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The Holy Trinity June 11, 2017 GATHERING

PRELUDE Barb Hanson

BELLS

WELCOME SONG Holy, Holy, Holy LBW 165*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS Screen

GATHERING HYMN Come, Thou Almighty King LBW 522*

GREETING

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

KYRIE Screen

HYMN OF PRAISE Praise to the Lord, the Almighty LBW 543*

(vs. 1 & 4)

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Almighty Creator and ever-living God:

C: we worship your glory, eternal Three-in-One, and we praise your power, majestic One-in-Three. Keep us steadfast in this faith, defend us in all adversity, and bring us at last into your presence, where you live in endless joy and love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

WORD

FIRST READING Genesis 1:1-2:4a
PSALM Psalm 8

SECOND READING 2Corinthians 13:11-13

CHILDREN'S SERMON Jesus Loves Me, This I Know Pr. Carleton

RESPONSE "Glory to you, O Lord."

GOSPEL Matthew 28:16-20

RESPONSE "Praise to you, O Christ."

SERMON Pr. Carleton

HYMN OF THE DAY Holy God, We Praise Your Name LBW 535

APOSTLES' CREED

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

P: Lord, in your mercy, C: hear our prayer.

MEAL

PEACE

OFFERING ELCA Disaster Relief

OFFERTORY Barb Hanson

OFFERTORY PRAYER

P: Merciful God,

C: you open wide your hand and satisfy the need of every living thing. You have set this feast before us. Open our hands to receive it. Open our hearts to embrace it. Open our lives to live it. We pray this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

SALUTATION Screen

COMMUNION ADMONITION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

P: Whenever we eat this bread and drink this cup we proclaim the mysteries of faith

C: Christ has died; Christ has risen; Christ will come again

THE LORD'S PRAYER (please sing)

DISTRIBUTION (via intinction)

COMMUNION MUSIC

Listen, God Is Calling.

POST-COMMUNION BLESSING

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

P: Jesus Christ, host of this meal,

C: you have given us not only this bread and cup, but your very self, that we may feast on your great love. Filled again by these signs of your grace, may we hunger for your reign of justice, may we thirst for your way of peace, for you are Lord forevermore.

Amen.

SENDING

BLESSING

P: May God, whose power working in us can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine, grant you the gifts of faith and hope. Almighty God, Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.

C: Amen

BELLS

SENDING SONG

Go Now in Peace

DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. The Spirit sends us forth to serve.

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

* denotes a favorite hymn

Barb Hanson

Next Week

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	This Week's Bible Readings		
Mon	Psalm 29, Job 38:39-39:12, 1 Corinthians 12:1-3		
Tue	Psalm 29, Job 39:13-25, 1 Corinthians 12:4-13		
Wed	Psalm 29, Job 39:26-40:5, John 14:25-26		
Thu	Psalm 100, Exodus 4:18-23, Hebrews 3:1-6		
Fri	Psalm 100, Exodus 4:27-31, Acts 7:35-43		
Sat	Psalm 100, Exodus 6:28-7:13, Mark 7:1-13		
Sun	Exodus 19:2-8a, Psalm 100, Romans 5:1-8, Matthew 9:35-10:8 [9-23]		

Service Assistants

Greeters	Everyone	Everyone
Ushers	Brandy & Jayden Vredenburg	Brandy & Jayden Vredenburg
Acolyte	Mackenzie Mitchell	Youth
Reader	Jeanne Gaston	Youth
Communion	Jeanne Gaston	Youth

This Week

Prayer Concerns: Ralph Paulson (brother of Jan Knutson), Austin Peet (friend of Debbie Hodapp,) Lexi Wheeler (Jim & Gloria Thomsen's granddaughter), Torey Meyer, Theresa Gerten (friend of Knutsons), Shelly West (daughter of Barb Doerring), Merub Morris (friend of Synstegards), Dorothy Pohl, Jeanette Johnson, Tim Cooper, Shirley Davies (aunt of Peg Davies), Dennis Sweeney (brother of Linda Anderson), Eloise McLaughlin (friend of Carole Ann Morris), Futz (friend of Tom Synstegard), Dennis Lecy (friend of Peg Davies), Chad Jarman (Lorna Cooper's friend), Jennifer Lyons (Carol Jones's niece), Wayne Hruby (Dorothy Pohl's friend), Ryan Lau, Dina Carlson (Phyllis Carlson's granddaughter), Tina Mitchell (Carole Ann Morris's sister), Linda Husby, Arnold Dahl, Hannah Gass (granddaughter of Larry Gass), Barb Doerring, Jim & Lorrie Bergquist, Annika Mae Feist (grandniece of Lorna Cooper), Joy & Tim Atwater (Carol Jones's sister & brother-in-law), Judy Gerdts (friend of Peg Davies), Jerry Johnson, (Jeanette Johnson's son), Shawn Semmler (Rachelle Krotzer's brother)

Welcome!

We are blessed by the presence of every individual as we are called together to worship God. Everyone is invited to the Lord's Table.

Opportunities This WeeK				
Today	FLCW meeting	9:00 AM		
_	Coffee Fellowship	9:30 AM		
	Worship Service	10:30 AM		
Mon	Pr. Carleton's office & coffee hours at Zappy's in Akeley	9:00-11:00 AM		
	AA Meeting	8:00 PM		
Tues	Pr. Carleton's office hours at FLC	9:00 – 12:00 AM		
	UCAN Office	10:00 – 12:00 AM		
	WMF meeting	5:00 PM		
	Church Council meeting	6:00 PM		
Wed	Men's Breakfast & Bible study – BLC	7:30:00 AM		
	Ecumenical Bible Study – Our Lady of the Pines	10:00 AM		
	Holden Evening Prayer Service - BLC	7:00 PM		
Sun	Worship Service	10:30 AM		

ANNOUNCEMENTS (on back of insert)