

Trinity Lutheran Church

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Service of Holy Communion—*Lutheran Book of Worship,* Setting I
The Fifth Sunday in Lent, Sunday, March 26, 2023
In-Person at 10:15 am & Live at Facebook.com/TrinityLutheranNH

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

PROCESSIONAL HYMN: "In the Cross of Christ I Glory" LBW No. 104

APOSTOLIC GREETING

KYRIE

PRAYER OF THE DAY

FIRST LESSON: Ezekiel 37:1-14

Ezekiel's vision of the valley of dry bones is a promise that God's people, though dead in exile, will live again through his life-giving Spirit.

PSALM 130

- ¹ Out of the depths have I called to you, O LORD; LORD, | <u>hear</u> my voice;* let your ears consider well the voice of my | <u>supplication</u>.
- ² If you, LORD, were to note what is | <u>done</u> amiss,* O LORD, | <u>who</u> could stand?
- ³ For there is forgive- | ness with you;* therefore you | shall be feared.
- ⁴ I wait for the LORD; my soul | <u>waits</u> for him;* in his word | <u>is</u> my hope.
- My soul waits for the LORD, more than watchmen | for the morning,* more than watchmen | for the morning.

⁶ O Israel, <u>wait</u> | for the LORD,* for with the LORD | there is mercy;

⁷ with him there is <u>plen</u>- | teous redemption,* and he shall redeem Israel from | <u>all</u> their sins.

Gloria Patri (chanted after the psalm)

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the / Holy Spirit; As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be fore-/ ver. Amen

SECOND LESSON: Romans 8:6-11

For Paul, Christian spirituality entails living in the reality of the Holy Spirit. The driving force behind our actions and values is not our sinful desire for self-satisfaction but the very Spirit by which God raised Jesus from the dead and will also raise us from the dead.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

GOSPEL: John 11:1-45

Jesus is moved to sorrow when his friend Lazarus falls ill and dies. Then, in a dramatic scene, he calls his friend out of the tomb and restores him to life.

HYMN OF THE DAY: "O Christ the Same" WOV No. 778

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON

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THE PRAYERS

PEACE

OFFERING The ushers collect the offering. You can also give electronically through our website, Facebook page, or by <u>clicking here</u>.

CHOIR ANTHEM: "By the Babylonian Rivers" Latvian Folk Tune

OFFERTORY: "What Shall I Render"

OFFERTORY PRAYER

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

LAMB OF GOD

THE COMMUNION To all who believe in Jesus Christ as their Lord, are baptized, and confess Jesus' real presence in the Holy Communion, we invite you to join us in the Holy Eucharist. At the usher's invitation you may come forward to kneel or stand at the altar rail. Please take an empty individual cup from the tray and bring it with you to the rail. The host wafer will be placed into your open hands to eat. Your cup will be filled from the pouring chalice, take and drink. Individual cups filled with non-alcoholic grape juice are also available, please point to receive one. Sealed pre-consecrated Communion packages are also available. Please remain at the altar rail until all have finished and a blessing is given.

COMMUNION HYMNS: LBW Nos. 100, 106

POST-COMMUNION BLESSING

POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE: "Create in Me"

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

BLESSING

RECESSIONAL HYMN: "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" LBW No. 482

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE