Welcome and Greeting

Approaching God

Call to Worship
Psalm 27:4–6

Salutation

Gloria Patri
Trinity Hymnal 735

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen, amen.

Prayer of Invocation & Confession

Lord, As the Day Begins
Trinity Hymnal 399

Old Testament Scripture
Nehemiah 8:5–12

Pastoral Prayer

To You, O Lord, I Fly
Trinity Hymnal 692

Giving Attention to God’s Word

New Testament Scripture
Matthew 28:1–10

8 So they departed quickly from the tomb with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. 9 And behold, Jesus met them and said, “Greetings!” And they came up and took hold of his feet and worshiped him. 10 Then Jesus said to them, “Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee, and there they will see me.”

– Matthew 28:8–10
Sermon  **FEAR AND JOY!**  Matthew 28:8–10

Theme:  Joy triumphs over fear because Jesus has risen!

1. Jesus and His witnesses  (vs. 8–9)
2. Jesus and His brothers  (vs. 10a)
3. Jesus and His destination  (vs. 10b)

*Be Thou My Vision*  
Trinity Hymnal 642

Benediction  
2 Corinthians 13:14

▲ Doxology  
Hymnal 303 (v. 4)

Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
praise to you and adoration!
Grant that we your Word may trust
and obtain true consolation,
while we here below must wander,
till we sing your praises yonder.

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**Next Lord’s Day**

Morning Sermon  THE SOLDIERS’ TALE  (Matthew 28:11–15)
Evening Sermon  SMYRNA, WHERE THE PRESSURE WAS ON
(Revelation 2:8–11)