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## WELCOME

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Welcome to worship at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church! Today is a special day at our church, as we bless our senior students.

Welcome to the seniors, their families, and to each of us as we give thanks for God's unwavering commitment to us throughout our lives. During this time of transition, we recall all the holy moments that have happened along the way, and give thanks to God for the joy of sharing those moments together. But we also pray God's blessing upon these seniors as they look ahead at what's to come. God will be with you! God's blessings to you and your loved ones today!

- Pastors Alicia and Ben Hilding

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## HUMBLY WE PRAY

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Benevolent Healer, bring healing to Isabel P., Laurie H., Paula, Gayle N., Jill, Margo L., Steve E., Luke N., Julie B., and all who live in the shadow of illness or addiction. Dry the tears of those suffering loss. Bring hope and peace to Ukraine and Russia and other places at war. Strengthen our faith in your plans. In Jesus' holy name we pray. Amen.

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## RADIO SPONSOR

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This week, our Radio Ministry is sponsored by George and Joan Winn. Thank you for your gift of ministry to our KCHK radio listeners!

If you'd like to help support this ministry, please contact Jamie or call 952-758-3513. Cost is \$60 per week. Thank you for considering this important gift!



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## WORSHIP SERVICE

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***Greeters:** Nick Sticha, Owen Hanson, Lucy Helgestad, Marcus Kajer, Jacob Lee, Sam Newton*

### PRELUDE

### ANNOUNCEMENT VIDEO/ WELCOME

### OPENING HYMN

Who You Say I Am  
*Jonathan Sayler, percussion*

### CONFESSION/ABSOLUTION

### PRAYER OF THE DAY

### MUSICAL OFFERING

HTLC Choir

### SCRIPTURE READINGS

Psalms 67 & Revelation 21:10, 22-22:5  
*Readers: Sam Newton and Macy Tietz*

### CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

*Riley Holets*

### GOSPEL

John 14:23-29

### MESSAGE

*Jeffrey Price*

### HYMN OF THE DAY

I Will Follow

### OFFERING/NOISY OFFERING

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*Lydia Popple*

### WORDS OF INSTITUTION/ LORD'S PRAYER

### HOLY COMMUNION

Lamb of God  
Draw Me Close To You  
10,000 Reasons

***Communion Servers:** Pastor Alicia Hilding & Noelle Francis, Pastor Diane Goulson & Marcus Kajer, Jacob Lee & Reid Schwartzkopf, Bailey Newman & Jeffrey Bisek*

### BLESSING OF THE SENIORS

### BENEDICTION

### SENDING HYMN

My Life Is In You Lord

### DISMISSAL

### POSTLUDE

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## WORSHIP NOTES

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**HOLY COMMUNION:** All are welcome! Every person has a place at God's table. No exceptions. **All are welcome to join in this Holy Communion meal, regardless of church membership or denomination.** We serve Holy Communion by inviting you to walk forward at the direction of the ushers to receive the body and blood of Jesus Christ. You will be handed a wafer (ask for gluten free if you'd prefer), and then choose either red wine or apple juice. Young children (under 4<sup>th</sup> grade) and others who do not commune are welcome to come forward for a blessing. If you prefer a prepackaged communion packet, they are available at the Welcome Center. Please pick it up before worship.

**NURSERY:** Do you have someone with you who might need to move around a bit? Make yourself at home! Check out the nursery, located next to the sanctuary. And, please feel free to wander the hallways as there are livestream feeds throughout the building.

**OFFERING/ NOISY OFFERING:** We invite you to give electronically (via our [website](#) or the [VancoFaith App](#)), or to place your offering in the plates at the tables near the sanctuary doors. We encourage children to experience the joy of giving by placing their offering in the metal milk can for a "noisy offering." (And honestly, it brings a smile to our faces!)

**RESTROOMS:** Holy Trinity has bathrooms around the building. Out of the 8 handicap accessible bathrooms, 6 are single occupancy, gender inclusive restrooms. Every restroom includes a changing table.

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## FINANCE UPDATE

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Financial Health as of April 30, 2022	Year to Date Budget	Year to Date Actual
Revenue	\$192,779	\$179,604
Expenses	\$204,173	\$191,563
Revenue - Expenses	-\$11,394	-\$11,958

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**CONGRATULATIONS, CLASS OF 2022:** Congratulations to all of our graduating High School Seniors! May your journey be blessed with opportunities to learn and to serve. Know that wherever you go, you have a home at Holy Trinity and we're cheering you on.

**BRUNCH:** After worship, all are welcome to stay for brunch in the fellowship hall! We'll have french toast bake, sausages, fresh fruit, and of course, coffee and juice.

**ENVELOPE FUNDRAISER: TODAY IS THE LAST DAY!** HTLC kids are going in all directions this summer and if you'd like to support them, please find the wall of envelopes in the Narthex and follow directions on the envelope. Thank you!

**RACIAL JUSTICE BOOK STUDY: Embrace Diversity - Faith, Vocation, and the Promise of America.** Join us for summer book study on Tuesdays, July 5 - August 2. Please email Sande Schoenecker, [sschoenecker@gmail.com](mailto:sschoenecker@gmail.com) to register by June 10. Purchase the book at the first meeting for \$13 - this is 50% off retail value thanks to Augsburg Fortress.

**VBS ON THE FARM:** Registration is open! Visit [vbsonthefarm.org](http://vbsonthefarm.org) to register or to learn more about this FREE, bilingual, nature-based VBS experience August 1-5. Holy Trinity is providing transportation for all New Prague attendees!

**CHURCH HIGHLIGHTS:** On May 24, our Church Calendar commemorates the life and work of Leonhard Euler (1707-1783), Swiss mathematician and physicist. Euler is one of the pioneers of scientific thought who endeavored to unravel the mysteries of God's creation. Read the full story in your HTLConnections!

### UPCOMING WORSHIP DATES:

- June 5 - Pentecost
- June 12 - Summer Sermon Series begins

**SUMMER WEDNESDAY SERVICES:** Mark your calendars for Wed. Worship at Cedar Lake! Supper @ 5 pm, Worship @ 6 pm.

- June 22 - Blessing of the Bikes
- July 27 - Blessing of the Pets
- August 24 - Blessing of the Backpacks & Lakeside Baptism

## KIDS' CORNER

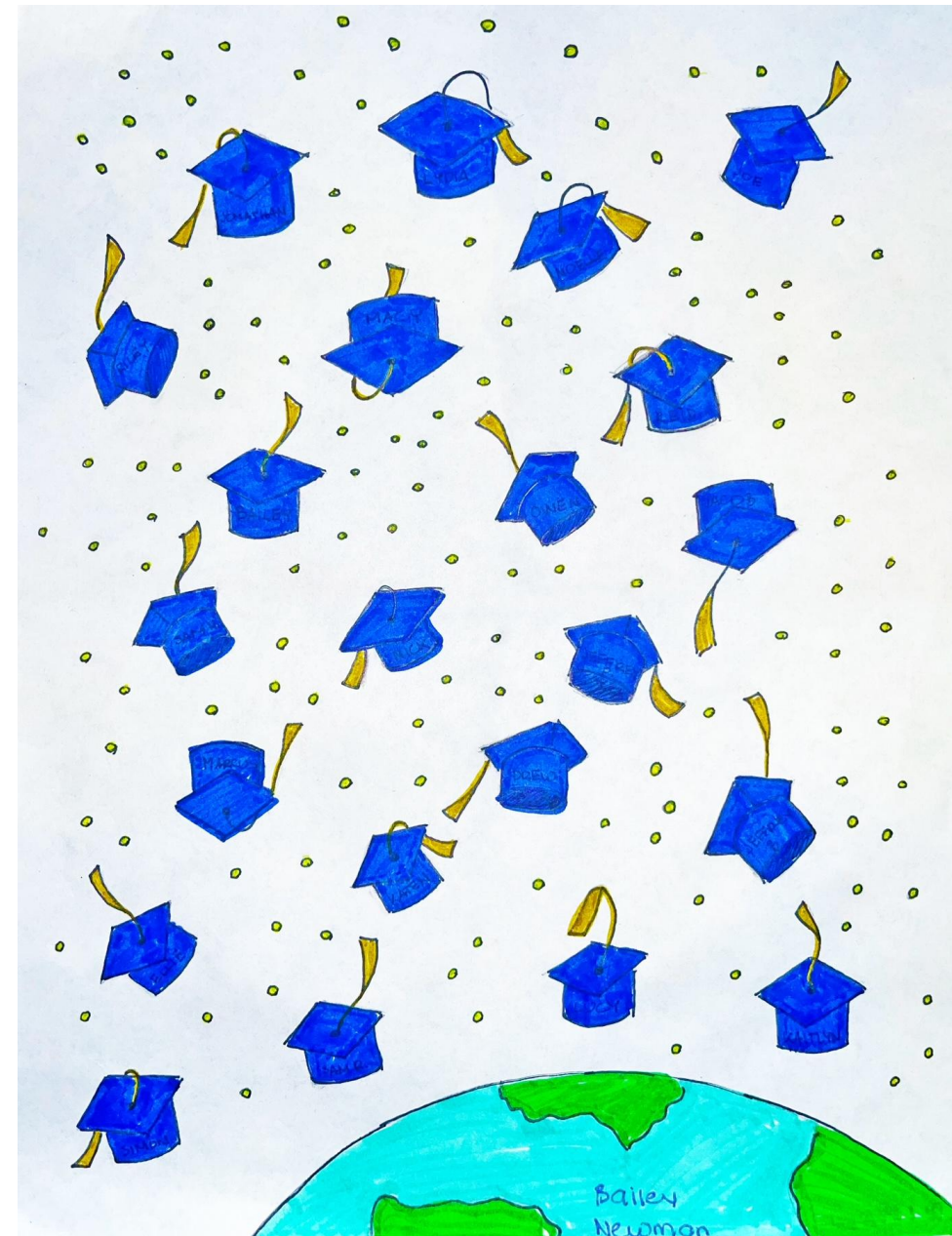


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**MAY 22, 2022**

**SUNDAY: 9 AM**

Share God's love for all people from one generation to the next  
Welcome · Worship · Respond

