

8:30 a.m. WORSHIP

May 2021

*Opening Outside

Welcome & Gathering Music

*Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness

P Blessed be the Holy Trinity, † One God,
who forgives all our sin,
whose mercy endures forever.

C Amen.

P God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit, that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C Amen

P Let us confess our sin in the presence of God
and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection...

Gracious God,

C have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and given ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion, forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

P God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace we have been saved. In the name of ☩ Jesus Christ, our sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen us with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in our hearts through faith.

C Amen.

The Sharing of the Peace

P The peace of the Lord be with you all.

C And also with you.

Gathering Song

The Prayer of the Day

ENTRY MUSIC - ALL MOVE TO INSIDE LED BY ACOLYTE WHO LIGHTS CANDLES UPON ENTRY.

Bible Readings

L The Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

**Reading from the Life of Jesus*

The Holy Gospel (please stand as you are able)

P The Holy Gospel according to...

C Glory to you O Lord!

P The Gospel of our Lord.

C Praise to you O Christ!

Children's Sermon & Sermon

Reflection Music

***The Apostle's Creed**

All: I believe in God, the Father almighty,

creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,

born of the virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge
the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Prayers

THE OFFERING: *(Offertory Music)*

The Offertory Prayer

AM: Blessed are you, O God, maker of all things.
Through your goodness you have blessed us
with these gifts: ourselves, our time, and our

possessions. Use us, and what we have gathered in feeding the world with your love, through the one who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C **Amen.**

****Banquet, Supper Prayer & Remembering***

***The Eucharistic Prayer & Words of Institution**

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

CLOSING

P Please be seated as our communion stations are prepared. We are thankful for all who have gathered for worship today. Whether you have joined via the internet and will commune at another time or are among those here, it is one table around which we gather. It is our Risen Lord who meets, greets and gathers us. And, it is that same Lord, Jesus Christ, who now sends us out into our mission field to share Jesus, love and serve.

C Thanks be to God! Amen!

Communion Music as Congregation exits to take Communion

Outside – Congregation gathers after Communion:

**Banquet Blessing*

**The Blessing*

Sending Song

Announcements & Call to Action

P Go in peace. Share Jesus, love and serve.

C We will. Thanks be to God!

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