

Word of God Lutheran Church  
Grow • Build • Serve



Our Mission:  
With God's help we are called to be a  
multi-generational traditional church, grounded in  
the Bible and focused on service in the community  
and mission outreach.

**Trinity Sunday**  
**June 4, 2023**

# ORDER OF SERVICE

June 4, 2023

Trinity Sunday

Advent • Christmas • Epiphany • Lent • Easter • **Pentecost**  
*Please refer to the blue With One Voice Hymnal for service.*

## **ENTRANCE RITE**

Prelude

Call to worship chime

- \* Brief Order of Confession and Forgiveness ..... WOVS 10
- \* Entrance Hymn "**Holy, Holy, Holy**" ..... LBW 165
- \* Greeting ..... WOVS 28
- \* Hymn of Praise ..... WOVS 29
- \* The Lord be with you ..... WOVS 30
- \* Prayer of the Day

## **PROCLAIMING THE WORD**

First Reading ..... Genesis 1:1-2:4a

Psalm (*Read Responsively*) ..... Psalm 8

Second Reading ..... 2 Corinthians 13:11-13

\* Alleluia Verse ..... WOVS 31

\* Gospel ..... Matthew 28:16-20

Children's Sermon

Sermon

- \* Hymn of the Day "**Listen, God Is Calling**" ..... WOVS 712
- \* Nicene Creed ..... WOVS 32
- \* Prayers ..... WOVS 34
- \* Share the Peace ..... WOVS 34

## **SHARING OF THE SACRAMENTAL MEAL**

Offering

Offertory ..... WOVS 35

\* Offertory Prayer ..... WOVS 35

\* Great Thanksgiving ..... WOVS 36

\* Holy, Holy, Holy ..... WOVS 36

\* Words of Institution ..... WOVS 37

\* The Lord's Prayer ..... WOVS 39

"Lamb of God" ..... WOVS 39

† Communion

\* Blessing ..... WOVS 40

\* Canticle "Thankful Hearts" ..... WOVS 40

\* Prayer, Blessing, Dismissal ..... WOVS 41

\* Closing Hymn "**Shine, Jesus, Shine**" ..... WOVS 651

\* Sending

\* Please stand as able

† All who are baptized and believe that Jesus is truly present in the bread and wine are invited to receive communion and assurance of God's forgiveness. *Children who have not been instructed in the sacrament should fold their hands to receive a blessing.*

**NOTE:** Page numbers are in the front of the hymnal, followed by the Hymn numbers.  
*LBW* is the green *Lutheran Book of Worship*. *WOVS* is the blue *With One Voice Hymnal*.

## **Genesis 1:1-2:4a**

1 In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth. <sup>2</sup> The earth was without form and void, and darkness was over the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God was hovering over the face of the waters. <sup>3</sup> And God said, "Let there be light," and there was light. <sup>4</sup> And God saw that the light was good. And God separated the light from the darkness. <sup>5</sup> God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day. <sup>6</sup> And God said, "Let there be an expanse in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters." <sup>7</sup> And God made the expanse and separated the waters that were under the expanse from the waters that were above the expanse. And it was so. <sup>8</sup> And God called the expanse Heaven. And there was evening and there was morning, the second day. <sup>9</sup> And God said, "Let the waters under the heavens be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear." And it was so. <sup>10</sup> God called the dry land Earth, and the waters that were gathered together he called Seas. And God saw that it was good. <sup>11</sup> And God said, "Let the earth sprout vegetation, plants yielding seed, and fruit trees bearing fruit in which is their seed, each according to its kind, on the earth." And it was so. <sup>12</sup> The earth brought forth vegetation, plants yielding seed according to their own kinds, and trees bearing fruit in which is their seed, each according to its kind. And God saw that it was good. <sup>13</sup> And there was evening and there was morning, the third day. <sup>14</sup> And God said, "Let there be lights in the expanse of the heavens to separate the day from the night. And let them be for signs and for seasons, and for days and years, <sup>15</sup> and let them be lights in the expanse of the heavens to give light upon the earth." And it was so. <sup>16</sup> And God made the two great lights—the greater light to rule the day and the lesser light to rule the night—and the stars. <sup>17</sup> And God set them in the expanse of the heavens to give light on the earth, <sup>18</sup> to rule over the day and over the night, and to separate the light from the darkness. And God saw that it was good. <sup>19</sup> And there was evening and there was morning, the fourth day. <sup>20</sup> And God said, "Let the waters swarm with swarms of living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the expanse of the heavens." <sup>21</sup> So God created the great sea creatures and every living creature that moves, with which the waters swarm, according to their kinds, and every winged bird according to its kind. And God saw that it was good. <sup>22</sup> And God blessed them, saying, "Be fruitful and multiply and fill the waters in the seas, and let birds multiply on the earth." <sup>23</sup> And there was evening and there was morning, the fifth day. <sup>24</sup> And God said, "Let the earth bring forth living creatures according to their kinds—livestock and creeping things and beasts of the earth according to their kinds." And it was so. <sup>25</sup> And God made the beasts of the earth according to their kinds and the livestock according to their kinds, and everything that creeps on the ground according to its kind. And God saw that it was good. <sup>26</sup> Then God said, "Let us make man in our image, after our likeness. And let them have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over the livestock and over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth." <sup>27</sup> So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them. <sup>28</sup> And God blessed them. And God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth and subdue it, and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over every living thing that moves on the earth." <sup>29</sup> And God said, "Behold, I have given you every plant

yielding seed that is on the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit. You shall have them for food. <sup>30</sup> And to every beast of the earth and to every bird of the heavens and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food." And it was so. <sup>31</sup> And God saw everything that he had made, and behold, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day. <sup>2</sup> Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all the host of them. <sup>2</sup> And on the seventh day God finished his work that he had done, and he rested on the seventh day from all his work that he had done. <sup>3</sup> So God blessed the seventh day and made it holy, because on it God rested from all his work that he had done in creation. <sup>4</sup> These are the generations of the heavens and the earth when they were created.

## **Psalm 8**

1 O Lord, our Lord,  
how majestic is your name in all the earth!  
You have set your glory above the heavens.

**<sup>2</sup> Out of the mouth of babies and infants,  
you have established strength because of your foes,  
to still the enemy and the avenger.**

<sup>3</sup> When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers,  
the moon and the stars, which you have set in place,

**<sup>4</sup> what is man that you are mindful of him,  
and the son of man that you care for him?**

<sup>5</sup> Yet you have made him a little lower than the heavenly beings  
and crowned him with glory and honor.

**<sup>6</sup> You have given him dominion over the works of your hands;  
you have put all things under his feet,**

<sup>7</sup> all sheep and oxen,  
and also the beasts of the field,

**<sup>8</sup> the birds of the heavens, and the fish of the sea,  
whatever passes along the paths of the seas.**

<sup>9</sup> O Lord, our Lord,  
how majestic is your name in all the earth!

## **2 Corinthians 13:11-13**

<sup>11</sup> Finally, brothers, rejoice. Aim for restoration, comfort one another, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. <sup>12</sup> Greet one another with a holy kiss. <sup>13</sup> All the saints greet you.



## **Matthew 28:16-20**

<sup>16</sup> Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. <sup>17</sup> And when they saw him they worshiped him, but some doubted. <sup>18</sup> And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. <sup>19</sup> Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, <sup>20</sup> teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- If anyone is physically unable to come to the altar, they may request the Pastor or Worship Assistant to bring them **communion** at their seat. Please let your usher know so he /she can tell the Pastor where you are seated.
- Volunteers are needed to help in the **nursery** during Sunday services. Please contact Jill Cline at [jill.cline21@gmail.com](mailto:jill.cline21@gmail.com) or sign up on the bulletin tear-off.
- It's not too late to register for **K-5th Grade VBS**. Dates are June 12, to June 16, 9:00 AM to noon. Please use the following link to register <https://vbsmate.com/WOGLUTHERAN/26824>. Pre-Schoolers welcome with a parent accompanying the preschooler.
- The **Annual Congregational Business Meeting** is Sunday, June 11, following service. We will be voting on our annual budget.
- **Fish STIX VBS Registration is now open!** Space is limited and volunteers are needed. Dates are Tuesday, July 11 thru Friday, July 14 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM. Please contact Andi Laaker for more information.
- A **congregational delegate** is needed for the 2023 NALC Mission Convocation in Oklahoma City August 7-11. Please contact Linda Satter at [LSatter@sipcamagro.com](mailto:LSatter@sipcamagro.com) or sign up on the bulletin tear-off if interested.
- *Coweta Pregnancy Services* **Annual Baby Bottle Fund** has begun. Please pick up an empty bottle from the narthex and fill with your loose coin. The filled bottles will be collected on Father's Day, June 18.
- Our next **RLC Warehouse** service opportunity is Wednesday, June 14, at 9:00 AM, and the **RLC Mobile Food Pantry** will be Thursday, June 15, at 9:00 AM. Please sign up on the bulletin tear-off or contact Sue Burnett at [suegburnett@att.net](mailto:suegburnett@att.net) for more information.
- The next **Midwest Food Bank** distribution will be Tuesday, June 20 (8 AM - 12 PM & 6 PM - 8 PM); Wednesday, June 21 (8 AM - 1:30 PM); and Thursday, June 22 (8 AM - 12 PM). Lunch is provided each day to all volunteers. Contact Joe Bowler at [lucbowler@gmail.com](mailto:lucbowler@gmail.com) or sign up on the bulletin tear-off.
- *Unless otherwise indicated, the announcement submission deadline for the Sunday bulletin is the previous Monday at 11:00 AM. Please send all announcements to [woglutheran@gmail.com](mailto:woglutheran@gmail.com).*

### April 2023 Report

All donations will be applied to the General, Building, Scholarship, or Fish STIX funds.

Average Weekly Worship Attendance: 169

Monthly Giving: \$30,864

Monthly Benevolence: \$3,395

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**Upcoming Events**  
**Please Mark Your Calendars!**

- Sunday, June 4** - *Trinity Sunday*  
- **Discovery Class**, 9:00 AM  
- **Worship Service**, 10:15 AM  
- **Get 2 Know Fish STIX**, 11:30 AM  
- **K-5 VBS Meeting**, 6:30 PM
- Thursday, June 8** - **Assemble Bulletins**, 1:00 PM
- Sunday, June 11** - **Discovery Class**, 9:00 AM  
- **Worship Service**, 10:15 AM  
- **Congregational Business Meeting**, 11:30 AM
- Monday, June 12** - **K-5th Grade VBS**, 9:00 AM  
- **Property Team Meeting**, 7:00 PM
- Tuesday, June 13** - **K-5th Grade VBS**, 9:00 AM  
- **Service Committee with Ministry Leaders**, 7:00 PM
- Wednesday, June 14** - **K-5th Grade VBS**, 9:00 AM  
- **RLC Senior Bag Program**, 9:00 AM
- Thursday, June 15** - **K-5th Grade VBS**, 9:00 AM  
- **RLC Mobile Food Pantry**, 9:00 AM  
- **Assemble Bulletins**, 1:00 PM  
- **Service Committee Meeting**, 7:00 PM
- Friday, June 16** - **K-5th Grade VBS**, 9:00 AM
- Saturday, June 17** - **Fellowship Hall Reserved**, 11:00 AM
- Sunday, June 18** - *Father's Day*  
- **Worship Service**, 10:15 AM  
- **Discovery Class Brunch**, 11:30 AM
- Thursday, June 22** - **Assemble Bulletins**, 1:00 PM
- Sunday, June 25** - *Welcome New Members' Sunday*  
- **Worship Service**, 10:15 AM
- Thursday, June 29** - **Assemble Bulletins**, 1:00 PM
- Sunday, July 2** - **Worship Service**, 10:15 AM
- Tuesday, July 4** - *Independence Day*, church office is closed
- Thursday, July 6** - **Assemble Bulletins**, 1:00 PM

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