

**Holy Trinity**

**May 31, 2026**



**Trinity**  
*Sunday*

**9:30 a.m. Worship**  
**Augustana Lutheran Church**  
**Pastor *Amy Kelly***  
**Accompanist *Kaele Peterson***

# GATHERING

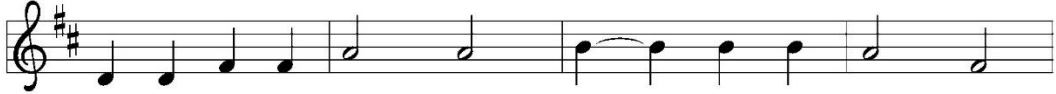
The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God. (\*stand if able)

## PRELUDE

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### \*OPENING HYMN "Holy, Holy, Holy"

ELW #413



1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God Al - might - y!  
 2 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! All the saints a - dore thee,  
 3 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Though the dark - ness hide thee,  
 4 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!



Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.  
 cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;  
 though the eye of sin - ful - ness thy glo - ry may not see,  
 All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and might - y!  
 cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,  
 on - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee,  
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and might - y!



God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!  
 which wert and art, and ev - er - more shalt be.  
 per - fect in pow'r, in love and pu - ri - ty.  
 God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

## **\*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, whose compassion endures forever.

**C: Amen.**

P: Let us confess our sin to God.

P: Compassionate God,

**C: we confess to you all our sins. Our burden is heavy, and we cannot free ourselves. In your mercy, call us back to you. Your yoke is easy and your burden is light. Restore us to dwell in your peace. In Christ's name we pray. Amen.**

P: Jesus says, "Come to me, all you who are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest." In the name of God, Father, † Son, and Holy Spirit, your sins are forgiven. Rest in God's love.

**C: Amen.**

## **\*GREETING**

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C: And also with you.**

# KYRIE



Leader  
In peace, in peace, let us pray to the Lord.  
Assembly  
Lord, have mer - cy. Christ, have  
For the reign of God, and for  
mer - cy. Lord, have mer - cy.  
peace through - out the world, for the u - ni - ty of all, let us pray to the  
Lord. For your  
Lord, have mer - cy. Christ, have mer - cy. Lord, have mer - cy.  
peo - ple here who have come to give you praise, for the strength to live your  
word, let us pray to the Lord.  
Lord, have mer - cy. Christ, have mer - cy. Lord, have  
Help, save, and de - fend us, O God.  
mer - cy. A - men.

# “Now the Feast and Celebration”



Now the feast and cel - e - bra - tion, all of cre - a - tion



sings for joy to the God of life and love and free-dom;



praise and glo - ry for - ev - er - more!



1 Now is the feast of the Lamb once slain, whose blood has



freed and u - nit-ed us to be one great peo-ple of God.



2 Pow - er and rich-es, wis-dom and might, all hon - or and



glo - ry to Christ for - ev - er.



3 For God has come to dwell with us, to make us peo-ple of



God; to make all things new.

## **\*PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**Almighty Creator and ever-living God: we worship your glory, eternal Three-in-One, and we praise your power, majestic One-in-Three. Keep us steadfast in this faith, defend us in all adversity, and bring us at last into your presence, where you live in endless joy and love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

## **HOLY PLAY – CHILDREN’S WORD**

**WORD**            *God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching and song.*

### **Psalm 8**

- <sup>1</sup> O LORD our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!  
<sup>2</sup> **you whose glory is chanted above the heavens out of the mouths of infants and children; you have set up a fortress against your enemies, to silence the foe and avenger.**  
<sup>3</sup> When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers,  
the moon and the stars you have set in their courses,  
<sup>4</sup> **what are mere mortals that you should be mindful of them, human beings that you should care for them?**  
<sup>5</sup> Yet you have made them little less than divine;  
with glory and honor you crown them.  
<sup>6</sup> **You have made them rule over the works of your hands; you have put all things under their feet:**  
<sup>7</sup> all flocks and cattle, even the wild beasts of the field,  
<sup>8</sup> **the birds of the air, the fish of the sea, and whatever passes along the paths of the sea.**  
<sup>9</sup> O LORD our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

### **2 Corinthians 13:11-13**

- <sup>11</sup> Finally, brothers and sisters, 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. <sup>12</sup> Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you. <sup>13</sup> The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.  
P: The word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

**\*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** “Sanctuary”

Lord, pre - pare me to be a sanc - tu - ar - y, pure and  
ho - ly, tried and true; With thanks - giv - ing, I'll be a  
liv - ing sanc - tu - ar - y for You.

**\*GOSPEL**

P: The Holy Gospel according to Matthew.

**C: Glory to you, O Lord.**

**Matthew 28:16-20**

16 Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. 17 When they saw him, they worshiped him, but they doubted. 18 And Jesus came and said to them, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. 19 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 20 and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”

P: The Gospel of our Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

**MESSAGE**

*Pastor Amy Kelly*

# HYMN OF THE DAY "How Majestic is Your Name" (Sing twice) W&P #66

C C/E F Dm<sup>7</sup> C/E

O Lord, our Lord, how ma - jes - tic is your

C C/E G<sup>7</sup> G<sup>7</sup>/B C C/E

name in all the earth! O Lord, our Lord, how ma -

F Dm<sup>7</sup> C/E C C/E G<sup>7</sup> G<sup>7</sup>/B C

jes - tic is your name in all the earth! O

F Dm<sup>7</sup> G Am<sup>7</sup> G<sup>7</sup>/B C C/E F

Lord, we praise your name. O Lord,

Dm<sup>7</sup> G Am<sup>7</sup> G<sup>7</sup>/B C B B/D# Em D D/F#

we mag - ni - fy your name, Prince of Peace, might - y

G G<sup>7</sup>/F C/E F G<sup>7</sup> sus G<sup>7</sup> C

God, O Lord God Al - might - y.

## **\*APOSTLES' CREED**

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead.\***

**On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

## **\*PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

Each petition will end with the words, "Lord, in Your mercy,"  
The congregation responds, "**hear our prayer.**"

## **\*PASSING OF THE PEACE**

**P:** The Peace of Christ be with you always.

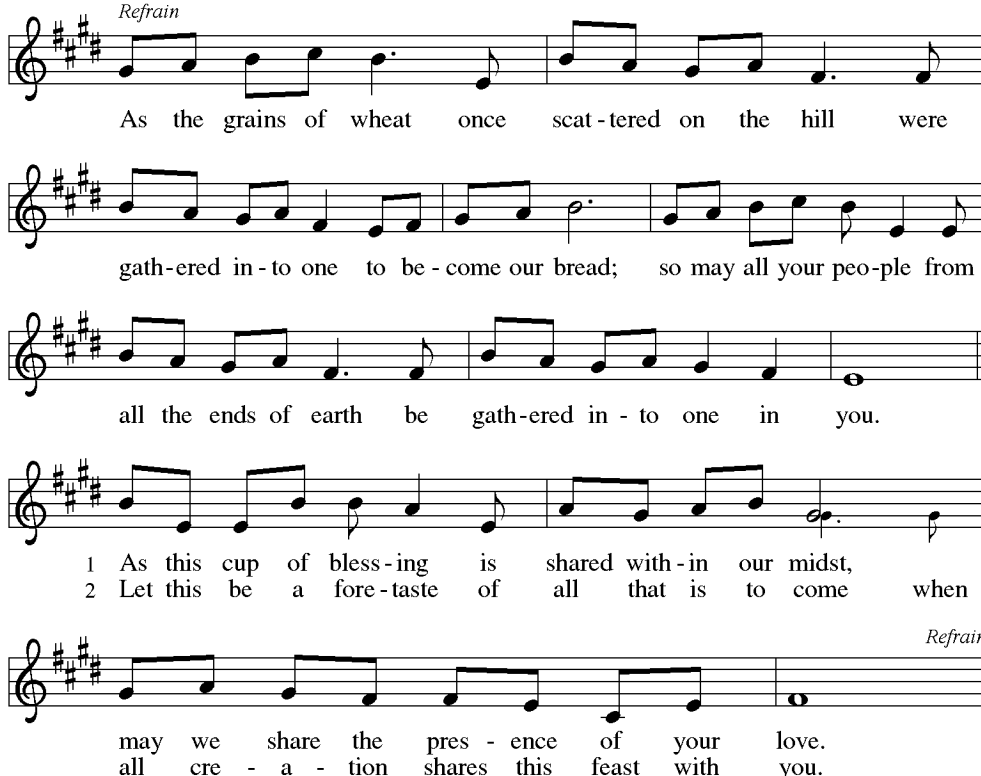
**C:** And also with you.

## **OFFERING**

# \*OFFERTORY "As the Grains of Wheat"

ELW #465

*Refrain*



As the grains of wheat once scat-tered on the hill were  
gath-ered in - to one to be - come our bread; so may all your peo-ple from  
all the ends of earth be gath-ered in - to one in you.  
1 As this cup of bless - ing is shared with - in our midst,  
2 Let this be a fore - taste of all that is to come when  
*Refrain*  
may we share the pres - ence of your love.  
all cre - a - tion shares this feast with you.

Text: Didache, 2nd cent.; Marty Haugen, b. 1950

Music: AS THE GRAINS, Marty Haugen

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## \*OFFERING PRAYER

P: Loving God, we offer at your table the gifts of our hearts. Help us take heart in you and share freely of your love, so that all creation can taste your abundance. We ask this in the name of Jesus, through the Spirit abiding with us now and forever. **C: Amen.**

**MEAL** *God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.*

### **GREAT THANKSGIVING**

P: People of God, people of life. We gather as a holy communion, for a meal that has been shared countless times, in countless places, and in countless ways.

The first times this meal was shared, Jesus was gathered around a table with a ragged collection of people – outcasts, betrayers, the power-hungry, the fragile, lonely, lost.

The first time this meal was celebrated, Jesus promised that it was for all time, that whenever the bread was broken and the wine was poured, wherever the story was told around a table, he would be there.

Today we remember the story as it's been told a thousand times over; we eat the bread, we drink the wine, and we affirm that we belong at this table and that Jesus is here.

### **WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

P: When Jesus ate with his friends, he took bread and after blessing it he broke it and gave it to them saying: Take and eat, this is my body given for you. Do this to remember me.

Then he took the cup, and said take and drink, this cup is poured out for you and all people for the forgiveness of sin, whenever you drink it, remember me.

We remember Jesus' death and resurrection, our hope and our life. We break the bread and share the cup. Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

## **\*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.**

## **DISTRIBUTION**

*We commune together following the Lord's Prayer.*

## **PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

P: Compassionate God, through the gifts of bread and wine our hearts are filled with the abundance of your love. Strengthen us that we, through this holy meal, may share your love freely, as you have shared with us. We ask this in the name of Jesus, through the Spirit nourishing us now and forever.

**C: Amen.**

**\*BLESSING** "May You Run and not be Weary"

W&P #97

D G G/B D<sup>6</sup>/C C<sup>6</sup>

May you run and not be wea - ry. May your

D C/D D GM<sup>7</sup> C/D

heart be filled with song. And may the

G G/B D<sup>6</sup>/C C<sup>6</sup>

love of God con - tin - ue to

Am<sup>7</sup> D C/D D

give you hope and keep you strong. And may you

G G/B D<sup>6</sup>/C C<sup>6</sup> Am

run and not be wea - ry. May your

D C/D D D/E E

life be filled with joy. And may the

Am C/D D G C/G G

road you trav - el al - ways lead you home.



## AUGUSTANA'S CALENDAR

Sun	5/31	9:30 a.m.	Worship; May birthday celebration following worship
		8:30-12 p.m.	Cinnamon Roll Sunday
Thu	6/4	9 a.m.	Piecemakers Quilting
		12 p.m.	Bible Study
Sun	6/7	9:30 a.m.	Worship; Coffee fellowship following worship

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