



JUNE 4, 2023
HOLY TRINITY

PRELUDE	“Every Time I Feel the Spirit”
CALL TO WORSHIP	“O Holy Spirit, Root of Life” vs. 1,3 #399
WELCOME	
SONG OF CELEBRATION	“Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty” #413
GREETING & PRAYER OF THE DAY	
(11:00) HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE RECOGNITION	
THE READINGS	
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION	“Thy Word”
THE GOSPEL	
CHILDREN’S MESSAGE	
SERMON & REFLECTION	
SONG OF THE DAY	“All Glory Be to God on High” #410
PROFESSION OF FAITH	Nicene Creed
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE	
SPECIAL MUSIC	(8:30) “I Want Jesus to Walk With Me” (11:00) “Lift High the Cross”
OFFERING PRAYER	
COMMUNION	“God Whose Almighty Word” #673 “Thy Strong Word” VS. 1,3,6 #510
(8:30) HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE RECOGNITION	
ANNOUNCEMENTS	
BLESSING	
(11:00) BLESSING OF KIKTA & LEAL FAMILIES	
SENDING SONG	“Come, Join the Dance of Trinity” #412
MISSION AND PEACE	“Traveling Mercies”
POSTLUDE	“Lead On, O King Eternal”

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Father, Son, Spirit—One God in three. Three in One. Reveal yourself to us in divine relationship. Help us to find our selves, our lives, in the unity that is you. Amen.

GENESIS 1:1-5

¹ In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, ² the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while the Spirit of God swept over the face of the waters. ³ Then God said, "Let there be light"; and there was light. ⁴ And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. ⁵ God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

PSALM ANTIPHON

Holy Spirit, come to us, kindle in us the fire of your love.
Holy Spirit, come to us, Holy Spirit, come to us.

PSALM 29

¹ Ascribe to the Lord, O heavenly beings,
ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.
² **Ascribe to the Lord the glory of his name;
worship the Lord in holy splendor.**
³ The voice of the Lord is over the waters;
the God of glory thunders, the Lord, over mighty waters.
⁴ **The voice of the Lord is powerful;
the voice of the Lord is full of majesty.**
⁵ The voice of the Lord breaks the cedars;
the Lord breaks the cedars of Lebanon.
⁶ He makes Lebanon skip like a calf, and Sirion like a young wild ox.
⁷ **The voice of the Lord flashes forth flames of fire.**
⁸ The voice of the Lord shakes the wilderness;
the Lord shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.
⁹ **The voice of the Lord causes the oaks to whirl,
and strips the forest bare; and in his temple all say, "Glory!"**
¹⁰ The Lord sits enthroned over the flood;
the Lord sits enthroned as king forever.
¹¹ **May the Lord give strength to his people!
May the Lord bless his people with peace!**

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ROMANS 5:1-5

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, ² through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. ³ And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, ⁴ and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, ⁵ and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

JOHN 16:7-16

⁷ I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Advocate will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. ⁸ And when he comes, he will prove the world wrong about sin and righteousness and judgment: ⁹ about sin, because they do not believe in me; ¹⁰ about righteousness, because I am going to the Father and you will see me no longer; ¹¹ about judgment, because the ruler of this world has been condemned. ¹² "I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. ¹³ When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own, but will speak whatever he hears, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. ¹⁴ He will glorify me, because he will take what is mine and declare it to you. ¹⁵ All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

Welcome to Worship at Abiding Love!
May you know God’s love as you sing,
pray, proclaim, and serve.

All are welcome to communion at Abiding Love.
Hold out your hands to receive the bread. Gluten free wafers are available. Take a cup of wine (red) or grape juice (white) from the tray. Children and adults not communing may come forward and cross their arms over their chest to receive a blessing.
Please follow the direction of the ushers.

WORSHIP IN PENTECOST



June 4: Holy Trinity
High School Graduate Recognition

June 11: The Way of Peace

June 18: The Way of Justice

June 25: Rev. Bradley Fuerst

July 2: Rev. Chris Steubing

July 9: Rev. Tim Anderson

July 16: ALLC President Brad Matejowsky

SERVING SUNDAY, JUNE 4, 2023

Preaching and Presiding Minister: Rev. Brad Highum
Altar Guild: (8:30) Margaret Dove (11:00) Denise Alaimo
Assisting Minister: Reggie Kikta Children's Message: Tyler Parks
Communion Assistant: (8:30) (11:00) Garth Hillman
Lector: (8:30) Sue Milam (11:00) Joyce Flachmeier
Ushers: (8:30) Willie Haas, Marvin Haddock, Jerald Segner, Morris Thompson
(11:00) Kurt Armstrong, Steve Essinger
Tech: Jan Haas, Zee Zepeda
Music: Gus Sterneman, Stephanie Morrison

ABIDING LOVE CALENDAR

SUNDAY, JUNE 4 HOLY TRINITY
High School Graduate Recognition
8:30 am Worship w/Communion
9:45 am Faith Formation
11:00 am Worship w/Communion
5:00 pm ASCI Diversity Band Rehearsal (AC)

MONDAY, JUNE 5
7:30 am CC Summer Camp (UC)
11:00 am ALLC Food Pantry
5:00 pm Bread For All Food Pantry
7:00 pm AA (HS Room)
7:00 pm Troop 555 (AC)

TUESDAY, JUNE 6
10:30 am Bible Study (C)
6:30 pm Oak Hill Svc Unit Ldrs (AC)
7:00 pm Alanon (C)
7:00 pm Ministry Roundtable) (Z)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7
10:00 am Staff Meeting (C)
6:00 pm Music Rehearsals

THURSDAY, JUNE 8
10:00 am CC Chapel
6:00 pm Alanon (L)
7:00 pm Lion's Club (C)

FRIDAY, JUNE 9
5:00 pm ASCI Diversity Band Rehearsal (AC)

SATURDAY, JUNE 10

SUNDAY, JUNE 11
8:30 am Worship w/Communion
9:45 am Faith Formation
11:00 am Worship w/Communion (Mixed blessings)
12:30 pm Day Camp Training (AC)

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ABIDING LOVE LUTHERAN CHURCH
JUNE 4, 2023



From the Beginning!

The true gift of Scripture is the revelation of God that it proclaims. From the first chapter and verse to the last, we are invited into deeper and deeper levels of the mystery of God. A key revelation is God's communal, relational nature. We might best read the opening of Genesis as *"In the beginning was relationship!"* From the very beginning God is revealed to us as a relationship of Father embracing Son embracing Father in the love of the Spirit. On this festival day, we celebrate the relationship that is God and the gracious way God invites us to find ourselves and live our lives in that very embrace.