

Trinity Lutheran Church



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Divine Service –Setting Three

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Holy Communion

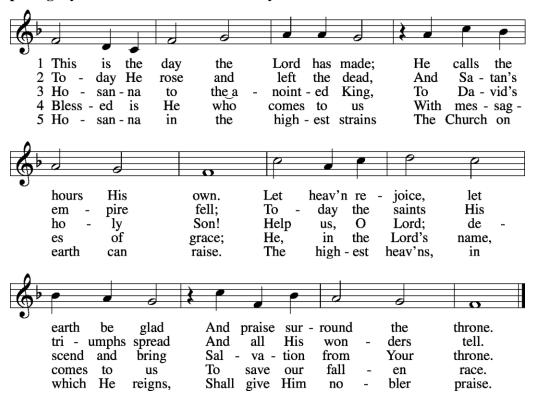
Welcome to Trinity Lutheran. We are delighted you have chosen to join us this day. Our Lord always blesses those who come to His house to hear His word and receive His sacraments. We pray you will experience God's love and care for you.

For our guests:

- ❖ Please fill out a blue "Prayer Request Card", found in the pew rack and hand it to an usher during the offering. The Pastor will add it to the morning prayers.
- ❖ Quiet bags are provided for your children during the service. They are located as you enter the church. The children's bulletin and color booklet is for you to keep. Please return the bags as you exit. "Busy Bibles" for the smaller children during the worship service are available! Please return to the rack when exiting.
- ❖ For your convenience we have a Cry Room. You will find it as you enter the church doors. From that room you can hear and observe the service.
- ❖ Here at Trinity we believe, as Scripture teaches, that in the Lord's Supper, we receive not only bread and wine, but also the true Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, given and shed for the forgiveness of our sins, and the strengthening of our faith and our fellowship with one another. If you would like to participate in this Sacrament, but have further questions, we encourage you to speak with the pastor or elders. We also invite and encourage you to fill out the white card indicating your desire and intention to commune.
- ❖ Pastor Smith is available for visiting and consultations. Please contact the church office or Pastor's cell phone 760 485-5171 for an appointment.

Please silence cell phones...Thank you

God Bless Your Worship!!!





Confession and Absolution

- **P** In the name of the Father and of the ♥ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.
- Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- **P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- who made heaven and earth.

- I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.
- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
- I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.
- P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ♥ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.



Service of the Word

Introit—

Ps. 27:1a, 4-5, 10, 14; antiphon: Ps. 27:7

Hear, O Lord, when I cry aloud;

be gracious to me and answer me!

The Lord is my light and my salvation;

whom shall I fear?

One thing have I asked of the Lord, that will I seek after:

that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the Lord and to inquire in his temple.

For he will hide me in his shelter in the day of trouble:

he will conceal me under the cover of his tent; he will lift me high upon a rock.

For my father and my mother have forsaken me.

but the Lord will take me in.

Wait for the Lord;

be strong, and let your heart take courage; wait for the Lord!

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.



My Jesus – My Savior
Lord there is none like You
All of my days – I want to praise
The wonders of Your mighty love.

My comfort, -- My shelter, Tower of refuge and strength Let every breath – all that I am Never cease to worship You.

Shout to the Lord - All the earth let us sing.

Power and majesty - Praise to our King.

Mountains bow down and the sea will roar

At the sound of Your name.

I sing for joy at the work of Your hands,

Forever I'll love You forever I'll stand.

Nothing compares to the promise I have in You.

(Repeat All)

Salutation

P The Lord be with you.

C And with thy spirit.

Collect of the Day

O King of glory, Lord of hosts, uplifted in triumph far above all heavens, leave us not without consolation but send us the Spirit of truth whom You promised from the Father; for You live and reign with Him and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

First Reading Acts 1:12–26

¹²Then [the apostles] returned to Jerusalem from the mount called Olivet, which is near Jerusalem, a Sabbath day's journey away.

¹³And when they had entered, they went up to the upper room, where they were staying, Peter and John and James and Andrew, Philip and Thomas, Bartholomew and Matthew, James the son of Alphaeus and Simon the Zealot and Judas the son of James. ¹⁴All these with one accord were devoting themselves to prayer, together with the women and Mary the mother of Jesus, and his brothers.

¹⁵In those days Peter stood up among the brothers (the company of persons was in all about 120) and said, ¹⁶"Brothers, the Scripture had to be fulfilled, which the Holy Spirit spoke beforehand by the mouth of David concerning Judas, who became a guide to those who arrested Jesus. ¹⁷For he was numbered among us and was allotted his share in this ministry." ¹⁸(Now this man bought a field with the reward of his wickedness, and falling headlong he burst open in the middle and all his bowels gushed out. ¹⁹And it became known to all the inhabitants of Jerusalem, so that the field was called in their own language Akeldama, that is, Field of Blood.) ²⁰"For it is written in the Book of Psalms,

"May his camp become desolate, and let there be no one to dwell in it';

and

"Let another take his office."

²¹So one of the men who have accompanied us during all the time that the Lord Jesus went in and out among us, ²²beginning from the baptism of John until the day when he was taken up from us—one of these men must become with us a witness to his resurrection." ²³And they put forward two, Joseph called Barsabbas, who was also called Justus, and Matthias. ²⁴And they prayed and said, "You, Lord, who know the hearts of all, show which one of these two you have chosen ²⁵to take the place in this ministry and apostleship from which Judas turned aside to go to his own place." ²⁶And they cast lots for them, and the lot fell on Matthias, and he was numbered with the eleven apostles.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God

Gradual

adapt. from Matt. 28:7; Heb. 2:7; Ps. 8:6

Christ has risen from the dead.

[God the Father] has crowned Him with glory and honor,

He has given Him dominion over the works of His hands;

He has put all things under His feet.

Epistle 1 John 5:9–15

⁹If we receive the testimony of men, the testimony of God is greater, for this is the testimony of God that he has borne concerning his Son. ¹⁰Whoever believes in the Son of God has the testimony in himself. Whoever does not believe God has made him a liar, because he has not believed in the testimony that God has borne concerning his Son. ¹¹And this is the testimony,

that God gave us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. ¹²Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.

¹³I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God that you may know that you have eternal life. ¹⁴And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us. ¹⁵And if we know that he hears us in whatever we ask, we know that we have the requests that we have asked of him.

I: This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God

Alleluia Verse of the Day

Alleluia. We know that Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; death no longer has dominion over Him.

Alleluia. I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you. Alleluia.

Holy Gospel John 17:11b–19

Father, keep them in your name, which you have given me, that they may be one, even as we are one. ¹²While I was with them, I kept them in your name, which you have given me. I have guarded them, and not one of them has been lost except the son of destruction, that the Scripture might be fulfilled. ¹³But now I am coming to you, and these things I speak in the world, that they may have my joy fulfilled in themselves. ¹⁴I have given them your word, and the world has hated them because they are not of the world, just as I am not of the world. ¹⁵I do not ask that you take them out of the world, but that you keep them from the evil one. ¹⁶They are not of the world, just as I am not of the world. ¹⁷Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth. ¹⁸As you sent me into the world, so I have sent them into the world. ¹⁹And for their sake I consecrate myself, that they also may be sanctified in truth.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

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

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Yet she on earth has union With God, the Three in One, And mystic sweet communion With those whose rest is won. O blessèd heav'nly chorus! Lord, save us by Your grace That we, like saints before us, May see You face to face.



Prayer of the Church & Lord's Prayer—

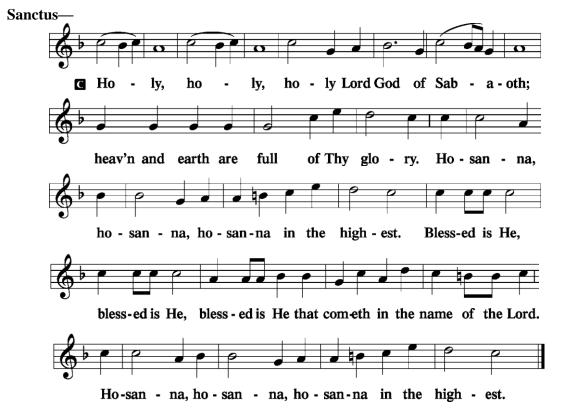
Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the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

Service of the Sacrament

Preface—

- **P** The Lord be with you.
- **C** And with thy spirit.

- **P** Lift up your hearts.
- **C** We lift them up unto the Lord.
- **P** Let us give thanks unto the Lord our God.
- **C** It is meet and right so to do.
- It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God. And most especially are we bound to praise You on this day for the glorious resurrection of Your Son, Jesus Christ, the very Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us and bore the sins of the world. By His dying He has destroyed death, and by His rising again He has restored to us everlasting life. Therefore with Mary Magdalene, Peter and John, and with all the witnesses of the resurrection, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and singing:



The Words of Our Lord—

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 \(\phi\) 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 cup is the New Testament in My \(\phi\) blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Pax Domini

- **P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.
- C Amen.



Distribution/ Distribution Hymns—

#625, #637, #643

Prayer of Thanksgiving

We give thanks to You, Almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Salutation and Benedicamus—

- **P**: The Lord be with you.
- **C** And with thy Spirit
- **P**: Bless we the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.

Benediction —

The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you, and ♥ give you peace..





NEXT WEEK AT TRINITY LUTHERAN

May 16, 2021

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Tuesday	10:00 am	Quilters meeting
	7:00 pm	Church Council Meeting (Zoom)
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Choir Practice
Thursday	6:30 pm	Hosea Bible Study (Zoom)
Friday	11:00 am	DOA Bible Study (In Person & Zoom)
-	6:00 pm	WINGS Ladies' Night Out Fellowship Center

Please contact Pastor or Bobbi Smith for Zoom Meeting information



PRAYER REQUESTS THOSE WE KEEP IN PRAYER THIS WEEK

Donna Kay Wherry, car accident, home recovering. Jane Campbell, health. Amy Frese's mom, heart problems. Anthony Weise, complications from Covid-19. James Carlsgaard, undergoing cancer treatment. Parents, George and Paula are new attendees to Trinity. Andy Schlange, health, is home now. Laura Thomason, health.. Mollie, for cancer; friend of Carol Castro. Nate Johnson, kidney problems, prayers for his wife & sons. Sharyn Brackett, health. Trudi Intemann, health. Bill Grotenrath health issues. Gary Wiedle, health. Michele Ungaro, Stage 4 cancer, (sister of Renee' Young). Phyllis Hafliger, health. Dean Weerheim, Health . Loretta Piunti, health and treatments. Roy Culley, health. Rosie Agramonte, Health.

RECYCLING PLASTIC WATER BOTTLES - caps off & rinsed aluminum cans. No milk jugs, just water bottles and cans. PLEASE bring to the north patio or see Emily. Thank you. Your recycling committee.