

# THE HOLY TRINITY

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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.  
*Matthew 28:19*

**AS WE GATHER:** The feast of the Holy Trinity is about the one true God who has revealed Himself in three persons, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. But the feast is not about God alone. As the Trinity, He is, of course, never alone even in Himself. But also in His creation, even the pinnacle of His work, man, is not to be alone. Male and female He created them. But even greater than this relationship is man's relationship with God. Created "in His image," we are never to be alone but find our identity in fellowship with God. Without Him, we are incomplete. The image of God means to possess God's righteousness. The "righteousness" of God means everything working together like God intended. That includes a relationship with Him. Though we lost that righteousness by our sin, choosing to be alone without God, God still took into Himself our very human nature in the person of the Son of God, Jesus. By His innocent life and His substitutionary suffering and death, all who repent and are baptized into Him are restored in righteousness. With Christ and in Him, we, too, are crowned in glory and honor. All praise to God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and forever.

**OPENING HYMN LSB #905 "Come, Thou Almighty King"**

**INVOCATION**

**CONFESSION AND DECLARATION OF GRACE**

**PSALM 8**

**KYRIE**

**HYMN OF PRAISE** LSB #940 "Holy God, We Praise Thy Name" sts. 1 & 5

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**OLD TESTAMENT READING** Genesis 1:1-24a

**SECOND READING** Acts 2:14a, 22-36

**HYMN LSB #507 "Holy, Holy, Holy"**

**THE HOLY GOSPEL** Matthew 28:16-20

**CREEDAL HYMN - LSB #953 "We All Believe in One True God"**

**SERMON**

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**LORD'S PRAYER**

**BENEDICTION**

**CLOSING HYMN - LSB #794 "The Lord My God Be Praised"**

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