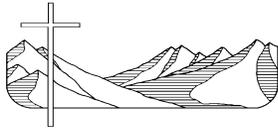


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Building a Community in Christ

Trinity Sunday June 12, 2022

Greeting and Welcome

Welcome to Green Valley Evangelical Lutheran Church. We are pleased you could join us. The nursery is open as a Cry Room for mothers with fidgety youngsters. Please use the paper cups at the water fountains. We film the early service for broadcast on Facebook and the church website.

Today's Worship Service-Our God is Triune, the Three-in-One-God. God hints at his triune nature in the three-fold blessing he told the priests to proclaim. The Father's plan, carried out by the Son and spread by the Spirit is a power for salvation. Jesus promises his disciples the work of the Holy Spirit will be to reveal his words and deeds to them. We are more than triply blessed by our Three-in-One-God!

Thanks today to Donell Boeve-Baatz on piano.

Flowers today were presented by Carrie and Kimbel Halliday with thanks to God for their 5th wedding anniversary.

Our celebration of the Lord's Supper is reserved for those who have been confirmed in or received as adult members of the Evangelical Lutheran Church. If you haven't taken the Lord's Supper with us before, please speak with the pastor before the service.

The Service of Word and Sacrament

we prepare to worship our Lord

Opening Song Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty (195)

Invocation

P Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty heavens.

C Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.

P Today we rejoice to worship our Triune God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

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.

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

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.

C Lord, have mercy.

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.

C Christ, have mercy.

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.

C Lord, have mercy.

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

C Amen.

Prayer of the Day

P 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 Amen.

our Lord speaks to us

The Word from God's Prophet

Numbers 6.22-27 Blessed by the Triune God

The Psalm: Psalm 150 Christian Worship, page 122

The Word from God's Apostle

Romans 5.1-5 Peace with the Triune God

The Word from God's Son

John 16.12-15 The Harmonious Working of the Trinity

The Sacrament of Baptism (9:00)

Hymn of the Day If God Himself Be for Me (419)

The Sermon Triple-Teamed for Life John 16.12-15

Blessing (Congregation is asked to rise for the blessing at the end of the sermon.)

we respond to our God

Our Confession of Faith

**We believe in one God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.**

**We believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of his Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God,
begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.**

**For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary
and was made man;**

and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.

He suffered and was buried.

**And the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures
and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father.**

**And he will come again with glory
to judge both the living and the dead,
whose kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified,
who spoke through the prophets.**

**And we believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,
we acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,
and we look for the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

The Nicene Creed (9:00)

Offering--We offer our gifts to our God, not out of compulsion, but freely and with joy. Our offerings do "double duty," as loving worship offered to our Lord and Savior, and to assist in carrying out his Gospel ministry. Ushers will assist with the offering plate in the aisles. Please rise after the ushers present the offerings to the pastor.

The 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.

Jesus offers us his body and blood for forgiveness

The Lord's Supper

P The Lord be with you.

C And also 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 God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In love he has blessed us with every spiritual blessing. 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.

C Amen.

The 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 is my blood of the new covenant, 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.

C Amen.

Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the
world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the
sin of the world; grant us peace.

The Reception of the Lord's Supper

Hymn of Thanks

I Come, O Savior, to Your Table

(310)

our Lord sends us into his world

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 the pledge of 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 Amen.

The Benediction

P The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

C Amen.

Closing Song Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow (334)

Call News!

We've extended a call to Pastor Joshua Bishop of St. Joseph, Michigan. Pastor Bishop is 35 years old, married to Elisabeth, and they have four children (ages 10 through 2). He currently serves as a second pastor at Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church, which has 842 members, 684 communicants, a Lutheran Elementary School (143 students) and an Early Childhood Ministry serving 22 students. We pray for him as he deliberates our call.

This Week at Green Valley Evangelical Lutheran Church

Today!—Trinity Sunday!

9 and 10:30 am- Worship with the Lord's Supper, "Triple-Teamed for Life"

10 and 11:30 am-Coffee Fellowship

Worship service posted online

Monday!

8 am– 3:30 pm-Green Valley Lutheran School Summer Camp (M-F)

9 am-Arizona-California District Convention, Scottsdale, AZ (M-W)

9:30 am-Chapel (M-F)

6 pm-Church Council

7:30 pm-Worship with the Lord's Supper

Tuesday!

9 am-Sewing Circle

Pastor Pieper on vacation through July 28

Next Sunday!

9 and 10:30 am- Worship, "The Mission Field Is Here"

10 and 11:30 am-Coffee and Snacks

District Convention

Mr. Navarro will be representing our congregation at the District Convention this week. Elections and matters pertaining to our synod's mission and ministry will be taken up. We pray the Lord's guide this important convention. Pastor Pieper has been excused.

Pastor Pieper on Vacation

Tuesday Pastor and Karen start on a two week vacation back to the Midwest.

Mr. Navarro, our Congregational Assistant, will conduct services and Zachary Turley, who is headed for the Seminary this fall, will read the sermons prepared by Pastor Pieper. If you are in town, come! Your fellow Christians need your encouragement!

If there is a need for pastoral assistance, Pastor Andrew Mueller will be watching over the congregation. He can be reached at Beautiful Savior Evangelical Lutheran Church, 702-260-7660.

There will be no email blasts, sermons or videos posted in Pastor's absence.

Baptisms

Receiving confirmation of their Christian faith by the washing of Baptism Monday (June 6), Jennifer and Raquel Mize, yesterday (June 11) Kyle Hemenway and in today's early service, Amanda Moore. We rejoice with our brother and sisters in the faith!

Ushers!

We need a crew of four men a Sunday to pass the plates, help people with questions and take attendance. Currently we only needed one per service, but we'd like to start passing the plate. We've got a signup sheet in the back. EJ Gallagher is our Elder who is in charge of the ushers.

Thank You for Vacation Bible School!

Thanks to our teachers, assistants, students, parents and those who donated to our VBS this year. We had a great time in God's Wonder Lab! Unfortunately, because of rising COVID cases, we did not have a joint closing service. We strive to present the Word in a setting where transmission is not probable. We served 67 students with 22 staff.

Trinity Sunday

Old Testament: Numbers 6.22-27

The LORD said to Moses, "Tell Aaron and his sons, 'This is how you are to bless the Israelites. Say to them:

""The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD turn his face toward you and give you peace.""

"So they will put my name on the Israelites, and I will bless them."

Epistle: Romans 5.1-5

Therefore, since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have gained access by faith into this grace in which we now stand. And we rejoice in the hope of the glory of God. Not only so, but we also rejoice in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; perseverance, character; and character, hope. And hope does not disappoint us, because God has poured out his love into our hearts by the Holy Spirit, whom he has given us.

Gospel: John 16.12-15

"I have much more to say to you, more than you can now bear. But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all truth. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come. He will bring glory to me by taking from what is mine and making it known to you. All that belongs to the Father is mine. That is why I said the Spirit will take from what is mine and make it known to you."