

Welcome to Trinity Lutheran
One Church - Two Campuses
May 28, 2017

The Ascension of Our Lord

(observed)

Mission Campus 8:30, 11am

Reading Overview

This weekend we celebrate our Lord's ascension. (Ascension Day falls 40 days after Easter Sunday. This year that date is May 25. Our custom at Trinity is to celebrate the festival on the following Sunday.) One of the unique features of today's Scripture lessons is that Luke ends his Gospel with the ascension and then begins the book of Acts with another account of the ascension. In both accounts Jesus instructs his disciples to wait in Jerusalem until they receive God's power (the special outpouring of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost) and then to proclaim the Gospel beginning in Jerusalem and radiating outward to the ends of the earth. Today's Epistle lesson from Ephesians 1 alludes to Christ's ascension as Paul points to the ascended Christ as "head over all things to the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all" (Ephesians 1:22-23). To him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all!

Additional Readings

Psalm 110
Philippians 2:5-11
Colossians 1:15-23

To Our Guests: Please add your voice and heart to the worship: sing the music and pray the prayers. Everyone is welcome at God's House, and everyone's voice is needed to tell the Good News of God's love in Christ. Please help others find a place near you, and greet the person next to you as we prepare to worship together. Please be sure to fill out an attendance card located in the plastic folder.

Nursery Available: We love children at Trinity and are so pleased you and your children are worshipping with us today! We firmly believe the most important people influencing the faith formation of a child are found in the home – parents, grandparents, guardians. One of the key ways children learn about God is by watching their parents worship. We encourage you to keep your children with you in church to worship as a family. We also offer a staffed nursery for children 6 months to 3 years of age. At Mission, the nursery is staffed during the 9:45am and 11am services and available to parents at 8:30am. The Mission nursery is around the corner from the Sanctuary. At Shawnee, the nursery is staffed from 8:30-noon downstairs in room 103.



Prelude

Prelude on SPANISH HYMN
(Come, Christians, Join to Sing) | Neil Harmon

Welcome

Processional Hymn

A Hymn of Glory Let Us Sing
LASST UNS ERFREUEN | LSB 493:1,4,5,6

1. A hymn of gl-ory let us sing! New
 4. "You see Him now, as-cend-ing high Up
 5. Be now our joy on earth, O Lord, And
 6. O ris-en Christ, as-cend-ed Lord, All

hymns through-out the world shall ring:
 to the por-tals of the sky." Al-le-lu-ia,
 be our fu-ture great re-ward.
 praise to You let earth ac-cord:

Al-le-lu-ia!
 Christ, by a road be-fore un-
 "Here af-ter Je-sus you shall
 Then, throned with You for-e-ver,
 You are, while end-less a-ges

Trod, As-cends un-to the throne of
 see Re-turn-ing in great ma-jes-
 we Shall praise Your name e-ter-nal-
 run, With Fa-ther and with Spi-rit



God.
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one.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le -

lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

Call to Worship and Invocation

- L** Christ reigns as King, seated at the right hand of God.
- C** Christ says, "I am with you always, to the end of the age."
- L** All his enemies he has placed under his feet.
- C** Christ says, "I am with you always, to the end of the age."
- L** God has ascended with shouts of joy, the Lord amid the sounding of trumpets.
- C** Christ says, "I am with you always, to the end of the age."

- L** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C** Amen.

Confession of Sins and Absolution

- L** Lord Jesus,
- C** as you ascended to the Father, you lifted your hands in blessing and promised to be with us always. We are a sinful people in need of your forgiveness. We confess that we have forgotten your presence and failed to be obedient to you, our King. Forgive us according to your mercy.
- L** As the disciples returned from Christ's ascension with great joy, we also are renewed in Christ's saving promise. Rejoice today that by the blood of Jesus you have full and complete forgiveness of all your sins.
- C** Christ says, "I am with you always, to the end of the age." Amen.



Hymn of Praise

Come, Christians, Join to Sing
MADRID

1 Come, Chris - tians, join to sing: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
2 Come, lift your hearts on high: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
3 Praise yet our Christ a - gain: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

Loud praise to Christ our King: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
Let prais - es fill the sky: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
Life shall not end the strain: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

Let all, with heart and voice, be - fore his throne re - jice;
He is our guide and friend; to us he'll con - de - scend;
On heav - en's bliss - ful shore his good - ness we'll a - dore,

praise is his gra - cious choice: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
his love shall nev - er end: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
sing - ing for - ev - er - more: Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!



Response

Speaking in a medium loud voice.

- L** God has gone up with a shout,
- C** the Lord with the sound of the trumpet. Alleluia!

Prayer of the Day

- L** The Lord be with you.
- C** And also with you.
- L** Let us pray. Lord of time and eternity, we celebrate with rejoicing the ascension of your Son, Jesus Christ. Give us your grace so that we may trust both in the promise of his constant presence now, as well as in the certain promise of his return on the last day. This we pray in Jesus' name.
- C** Amen.

First Lesson

Acts 1:1-11 (ESV)

In the first book, O Theophilus, I have dealt with all that Jesus began to do and teach, until the day when he was taken up, after he had given commands through the Holy Spirit to the apostles whom he had chosen. He presented himself alive to them after his suffering by many proofs, appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the kingdom of God.

And while staying with them he ordered them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for the promise of the Father, which, he said, "you heard from me; for John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now."

So when they had come together, they asked him, "Lord, will you at this time restore the kingdom to Israel?" He said to them, "It is not for you to know times or seasons that the Father has fixed by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth." And when he had said these things, as they were looking on, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. And while they were gazing into heaven as he went, behold, two men stood by them in white robes, and said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking into heaven? This Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven."

- L** This is the Word of the Lord.
- C** Thanks be to God.



Psalm 47

Clap Your Hands All You Nations

The cantor sing the refrain twice and then the congregation joins in.

Congregational Refrain:

Clap your hands all you na - tions. A - men. Hal - le - lu - jah!
Shout for joy all you peo - ple. A - men. Hal - le - lu - jah!

Clap your hands, all you peoples;
shout to God with a joyful sound.
For the Lord Most High is to be feared;
a great king over all the earth,
who subdues the peoples under us,
and the nations under our feet;
who chooses our inheritance for us,
the pride of Jacob, whom God loves. *Congregational Refrain*

God has gone up with a shout,
the Lord with the sound of the ram's horn.
Sing praises to God, sing praises;
sing praises to our king, sing praises.
For God is king of all the earth;
sing praises with a song. *Congregational Refrain*

God reigns over the nations;
God is enthroned on high.
The nobles of the peoples have gathered as the people of the God of Abraham.
The rulers of the earth belong to God, who is highly exalted. *Congregational Refrain*

Second Lesson

Ephesians 1:15-23 (ESV)

For this reason, because I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, I do not cease to give thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers, that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of him, having the eyes of your hearts enlightened, that you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance in the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power toward us who believe, according to the working of his great might that he worked in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the one to come. And he put all things under his feet and gave him as head over all things to the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

- L** This is the Word of the Lord.
- C** Thanks be to God.



Children's Message

Gospel Processional

Hail Thee, Festival Day | SALVE FESTA DIES | LSB 489

All

Ascension Hail thee, fes - ti - val day! Blest day to be hal - lowed for - ev - er;

Day when our ris - en Lord Rose in the heav - ens to reign. reign.

Holy Gospel

Luke 24:44-53 (ESV)

Then he said to them, “These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms must be fulfilled.” Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures, and said to them, “Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things. And behold, I am sending the promise of my Father upon you. But stay in the city until you are clothed with power from on high.”

Then he led them out as far as Bethany, and lifting up his hands he blessed them. While he blessed them, he parted from them and was carried up into heaven. And they worshiped him and returned to Jerusalem with great joy, and were continually in the temple blessing God.

L This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you, O Christ.

Gospel Recessional

Hail Thee, Festival Day | SALVE FESTA DIES | LSB 489

All

Ascension Hail thee, fes - ti - val day! Blest day to be hal - lowed for - ev - er;

Day when our ris - en Lord Rose in the heav - ens to reign. reign.

Sermon

"Wait! Go! (repeat as needed)" based on Luke 24:44-53/Acts 1:1-11

The _____ of actions was very important!

I find it very interesting that Jesus' instruction to His disciples is "_____!" —Acts 1:4; Luke 24:49

What _____ might "waiting" have for us?

- a time for _____ and for _____ . —Acts 13:1-3
- a time for being open to _____ timing. —Acts 16:6-10
- a time to receive God's _____. —Acts 1:8; Luke 24:49; Acts 2:1-41

Of course, Jesus also said "Go!"—starting _____ where you are. —Acts 1:8; Luke 24:47; Matthew 28:19

The Lord of the Church, who has been given all authority, gives us our _____. —Luke 24:45-47



Response

Speaking in a louder voice.

- L** God has gone up with a shout,
- C** the Lord with the sound of the trumpet. Alleluia!

Nicene Creed

- C** We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven;
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the virgin Mary, and was made man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.



Hymn of the Day

Look, Ye Saints, the Sight is Glorious

BRYN CALFARIA | LSB 495

1 Look, ye saints, the sight is glo - rious; See the Man of
 2 Crown the Sav - ior! An - gels, crown Him! Rich the tro - phies
 3 Sin - ners in de - ri - sion crowned Him, Mock - ing thus the
 4 Hark, those bursts of ac - cla - ma - tion! Hark, those loud tri -

Sor - rows now! From the fight re - turned vic - to - rious,
 Je - sus brings; On the seat of pow'r en - throne Him
 Sav - ior's claim; Saints and an - gels crowd a - round Him,
 um - phant chords! Je - sus takes the high - est sta - tion;

Ev - 'ry knee to Him shall bow.
 While the vault of heav - en rings. Crown Him! Crown Him!
 Own His ti - tle, praise His name.
 Oh, what joy the sight af - fords!

Crown Him! Crown Him! Crown Him! Crown Him!
 Crowns be - come the
 Crown the Sav - ior
 Spread a - broad the
 King of kings and

vic - tor's brow. Crowns be - come the vic - tor's brow.
 King of kings. Crown the Sav - ior King of kings.
 vic - tor's fame. Spread a - broad the vic - tor's fame.
 Lord of lords! King of kings and Lord of lords!



Offering

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name
arr. Joel Raney | Piano/Organ Duet

Prayer of the Church

The Lord's Supper

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

C 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.

Communion Hymn

The Head That Once Was Crowned with Thorns
ST. MAGNUS | LSB 532

1 The Head that once was crowned with thorns Is crowned with glo - ry now;
 2 The high - est place that heav'n af - fords Is His, is His by right,
 3 The Joy of all who dwell a - bove, The Joy of all be - low
 4 To them the cross, with all its shame, With all its grace, is giv'n;

A roy - al di - a - dem a - dons The might - y Vic - tor's brow.
 The King of kings and Lord of lords, And heav'n's e - ter - nal Light;
 To whom He man - i - fests His love And grants His name to know.
 Their name an ev - er - last - ing name, Their joy the joy of heav'n.



Communion Blessing and Prayer of Thanksgiving

Doxology

Doxology with Alleluias

arr. Brian Wren | LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God from whom all bless - ings flow. Praise
 God, all crea - tures high and low. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le -
 lu - ia! Praise God, in Je - sus ful - ly known: Cre -
 a - tor, Word, and Spir - it one. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le -
 lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!



Benediction

- L** The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face to shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.
- C** Amen.

Recessional Hymn

Jesus Shall Reign
DUKE STREET | LSB 832

1 Je - sus shall reign wher - e'er the sun Does its suc -
 2 To Him shall end - less prayer be made, And end - less
 3 Peo - ple and realms of ev - 'ry tongue Dwell on His
 4 Bless - ings a - bound wher - e'er He reigns: The pris - 'ners
 5 Let ev - 'ry crea - ture rise and bring Hon - ors pe -

ces - sive jour - neys run; His king - dom stretch from
 prais - es crown His head; His name like sweet per -
 love with sweet - est song; And in - fant voic - es
 leap, un - loose their chains, The wea - ry find e -
 cu - liar to our King; An - gels de - scend with

shore to shore Till moons shall wax and wane no more.
 fume shall rise With ev - 'ry morn - ing sac - ri - fice.
 shall pro - claim Their ear - ly bless - ings on His name.
 ter - nal rest, And all who suf - fer want are blest.
 songs a - gain, And earth re - peat the loud a - men.



Dismissal

Speaking in the loudest voice.

- L** God has gone up with a shout,
- C** **the Lord with the sound of the trumpet. Alleluia!**
- L** Go in peace. Serve the Lord!
- C** Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Dance Fugue
Gaston Litaize

Summer Events for Children, Youth, and Families

By Rhonda Synovec

Summer is a time for fun in the sun, adventures, and spending time with family and friends. This summer Trinity will offer a variety of

ways our children, youth, families, and entire congregation can gather together as the church community. We will serve

together, learn together, and reach out to others in our local communities.

CONNECT—A Summer of Service: A Faith Experience for All Ages



Do you desire to CONNECT with Jesus and learn how to live out your faith daily in all situations? Do you desire to CONNECT with your family and be equipped to share your faith with one

another and with others around you? Do you desire to CONNECT with your church family and build Christian relationships? Members of all ages are invited to join us for CONNECT – A Summer of Service. We will meet during the Sunday School hour from 9:45 – 10:45am each Sunday. This is an intergenerational experience in which we will grow in our faith through learning God's Word for our lives as we engage in special service projects that will impact our community. CONNECT will offer us the opportunity to grow in our relationship with God and one another as we experience ways to daily live out our lives as

His disciples in the world around us. CONNECT will take the place of our Summer Sunday School programs of the past. Parents and children will come together alongside others in our church family. (We will not have separate children and youth Sunday School.) We will begin CONNECT on June 4 with a potluck breakfast to kick off our time together for the summer. Watch the eNews and other publications for more details and a list of the weekly service opportunities in which we will engage.

Lutheran Valley Retreat (LVR) Youth Camp



Theme for 2017:

Made for More

June 4 – 10, 2017

*Lutheran Valley Retreat
Woodland Park, Colorado*

*Incoming Freshman
through Graduating
Seniors*

*Contact Rhonda Synovec
for information and
registration –
rhonda@tlcms.org*

This week is about defining and redefining that our creator God has made each of us for so much more than we can ever dream of. With the Gospel as our foundation, we will discover that God's promise prevails every day of our lives, in good or bad times, in the face of temptation, and we give all glory to Him.

Maker Fun Factory VBS



*Shawnee
June 19 – 23, 2017*

*Mission
July 10 – 14, 2017*

9 – 11:30am

Register: www.tlcms.org

Imagine a world where curious kids become hands-on inventors who discover they are lovingly crafted by God. At Maker Fun Factory VBS, kids discover they were created by God and built for a purpose.

Maker Fun Factory is filled with incredible Bible-learning experiences kids see, hear, touch, and even taste. Every part of VBS helps children discover how faith can flow into real life. Join us for all the Makeriffic Fun!

Kid's Kamp



**Kids'
Kamp**

*Mission Campus
Mon. – Thurs.*

ONLY

July 10-13, 2017

Grades 1 – 5

12:30 – 3:30pm

Mission Kids' Kamp is our afternoon camp available for 1st – 5th grade youth. Each day we will enter into a new adventure at camp. Activities may include games day, bingo and

singing at Bickford Senior Living, a pool party, etc. There is a \$5.00 fee for camp which is payable online. Register at www.tlcms.org.

Kid's Café FREE Lunch



July 10-14, 2017

Mission Campus

11:45am – 12:15pm

We will serve FREE lunch through the Kid's Café lunch program for ANY child ages 1 – 18 from July

10-14. You do not need to attend VBS to participate in the lunch program and no registration is required.

Announcements

Pantry Collection



As summer is now upon us, the need for food at Metro Lutheran Ministry and St. Luke's food pantry increases. Needy children are home for the summer and are not receiving school lunches. As you are out grocery shopping, please consider picking up a few extra things to donate to the food banks. You may drop off your donations in the big wooden bin in the Mission campus entryway at any time, day or night.

Landscaping Fundraiser



Sunday, May 28, Noon -2pm, Shawnee Campus. Justin Cox is working on his Eagle Scout project. He and a team of scouts will be updating the landscaping in the parking lot of the Shawnee Campus. Join us for a BBQ lunch after church to help raise funds for the project. Pulled pork and hot dogs will be available. You can eat at the church, or take it home for later!

Geraniums for Pentecost



As is Trinity's tradition, we will again be ordering geraniums to celebrate Pentecost at the Mission campus on June 4. The geraniums will then be planted to beautify the Mission campus entryway. To purchase a geranium for \$8, please see the display in the foyer.

VBS Registration



Visit tlcms.org to register.
Shawnee-June 19-23
Mission-July 10-14

Missions Mini Grant



Applications

Support your favorite mission project or program by applying for a mini grant, up to a maximum amount of \$2,500. More information and applications are available from the Trinity office or online and are **due by May 31**. The program is open to all Trinity members.

Altar Guild Meeting and Coffee



Saturday, June 3, at 9:30 a.m. in the Mission Campus lounge. Interested in learning more about Altar Guild? Would you like to serve? Come, meet and enjoy some fellowship with this warm, welcoming group of people and learn what Altar Guild is all about. For more information, contact Elfriede Mohling (913-631-6589) or Ellie Angelbeck (913-814-8774). If you are interested in helping with the Shawnee Altar Guild, please contact Dianna Mayfield.

Pentecost June 4



June 4 is Pentecost Sunday, and our pastors wear red vestments to signify the work of the Spirit. We encourage you to wear red on the Day of Pentecost as well to remind us of the fire of the Spirit. Additionally, on Pentecost we will be saying the Lord's Prayer in multiple languages. If you speak or have studied another language we encourage you to pray the Lord's prayer in that language when indicated in the service.

Quilters Request Blankets, Sheets



The Quilters group at the Mission campus can always use sheets and blankets as backing and filling for the quilts they assemble. These quilts are sent around the world to areas of poverty where they are so appreciated. You may drop off any items at the church office or give them to any member of the quilters group.

Lifeline Screening



Thursday, June 15, Mission Campus Fellowship Hall. Life Line Screening provides a variety of screening tests. Register by calling 888-653-6450. *Please be aware that hosting this event at Trinity does not indicate endorsement of the screening procedures offered, and you are encouraged to consult your personal physician.*

RADiCAL Divorce Recovery Group



This 10-week class begins June 5 at the Shawnee campus. See tlcms.org for details.

Worship Leaders - Mission

Preaching: Pastor Mark Schulz
Director of Music and the Arts: Ben A. Spalding
Guest Organist: Dr. Jan Kraybill

Stewardship Corner

As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience.
Colossians 3:12 (NRSV)

Fiscal YTD

Received	Budget
\$1,251,314	\$1,202,783

Altar Flowers - Mission

The altar flowers are given by Roland and Jamie Powers in loving memory of their daughter Anna K. Powers; and by Emily and Mark Webster in loving memory of their son Benjamin.



A Community Following Jesus
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See details of all announcements at tlcms.org/trinity-enews

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