

HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY



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May 31, 2026, 10:00 a.m.
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WORSHIP LEADERS

PREACHER/PRESIDER: Pastor Barbara Rasmussen

LITURGICAL ASSISTANT: David Walker

READER: Brittany Wilson

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC: Jeff Bray

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS: Elaine Lindstrom and Larissa Bogle-Boesiger

ALTAR GUILD: Elaine Lindstrom and Larissa Bogle-Boesiger

USHERS/GREETER: Dorothy Zeidler and John Pederson

PRELUDE/MEDITATION “Dona nobis pacem”

Red Book 753

WELCOME AND INVOCATION

Pastor Barbara Rasmussen

We worship in the name of the Father, † the Son, and the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another. To you, O God,

All hearts are open, to you all desires known. We come to you, confessing our sins. Forgive us in your mercy, and remember us in your love. Show us your ways; teach us your paths; and lead us in justice and truth, for the sake of your goodness in Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

By water and the Holy Spirit God gives you a new birth, and through the death and resurrection of +Jesus Christ, God forgives you all your sins. The God of mercy and might strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in eternal life.

Amen.

OPENING SONG

“Come, All You People”

Red Book 819

OPENING PRAYER

David Walker

God of heaven and earth, before the foundation of the universe and the beginning of time you are the triune God: Author of creation, eternal Word of salvation, life-giving Spirit of wisdom. Guide us to all truth by your Spirit, that we may proclaim all that Christ has revealed and rejoice in the glory he shares with us. **Glory and praise to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen.**

FIRST READING

Genesis 1: 1 – 2; 4a

Brittany Wilson

¹When God began to create the heavens and the earth, ²the earth was complete chaos, and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters.

⁴**And God saw that the light was good**, and God separated the light from the darkness.

Word of God, Word of Life. **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 8

"How Glorious Is Your Name"

Rory Cooney

Refrain

O Lord, our God, how glo-ri-ous is your name! How glo-ri-ous is your name o - ver all the earth!

The image shows two staves of musical notation in 3/4 time. The first staff contains the melody for the first line of the refrain, with lyrics 'O Lord, our God, how glo-ri-ous is your name! How'. The second staff contains the melody for the second line, with lyrics 'glo-ri-ous is your name o - ver all the earth!'. The notes are simple, using quarter and eighth notes, with a key signature of one flat (Bb).

¹¹ Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Be restored; listen to my appeal; agree with one another; live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. ¹² **Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you.**

¹³ The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Ken Canedo

♩ REFRAIN

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

lu - ia! Give the glo - ry and the

hon - or to the Lord! Al - le - lu - ia!

glo - ry and the hon - or to the Lord! to Verse(s)

Final
glo - ry and the hon - or to the Lord! Fine

GOSPEL READING

Matthew 28: 16 – 20

Pastor Barbara Rasmussen

The Good News of Jesus Christ as written in the Gospel of Matthew.

Glory to you, O Lord.

¹⁶Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. ¹⁷When they saw him, they worshiped him, but they doubted. ¹⁸And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹**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** ²⁰and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to You, O Christ.**

SERMON

"Our God with Skin On"

*Pastor Barbara Rasmussen***SERMON SONG**

"Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!"
(prayer squares collected)

*Red Book 413***PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

"Calm to the Waves"

*Red Book 794***SHARING OF THE PEACE****OFFERING****OFFERING SONG**

"Come, Join the Dance of Trinity"

Red Book 412

OFFERING PRAYER

David Walker

Most Holy Trinity, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, We adore Thee profoundly. Abide in our hearts today. Accept these gifts as we know all we have is through you. Guide our thoughts, guard our words, bless our work here at Redeemer , and keep us in your love. **Amen.**

PREPARATION FOR COMMUNION

Pastor Barbara Rasmussen

"Table Will Be Wide"

And the table will be wide, and the welcome will be wide

And the arms will open wide to gather us in

And our hearts will open wide to receive.

Presider's Prayer

Reprise "Table Will Be Wide" (stand)

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us. God, you are our Holy Parent, our Mother and . . .

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.

Invitation

COMMUNION SONG "O Living Breath of God"

Red Book 407

POST COMMUNION BLESSING

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

David Walker

We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life. In your mercy, strengthen us through this gift, in faith toward you and in fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE BLESSING

SENDING SONG "Let All Things Now Living"

Red Book 881

DISMISSAL Go now in peace. In the name of the Holy Trinity! **Thanks be to God!**

POSTLUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The church office is open, 9 – 1, Monday – Thursday. Call 414-933-7004, or email admin@redeemermilwaukee.org to set up an appointment with a pastor.

OUR CLOTHES LIBRARY IS IN NEED OF A FEW THINGS.

- We are in need of new men’s underwear and socks, and new or gently used t-shirts, hoodies and men’s sweatpants.

WE NEED USHERS

- Please use the link below to sign up in the coming weeks to help with ushering.
- Greeters to arrive by 9:30 to help Dorothy greet people and pass out bulletins. Ushers to arrive by 9:45. Ushers will collect the offering and usher during communion. New dates have been added.
- <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F44AAA82CA2FCC34-62349087-usher>

LUNCH AT OLGA’S

- **We need of servers on June 21** for the Olga Sunday Meal hosted at Redeemer. We need at least 12 people. If you can volunteer individually, as a family or as a small group, please sign up at olganws.com/volunteer.

BEE CLASSES CONTINUE.

- Charlie Koenen, our Beevangelist will be conducting “Bee” classes. If you are interested, just show up! They will be held in the Event Space, every Thursday. Class will be 2 hours long, from 7 – 9 PM. New topic each week! If you have any questions, reach out to Charlie at beevangelist@gmail.com.

ONE ON ONE WITH PASTOR HEIDI

- Pastor Heidi is looking forward to meeting each one of you. She has set aside office hours for one on one visits. Use the sign-up genius link to schedule a visit with her. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F44AAA82CA2FCC34-64231217-visits>