

# Lord's Day Evening Worship Service

May 30, 2021, 6:30 p.m.

*Welcome and Greeting  
Sharing of prayer requests*

## Approaching God

▲ Call to Worship **Psalm 136:5–6**

▲ Salutation

▲ Doxology **Trinity Hymnal 394 (vs. 5)**

**All praise to God the Father be,  
all praise, eternal Son, to thee,  
whom, with the Spirit, we adore  
for ever and for evermore.**

▲ Prayer of Invocation

▲ *From All That Dwell below the Skies* **Trinity Hymnal 7**

New Testament Scripture **Luke 24:44–53**

Pastoral Prayer

## Giving Attention to God's Word

Old Testament Scripture **Isaiah 41:21–29**

<sup>21</sup> Set forth your case, says the Lord; bring your proofs, says the King of Jacob. <sup>22</sup> Let them bring them, and tell us what is to happen. Tell us the former things, what they are, that we may consider them, that we may know their outcome; or declare to us the things to come. <sup>23</sup> Tell us what is to come hereafter, that we may know that you are gods; do good, or do harm, that we may be dismayed and terrified. <sup>24</sup> Behold, you are nothing, and your work is less than nothing; an abomination is he who chooses you.

<sup>25</sup> I stirred up one from the north, and he has come, from the rising of the sun, and he shall call upon my name; he shall trample on rulers as on mortar, as the potter treads clay. <sup>26</sup> Who declared it from the beginning, that we might know,

and beforehand, that we might say, "He is right"? There was none who declared it, none who proclaimed, none who heard your words. <sup>27</sup> I was the first to say to Zion, "Behold, here they are!" and I give to Jerusalem a herald of good news. <sup>28</sup> But when I look, there is no one; among these there is no counselor who, when I ask, gives an answer. <sup>29</sup> Behold, they are all a delusion; their works are nothing; their metal images are empty wind.  
— *Isaiah 41:21–29*

Sermon **TRYING IDOLS** **Isaiah 41:21–29**

Theme: The Lord calls to account idols and their dupes

1. Idols on trial (vs. 21–24)
2. Idolaters on trial (vs. 25–29)

▲ *The Day You Gave Us, Lord ...* **Trinity Hymnal 407**

▲ Benediction **Numbers 6:24–26**

▲ Doxology **Hymnal 406 (vs. 6)**

**Glory to the Father,  
glory to the Son,  
and to thee, blest Spirit,  
whilst all ages run.**

▲ *Indicates standing, as able.*

*Offerings may be placed in the box at the rear or mailed to Knox  
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## Next Lord's Day

Morning Sermon **LIVING CLOSE TO GOD** (Phil. 4:4–7)  
Evening Sermon **THE ONE FOR THE JOB** (Isa. 42:1–9)