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Prelude

Allein Gott in der Höh sei Ehr, BWV 663

J.S. Bach

Welcome

Please stand

Opening Hymn

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!

Red Hymnal #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!

Today's Worship

Participants

Musicians

Celina Kobetitsch, organ
Norah Long, soloist
All Congregation Band

Acolyte

Ivanka Galla

Readers

Ivanka Galla
Bruce Warner

Communion Server

Patti Richardson

Altar Guild

Vicki Gruber
Nicole St. John
Beth Shoen
Jean Stoermer

Altar Flowers

Would you like to sponsor altar flowers? Your commemoration will be printed here and on the opening slide of the livestream. Thank you!

Invocation, Confession, Forgiveness

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, whose compassion endures forever. **Amen**

Let us confess our sin to God.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Compassionate God,

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.

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. **Amen**

Kyrie

Red Hymnal page 156

In peace, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord. **Amen**

Hymn of Praise

Red Hymnal page 159

All glory be to God on high, and peace to earth be given! Let angels sing, let all reply; goodwill breaks forth from heaven! Lord God Almighty, heaven's king, we worship you, our thanks we sing, we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, creation's author, O Lamb of God, your death alone takes sin away forever. Stretch out your arms to ev'ry land, and, as you reign at God's right hand, receive our prayer; have mercy.

To you alone, O God, we cry, the Holy One we name you; for you alone are God most high, one living God we claim you: we worship you, Lord Jesus Christ, with God the Spirit ever blest, in God the Father's glory. Amen

Salutation and Prayer of the Day

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.** Let us pray. . . **Amen**

Please be seated

Lesson

Genesis 1:24-2:3

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand

Gospel Acclamation

Red Hymnal page 151

Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.

The Holy Gospel

Matthew 28:16-20

After the announcement, the people say, "Glory to you, O Lord."

At the conclusion, the people say, "Praise to you, O Christ!"

Please be seated

Children's Message

Zach Stay & Minnie Jackson

Hymn of the Day

Come, Join the Dance of Trinity

Red Hymnal #412



1 Come, join the dance of Trin - i - ty, be - fore all worlds be - gun—
2 Come, see the face of Trin - i - ty, new - born in Beth - le - hem;
3 Come, speak a - loud of Trin - i - ty, as wind and tongues of flame
4 With - in the dance of Trin - i - ty, be - fore all worlds be - gun,



the in - ter-weav - ing of the Three, the Fa - ther, Spir - it, Son.
then blood - ied by a crown of thorns out - side Je - ru - sa - lem.
set peo - ple free at Pen - te - cost to tell the Sav - ior's name.
we sing the prais - es of the Three, the Fa - ther, Spir - it, Son.



The u - ni - verse of space and time did not a - rise by chance,
The dance of Trin - i - ty is meant for hu - man flesh and bone;
We know the yoke of sin and death, our necks have worn it smooth;
Let voic - es rise and in - ter-weave, by love and hope set free,



but as the Three, in love and hope, made room with - in their dance.
when fear con - fines the dance in death, God rolls a - way the stone.
go tell the world of weight and woe that we are free to move!
to shape in song this joy, this life: the dance of Trin - i - ty.

Homily

Pastor Makayla Dahleen

Prayers of the People . . . God of grace, hear our prayer.

The names mentioned in the prayers represent a much longer list. If you have made a prayer request and do not hear the name mentioned here please know that the Healing Prayer Group prays daily for each and every person brought to our attention.

Offering

Let All Things Now Living

arr. Stan Pethel

Your offerings can be left in the offering plates at the entrance to the sanctuary, mailed to the church, given electronically at spdlc.org/give, or by scanning the QR code located on the back of the bulletin. Thank you for your generous support of God's mission and ministry at St. Philip the Deacon. Remember: Your gifts make a difference.

Please stand

Offertory

Red Hymnal #884

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heav'nly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

Offertory Prayer

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. Amen

We Remember in Prayer . . .

Mike Windsor
Jack Osberg
Jane Johnson
Greg Path
Roger Elias
Lynn Carlson
Mark Utter
Pam Sikkila
Steven Wangstad
Donna Schmidt
George Stodola
James Lew
Pat Stewart
Violet Kluer

A Rose on the Font

As an expression of our life together, a red rose on the baptismal font indicates that we have received news of a birth and a white rose that we have received news of a stillbirth or a miscarriage. As Paul writes, we "rejoice with those who rejoice and mourn with those who mourn." (Romans 12:15)

To make a prayer request, send an email to prayers@spdlc.org.

Next Week's Scriptures

To prepare for worship next week, please read the following scripture passages:

Hosea 5:15-6:6

Psalms 50:7-15

Romans 4:13-25

Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26

New Member Class

Our next new member class will be offered in late summer. In the meantime, if you would like to learn more about this faith community and our mission and ministry, please contact Pastor Tim Westermeyer at twestermeyer@spdcl.org or Cindy Carlson at ccarlson@spdcl.org.

Please know that all are welcome to receive Holy Communion. Jesus said that the body and blood are given "for you and for all people." We will bless the bread and wine in the Sanctuary. After the Lord's Prayer, the pastor will say, "the body and blood of Christ are given and shed for you." At that time, we invite you to serve yourself or share bread and wine (or juice) at home with one another.

The Great Thanksgiving

Red Hymnal page 152

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.**

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy... we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might: Heav'n and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Words of Institution

The 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

Reception of Communion

Red Hymnal page 154

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

Communion Music

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

arr. Stan Pethel

Post Communion Blessing

May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the gifts of his body and blood strengthen, keep and unite us, now and forever. **Amen**

Post Communion Hymn

Red Hymnal #207

Thankful hearts and voices raise; tell ev'ryone what God has done. Let ev'ryone who seeks the Lord rejoice and bear the name of Christ. Send us with your promises and lead your people forth in joy with shouts of thanksgiving. Alleluia, alleluia.

Post Communion Prayer

High School Senior Recognition

Reading

"Moving into the Unknown"

Pastor Meta Herrick Carlson

Congregational Blessing

Graduates, receive this blessing: **God of creation, pour out your Spirit on these graduates, as they start a new chapter of life and faith. Bless them as they begin new ventures as faithful people, hearing your word, responding in thankfulness by proclaiming your love and grace through their words and deeds while walking with you. We pray this in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

Benediction

The Blessing

Katie Moran Bart

*May the road rise up to meet you;
May the wind be always at your back,
May the sun shine warm upon your face,
And the rains fall soft upon your fields.
Until we meet again, my friend, until we meet again,
May God hold you in the palm of his hand.*

Dismissal

Go in peace. Serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

Toccata in G

Theodore Dubois

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Your Gifts Make a Difference

In the Gospel of Mark, Jesus calls us to love our neighbor, and this past week over 90 women gathered for the Women's Spring Event to explore how we respond to this command. The theme of the event was *The Art of Neighboring*, and throughout the evening there was a buzz about how God is calling us to respond and engage with the people we encounter in our everyday life. The event included a service element to support area ministry partners who are serving neighbors who are facing challenges. We assembled beverage kits and feminine hygiene packs for the Food Pantry at Interfaith Outreach in Plymouth, assembled Summer Fun kits for the Vacation Bible School program at Messiah Lutheran Church in the Phillips neighborhood, and bundled diaper packs for the Neighborhood Diaper Program at Mt. Olive Lutheran Church, South Minneapolis. Thank you for sharing the gift of neighboring!

Did You Know

Today we will be recognizing our graduating high school seniors at the 9:30 a.m. service. We will offer a blessing for these students during this service, and they will each receive a gift from the congregation—a book by Amanda Berger titled *Right Here, Right Now: Daily Practices, Prayers, and Poems for Young People*. We invite everyone in the congregation to keep these students in your prayers as they look forward to new adventures. God bless you, seniors, and congratulations!

Worship Schedule

Saturday	5 p.m.
Sunday	8:15, 9:30 & 10:45 a.m.

Sunday School resumes in the fall.

Childcare is available at all Sunday services.

Join us in Fellowship Hall for refreshments following 8:15 & 9:30 a.m. services.

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Tim Westermeyer

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Mark Schmid

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Valerie Strand

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Adult Ministry Pastor

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Children's Ministry

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This Week at St. Philip the Deacon

SUNDAY, May 31—The Holy Trinity

High School Senior Recognition

8:15 a.m. **Worship with**

Holy Communion

9:30⁺ a.m. **Worship with**

Holy Communion

10:45 a.m. **Worship with**

Holy Communion

MONDAY, June 1

11:30 a.m. Chair Yoga

6:30 p.m. Book Discussion: Try Softer

TUESDAY, June 2

8 a.m. Men's Discussion Group

10:30 a.m. Funeral for Cindie Menken

1 p.m. Thrive Cancer Support Group

3 p.m. Spirit Beads

6:30 p.m. AA Group

WEDNESDAY, June 3

6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study and Fellowship

1 p.m. Caregivers Support Group

3 p.m.

Six Needs of Mourning

6:30 p.m.

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THURSDAY, June 4

9 a.m. Yoga

11:30 a.m. Chair Yoga

2 p.m. Funeral for Jim Roed

5:15 p.m. Minnesota Twins Game

7 p.m. Sanctuary of Survivors

SATURDAY, June 6

9 a.m. SPD Ploggers

5 p.m. **Worship with**

Holy Communion

SUNDAY, June 7

8:15 a.m. **Worship with**

Holy Communion

9:30⁺ a.m. **Worship with**

Holy Communion

10:45 a.m. **Worship with**

Holy Communion

⁺ *Livestreamed*

*"Trinity Sunday declares: You are created for communion, for connection,
and for relationship. With God. With one another. With creation itself."*

—Matthew D. O'Rear