





We are so grateful you have joined us today as we come together to worship God.

Although we aren't together physically, we are still the church together.

Our worship has been pre-recorded and can be viewed on our website at http://newhopeagoura.com/
or you can view it on our Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/NewHopeLutheran/

Introduction to Worship

Though the word trinity is not found in the scriptures, today's second reading includes the apostolic greeting that begins the liturgy: the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. In the Gospel Jesus sends his disciples forth to baptize in the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit. More than a doctrine, the Trinity expresses the heart of our faith: we have experienced the God of creation made known in Jesus Christ and with us always through the Holy Spirit. We celebrate the mystery of the Holy Trinity in word and sacrament, as we profess the creed, and as we are sent into the world to bear witness to our faith.

Prelude

Opening Song by Tim Hughes, arr. Lloyd Larson

Medley: "Here I am to Worship" and "Holy, Holy, Holy"

Welcome and Opening Prayer

Children's Time Pastor Scott Fielder

Song: "How Majestic is Your Name"

Reading: Psalm 8 Avery Mansmann, Taylor Mansmann

King David meditates upon the grandeur of the night sky and man's seeming insignificance in comparison with it. But his faith reminds him that man is made in God's image and is thus greater than the rest of God's natural creations. For this reason, man is given dominion over the natural world, but only at a price. Man's first and last thoughts, as they are in the psalm, must be of God.

Gospel Acclamation (ELW p. 188)

Gospel Reading: Matthew 28:16-20

After his resurrection, Jesus summons his remaining disciples and commissions them to baptize and teach all nations in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Sermon Pastor Craig Beeker

"Showing Up"

Hymn ELW Hymnal #412

vs. 1, 3 & 4

The Prayers of God's People

Lord's Prayer

Benediction and Dismissal

Closing Song ELW Hymnal #414

"Holy God, We Praise Your Name" vs. 1, 2 & 4

Participants in Today's Worship

"Come, Join the Dance of the Trinity"

Rev. Craig R. Beeker Deacon Lynn Bulock Rev. Scott Fielder

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Vocalists

Aleta Braxton, Choir Director Zechariah Beeker Kevin Dalbey David Cohen, Pianist