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TRINITY
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

*A Welcoming Community of
Compassion & Faith*

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 4, 2025

PRELUDE *When In Our Music God Is Glorified* arr. Arnold Sherman
Trinity Ringers

WELCOME TO TRINITY Anne Mason

PROCESSIONAL HYMN *Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise* Hymnal № 312

OPENING PRAYER (in unison)
Lord Jesus Christ, you prayed for unity among your followers.
Draw us into the oneness that reflects your love and sacrifice.
Break down the walls of division that separate us,
and teach us to live in the path of self-giving love, justice,
and reconciliation.
Make us a sign of the healing and hope you offer
to a fractured world. Amen.

INTERCESSORY PRAYER
*After each petition ending "God of Resurrection,"
please respond saying: "hear our prayer."*

PRAYER RESPONSE

Bless the Lord

Bless the Lord, my soul, and bless God's ho - ly name.

Bless the Lord, my soul, Who leads me in - to life.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Garrett Heersche

SENDING SONG

Go With Them, Lord

Go with them, Lord, and guide the way through this and ev - ery com-ing day, that

in Your Spir - it strong and true their lives may be a gift to You.

PSALTER

Psalm 30

Hymnal No 762

SCRIPTURE READING

Galatians 3:23-29

SERMON

“The Church and Racism”

Rev. Dr. Brian C. Smith

HYMN

Become to Us the Living Bread

Hymnal No 630

TRINITY WILMETTE THIS WEEK

GIVING OUR TITHES and OFFERINGS

Offertory

Lamb of God

Thomas W. Jefferson

Chancel Choir

Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God you take away the sins of the world, grant us your peace.

Doxology

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Hymnal No 94

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

See insert

THE LORD'S PRAYER

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP

PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CLOSING HYMN

In Christ There Is No East or West

Hymnal No 548

BENEDICTION and CHORAL AMEN

POSTLUDE

Hornpipe from Water Music

G. F. Handel