## THE CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

#### \* Communion Song

*Jesus, Lover of My Soul* # 22 *Covenant Praises* (verses 1-3)

1 Jesus lover of my soul Let me flee unto Your side While the waters o'er me roll While the tempest still is high Hide me O my Savior Hide till the storm of life be past Safe into the harbor guide O receive my soul at last

2 Other refuge I have none Hangs my helpless soul on You Leave ah leave me not alone Still support and comfort me All my trust on You is stayed All my help from You I bring Cover my defenseless head With the shadow of Your wing

3 You O Christ are all I want More than all in You I find Raise the fallen cheer the faint Heal the sick and lead the blind Just and holy is Your name I am all unrighteousness False and full of sin am I You are full of truth and grace

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#### **Instruction on Communion**

#### **Reception of Elements & Prayer**

#### \* Closing Hymn

*Man of Sorrows, What a Name* # 246 *Trinity Hymnal* (verses 1-3 & 5)

1 Man of Sorrows! what a name for the Son of God, who came ruined sinners to reclaim: Hallelujah! what a Savior!

2 Bearing shame and scoffing rude, in my place condemned he stood, sealed my pardon with his blood: Hallelujah! what a Savior!

3 Guilty, vile, and helpless, we; spotless Lamb of God was he; full atonement! can it be? Hallelujah! what a Savior!

5 When he comes, our glorious King, all his ransomed home to bring, then anew this song we'll sing: Hallelujah! what a Savior! \*\*

#### \* Benediction

#### \* Doxology

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#### \*Please stand if able

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# LORD'S DAY MORNING WORSHIP

July 13, 2025

#### **GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE**

Welcome

Announcements

**Prelude, Silent Reflection** 

Salutation and Call to Worship

#### **GOD'S PEOPLE RESPOND**

## \* Opening Hymn

*Now Thank We All Our God* # 98 *Trinity Hymnal* (all verses)

1 Now thank we all our God with heart and hands and voices, who wondrous things hath done, in whom his world rejoices; who from our mothers' arms, hath blessed us on our way with countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.

2 O may this bounteous God through all our life be near us, with ever-joyful hearts and blessed peace to cheer us; and keep us in his grace, and guide us when perplexed, and free us from all ills in this world and the next.

3 All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given, the Son, and him who reigns with them in highest heaven– the one eternal God, whom earth and heav'n adore; for thus it was, is now, and shall be evermore. \*\*

\*Invocation (concluding with the Lord's Prayer)

#### God's Law (unison)

1. You shall have no other gods before me.

Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only. Matt 4:10

2. You shall not make for yourself an idol....You shall not bow down to them or worship them.

**God is Spirit, and his worshipers must worship in Spirit and in truth.** John 4:24

3 You shall not misuse the name of the LORD your God.... **Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.....**Mt 6:9



4. Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy. Six days you shall labor and do all your work, but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. ...Let us draw near to God with a sincere heart in full assurance of faith... Let us encourage one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching. Heb 10:22-25

5. Honor your father and your mother, so that you may live long in the land the LORD your God is giving you.

Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right....Fathers, do not provoke your children to wrath; instead, bring them up in the training and instruction of the Lord. Eph 6:1-4

#### 6. You shall not murder.

Get rid of all bitterness, rage and anger, brawling and slander, along with every form of malice. Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you. Eph 4:31

#### 7. You shall not commit adultery.

Among you there must not be even a hint of sexual immorality....Wives, submit to your husbands as to the Lord....Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her.... Eph 5:3, 22-25

#### 8. You shall not steal.

He who has been stealing must steal no longer, but must work, doing something useful with his own hands, that he may have something to share with those in need. Eph 4:28

9. You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor. Therefore each of you must put off falsehood and speak truthfully to his neighbor, for we are all members of one body. Eph 4:28

10. You shall not covet...anything that belongs to your neighbor. Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice!....I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want. Phil 4:4-12

#### **Confession of Sin**

Psalm 42:5-11 (p 555 pew Bible)

## **Assurance of Pardon**

## \* Song of Response

# Before The Throne of God Above

# 3 Covenant Praises (all verses)

1 Before the throne of God above I have a strong and perfect plea A great High Priest whose name is Love Who ever lives and pleads for me My name is graven on His hands My name is written on His heart I know that while in heav'n He stands No tongue can bid me thence depart No tongue can bid me thence depart 2 When Satan tempts me to despair And tells me of the guilt within Upward I look and see Him there Who made an end to all my sin Because the sinless Saviour died My sinful soul is counted free For God the Just is satisfied To look on Him and pardon me To look on Him and pardon me

3 Behold Him there the risen Lamb My perfect spotless righteousness The great unchangeable I Am The King of glory and of grace One with Himself I cannot die My soul is purchased with His blood My life is hid with Christ on high With Christ my Saviour and my God With Christ my Saviour and my God

4 I bow before the cross of Christ And marvel at this love divine God's perfect Son was sacrificed To make me righteous in God's eyes This river's depths I cannot know But I can glory in its flood The Lord Most High has bowed down low And poured on me His glorious love And poured on me His glorious love

# **Prayer of Dedication & Offering**

**Offering Hymn** (Ps 51)

*O Thou That Hear'st When Sinners Cry* # 485 *Trinity Hymnal* (verses 1, 3 & 4)

1 O thou that hear'st when sinners cry, though all my crimes before thee lie, behold them not with angry look, but blot their mem'ry from thy book.

3 I cannot live without thy light, cast out and banished from thy sight; thy holy joys, my God, restore, and guard me, that I fall no more.

4 A broken heart, my God, my King, is all the sacrifice I bring; the God of grace will ne'er despise a broken heart for sacrifice. \*\*

\* Gloria Patri

#735 Trinity Hymnal

# GOD SPEAKS HIS WORD TO HIS PEOPLE

\* Prayer for Illumination

# **Scripture Readings**

John 6:22-29 (p 1059 pew Bible) Matthew 14:10-14 & 14:22-33 (p 975 pew Bible)

## Sermon

Christ's Attentiveness to Us in Our Storms

# **Prayer of Application**