

The Holy Trinity
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**ORGAN PRELUDE**

**GATHERING**

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**CATECHETIC MOMENT**

**CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

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**GATHERING HYMN**   Come, Thou Almighty King

**No. 408**

**P**   Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

**C**   And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

**GREETING**

**KYRIE**

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**HYMN OF PRAISE**   *This is the Feast*

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**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

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**P**   We pray. Almighty and everlasting God, you have given to us  
your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to  
acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power

of your divine Majesty to worship the Unity: Keep us steadfast in this faith and worship, and bring us at last to see you in your one and eternal glory, O Father, who with the Son and the Holy Spirit live and reign, one God, for ever and ever.

**C Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

### THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

**FIRST LESSON** A Reading from the Book of Proverbs

Does not wisdom call, and does not understanding raise her voice? On heights, beside the way, at the crossroads she takes her stand; beside the gates in front of the town, at the entrance of the portals she cries out: "To you, O people, I call, and my cry is to all that live.

The Lord created me at the beginning of his work, the first of his acts of long ago. Ages ago I was set up, at the first, before the beginning of the earth. When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no springs abounding with water. Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth—when he had not yet made earth and fields, or the world's first bits of soil. When he established the heavens, I was there, when he drew a circle on the face of the deep, when he made firm the skies above, when he established the fountains of the deep, when he assigned to the sea its limit, so that the waters might not transgress his command, when he marked out the foundations of the earth, then I was beside him, like a master worker; and I was daily his delight, rejoicing before him always, rejoicing in his inhabited world and delighting in the human race."

*(Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31)*

A The word of the Lord.

**C Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM** *Sung* **Psalm 8**

O | LORD our Lord,

how majestic is your name in | all the earth!  
you whose glory is chanted above the heavens out of the mouths of  
in- | fants and children;  
you have set up a fortress against your enemies, to silence the

foe | and avenger.

When I consider your heavens, the work | of your fingers,  
the moon and the stars you have set | in their courses,  
what are mere mortals that you should be mind- | ful of them,  
human beings that you should | care for them?

Yet you have made them little less | than divine;  
with glory and hon- | or you crown them.

You have made them rule over the works | of your hands;  
you have put all things un- | der their feet:

all | flocks and cattle,

even the wild beasts | of the field,

the birds of the air, the fish | of the sea,

and whatever passes along the paths | of the sea.

O | LORD our Lord,

how majestic is your name in | all the earth!

Glory be to the Father, and | to the Son, and to the | Holy Spirit;  
as it was in the begin-| ning, is now and will be forever. | Amen.

## **SECOND LESSON**      A Reading from the Bool of Romans

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

*(Romans 5:1-15)*

**A** The word of the Lord.

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**      Alleluia...

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*Please stand as you are able.*

## **THE HOLY GOSPEL**

**P** The Holy Gospel...

**C** **Glory to you, O Lord**

"I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak

whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.”

*(John 16:12-15)*

P The gospel of the Lord.

**C Praise to you, O Christ.**

*Please be seated.*

## SERMON

**HYMN OF THE DAY** Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty! **No. 413**

**THE ATHANASIAN CREED**

See Handout

**THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

*Please stand as you are able.*

The response to “*we pray to the Lord.*,” is “*Lord, hear our prayer.*”

A On this Trinity Sunday, let us lift our petitions to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

*A brief silence.*

A For the ministers of the church, that they build a community of love which flows from the community of God, we pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, hear our prayer.**

A For every member of the human family, that we may be guided to all truth by the Spirit of truth, we pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, hear our prayer.**

A For the stewards of the earth, that they accept creation as a wondrous gift and work to preserve its beauty, we pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, hear our prayer.**

A For those who celebrate community here, that our labours spread joy and our witness bring peace, we pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, hear our prayer.**

A For justice and peace in Ukraine and all areas that are torn apart by warfare and violence, we pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, hear our prayer.**

A For the sick, that their affliction lead to endurance, their endurance to virtue, and their virtue to hope. We pray for:  
Bruce Beamer, Anna Berwanger, Simret Bogale, Chrystina

Cuch, Colleen Dehmke, Mariette Erasmus, Adeline Erick, Dolores Hollowell, Donna Harbor, Genevieve Janssen, Julie Janssen Downe, Eleanora Lahoda, Fay Larsen, Amy Lynch, Barry Michael, Jean McCowan, Ken and Lydia McTavish, Mark Mutschlechner, Bruce and Judith Nagel, Jerry Rasmuson and family, Jim and Joyce Rasmussen, David Sr. and Joan Richardson, Ron Sauer, Vern Schnell, Rose Sinclair, John Watt, those we name aloud...

and those we carry in our heart; we pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, hear our prayer.**

A We pray for your holy catholic Church:

- the BC Synod staff, pastors, people, and Bishop Kathy Martin
- all Area council members and Highwood's council
- our synod candidates for ministry
- the pastors and chaplains of health care institutions, correctional institutions, and other specialized ministries
- Grace Lutheran Church in Rancho Cordova, California
- Bethany, Hughenden, and Peace Lutheran, Innisfail
- all who prepare for the National Convention in Winnipeg
- Emmanuel Congregation, Paz de Ariporo, Colombia
- the pastors, pilots and staff of the Lutheran Association of Missionaries and Pilots
- the bishops, priests and people of the Church of Iceland
- the pastors and people of the Anglican, Mennonite, and Moravian Churches of Canada

For all these, we pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, hear our prayer.**

A O Most High, your steadfast love and faithfulness sustain your people. Bless fathers and all father figures with such love and faithfulness that children flourish and grow in uprightness and joy. Bless those who long to be fathers and those for whom this day is difficult, we pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, hear our prayer.**

A For all virtually gathered for this service, and those attending to the care of others and to beneficial endeavours that keep them away from worshipping, we pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, hear our prayer.**

P Almighty God, by your Holy Spirit you have made us one with your saints in heaven and on earth: Grant that in our earthly pilgrimage we may always be supported by this fellowship of love and prayer, and know ourselves to be surrounded by their witness to your power and mercy. We ask this for the sake of Jesus Christ, in whom all our intercessions are acceptable through the Spirit, and who lives and reigns for ever and ever.

**C Amen.**

## THE PEACE

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P The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**C And also with you.**

## OFFERING

### OFFERTORY

*Setting of the altar and reception of the Offerings.*

*Please be seated.*

OFFERTORY PRAYER (General 1)

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THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

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EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER (II)

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THE FRACTION

P Blessed be the Kingdom of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

**C Blessed be the Holy Trinity, now and forever!**

P The Gifts of God for the People of God. Receive them in remembrance that Christ died for you.

**C Thanks be to God.**

LAMB OF GOD

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## THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE SACRAMENT

*Please be seated. Assistants and those in need commune first.*

### COMMUNION HYMNS

Come, Join the Dance of Trinity

**No. 412**

Holy Spirit, Truth Divine

**No. 398**

TABLE BLESSING

POST COMMUNION PRAYER (General 1)

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*Please be seated.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

## THE SENDING FORTH OF THE COMMUNITY

**BENEDICTION**

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**SENDING HYMN** Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

**No. 834**

**DISMISSAL**

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**P** Go in peace...

**C** Thanks be to God!

**ORGAN POSTLUDE**

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WELCOME to all gathered here today. Join us for refreshments and conversation downstairs after worship, Questions? Ask one of today's servants or speak with the pastor.

SPECIAL THANKS to Chris Poromon for sharing his musical talents to enrich our service today.

WE THANK TODAY'S SERVANTS

Usher:	Nale Poromon, Al Fedkenheuer
Lector:	Nale Poromon
Assistant:	Jennifer Hanson
Altar Guild:	Clarice Rasmuson, Jennifer Hanson
Refreshments:	Nicky Mutschlechner, Pat Fedkenheuer
Zoom Host:	Phil Tang, Ahmed Conteh

OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE

Last Week	8 June 2025	Budget 2025
Current	\$ 3,420	\$2,911
Benevolence	\$ 0	
Building Fund	\$ 20	
Other	\$ 2,625	
Attendance	51	

ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Today	15 June	11:45 PM	Fellowship and Refreshments
		2:00 PM	CFMC
Monday	16 June	7:00 PM	Council
		7:00 PM	12 Step Program
Tuesday	17 June	10:00 AM	Hotshots
		6:30 PM	S.A.F.E. Place Peer Support
Wednesday	18 June	10:00 AM	12 Step Program

		7:00 PM	12 Step Program
Friday	20 June	7:00 PM	12 Step Program
Saturday	21 June	9:00 AM	House of Hope Worship
Sunday	22 June	10:30 AM	2 nd Sunday of Pentecost

FATHER'S DAY BREAKFAST – Thank you to the ladies who prepared a tasty breakfast this morning.

COUNCIL MEETING – is this Monday 16 June at 7:00 PM.

HOTSHOTS – Join us on Tuesday 17 June at 10:00 AM for a movie followed by a Hot Dog lunch. All are welcome, as are friends. Sign up sheet is downstairs.

HIGHWOOD HIGHLIGHTS is accepting articles until 24 June 2025 for the joint July/August issue. Email items to secretaryhlc@outlook.com

KNITTING CIRCLE – Join us on Thursday 26 June at 10:00 AM as we continue to knit and crochet prayer shawls for the Bethany Care Centre. Beginners are welcome as we will teach you!

CALGARY DROP IN CENTER –has run critically low on towels. With over 600+ individuals accessing shelter and hygiene facilities daily, they are now having to provide t-shirts and other alternatives for guests to dry off after showers. Can you donate new or gently used towels? Donation Drop-Off: 3640 11A Street NE, Mon-Sun, 9 AM-5 PM.

BADLANDS PASSION PLAY – This is the 30th season of the Badlands Passion Play. Held every weekend in July with group discounts available. Details and ticket purchase: <https://badlandsamp.com/> or by calling 403-823-2001.

HEADING AWAY FOR THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS? It's time for many of us to plan our summer, with time away from home. Please remember that you can leave postdated cheques for your offering. Unfortunately, our expenses don't take a vacation. Thank you for caring for the needs of our church.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS	Second Sunday after Pentecost
Isaiah 65:1-9	Psalm 22:19-28
Galatians 3:23-29	Luke 8:26-39