

The Holy Trinity



Welcome to Messiah!

You are a beloved child of God who is unique and special. You are respected and accepted for who you are, with all your differences and gifts, including: sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, age, race, ability, culture, and economic status. Join us in acts of reconciliation and joyful celebration of our diversity, not only as members of our faith community but as volunteers and leaders.

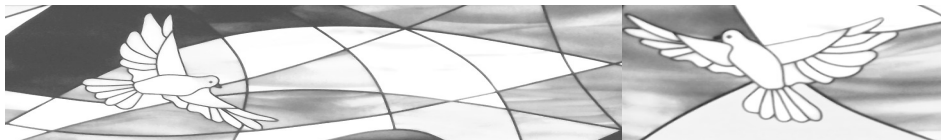
We stand together against the prejudice toward members of the LGBTQIA+ community and for anti-racism, indigenous respect, environmental justice, anti-trafficking, and on behalf of all those marginalized in our society.

By working together and being open with each other, we develop our faith and follow the example of Christ by humbly loving one another as God loves all of us.

NURSERY CARE

Is available Sunday from 8:00 - 9:20 am and 10:15 - 11:35 am
Ages 6 weeks- 6 years old, downstairs Nursery.
Secure sign-in, parent pagers available

The Holy Trinity + May 30 - 31, 2026



OPENING HYMN

5:00 PM *Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty* ELW Red Book #413
8:15 AM *Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty* ELW Red Book #413
10:30 AM *Come, Join the Dance of Trinity* ELW Red Book #412

GREETING

KYRIE

Kyrie, Kyrie eleison. Kyrie, Kyrie eleison.
Christe, Christe eleison. Christe, Christe eleison.
Kyrie, Kyrie eleison. Kyrie, Kyrie eleison, eleison.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray....
Congregation: **Amen.**

FIRST READING

In the beginning, when God began to create the heavens and the earth, The earth was complete chaos, and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. Then God said, "Let there be light," and there was light. And God saw that the light was good, and God separated the light from the darkness. God called the light Day, and the darkness God called Night. And there was evening, and there was morning, the first day. And God said, "Let there be a dome in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters." God called the dome Sky. And there was evening, and there was morning, the second day. Then God said, "Let the earth put forth vegetation: plants yielding seed and fruit trees of every kind on earth that bear fruit with the seed in it." And it was so. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening, and there was morning, the third day. And God said, "Let there be lights in the dome of the sky to separate the day from the night, and let them be for signs and for seasons and for days and years, and let them be lights in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth." And it was so. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening, and there was morning, the fourth day. And God said, "Let the waters bring forth swarms of living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the dome of the sky." And there was evening, and there was morning, the

fifth day. And God said, "Let the earth bring forth living creatures of every kind: cattle and creeping things and wild animals of the earth of every kind." And it was so. Then God said, "Let us make humans in our image, according to our likeness, and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over the cattle and over all the wild animals of the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth." So God created humans in their image, In the image of God, they created them; male and female, they created them. God said, "See, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is upon the face of all the earth and every tree with seed in its fruit; you shall have them for food. And to every beast of the earth and to every bird of the air and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food." And it was so. God saw everything that God had made, and indeed, it was very good. And there was evening, and there was morning, the sixth day. Thus the heavens and the earth were finished and all their multitude. So God blessed the seventh day and hallowed it, because on it God rested from all the work that God had done in creation. These are the generations of the heavens and the earth when they were created.

Reader: Word of God, word of Life.

Congregation: **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 138

Fragrance of Christ

Lord, may our prayer rise like in-cense in your sight, may this
 place be filled with the fra-grance of Christ.

SECOND READING

2 Corinthians 13:11-13

Paul writes: Finally, siblings, farewell. Be restored; listen to my appeal; agree with one another; live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

Reader: Word of God, word of Life

Congregation: **Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

S205a



Al - le - lu - ia! Lord and Sav - ior: o - pen now your sav - ing word.

Let it burn like fire with - in us; speak un - til our hearts are stirred.

Al - le - lu - ia! Lord, we sing for the good news that you bring.

HOLY GOSPEL

Matthew 28:16-20

Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw Jesus, they worshiped him, but they 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."

Pastor: The Gospel of the Lord.

***Congregation:* Praise to you, O Christ.**

‡ THE HOMILY ‡

PASTOR DAN O'BRIEN

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

All Respond after each prayer: **Hear our prayer.**

SIGN OF PEACE *Greet one another with:* **Peace be with you.**

BERAKAH (Ancient Hebrew Blessing)

Bread: Pastor: Blessed are you Lord God of all creation...

Congregation: **Blessed be God forever.**

Wine: Pastor: Blessed are you Lord God of all creation...

Congregation: **Blessed be God forever.**

GRATITUDE OF THE OFFERING

Pastor: Let us pray. Merciful God...

Congregation: **We offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us - our selves, our time, our life and our breath, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Sung by All

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil, for the kingdom, the pow'r and the glory are yours, now and forever.

HOLY COMMUNION

Here at Messiah, we believe that Christ is the host of this meal. Regardless of your background or tradition, we believe that all are welcome at the Lord's Table.

If you are unable to come forward for communion, please let an usher know and communion will be brought to you.

Grape juice is available on the trays in the central cups.

Gluten-free wafers are available in the gold container on the stand between the bread distributors.

COMMUNION HYMN

5:00 PM *Come, Join the Dance of Trinity* ELW Red Book #412

8:15 AM *Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling* ELW Red Book #608

10:30 AM *Spirit Open My Heart* **Page 7**

Jesus, Lamb of God W&P Purple Book #76

5:00 PM CANDLE LIGHTING AND CLOSING SONG

*Please keep lit candles upright
and tip unlit candle to light it from another.*

At Evening

1
Now it is evening: lights of the city
bid us remember Christ is our light.
Many are lonely, who will be neighbor?
Where there is caring, Christ is our light.

2
Now it is evening: food on the table
bids us remember Christ is our life.
Many are hungry, who will be neighbor?
Where there is sharing, Christ is our life.

3
Now it is evening: little ones sleeping
bid us remember Christ is our peace.
Some are neglected, who will be neighbor?
Where there is caring, Christ is our peace.

4
Now it is evening: here in our meeting
may we remember Christ is our friend.
Some may be strangers, who will be
neighbor? Where there's a welcome,
Christ is our friend.

BLESSING *Congregation: Amen.*

CLOSING HYMN

8:15 AM *Come, Join the Dance of Trinity*

ELW Red Book #412

10:30 AM *Take My Life that I May Be*

ELW Red Book #583

DISMISSAL

Pastor: Go in peace, serve the Lord.

Congregation: **Thanks be to God!**

Flowers Given By

Emma Godfrey

In Memory of Bill Godfrey

Don & Sandi Hendrikse

In celebration of four May birthdays especially our youngest
grandson, Camden's 1st birthday, on May 30.

Spirit, Open My Heart

Refrain



Spir-it, o - pen my heart to the joy and pain of



liv-ing. As you love may I love, in re - ceiv - ing



and in giv - ing. Spir - it, o - pen my heart.



1 God, re - place my ston - y heart with a heart that's
2 Write your love up - on my heart as my law, my
3 May I weep with those who weep; share the joy of



kind and ten - der. All my cold - ness and
goal, my sto - ry. In each thought, word, and
friend and neigh - bor. As I live from day to



fear to your grace I now sur - ren - der.
deed, may my liv - ing bring you glo - ry.
day, love will be my fin - est la - bor.

Refrain

Congregational Meeting

Sunday

June 28, 2026

after the 10:30 service

in the Sanctuary

THIS WEEK

May 30 - 31 , 2026



Monday, June 1

Pastor Jeff's Day Off

SAM at Second Harvest 12:15 PM

Tuesday, June 2

Wednesday, June 3

Thursday, June 4

Men's Fellowship Breakfast 9:00 AM

Pew Keepers 900 AM

Friday, June 5

Pr. Dan's Day Off

Saturday, June 6

Worship Service 5:00 PM

Sunday, June 7

Worship Service 8:15 AM

Worship Service 10:30 AM

LOOKING AHEAD

Healing House Meal Week June 7-13

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Church Council Meeting June 9

Men's Fellowship Breakfast June 11

Dignity Project Workshop June 13

SAM at Second Harvest June 15

Boomerang Bag Workshop June 16

Women's Self Defense class June 27

Briarpatch speaker June 27-28

SAM at Second Harvest June 29

Counters 5/17 Glenn Schmitz, Samantha Taylor

Lawn Mowing Team Tim Coulthart

..... Jane Miller, Karen Dale

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Friday 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE DROP BOX

to the left of the main front entrance

5:00 PM SERVICE

Altar Ministry Mark Petersen

Greeter Diane & Steve Nelson

Reader Ginny Powers

Communion Diane & Steve Nelson

..... Jan Hagen, Kathy Bultman

Ushers Jen & Doug Dettlaff

Musician Marian Korth

Vocalists Clyde Nyhus, Cara Musick

Mike Digman, Dave Down, Tara Von Dollen,

..... Donna Buchert

Streaming Jenna Shinstine

8:15 AM SERVICE

Altar Ministry Schmitz/Russell Family

Coffee Ministry Dawn Olson

Greeter Don & Gloria Hehenberger

Reader Bill Langel

Communion Cindy Ellis, Dawn Olson

..... Jane Miller, Linda Olson

Ushers Cindy Ellis, Glenn Schmitz

..... Jonah Schmitz, Violet Schmitz

Musician Mark Huth

Vocalists Senior Choir Members

Streaming Steve Cheramy

Nursery Christina Teschendorf

10:30 AM SERVICE

Altar Ministry Martha Netzloff

Communion Cups Tara Von Dollen

Coffee Kathy Robinson

Greeter Evelyn Stelzer, Susan Ashley

..... Suzanne Warborg

Reader Ronald Mach

Communion Julie Neppi, Martha Netzloff

..... Ronald Mach, Suzanne Warborg

..... Susan Ashley,

Ushers Ed & Bonnie Maas

..... Doreen Hinrichs, Lee Nelson

Musician Melissa Vanden Heuvel

Vocalists Celebrate Group

Streaming Clark Kellogg

Nursery Christina Teschendorf

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