exalted at the right hand of God, and having received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit, he has poured out this that you both see and hear. For David did not ascend into the heavens, but he himself says, "The Lord said to my Lord, "Sit at my right hand, until I make your enemies your footstool." "Therefore let the entire house of Israel know with certainty that God has made him both Lord and Messiah, this Jesus whom you crucified." Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and to the other apostles, "Brothers, what should we do?" Peter said to them, "Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ so that your sins may be forgiven; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is for you, for your children, and for all who are far away, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to him."

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Installation of Summer Fellows Isabelle Dressen and Martha Picton

Faith Seeds Niki Pokornowski

Faith Seeds is a time for children of all ages to come forward for a lesson geared to them.

Gospel Acclamation "Alleluia"

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia to you alone.

Lord, to whom shall we go?

You alone have the words of eternal life.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, to you alone.

Gospel Reading: Matthew 28:16-20

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

L: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Sermon "ALL" Pastor Scott Grorud

Holy Forever (CCLI # 7201044)

A thousand generations falling down in worship; To sing the song of ages to the Lamb, and all who've gone before us and all who will believe will sing the song of ages to the Lamb.

Chorus: Jesus Your name is the highest. Your name is the greatest.

Your name stands above them all. All thrones and dominions

All powers and positions. Your name stands above them all.

And the angels cry, Holy. All creation cries, Holy.

You are lifted high, Holy, Holy forever.

If you've been forgiven and if you've been redeemed, sing the song forever to the Lamb. If you walk in freedom and if you bear His name Sing the song forever to the Lamb, we'll sing the song forever and amen.

Chorus: Hear Your people sing Holy to the King of Kings Holy

You will always be Holy, Holy forever.

You will always be Holy, Holy forever.

The Athanasian Creed (Abridged)

**We worship one God in trinity and the Trinity in unity,
neither confusing the persons nor dividing the divine being.
For the Father is one person, the Son is another and the
Spirit is still another.
But the deity of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit is one,
equal in glory, co-eternal in majesty.
What the Father is, the Son is, and so is the Holy Spirit.
Uncreated is the Father; uncreated is the Son;
uncreated is the Spirit.
The Father is infinite; the Son is infinite;
the Holy Spirit is infinite.
Eternal is the Father; eternal is the Son;
eternal is the Spirit.
And yet there are not three eternal beings, but one who is
eternal; as there are not three uncreated and unlimited
beings, but one who is uncreated and unlimited.
Almighty is the Father; almighty is the Son;
almighty is the Spirit.
And yet there are not three almighty beings,
but one who is almighty.
Thus, the Father is God; the Son is God;
the Holy Spirit is God.
And yet there are not three gods, but one God.
Thus the Father is Lord; the Son is Lord;
the Holy Spirit is Lord;
And yet there are not three lords, but one Lord.
The Father was neither made nor created nor begotten;
the Son was neither made nor created, but was alone
begotten of the Father; the Spirit was neither made
nor created, but is proceeding from the Father and the Son.
Thus, there is one Father, not three fathers;
one Son, not three sons; one Holy Spirit, not three spirits.
And in this Trinity, no one is before or after, greater or
less than the other
But all three persons are in themselves, co-eternal and co-equal; and so
we must worship the Trinity in unity and the one God in three persons.
Whoever wants to be saved should think thus about the Trinity.**

Offering

Prince of Peace (CCLI Song #2332149)

**You are holy (You are holy). You are mighty (You are mighty)
You are worthy (You are worthy). Worthy of praise (Worthy of Praise)
I will follow (I will follow). I will listen (I will listen)
I will love you (I will love you). All of my days (All of my days)**

Men:

**I will sing to
and worship
the lamb that
is worthy.
I will love you
adore you
I will bow down
before you.
I will sing to
and worship
the lamb that
is worthy
I will love you
adore you
I will bow down
before you.**

Women:

**You are Lord of Lords
You are King of Kings
You are mighty God
Lord of everything.
You're Emmanuel
You're the great I Am.
You're the Prince of peace
Who is the Lamb
You're the living God
You're my saving grace.
You will reign forever
You are ancient of days.
You are Alpha Omega
Beginning and End.
You're my Savior, Messiah
Redeemer and Friend.**

You're my Prince of Peace and I will live my life for you.

Doxology: Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow (CCLI #56204)

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Recognition of High School Graduates

Prayers of the Church

Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Benediction

This I Believe (CCLI Song # 7018338)

**Our Father everlasting, the all creating One, God Almighty,
Through Your Holy Spirit Conceiving Christ the Son Jesus our Saviour**

***Chorus:* I believe in God our Father, I believe in Christ the Son;
I believe in the Holy Spirit, Our God is three in One;
I believe in the resurrection, that we will rise again;
For I believe in the Name of Jesus.**

**Our judge and our defender; Suffered and crucified
Forgiveness is in You, Descended into darkness
You rose in glorious life, Forever seated high**

**I believe in You; I believe You rose again
I believe that Jesus Christ is Lord**

***Chorus:* I believe in life eternal, I believe in the virgin birth
I believe in the saints' communion, and in Your holy Church
I believe in the resurrection, when Jesus comes again
For I believe in the Name of Jesus.**

What Does This Mean?

Questions about today's worship theme.

1. Why was today's Gospel text likely chosen for Holy Trinity Sunday?
2. What else makes it a fitting text for this Sunday?
3. What little word ties the whole text together?
4. How does this text define and motivate Christian mission?

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