

SUNDAY, MAY 3, 2026
FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



2 PETER
GROW IN GRACE

Preparation for Worship

To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;
to all who mourn and long for comfort;
to all who struggle and desire victory;
to all who sin and need a Savior;
to all who are strangers and want fellowship;
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;
and to all who will come, this church opens wide her doors
and offers welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

God Calls Us to Worship | Psalm 95:1-7a

Oh come, let us sing to the LORD;

let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

Let us come into His presence with thanksgiving;

let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise!

For the LORD is a great God,

and a great King above all gods.

Oh come, let us worship and bow down;

let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!

***For He is our God, and we are the people of His pasture,
and the sheep of His hand.***

Christus Victor (Amen)

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O Most High, King of the ages,
Great I AM, God of wonders,
By the blood, You have redeemed us,
Led us through mighty waters,
Our strength, our song,
our sure salvation.

**Now to the Lamb upon the throne,
Be blessing, honor, glory, power,
For the battle You have won.
Hallelujah! Amen.**

O Most High, dwelling among us,
Son of man, sent for sinners,
By Your blood,
You have redeemed us,
Spotless Lamb, mighty Savior
Who lived, who died,
who rose victorious.

**Now to the Lamb upon the throne,
Be blessing, honor, glory, power
For the battle You have won.
Hallelujah!**

**With every tribe and every tongue,
We join the anthem of the angels
In the triumph of the Son.
Hallelujah! Amen.**

O Most High, King of the nations,
Robed in praise,
crowned with splendor,
On that day, who will not tremble
When You stand Christ the Victor,
Who was and is and is forever.

*Amen, amen, amen.
Amen, amen, amen.
Amen, amen, amen.*

**Now to the Lamb upon the throne,
Be blessing, honor, glory, power
For the battle You have won.
Hallelujah!
With every tribe and every tongue,
We join the anthem of the angels
In the triumph of the Son.
Hallelujah! Amen.**

Sing the victory of the Lamb.
Hallelujah! Amen. Amen.

We Listen to God's Word | Jeremiah 23:16-22*

**Bibles are beneath your seat*

[16] Thus says the LORD of hosts: "Do not listen to the words of the prophets who prophesy to you, filling you with vain hopes. They speak visions of their own minds, not from the mouth of the LORD. [17] They say continually to those who despise the word of the LORD, 'It shall be well with you'; and to everyone who stubbornly follows his own heart, they say, 'No disaster shall come upon you.'"

[18] For who among them has stood in the council of the LORD to see and to hear his word, or who has paid attention to his word and listened?

[19] Behold, the storm of the LORD! Wrath has gone forth, a whirling tempest; it will burst upon the head of the wicked. [20] The anger of the LORD will not turn back until he has executed and accomplished the intents of his heart. In the latter days you will understand it clearly. [21] "I did not send the prophets, yet they ran; I did not speak to them, yet they prophesied. [22] But if they had stood in my council, then they would have proclaimed my words to my people, and they would have turned them from their evil way, and from the evil of their deeds.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

We Confess Our Sins

***Holy and righteous God,
You are truth, and in You is no darkness at all.
Yet we confess that we have believed lies,
entertained half-truths,
and resisted the searching light of Your Word.
We have justified our sin,
minimized Your holiness,
and trusted in voices that flatter rather than confront.
Forgive us for wandering hearts and dull consciences.
Guard us from deception.
Anchor us in the gospel of Jesus Christ,
our faithful Prophet, Priest, and King.
For we pray in His name. Amen.***

(Please pause for a moment of silent confession.)

We Hear Words of Assurance and Pardon | John 10:27-28

My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of My hand.

Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel: in Jesus Christ know that you're forgiven and be at peace.

Thanks be to God!

Before the Throne of God Above

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**Hymnals are beneath the seat in front of you.*

Before the throne of God above,
I have a strong and perfect plea,
a great High Priest whose name is Love,
who ever lives and pleads for me.
My name is graven on his hands,
my name is written on his heart.
I know that while in heav'n he stands,
no tongue can bid me thence depart,
no tongue can bid me thence depart.

Behold him there, the risen Lamb,
my perfect, spotless righteousness,
the great unchangeable I AM,
the King of glory and of grace!
One with himself I cannot die.
My soul is purchased by his blood!
My life is hid with Christ on high,
with Christ, my Savior and my God,
with Christ, my Savior and my God.

When Satan tempts me to despair
and tells me of the guilt within,
upward I look and see him there,
who made an end to all my sin.
Because the sinless Savior died,
my sinful soul is counted free;
for God, the just, is satisfied
to look on him and pardon me,
to look on him and pardon me.

We Ask for God's Help

We Confess Our Faith | from Westminster Confession of Faith 1.1

Christian, why do we trust the Scriptures?

The Holy Scripture is the only sufficient, certain, and infallible rule of all saving knowledge, faith, and obedience. Although the light of nature and the works of creation declare the goodness, wisdom, and power of God, yet they are not sufficient to give that knowledge of God and of His will which is necessary for salvation. Therefore it pleased the Lord to reveal Himself and to commit His truth wholly unto writing, which makes the Holy Scripture most necessary.

We Greet Others with Peace | John 20:19

On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being locked where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.'

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And also with you!

TrinityKids: During the Greeting of Peace, children 5 & under may be dismissed to walk to TrinityKids. Nursing mothers are welcome to use the Nursing Mothers' room at the back of Trinity Hall, where the service can be viewed on the monitor.

We Are Changed By God's Word | 2 Peter 2:1-10a

[1] But false prophets also arose among the people, just as there will be false teachers among you, who will secretly bring in destructive heresies, even denying the Master who bought them, bringing upon themselves swift destruction. [2] And many will follow their sensuality, and because of them the way of truth will be blasphemed. [3] And in their greed they will exploit you with false words. Their condemnation from long ago is not idle, and their destruction is not asleep.

[4] For if God did not spare angels when they sinned, but cast them into hell and committed them to chains of gloomy darkness to be kept until the judgment; [5] if he did not spare the ancient world, but preserved Noah, a herald of righteousness, with seven others, when he brought a flood upon the world of the ungodly; [6] if by turning the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah to ashes he condemned them to extinction, making them an example of what is going to happen to the ungodly; [7] and if he rescued righteous Lot, greatly distressed by the sensual conduct of the wicked [8] (for as that righteous man lived among them day after day, he was tormenting his righteous soul over their lawless deeds that he saw and heard); [9] then the Lord knows how to rescue the godly from trials, and to keep the unrighteous under punishment until the day of judgment, [10a] and especially those who indulge in the lust of defiling passion and despise authority. (ESV)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

“The Lord Knows How”

Rev. Nathan Duke

Notes:

I. _____ are _____:

II. Past _____:

III. Present and Future _____:

We Give Regularly, Joyfully, & Sacrificially | 2 Corinthians 9:7

"Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me," arr Mark Hayes

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We Celebrate Holy Communion

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

Lift up your hearts!

We lift them up to the Lord!

Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

It is right and good and a joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty,

Everlasting God. Therefore, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify Your glorious name; evermore praising You, and singing:

***Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.***

My Jesus, I Love Thee

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My Jesus, I love thee,
I know thou art mine;
for thee all the follies
of sin I resign.
My gracious Redeemer,
my Savior art thou;
if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

I love thee because thou
hast first loved me,
and purchased my pardon
on Calvary's tree.
I love thee for wearing
the thorns on thy brow;
if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

I'll love thee in life,
I will love thee in death;
and praise thee as long as
thou lendest me breath;
and say, when the deathdew
lies cold on my brow:
if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

In mansions of glory
and endless delight,
I'll ever adore thee
in heaven so bright;
I'll sing with the glittering
crown on my brow:
if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

My Worth Is Not In What I Own

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My worth is not in what I own;
Not in the strength of flesh and bone.
But in the costly wounds of love
at the cross.

My worth is not in skill or name;
In win or lose in pride or shame.
But in the blood of Christ that flowed
at the cross.

**I rejoice in my Redeemer.
Greatest treasure,
Wellspring of my soul.
I will trust in Him, no other;
My soul is satisfied in Him alone.**

As summer flowers we fade and die;
Fame, youth and beauty hurry by.
But life eternal calls to us
at the cross.

I will not boast in wealth or might,
Or human wisdom's fleeting light.
But I will boast in knowing Christ
at the cross.

Two wonders here that I confess:
My worth and my unworthiness.
My value fixed my ransom paid
at the cross.

God Sends Us Out With His Good Word | Jude 24-25

Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.

We Go Into The World For His Glory

Let us go forth in joyful service to the Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ, as we love our neighbors, our city, and the world.

Thanks be to God!

Community Group & Family Questions

The following questions help us dialog with the sermon, music, and liturgy in this morning's worship service. Remember, these questions are just a starting point. Feel free to adapt them to the specific needs and interests of your family worship times and/or community group.

- 1.** Peter notes that false teachers make lies sound pleasing to the ear and therefore easier for people to believe. What are the most common lies about Scripture and the Gospel that are told today and what is pleasing about those lies to our culture?
- 2.** Truth can be difficult for us to believe because we are more comfortable with sin and the lies formed out of it. What are the most difficult truths in Scripture for you to believe and why?
- 3.** Peter points out that because God was sure to be just in the past, he will be just in the present and the future. How has God clearly worked in your life in the past? Now with those stories in mind, how do they communicate to you how God is currently working in your life or will work in your life in the future?



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Trinity Men:

May 9, 8:00-10:00am: Men's Breakfast; register in Church Center.

Trinity Kids:

May 13: 5th Grade Graduation Celebration

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May 17: Graduation Sunday

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May 17; Signups in Church Center

Deacon on Duty this Sunday: John Nowakowski

Pastor on Call this Sunday: Rev. Nathan Duke



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