

Trinity Lutheran Church



THE LUTHERAN CHURCH-MISSOURI SYNOD



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8:30 & 11:00 a.m. Divine Service

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
The Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost
September 21, 2025, 8:30 Communion & 11:00 a.m. Non-Communion Service

WELCOME TO TRINITY!

Thank you for worshipping with us today. We want to know who you are, so please provide your contact information in the Friendship Book as it is passed during the Offertory. If you are visiting, honor us by signing the Guest Register in the Narthex.

There are times in our worship service where we stand or kneel. Feel free to participate in either as you are able or feel comfortable to remain seated.

Gluten-free wafers are available upon request during communion services. Please speak to the pastor before service if you wish to receive the host in this form.

Please ask an usher should you require a hearing assistance device.

(†) ~ Those who wish may make the sign of the Cross in remembrance of their Baptism.

RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

If you are not a member of Trinity Lutheran Church, we ask that you speak with the pastor prior to the service before receiving the Lord's Supper.

REQUESTS FOR PRAYER

If you have a prayer request, please fill out a Blue Card from the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. Prayer requests may also be emailed to trinityoffice@bellsouth.net or to pastorjeffwebb@yahoo.com.

FOR PARENTS WITH YOUNG CHILDREN

We are delighted that you have brought your child to worship! We invite you to use the Cry Room as a courtesy to others if your little one gets a little rambunctious. Our Cry Room, complete with seating and children's activities, is located at the back of the Sanctuary. The service can be heard through the sound system. We hope your children feel glad they were here and that they are a part of the Trinity family!

***Our Vision:**
Growing in God's Word to Share Christ's Love*

***Our Mission:**
**Led by God, equipped as disciples through Word and Sacrament,
we are empowered by the Holy Spirit to reach out with the Gospel of Jesus Christ to all.***



AS WE GATHER TODAY

The Divine Service is unlike our other activities during the week—in the marketplace, our place of employment, or our school—where we struggle to be “the people of God” amid the temptations and confusing details of living in a world still disfigured by sin, tragedy, selfishness, and death. By our own fault, we daily fall short of our calling as Christians. We are reminded today of the judgment of God’s Law by the prophet Amos against our worry over money and our own needs that distract us from the often-greater needs of others and even our own true need of faith and reliance on God above all. Each day of the week, the demands of the Ten Commandments of God call us back to our need for forgiveness and God’s mercy, grace, help, and love. So, we gather here for Divine Service, that is, God attending to our real needs. We come to repent of our sin and failure, and to receive forgiveness and new life and hope. That forgiveness and hope comes solely from the God who “loved the world” so much “that He gave His only Son” to die for you (John 3:16). We do not have to wait and wonder until the Day of Judgment. By your Baptism into Christ, by His mighty and reliable Word of forgiveness spoken over and into you, and by your connection with the body and blood of your crucified and risen Lord Jesus, you are being delivered from all evil, redeemed, restored, and forgiven for everlasting life in the kingdom of God already here and now.

DIVINE SERVICE

Setting One

ORGAN

WELCOME

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

Please Stand

PROCESSIONAL HYMN 966 "Before You, Lord, We Bow"



1 Be - fore You, Lord, we bow, Our God who reigns a - bove
2 The na - tion You have blest May well Your love de - clare,
3 May ev - 'ry moun - tain height, Each vale and for - est green,
4 Earth, hear your Mak - er's voice; Your great Re - deem - er own;
5 And when in pow'r He comes, Oh, may our na - tive land



And rules the world be - low, Bound-less in pow'r and love. Our thanks
From foes and fears at rest, Pro - tect - ed by Your care. For this
Shine in Your Word's pure light, And its rich fruits be seen! May ev -
Be - lieve, o - bey, re - joice, And wor-ship Him a - lone. Cast down
From all its rend - ing tombs Send forth a glo-rious band, A count -



we bring In joy and praise, Our hearts we raise To You, our King!
bright day, For this fair land—Gifts of Your hand—Our thanks we pay.
'ry tongue Be tuned to praise And join to raise A grate - ful song.
your pride, Your sin de - plore, And bow be - fore The Cru - ci - fied.
less throng, With joy to sing To heav'n's high King Sal - va - tion's song!

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INVOCATION

(The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.)

P In the name of the Father and of the (†) Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen. *Matthew 28:19b*

P If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us.

C **But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.** *1 John 1:8-9*

Kneel or Be Seated

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

(Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.)

P Most merciful God,
C we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the (†) Son and of the Holy Spirit. *[John 20:19-23]*
C Amen.

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Please Stand

PSALM

Psalms 113

P ¹Praise the LORD! Praise, O servants of the LORD,
C praise the name of the LORD!

P ²Blessèd be the name of the LORD
C from this time forth and forevermore!

P ³From the rising of the sun to its setting,
C the name of the LORD is to be praised!

P ⁴The LORD is high above all nations,
C and his glory above the heavens!

P ⁵Who is like the LORD our God,
C who is seated on high,

P ⁶who looks far down
C on the heavens and the earth?

P ⁷He raises the poor from the dust
C and lifts the needy from the ash heap,

P ⁸to make them sit with princes,
C with the princes of his people.

P ⁹He gives the barren woman a home,
C making her the joyous mother of children. Praise the LORD!

ALL Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

KYRIE ~ *Lord, Have Mercy*

Mark 10:47

P In peace let us pray to the LORD.



C Lord, have mer - cy.

P For the peace from above and for our salvation, let us pray to the LORD.



C Lord, have mer - cy.

P For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the LORD.



C Lord, have mer - cy.

P For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the LORD.



C Lord, have mer - cy.

P Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious LORD.



C A - men.

HYMN OF PRAISE

"This Is the Feast"

Revelation 5:12-13; 19:5-9



C This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

1 — Wor- thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose
 2 Pow - er, rich - es, wis - dom, and strength, and
 3 Sing with all the peo - ple of God, and
 4 Bless - ing, hon - or, glo - ry, and might be to
 5 For the Lamb who was slain has be -
 blood set us free to be peo - ple of God. *Refrain*
 hon - or, bless - ing, and glo - ry are His. *Refrain*
 join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion: *Stanza 4*
 God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men. *Refrain*
 gun His reign. Al - le - lu - ia. *Final Refrain*
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SALUTATION and COLLECT OF THE DAY

- P** The LORD be with you. *2 Timothy 4:22*
C And also with you.
P Let us pray.
 O Lord, keep Your Church in Your perpetual mercy; and because without You we cannot but fall, preserve us from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
C Amen.

Be Seated

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Amos 8:4–7

⁴Hear this, you who trample on the needy
 and bring the poor of the land to an end,
⁵saying, “When will the new moon be over,
 that we may sell grain?
 And the Sabbath,
 that we may offer wheat for sale,
 that we may make the ephah small and the shekel great
 and deal deceitfully with false balances,

⁶that we may buy the poor for silver
and the needy for a pair of sandals
and sell the chaff of the wheat?”
⁷The LORD has sworn by the pride of Jacob:
“Surely I will never forget any of their deeds.”

A This is the Word of the LORD.
C Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE LESSON

1 Timothy 2:1–15

¹First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people, ²for kings and all who are in high positions, that we may lead a peaceful and quiet life, godly and dignified in every way. ³This is good, and it is pleasing in the sight of God our Savior, ⁴who desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. ⁵For there is one God, and there is one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus, ⁶who gave himself as a ransom for all, which is the testimony given at the proper time. ⁷For this I was appointed a preacher and an apostle (I am telling the truth, I am not lying), a teacher of the Gentiles in faith and truth.

⁸I desire then that in every place the men should pray, lifting holy hands without anger or quarreling; ⁹likewise also that women should adorn themselves in respectable apparel, with modesty and self-control, not with braided hair and gold or pearls or costly attire, ¹⁰but with what is proper for women who profess godliness—with good works. ¹¹Let a woman learn quietly with all submissiveness. ¹²I do not permit a woman to teach or to exercise authority over a man; rather, she is to remain quiet. ¹³For Adam was formed first, then Eve; ¹⁴and Adam was not deceived, but the woman was deceived and became a transgressor. ¹⁵Yet she will be saved through childbearing—if they continue in faith and love and holiness, with self-control.

A This is the Word of the LORD.
C Thanks be to God.

Please Stand

ALLELUIA and VERSE

John 6:68

C Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the
words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

HOLY GOSPEL

Luke 16:1–15

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the sixteenth chapter.

C Glo - ry to You, O Lord.

¹[Jesus] also said to the disciples, “There was a rich man who had a manager, and charges were brought to him that this man was wasting his possessions. ²And he called him and said to him, ‘What is this that I hear about you? Turn in the account of your management, for you can no longer be manager.’ ³And the manager said to himself, ‘What shall I do, since my master is taking the management away from me? I am not strong enough to dig, and I am ashamed to beg. ⁴I have decided what to do, so that when I am removed from management, people may receive me into their houses.’ ⁵So, summoning his master’s debtors one by one, he said to the first, ‘How much do you owe my master?’ ⁶He said, ‘A hundred measures of oil.’ He said to him, ‘Take your bill, and sit down quickly and write fifty.’ ⁷Then he said to another, ‘And how much do you owe?’ He said, ‘A hundred measures of wheat.’ He said to him, ‘Take your bill, and write eighty.’ ⁸The master commended the dishonest manager for his shrewdness. For the sons of this world are more shrewd in dealing with their own generation than the sons of light. ⁹And I tell you, make friends for yourselves by means of unrighteous wealth, so that when it fails they may receive you into the eternal dwellings.

¹⁰“One who is faithful in a very little is also faithful in much, and one who is dishonest in a very little is also dishonest in much. ¹¹If then you have not been faithful in the unrighteous wealth, who will entrust to you the true riches? ¹²And if you have not been faithful in that which is another’s, who will give you that which is your own? ¹³No servant can serve two masters, for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and money.”

¹⁴The Pharisees, who were lovers of money, heard all these things, and they ridiculed him. ¹⁵And he said to them, “You are those who justify yourselves before men, but God knows your hearts. For what is exalted among men is an abomination in the sight of God.”

P This is the Gospel of the LORD.



C Praise to You, O Christ.

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into Heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Be Seated

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

11:00 Service

HYMN OF THE DAY 743 vv. 1-2, 4, 6 "Jesus, Priceless Treasure"



1 Je - sus, price-less trea - sure, Fount of pur - est plea - sure,
 2 In Thine arms I rest me; Foes who would mo - lest me
 4 Hence, all earth - ly trea - sure! Je - sus is my plea - sure,
 6 Hence, all fear and sad - ness! For the Lord of glad - ness,

Tru - est friend to me, Ah, how long in an - guish
 Can - not reach me here. Though the earth be shak - ing,
 Je - sus is my choice. Hence, all emp - ty glo - ry!
 Je - sus, en - ters in. Those who love the Fa - ther,

Shall my spir - it lan - guish, Yearn - ing, Lord, for Thee?
 Ev - 'ry heart be quak - ing, Je - sus calms my fear.
 Naught to me thy sto - ry Told with tempt - ing voice.
 Though the storms may gath - er, Still have peace with - in.

Thou art mine, O Lamb di - vine! I will suf - fer
 Light - nings flash And thun - ders crash; Yet, though sin and
 Pain or loss, Or shame or cross, Shall not from my
 Yea, what - e'er I here must bear, Thou art still my

naught to hide Thee; Naught I ask be - side Thee.
 hell as - sail me, Je - sus will not fail me.
 Sav - ior move me Since He deigns to love me.
 pur - est plea - sure, Je - sus, price - less trea - sure!

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SERMON

"Prayers for All People"

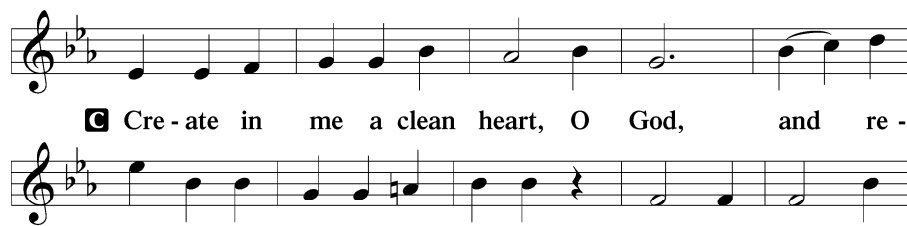
1 Timothy 2:1-7

OFFERING (Please fill out the blue card in the pew rack for prayers.)

Please Stand

OFFERTORY

Psalm 116:12-13, 17-19



C Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -
 new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -



Kneel or Be Seated

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

[1 Timothy 2:1-4]

NON-COMMUNION SERVICE (11:00)

LORD'S PRAYER

Matthew 6:9-13

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Please Stand

CLOSING PRAYER

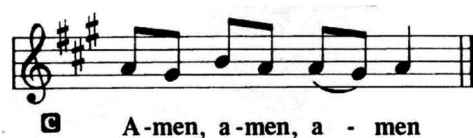
P O God, from whom come all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works, give to us, Your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey Your commandments and also that we, being defended from the fear of our enemies, may live in peace and quietness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our LORD, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

BENEDICTION

Numbers 6:24-26

P The LORD bless you and keep you. The LORD make His face shine on you and be gracious to you. The LORD look upon you with favor and (†) give you peace.



CLOSING HYMN 793 "Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven"

1 Praise, my soul, the King of heav - en; To His feet your
2 Praise Him for His grace and fa - vor To His peo - ple
3 Fa - ther-like He tends and spares us; Well our fee - ble
4 An - gels, help us to a - dore Him; You be - hold Him

trib - ute bring; Ran - somed, healed, re - stored, for - giv - en,
in dis - tress; Praise Him still the same as ev - er,
frame He knows; In His hand He gent - ly bears us,
face to face; Sun and moon, bow down be - fore Him,

Ev - er - more His prais - es sing: Al - le - lu - ia,
Slow to chide and swift to bless: Al - le - lu - ia,
Res - cues us from all our foes. Al - le - lu - ia,
All who dwell in time and space. Al - le - lu - ia,

al - le - lu - ia! Praise the ev - er - last - ing King.
al - le - lu - ia! Glo - rious in His faith - ful - ness.
al - le - lu - ia! Wide - ly yet His mer - cy flows.
al - le - lu - ia! Praise with us the God of grace.

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Be Seated

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT (8:30)

The Sacrament, or Lord's Supper, is a special gift from God that brings us into personal communion with Jesus Christ. "In, with and under" the bread and wine we receive His body and blood for forgiveness and renewal. If you are a repentant sinner, come to the table expecting to receive God's wonderful gifts for you!

Communicants will take their own wine cups as they are passed. Those requiring non-alcoholic wine will take the cups with white non-alcoholic wine from the middle of the tray.

Be Seated

OUR EXAMINATION

- P** In preparation for Holy Communion, St. Paul tells us in 1 Corinthians 11:27-29, "Whoever, therefore, eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty concerning the body and blood of the Lord. ²⁸ Let a person examine himself, then, and so eat of the bread and drink of the cup. ²⁹ For anyone who eats and drinks without discerning the body eats and drinks judgment on himself." So that we may properly examine ourselves prior to receiving the Lord's Supper, I ask you to reflect on these questions:

- Do you repent of all your sins of thought, word, and deed?
- Do you believe that Jesus Christ is your only Savior from all sin, Satan, and death?
- Do you believe that the Risen Christ is really present in the Sacrament and that in, with, and under the bread and wine you receive His true Body and Blood?

If you answer in faith "Yes!" to these questions, and are properly instructed, you are invited to come forward and partake of the LORD'S Supper during Distribution. If you are unable to answer yes to any of these questions, you are invited to come forward, cross your arms as I approach you and receive a blessing. By your coming forward, "You proclaim the LORD'S death until He comes."

Please Stand

PREFACE

P The LORD be with you. *2 Timothy 4:22*



C And al - so with you.

P Lift up your hearts. *[Colossians 3:1]*



C We lift them to the Lord.

P Let us give thanks to the LORD, our God. *[Psalm 136]*



C It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

P It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy LORD, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our LORD, who on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising you and singing:

SANCTUS ~ *Holy, Holy, Holy*

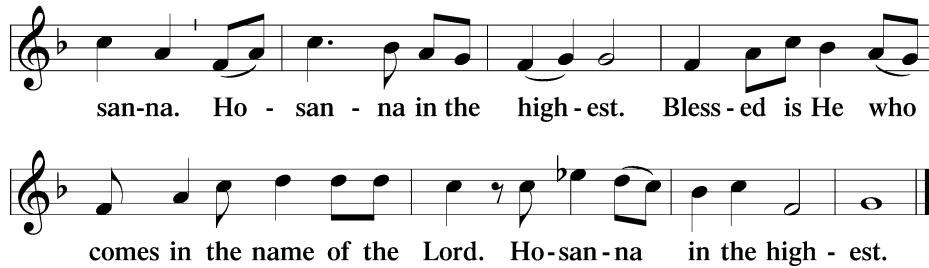
Isaiah 6:3; Matthew 21:9



C Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might:



Heav-en and earth are full of Your glo - ry. Ho - san-na. Ho -



PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

P Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your only begotten Son into our flesh to bear our sin and be our Savior. With repentant joy we receive the salvation accomplished for us by the all-availing sacrifice of His body and His blood on the cross.

Gathered in the name and the remembrance of Jesus, we beg You, O Lord, to forgive, renew, and strengthen us with Your Word and Spirit. Grant us faithfully to eat His body and drink His blood as He bids us do in His own testament. Gather us together, we pray, from the ends of the earth to celebrate with all the faithful the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end. Graciously receive our prayers; deliver and preserve us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

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THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

*Matthew 26:26-28; Mark 14:22-24;
Luke 22:19-20; 1 Corinthians 11:23-25*

P Our LORD Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me." In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is poured out for you for the remission of sins. This do as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

PAX DOMINI ~ *The Peace of the Lord*

John 20:19

P The peace of the LORD be with you always.
C And also with you.

AGNUS DEI ~ *Lamb of God*

John 1:29

1 Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the
world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a-way the
sin of the world; grant us peace.

Be Seated

DISTRIBUTION HYMN

HYMN 622 vv. 1, 3-4, 6-8 "Lord Jesus Christ, You Have Prepared"

1 Lord Je - sus Christ, You have pre - pared This feast for
3 Yet, Sav - ior, You are not con - fined To an - y
4 We eat this bread and drink this cup, Your pre - cious
6 Lord, I be - lieve what You have said; Help me when
our sal - va - tion; It is Your bod - y
hab - i - ta - tion; But You are pres - ent
Word be - liev - ing That Your true bod - y
doubts as - sail me. Re - mem - ber that I
and Your blood, And at Your in - vi - ta - tion
e - ven now Here with Your con - gre - ga - tion.
and Your blood Our lips are here re - ceiv - ing.
am but dust, And let my faith not fail me.
As wea - ry souls, with sin op - pressed, We come to
Firm as a rock this truth shall stand, Un - moved by
This Word re - mains for - ev - er true, All things are
Your sup - per in this vale of tears Re - fresh - es



You for need - ed rest, For com - fort, and for par - don.
an - y dar - ing hand Or sub - tle craft and cun - ning.
pos - si - ble with You, For You are Lord Al - might - y.
me and stills my fears And is my price - less trea - sure.

- 7 Grant that we worthily receive
Your supper, Lord, our Savior,
And, truly grieving for our sins,
May prove by our behavior
That we are thankful for Your grace
And day by day may run our race,
In holiness increasing.

- 8 For Your consoling supper, Lord,
Be praised throughout all ages!
Preserve it, for in ev'ry place
The world against it rages.
Grant that this sacrament may be
A blessed comfort unto me
When living and when dying.

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Please Stand

POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE "Thank the LORD"



C Thank the Lord and sing His praise; tell ev'-ry-one what He has done.



Let all who seek the Lord re - joice and proud-ly bear His name.



He re-calls His prom-is - es and leads His peo-ple forth in joy



with shouts of thanks-giv-ing. Al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia.

POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

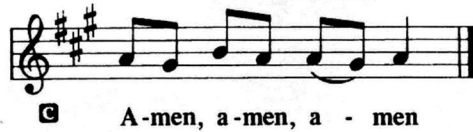
- P** Let us pray.
Gracious God, our heavenly Father, You have given us a foretaste of the feast to come in the Holy Supper of Your Son's body and blood. Keep us firm in the true faith throughout our days of pilgrimage that, on the day of His coming, we may, together with all Your saints, celebrate the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom which has no end; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our LORD, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy

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in dis - tress; Praise Him still the same as ev - er,
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ANNOUNCEMENTS and RECOGNITION OF OUR GUESTS

TO THE GLORY OF GOD

The Altar flowers are given to the glory of God
by Doug & Shirley Masini in celebration of Lucia Masini's birthday.

*But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.
Matthew 6:33*

COFFEE & CONVERSATION

Join us in the Social Hall after the 8:30 service for coffee and breakfast goodies.

BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

ADULT SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY

Pastor Webb leads a Bible study titled "Are You a Disciple or a Christian?" in the Social Hall after the 8:30 service.

CHURCH YEAR CONNECTIONS

(Ages 2 through High School)

Join us for Sunday School classes for ages three through young adult. Teachers: Megan Haverland (2 years-1st Grade), Judy Bringman (2nd-5th Grade), Bob Hanovich (Middle School), and Karl Schumacher (High School).

YOUNG ADULT SINGLES CLASS

For ages 18-28, this class, led by Jason Lomax, is studying Apologetics.

21ST CENTURY PARENTING CLASS

Parents of school-aged kids gain insight into the issues facing Gen Z and learn how to engage them in meaningful conversations. Eric and Megan Thompson lead this class in the Education Building.

YOUNG AT HEART CLASS

Mature members study how we can demonstrate love and compassion to people in need. Bob Reynolds and Mark Waltz lead this class on the ground floor of the Education Building.

WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Join us at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday mornings in the Education Building to study the Word.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

The Women's Bible Study meets on Mondays at 10:00am in the Education Building and on Zoom. See Linda Tomko for more details.

HAPPENING AT TRINITY

THANK YOU

Thank you to Barbara Lunick for playing the organ for us.

OFFERINGS

Please remain faithful in bringing your offerings to the Lord by mail or online if you are unable to attend worship in person.

TODAY IS "BUILDING REPAIR FUND SUNDAY"

Please consider making an extra donation designated for our Building Repair Fund to help cover the cost of our needed repairs.

WORKDAY DATE CHANGE

Saturday, September 27 at 9:00-12:00

September congregation Workday has been rescheduled for Saturday, September 27th from 9 a.m. until noon. Thank you.

HELP A SCAD STUDENT GET TO CHURCH

A new SCAD student, living in the dorms, has reached out to Trinity in need of a ride to the 11:00 church service, and is happy to attend Sunday School, too. He would be thankful even if you can only get him here once a month, preferably for an 11:00 communion service. Contact Pastor Webb if you might be able to help.

LWML PRAYER MAILBOX

How can we pray for you? Galatians 6:2 says, "Share one another's burdens and so fulfill the law of Christ." In the Narthex you will find our Purple Mailbox with cards to write your request and place in the mailbox.  Share your concern with us and we will pray for your concern.  Our hope is to keep one another lifted up in prayer.

ALTAR FLOWERS CONTAINERS

If you sponsor the Altar flowers and take them home to continue to enjoy their beauty, please, if possible, return the plastic container to the church per the florist's request. Place container in the basket by the Sacristy door. See Lonna McEwen with any questions. Thank you.

BUILDING REPAIR FUND REMINDER

If you are donating toward the Air Conditioner fund, please mark your check with "For A/C" so the funds are allocated properly. Thank you for your generosity!

TSHIRTS

The Youth are selling t-shirts to raise funds for the LCMS Youth Gathering. The t-shirts have a small cross encircled by the phrase, "I am a beloved child of the heavenly King" on the front left and a Bible verse on the back of the t-shirt. The t-shirts will be sold for \$20 each and \$6.10 will be added to the Youth Ministry Designated Funds for each t-shirt sold. T-shirts are available for viewing and purchase in the Social Hall after Divine Service. Please contact Bob Hanovich, 912-655-0048, for additional information. LET'S GO!

EVERY ONE HIS WITNESS

The *Every One His Witness* video series and self-study guide are available on the Friends of Trinity Facebook page. The video series is posted under Media, then Albums, then *Every One His Witness*. The self-study guide is posted under Files, then E1HW – Self Study Guide – 2021-05-26.

What is *Every One His Witness*? *Every One His Witness* is a Lutheran evangelism program that teaches you to witness to your friends, coworkers, and any other non-churched people you may know. Using the LASSIE approach to witnessing (listen, ask, seek, share, invite, and encourage), you will learn how to naturally share the Good News of Jesus Christ through relational, contextual witnessing.

What does this mean? It means listening to those who are unsure about Christianity. It means asking questions that aren't accusatory. It means sharing the Good News about Jesus. **Notice how there's no bashing, no judgment, and no forced imposition of beliefs.** Instead, there's understanding, communication, and honesty between friends. And *Every One His Witness* teaches you how. Bob Hanovich, 912-655-0048, is the POC for additional information on *Every One His Witness*. LET'S GO!

CHECK THE CALENDAR

Curious what's going on? Planning an event? Check the Trinity calendar on our website anytime (www.trinitylutheransavannah.com/connect/calendar.cfm). If you need to schedule an event, please contact Traci in the office (trinityoffice@bellsouth.net, 912-925-4839). Thanks!

CONNECT WITH US

Connect with TLC and keep up with what's going on.

***Website** - www.trinitylutheransavannah.com

***Facebook** - Friends of Trinity Lutheran Church; Trinity Lutheran Church of Savannah Media; Lizzie Comfort Dog

***Instagram** - #lcck9lizzie (Lizzie Comfort Dog)

***YouTube** – Trinity Lutheran Savannah

DEADLINE for BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Every Wednesday by 9:00am

Email bulletin announcements to trinityoffice@bellsouth.net prior to 9:00am on Wednesdays.

TODAY'S WORSHIP SERVICES

Traditional 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

IN RESPONSE TO THE GOSPEL LAST SUNDAY

8:30 a.m. – 80 11:00 a.m. – 61 Facebook – 151 YouTube – 5

Giving	\$4,855.50
Air Conditioner Fund	300.00
Memorial – Hodgson (LWML Mites)	150.00
Property Management	350.00
Youth	234.00

SERVING IN THE LORD'S HOUSE TODAY

8:30 a.m.

Betty Morrell, Greeter
Cathy Crotwell & Dean Torek, Ushers

11:00 a.m.

Phil Boyd-Robertson, Reader
Cindy Baldwin & Cathy Dotson, Greeters
Rosemary Gerdes & Gretchen Holmes, Ushers

SERVING NEXT SUNDAY

8:30 a.m.

Jackie Deemer, Reader
Jackie Deemer, Greeter
Chris Cesaroni & JB Strange, Ushers

11:00 a.m.

Vicky Lunick & Barbara Prieto, Greeters
John Anander & Bob Sautter, Ushers

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

TODAY	Traditional Worship Services		8:30 & 11:00 a.m.
	Sunday School		9:45 a.m.
	Building Repair Fund Sunday		
MONDAY	9/22	Women's Bible Study (Education Building)	10:00 a.m.
		Cub Scouts (Social Hall)	6:00-8:00 p.m.
TUESDAY	9/23	WF Garden Club (Social Hall)	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
		TLC Quilters (Education Building)	10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
		Clothes Closet	4:00-6:00 p.m.
		Cub Scouts (Social Hall)	6:00-8:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY	9/24	Bible Study (Education Building)	10:00 a.m.
THURSDAY	9/25	Clothes Closet	10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
		Crafters (Education Building)	10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
		NAMI (Education Building)	6:00-7:00 p.m.
FRIDAY	9/26	Meals for Homeless (Education Building Kitchen)	4:00 p.m.
SATURDAY	9/27	Workday	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

(Names remain on the prayer list up to a month unless requests are renewed.)

CANCER

Wendy Holland; Harold LaMarr; Samuel Martin

STRENGTH, GUIDANCE, & PROVISION

Everyone impacted by natural disasters

PEACE

Israel, Ukraine, & all who suffer from war and violence

OUR WITNESS

Let us proclaim Jesus Christ is risen to all!

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Bob Reynolds, Head Elder (at large)
Sonny Massey (A – B)
Mark Waltz (C – E)
Todd Freeseemann (F – J)
Mike Fajen (K – Mc)
JB Strange (Me – Sa)
Tom Wayman (Sc – Z)

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Karen Hanovich, TLC Marketing
Lonna McEwen, Altar Guild
Rose Pitt, Prayer Team