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Worship Spotlight

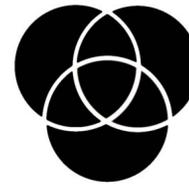
Why do we have three scripture readings?

The Scriptures abound with commands for God's people to read His Word out loud when they gather (Ex. 24:7; Deut. 31:11; Josh. 8:34; 2 Kings 23:2; Neh. 8,9,13; etc). The Jews of Jesus' day devoted much of their synagogue service to the systematic reading of the Law and the Prophets (Acts 13:15, 27). Jesus announced the beginning of his ministry while participating in such a reading (Luke 4:16). The Apostle Paul commanded the churches to read his letters aloud (Col. 4:16) and he exhorted Timothy: "devote yourself to the public reading of Scripture," (1 Tim. 4:13).

Since most people in the ancient world were illiterate and manuscripts were costly and rare, if God's people were to know his Word, it would have to be read aloud at their assemblies. The Bible was written with that reality in mind. The Spirit-inspired authors employed techniques and structures designed to make their writing pleasing to the ear and easier to follow as it was read. Though we have unprecedented access to the Scriptures now, if we are not also reading them aloud in Church we are not fully hearing them as intended.

For these reasons, Christians have historically followed Israel's example by reading aloud from multiple portions of Scripture during gathered worship. Most often portions from the Old Testament, the Epistles, and the Gospels are read. At Trinity we choose three readings that correspond to one another. For example: the Old Testament reading may be a prophecy whose fulfillment is shown in the Gospel, the meaning of which is expounded upon in the Epistle.

There are many benefits to this discipline. We are learning to interpret Scripture with Scripture. We are showing that the whole Bible tells one grand story fulfilled in Jesus. By devoting our time and attention to its reading, we acknowledge the authority and centrality of the Bible for our faith.



TRINITY
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

June 12th, 2022

The Holy Trinity

Prelude

Announcements

GOD SUMMONS US TO WORSHIP

Call to Worship

Psalm 148:1-6

†Congregational Singing

#267 "Come, Thou Almighty King"

†Responsive Scriptures

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Our help is in the name of the Lord.

Who made heaven and earth.

†Collect

Father, we praise you; through your Word and Holy Spirit you created all things. You reveal your salvation in all the world by sending to us Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh. Through your Holy Spirit you give us a share in your life and love. Fill us with the vision of your glory, that we may always serve and praise you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

†Congregational Singing

"His Mercy is More"

GOD SANCTIFIES US TO HIMSELF

Call to Confession

1 John 2:1-2

Silent Confession

Corporate Confession

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid; Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your Holy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

†Assurance of Forgiveness

†Congregational Singing

#262 "Holy, Holy, Holy"

GOD SPEAKS TO US IN HIS WORD

Old Testament Reading

Psalm 8

Epistle Reading

Acts 2:14a, 22-36

†Gospel Reading

John 8:48-59

†Profession of Faith

The Apostle's Creed

Sermon

Pastor Chad Anderson

"Telling The Mighty Works Of God"

Offertory

†Doxology

#625 (*a cappella*)

†Prayer of Dedication

GOD STRENGTHENS US AT HIS TABLE

All who are baptized and trust in Jesus Christ are invited to share the Lord's Supper. Baptized children are welcomed to the Supper once they have been admitted by the Elders.

Once the Pastor has prayed for the bread and wine, we will process down the center aisle to partake. Parents, please help distribute to your communing children. You may eat and drink at the front of the sanctuary, depositing empty cups in the baskets on either side, or you may make take the bread and cup to your seat to partake. Use the outside aisles to return to your seat.

We encourage words of blessing during this time: "Peace be with you" (Jn. 14:27) or "Christ be with you" (Rom. 16:20), and the response: "And also with you."

Declaration of God's Invitation and Promises

Prayers and Distribution

†Congregational Singing

"Holy Father, Great Creator"

GOD SENDS US INTO THE WORLD

†Commission and Benediction

†Congregational Response

#628 IV "Threefold Amen"

Postlude

Worship Leader: Pastor Chad Anderson

Nursery Volunteers: Anne Lano, Miabelle Lano

CHURCH LIFE

Sunday, June 12th - *The Holy Trinity*

9:00 a.m. . . . Sunday School

10:30 a.m. . . . Worship Service

Wednesday, June 15th

6:30 a.m. . . . Women's Prayer Meeting

- ❖ We are looking for someone to **lead singing for Children's Sunday School** this June-July. This involves gathering the kids for the first 15 minutes of Sunday School and leading them in singing with recorded tracks and lyrics from YouTube. It is a fun way to encourage the children and help them grow in their love for Christ. Please contact Kristin Holl or Pastor Dave if interested.
- ❖ **Ladies!** We will be starting an **early morning prayer** time this summer in lieu of a Bible Study, beginning June 1st. Praying together and listening to what is happening in our lives is a vital part of our community. So Wednesday mornings from 6:30-7:30AM, join us at the church! Contact Anika Fong with interest or questions!
- ❖ **Pastor David and family will be on vacation** June 6th-15th. Please pray for safe travel and a restful time with family in Colorado.
- ❖ Please join the Jacob and Rachel Hajda family in welcoming their new little girl, **Eliza Jane!** We have an opportunity as a church family to bless them with freezer meals, non-perishable foods, and/or snacks. Since Jacob and Rachel live in Broken Bow, you can just bring any items you'd like to give them to the church on a Sunday morning in the next few weeks. To sign up for their MealTrain, please click on this link here: mealtrain.com/zo921e
- ❖ **Financial Report:** Budgeted need each week: \$3,789.04. Budgeted need year-to-date: \$83,358.88. Received 5/29: \$2,288.36. Received year-to-date: \$83,499.54.
- ❖ **June Birthdays:** (16) Aria Goodbrake 2016, (17) Floyd Butterfield, (24) Margaret Hajda 1998, (25) Mimi Frerichs, (26) Nora Hooton 2010

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

- ❖ That God would bring people in need of a church family to Trinity, and that we would minister to them in love.
- ❖ Presbytery: Grace Chapel in Lincoln - Pastors Ben Loos, Isaac Terwilliger, Victor Mallin; and Redeemer Church in Lincoln - Pastors Matt Odum and Adam Odell.
- ❖ Missions: Collage Center
- ❖ For our new and expecting mothers and their children: Rachel Goodbrake, Rachael Hajda (Eliza Jane born 5/13), Kristin Holl (Todd Lorenz born 2/19)

STAFF

Pastors: Chad Anderson (Senior), David Salyer (Associate)

Elders: Michael Freitag, David Holl, Tory Hooton, David Lano

Deacons: Josh Goodbrake (Offering and Service), Josiah Holl (Mercy), Sam Lanka (Facilities), Doug Sykes (Chair)