



**Prelude | Welcome**

**Sharing the Peace**

**Confession and Forgiveness**

**Song | Lift High the Cross | ELW 660**

**Greeting | Love Each Other**

**Prayer of the Day**

**Reading | Psalm 121:1-8**

I lift up my eyes to the hills— from where will my help come?

My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth. He will not let your foot be moved; he who keeps you will not slumber. He who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor sleep. The Lord is your keeper; the Lord is your shade at your right hand. The sun shall not strike you by day nor the moon by night. The Lord will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life. The Lord will keep your going out and your coming in from this time on and forevermore.

**Special Music**

*I Will Trust in You Lord* | Youth Choir

**Just for Kids | Pastor Adam**

**Gospel | John 3:1-17**

Now there was a Pharisee named Nicodemus, a leader of the Jews. He came to Jesus by night and said to him, "Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God, for no one can do these signs that you do unless God is with that person." Jesus answered him, "Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above." Nicodemus said to him, "How can anyone be born after having grown old? Can one enter a second time into the mother's womb and be born?" Jesus answered, "Very truly, I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. What is born of the flesh is flesh, and what is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not be astonished that I said to you, 'You must be born from above.' The wind blows where it chooses, and you hear the sound of it,

but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit." Nicodemus said to him, "How can these things be?" Jesus answered him, "Are you the teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand these things? "Very truly, I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen, yet you do not receive our testimony. If I have told you about earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you about heavenly things? No one has ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life. "For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life. "Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world but in order that the world might be saved through him.

**Sermon | Pastor Adam Butler**

**Hymn | O God of Mercy, God of Light**  
ELW 714

**Apostles' Creed**

**Prayers | Offering**

**Song | Create in Me A Clean Heart**  
ELW 186

**The Lord's Prayer | Communion**

**Song | Lamb of God | ELW p146**  
*Quiet, Ordinary Hearts* | Terry Morse

**Trinity Connect | Blessing**

**Sending Song | Blessed Assurance**  
ELW 638

**Dismissal | Go in peace. Know you are loved. Thanks to be God.**

## Prayers

**Healing and hope for:** Leon Corpuz, Carole Abrahamson. Those mourning the death of a loved one, including Cheryl Miller and family on the death of Cheryl's dad, Arnold Dulak.

**Our partners in ministry** at Salem Lutheran in Minneapolis; Lutheran Church of El Salvador

**Ongoing prayers for:** Otto Abbott, Genny Allen, Rita Beckman, Millie Benjamin, John Cochran, Brian and June Droen, Gracie Dupee, Bev Ebbecke, Trish Gardiner, Lonnie Hale, Gloria Hibbard, Teresa Hutchinson, Or Lou Jensen, Lorna Johnston, Dale Lehrke, Brent MacNabb, Dennis Nelson, Jeff Nelson, Elisabeth Teichroew Niesche, Peter Ong, Brad Pankonin, Marty Patterson, Don Pearson, Emma Peturka, Susie Rettinger, Nora Russow, April Stovern, Breck Stovern, Bob Taylor, Jan Tift, Mike Timm, Darrell Tober, Brian D

## Announcements

- **Conversations about Justice | TODAY, after worship | Conference Room**  
Join Pastor Ann and others to discuss forming a lay-led small group focused on justice. Spend time listening and gauging interest for future meetings.
- **VBS Registration is Open | Age 3—4th grade** | Join us for a jungle adventure to learn about God at Rainforest Falls VBS. Volunteers are also needed. Find out how you can lend a hand. Text VBS
- **Office Closed | Mar 3, 9am-2pm** | Off-site staff retreat Tuesday
- **Salem Community Meal | Mar 3, 10 & 24 | 4-7pm** | Help serve weekly meal alongside Salem volunteers. Text SALEM
- **HS Youth Lock In | Mar 7-8** | Unplug, build friendships and make memories. Text LOCK
- **Sunday Supper | Mar 8 4:30-6:30pm** | Share in fellowship, conversation and a good meal. Main dish provided. Text SUPPER to join.
- **Trinity Women | Bread Making Workshop | Mar 14 | 10am-12pm**  
There will be a 15 person max, and cost of \$50. Text WOMEN
- **New Member Sunday | Mar 15** | Help celebrate new members in worship, followed by a welcome reception to connect with others.
- **Support Our Neighbors | On-going**  
Help provide essential items for community partners and neighbors. See weekly email for Amazon wish list, or text NEIGHBOR to contribute financially.
- **Easter Garden Orders | Now Available**  
Celebrate Easter with flowers for your loved ones. Forms available in Narthex, or text FLOWER

**Wednesday NIGHTS** | COMMUNITY WORSHIP FOOD  
@ TRINITY LONG LAKE

### March 4

4:00 | Youth Choir

5:00 | Pulled Pork

*Dinner served until 6:15*

Confirmation: Mentors

6:30 | Worship

7:15 | Trinity Choir

7:30 | HS Youth Group

thank you for worshipping with us

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