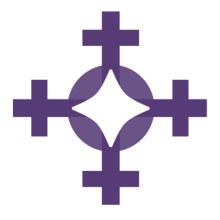


## **January 28, 2018**



## To the Four Corners of the Earth

The season of Epiphany reminds us of the church's world-wide mission to reveal the true God and his love for mankind in his Son. The star in the center is the star of Bethlehem. It shines to the four corners of the earth to manifest the cross of Christ to all the nations. The Epiphany of our Lord is the Christian festival that celebrates how Jesus Christ manifests himself to the world as God Incarnate and King of kings – as the crucified and risen Lord.

Today our table paraments are white and gold, symbolizing joy, celebration, gladness, light, and the shining forth of God's glory through Jesus Christ.

## Lord's Day Service – January 28, 2018

## **Welcome & Announcements**

## **Entrance – God Calls Us to Worship**

Silent Preparation for Worship

Psalm 100

Call to Worship

Psalm 100

## \* Salutation & Responsive Scripture

Pastor: In the Name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen! Mt 28:19

Pastor: The Lord be with you!

People: And also with you! Ruth 2:4

\* **Hymn of Praise**Trinity Hymnal, **#62**Before Jehovah's Awful Throne

## Purification – We Confess Our Sins to God

O most merciful God, since you have given your only begotten Son to die for me, have mercy on me, and for his sake grant me remission of all my sins; and by your Holy Spirit increase in me true knowledge of you and of your will, and true obedience to your Word, that by your grace I may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ my Lord. Amen!

(Silent, personal confession of sin)

Lift up your heads, arise and hear the good news! Our heavenly Father, in His great mercy, has given His only Son to die for us, and for His sake pardons and rescues you from all your sins. Believe this and rejoice!

## Thanks be to God! Our sins are forgiven in Jesus' name. AMEN!

## Ascension – God Consecrates Us by His Word

Pastor: Lift up your hearts!

People: We lift them up to the Lord!

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

People: It is proper and right to do so!

Pastor: Truly it is fitting and our greatest joy to give thanks to You at all times and in every place, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God. Therefore, with angels and archangels and all the company of heaven, and with the church on earth, we praise and magnify Your glorious Name. Let us sing,

\* Hymn of Preparation

Psalter, #116A I Love the LORD

\* Prayer

Almighty God, Whose Son our Savior Jesus Christ is the light of the world: Grant that Your people, illumined by Your Word and sacraments, may shine with the radiance of Christ's glory, that He may be known, worshiped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, Who with You and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and for ever. Amen!

Old Testament Lesson

**Proverbs 8:22-36** 

Pastor: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

New Testament Lesson

John 14:15-21

Pastor: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

\* Gospel Lesson

John 17

Pastor: The Gospel of our Lord Jesus.

People: Praise to You, O Christ!

Sermon "Learning Christ"

## <u>Tribute – We Offer Ourselves through Tithes</u>

\* **Hymn of Consecration**Trinity Hymnal, **#287**Lord, Thou Hast Been Our Dwelling Place

\* Dedication of Tithes & Offerings

Prayers of the Church Requests & Lord's Prayer

Peace - We Commune with God

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper 1 Corinthians 10:14-22

We Confess Our Faith in the Triune, Incarnate God Creed (inside hymnal cover)

\* **Hymn of Thanksgiving**Trinity Hymnal, **#92**All Glory Be to Thee. Most High

Benediction - God Commissions & Blesses Us

\* The Lord's Commission of Us

Matthew 28:19-20

\* We Receive God's Blessing, His Good Word to Us

Numbers 6:24-26

\* We Bless the Lord, Lifting Our Hands and Voices to Him

Gloria Patri

\* Threefold Amen

#### LORD'S SUPPER

We observe Communion, or the Lord's Supper, weekly in our midst.

We believe it is worthily received by those who:

- 1. Have been baptized in the name of the Triune God (Matt 28:18-20);
- 2. Do profess faith in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God, and Savior of sinners, and do rest upon Him alone for salvation as He is offered in the Gospel (Ro 10:9-10);
- 3. Do live in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit and endeavor to live as becomes the followers of Jesus Christ (Gal 5:16-26); and
- 4. Are communing members in good standing in an evangelical church (1 Cor 10:1-6)

If these things are all true, we rejoice with you and invite you to commune with us at the Lord's Supper. If any of these are not true of you, we ask that you refrain. We invite you to speak to one of the Elders if you have doubts or questions regarding any of these beliefs, or if you are interested in learning more about Trinity.

Though collections are not ordinarily taken during a service, giving is a vital element of worship. Tithes and offerings may be placed in the basket at the rear of the church. (2 Corinthians 9:6-11)

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## Sermon Notes - January 28, 2018

# "Learning Christ" Text: John 14:15-21; John 17

I.	Christ says our for God is revealed and measured by (v 15)
2.	He promises a who will us. The Spirit or us. The Spirit or us.
3.	Christ says He will not leave us but will come to us. (v18)
4.	Our Lord says we will be able to see Him because H and is and is (v 19, 20)
5.	Christ says He is and we are and He is in us. (v 20,21)
6.	We are blessed with a glimpse of the (Jn 17:1-3)
7.	Father and Son one another (v 1,2) "And we know that the Son of God has come and has given us an, that we may know Him who is true, and His Son Jesus Christ. This is the true God and eternal life."
8.	The gave a certain to the Son, by covenant. (v 6-8) "Al that the gives Me will come to Me, and the one who comes tome! I will by no means cast out." (Jn 6:37)
9.	We are shown the perfect and of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. (v 10,11)
10.	We are told the ultimate goal by the by the
11.	Some of God's glory and is to be imparted to us (v 26)
12.	With so great a salvation we should strive for new obedience and be glad that the Holy Spirit will help us to more and more sense the of Christ.

#### **Announcements**

#### Welcome

We are so glad you came today. If you have any questions about Trinity Presbyterian Church, please call 262-894-8768. We ask visitors to fill out a card from the pew rack and leave it in the offering basket on the back table.

#### Children

We love kids and encourage their presence in the entire Lord's Service. In the basement we do have an area for nursing moms and a cry area to attend to a child's need.

#### Prayer

An important part of worship is intercessory prayer. Each Sunday morning one of the officers prays for the congregation. If you have a request, please fill out a prayer card on the back table and put it in the offering box prior to the service.

## Morning Service

This morning Rev. Dale Dykema will be administering the Word and sacrament. Pastor and his family will return home tomorrow. If a need arises, please contact Kelly. If you have a prayer request, please email it to Heather

## Sunday School

Sunday School will meet in the sanctuary at 11:30 am.

#### Prayer Meeting

Kelly & Heather Dykema will be hosting this Wednesday's prayer meeting at 7 pm.

## Women's Study

Women's study will meet Thursday, February 8 at 6:30 pm. Lesson 9 of the video series "Who Is the Holy Spirit" will be viewed and discussed.

#### Winter Ball

The Winter Ball is scheduled for February 10, 6-8 pm. Contact Darwin with any questions.

#### Westminster Shorter Catechism

This week's focus is WSC 58, "What is required in the fourth commandment?" Family Worship Helps are available on the back table and by email.

## Scripture Memory for this Week

Leviticus 19:30, You shall keep My Sabbaths and reverence My sanctuary: I am the LORD.

#### Set-up Teams

#### Next Week

February 4	Team 1	Dykema*, Burie, N Greenwald, Hammer		
Following Weeks				
February 11	Team 2	Greenwald, D*, Dietzel, B Dykema, N Pennington, Peterson		
February 18	Team 3	J Hummel,* D Dykema, Nader, S Pennington, Seaman		
February 25	Team 4	J Pennington,* Eternick, K Hummel, Jens, A Pennington, Sosnoski		
March 4	Team 5	Reich*, D'Alessio, DiFrances, Leskinen, Piquette, Ruchti, Talavera		