

8th Weekend after Pentecost

July 13 & 14

Saturday - 5:00pm

Sunday - 9:30am

Also on Sunday: Radio Broadcast on
WRMN 1410 AM & Live Stream at:

[Holy Trinity Lutheran Church](http://holytrinityelgin.com)
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Becoming a SHARING community: *The Pews are Alive with the Sound of Music – Surrounding the Sacraments - Spirituals*

Our Purpose Statement:

A Christ-centered church sharing faith, hope, and love with each other, our neighbors, and the world.

GATHERING

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

O Lord, open our lips,
and our mouth will proclaim your praise.

It is good to praise the Lord
and make music to your name, O Most High,
**to proclaim your love in the morning
and your faithfulness at night.**

Come, let us sing for joy to the Lord;
let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.
**Let us come before him with thanksgiving
and extol him with music and song.**

- Psalm 92:1-2; 95:1-2

Gathering Hymn: *I Want Jesus to Walk with Me*

ELW 325

- 1** I want Jesus to walk with me;
I want Jesus to walk with me;
all along my pilgrim journey,
Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.
- 2** In my trials, Lord, walk with me;
in my trials, Lord, walk with me;
when my heart is almost breaking,
Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.
- 3** When I'm in trouble, Lord, walk with me;
when I'm in trouble, Lord, walk with me;
when my head is bowed in sorrow,
Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.

Text: African American spiritual

Greeting

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

And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

O Living God of past and future,
we praise you
for this present moment.

Fill us with your joy and empower us with your Holy Spirit,
that our strength may be renewed
to sing a new song of your glory
in a world which longs for your justice and peace.

All this we ask in the name of Jesus,
in whom we become
your new creation.

Amen.

~ from *All Things New*, written by Rev. Susan A. Blain and Rev. Scott Ressman.

Please be seated.

Children's Sermon

Sunday only

Blessing of the Quilts for LWR

WORD

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

Bible Verse of the Month: Psalm 98:5

Let us remember the witness of Scripture as we say our verse of the month
together -

**⁴Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth;
break forth into joyous song and sing praises.**

First Reading: 1 Corinthians 11:23-26

²³For I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took a loaf of bread, ²⁴and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." ²⁵In the same way he took the cup also, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." ²⁶For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

Word of God. Word of Life.

Thanks be to God.

The assembly stands to welcome the gospel.

Gospel Acclamation



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,
al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. *Repeat alleluia*
Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of e - ter - nal life.

Gospel: Matthew 26:26-30

The holy Gospel according to St. Matthew.

Glory to you, O Lord.

²⁶While they were eating, Jesus took a loaf of bread, and after blessing it he broke it, gave it to the disciples, and said, "Take, eat; this is my body." ²⁷Then he took a cup, and after giving thanks he gave it to them,

saying, "Drink from it, all of you; ²⁸for this is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins. ²⁹I tell you, I will never again drink of this fruit of the vine until that day when I drink it new with you in my Father's kingdom."

³⁰When they had sung the hymn, they went out to the Mount of Olives.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon

Silence for reflection follows the sermon.

Hymn of the Day: *Let Us Break Bread Together*

ELW 471

- 1** Let us break bread together on our knees;
let us break bread together on our knees.

Refrain

When I fall on my knees,
with my face to the rising sun,
O Lord, have mercy on me.

- 2** Let us drink wine together on our knees;
let us drink wine together on our knees. *Refrain*

- 3** Let us praise God together on our knees;
let us praise God together on our knees. *Refrain*

Text: African American spiritual

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

In the quietness,
aware that we are only part of a great multitude,
on earth and in heaven,
who share in the Church's offering of worship,
let us join ourselves with them
and bring to God in prayer our own hopes and needs,
together with those of all God's children.
Through silence,
let us be open to the God who both listens and speaks to us.

A brief silence.

God of love, your word teaches that peace is not the absence of conflict but the presence of justice. Peace is what happens when those who have much do not have too much and those who have little do not have too little. The very old and the very young feel safe and supported. Parents can feed themselves and their children and all have the opportunity for meaningful work in their community. Let us pray and work for this kind of peace. God of grace, **hear our prayer.**

For the leaders of the churches, for all who share Christ's ministry in this place, and especially for those who order the worship of your people, that many may draw close to you in prayer and praise... Let us pray to the Lord:

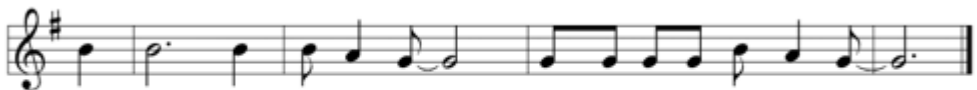
It's Me, O Lord

Standing in the Need of Prayer

Refrain



It's me, it's me, O Lord, stand-in' in the need of prayer;



it's me, it's me, O Lord, stand-in' in the need of prayer.

For all whom you inspire to compose music, for all to whom you give skill and devotion to perform it, and for all your children who are enriched and renewed by it... Let us pray to the Lord:

Refrain



It's me, it's me, O Lord, stand-in' in the need of prayer;



it's me, it's me, O Lord, stand-in' in the need of prayer.

For those who suffer in mind and body, and for those who dedicate their lives to caring for their neighbors. Let us pray to the Lord:

Refrain



It's me, it's me, O Lord, stand-in' in the need of prayer;



it's me, it's me, O Lord, stand-in' in the need of prayer.

For all who have gone before us in the faith of Christ, for those who in past generations have enriched your Church with fine music, and for all who have served as musicians in this church. Let us pray to the Lord:

Refrain

It's me, it's me, O Lord, stand-in' in the need of prayer;

it's me, it's me, O Lord, stand-in' in the need of prayer.

The image shows two lines of musical notation in G major (one sharp). The first line is labeled 'Refrain' and contains the lyrics 'It's me, it's me, O Lord, stand-in' in the need of prayer;'. The second line contains the lyrics 'it's me, it's me, O Lord, stand-in' in the need of prayer.'.

Text: African American spiritual
Music: STANDING IN THE NEED. African American spiritual

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Lord of the Church, hear our prayer, and make us one in heart and mind to serve you with joy forever.

Amen.

Peace

The ministers and the assembly greet each other in the peace of the risen Christ.

Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God.

– *Colossians 3:15,16*

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

I invite you to share a sign of peace with your neighbor.

MEAL

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

Offering

An offering is gathered for the mission of the church, including the care of those in need.

Please stand as you are able.

Offertory: *Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful*

ELW 181

Let the vineyards be fruitful, Lord,
and fill to the brim our cup of blessing.
Gather a harvest from the seeds that were sown,
that we may be fed with the bread of life.
Gather the hopes and the dreams of all;
unite them with the prayers we offer.
Grace our table with your presence,
and give us a foretaste of the feast to come.

Text: John W. Arthur, 1922-1980

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Offering Prayer

Generous God,

all good gifts come from your gracious hand. We offer you this bread, wine, and money, the harvest of our time and labor. Make us wise stewards of all your gifts, that your name may be exalted in all the world, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Great Thanksgiving

The presiding minister greets the assembly and invites all present to give thanks.

Dialogue

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

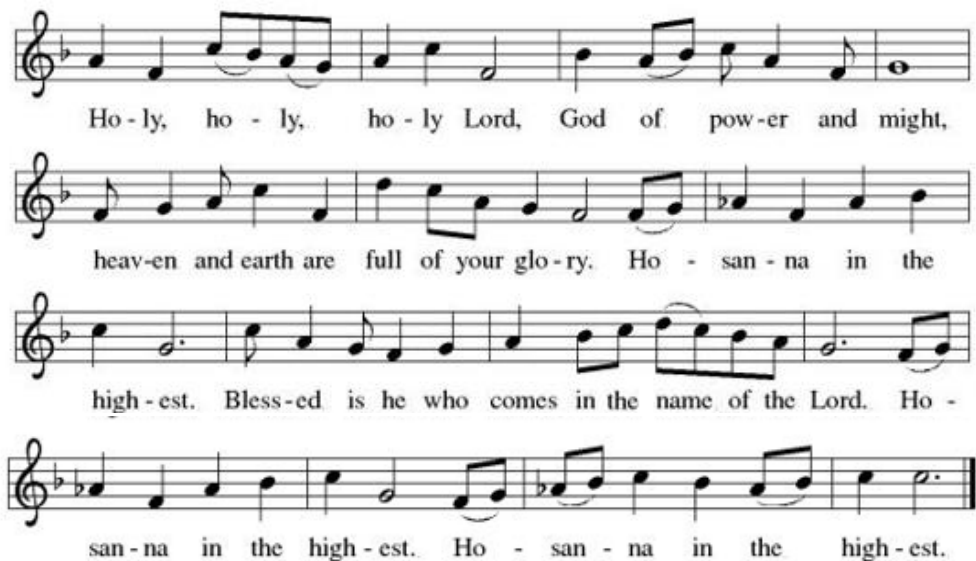
Preface

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should always sing of your glory, holy Father, almighty and eternal God, through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord: for at this time we celebrate your gift of music, through which earth and heaven combine.

At the creation of the world, the morning stars sang together, and the heavenly beings shouted for joy.

At the deliverance of your people from Egypt, Moses and Miriam sang of your salvation.

At the birth of your Son, Jesus, the angels sang 'Glory in the highest'. And so, with the saints and angels around your throne who offer you ceaseless songs of praise, we join to glorify your name, forever praising you and singing:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,
heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the
high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Thanksgiving at the Table

In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Bring us, O Lord God, at our last awakening into the house and gate of
heaven, to enter into that gate and dwell in that house, where there shall
be no darkness nor dazzling, but one equal light; no noise nor silence, but
one equal music; no fears nor hopes, but one equal possession; no ends
nor beginnings, but one equal eternity; in the houses of your glory and
dominion, world without end.

Amen.

Lord's Prayer

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

**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.**

Invitation to Communion

Come to the banquet, for all is now ready.

Thanks be to God!

All are welcome at Christ's Table. Please come up to the communion rails, either kneel or stand as you are able.



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.

Sharing the meal

Blessing after Communion

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

Amen.

Prayer after Communion

Jesus, Bread of life,
we have received from your table
more than we could ever ask.

As you have nourished us in this meal,
now strengthen us to love the world with your own life.
In your name we pray.

Amen.

Sending

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

Please stand as you are able.

Blessing

May the songs of the angels sustain you,
may the praises of the saints inspire you,
may the silent music of the Unseen Trinity be in your heart,
and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit,
be among you and remain with you always.

Amen.

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Sending Hymn: Precious Lord, Take My Hand

ELW 773

- 1** Precious Lord, take my hand, lead me on, let me stand
I am tired, I am weak, I am worn.
Through the storm, through the night, lead me on to the light
Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.
- 2** When my way grows drear, precious Lord, linger near,
When my life is almost gone,
Hear my cry, hear my call, hold my hand lest I fall.
Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.
- 3** When the darkness appears and the night draws near,
And the day is past and gone;
At the river I stand, guide my feet, hold my hand.
Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

Dismissal

Go in peace. Make a joyful noise!

Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Worship Leaders

Interim Pastor	Rev. Dave Daubert
Vicar	Andrea Delaney
Director of Music	Matt Wahl
Radio Host	Bruce Cook
Live-stream Tech	Mary Homeier Cook

Pastoral Care: If you need pastoral care, please reach out to Vicar Andrea at 847-504-7029 (cell) or vicar@holytrinityelgin.com

Our Tithes & Offerings

When we practice gratitude, we begin to understand that everything is a gift from God and we can praise God for the gifts we have received which, in turn, leads us to be generous stewards of those gifts. As we seek to gather an offering for the mission of Holy Trinity in these times, we thank you for your sustained giving and support!

Ways to Give to Holy Trinity

1. Drop your donation in the offering plate.
2. Mail a check to the church.
3. Give online on our website: holytrinityelgin.com.
4. Give+ through Vanco – an APP on your phone.
5. Simply Giving – call the church to get signed up.

The regular offering for last week was \$7,958

Please join us next weekend in Worship * All are Welcome!

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Special Offerings: If you wish to sponsor the weekly bulletins (\$25), altar flowers (\$25) or the Radio Hour (\$100) please contact the church office. If they are in honor or memory of someone, please include the information with your payment. All monies collected will help offset the cost of the paper, ink, postage, flowers, and cost of radio airtime.



Summer
Sermon Series

The Pews are Alive, with the Sound of Music

June 29 – August 4

Making of the Bible

August 10 – September 1



Café Church & Potluck - 8/3 & 9/1 (1st Sat. of the Month)

Summer Lunch & Reading - June 5 thru August 9

National Night Out - August 5

Sock Hop Dance - August 24

Check out our Announcement page for details!

Trinity Times Express

Summer Lunch & Reading program – happens Monday through Friday 11:30 – 12:30 until August 9.

2024 Youth Gathering – New Orleans July 16-20 – Please support our attendees as they prepare for the Youth Gathering this summer with your prayers. Financial support is also welcome, simply make a special contribution noting it is for “Youth”. Our attendees are Amanda & Amy Moog, Nathan Kolakowski & Bob Langlois!

Pastor Dave’s Bible Study – meets monthly on the 4th Monday at 7:00pm on Zoom, next meeting is **July 22**.

Quilting Queens – Meets the 1st, 4th & 5th Tuesday of every month. Our next work session will be **July 23** at 9:00 am. No quilting or sewing experience required.

Alzheimer’s Support Group – meets the 4th Wednesday of every month. Our next meeting will be on **July 24** at 10:30 am. Contact Chaplain Dave at dwrohlwing@att.net or 847-695-2745 for more information.

Vicar’s Book Study – Vicar’s 4th Thursday Book Study meets monthly, and our next meeting will be on **July 25** at 10:30 am. The book for July will be *The Women* by Kristin Hannah.

Grief Support Group – Meets the 2nd & 4th Thursday of every month at 10:30am. Next meeting will be on **July 25**.

Café Church & Potluck – join us on the 1st Saturday of the month for an informal Worship service followed by a potluck dinner. The next Café Church is **August 3**.

Youth Group – for grades 6 – 12 will meet the 1st Sunday each month after worship in the Youth Room downstairs. Our next meeting will be **August 4**.

Holy Trinity Ministry Calendar

Mon 7/15

11:30 am - Summer Lunch & Reading
12:00 pm - AA**
6:00 pm - Church Council Meeting
6:00 pm - Cub Scouts**

Tue 7/16

11:30 am - Summer Lunch & Reading
10:00 am - Holy Trinity Staff
12:00 pm - AA**

Wed 7/17

9:00 am - Golden K Meeting**
11:30 am - Summer Lunch & Reading
7:00 pm - Comm Team Meeting

Thu 7/18

11:30 am - Summer Lunch & Reading
12:00 pm - AA**
2:00 pm - Soup Kettle** - dinner at 5:30 pm
7:30 pm - AA**

Fri 7/19

11:30 am - Summer Lunch & Reading
12:00 pm - AA**
2:00 pm - Soup Kettle** - dinner at 5:30 pm

Sat 7/20

5:00 pm - Worship Service

Sun 7/21

8:00 am - Community Breakfast
9:30 am - Worship Service
10:30 am - Coffee Hour
2:00 pm - Soup Kettle** - dinner at 4:30 pm
7:00 pm - AA**