



Sunday, November 3, 2024

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Worship Times: Sundays 8:00am and 10:30am

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Worship Assistants

Head Elder

8:00am-Bill Schwieger
10:30am – Roy Egeland

Communion Assistants

8:00am – Moore/Norregaard
10:30 - Soares

Lector

8:00am – Arlene Stackhouse
10:30 – Roy Egeland

Keyboard

Kimberley Clark



Trinity Lutheran Church

Reverend Blair Clark

Our Mission



“To share the good news of Jesus Christ”



**Our Vision
STATEMENT**

*“To serve as God guides us to bring
people closer to Jesus Christ through
worship, Bible studies, prayer and
fellowship”*

WELCOME!!!

**A warm joyous welcome to all who gather
to bear witness to the resurrection of Jesus,
our King of Kings!**

OUR RITE OF FRIENDSHIP:

Members and guests: Please register your
attendance in the red pad located at the end of
each row. **We ask our guests to please print
your complete address and phone number.**
When it reaches the other end of the row, pass it
back. Upon its return note the other names; you
may meet a new friend in Christ today.

Please turn off your cell phone.

**If you desire a hearing assistance unit,
speak with an usher.**

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH



ALL SAINTS SUNDAY November 3, 2024

PRELUDE –

“SAVIOR AGAIN”

By Hopkins

“SWEET HOUR OF PRAYER”

By W.B. Bradbury

“FATHER, ALMIGHTY, BLESS US WITH THY BLESSING”

By Flemming

“GIVE THANKS”

By Henry Smith

“SING TO THE KING”

By Billy Foote

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

[Please Stand]

OPENING HYMN

“FOR ALL THE SAINTS”

LSB #677 vs 1,3,4 & 6

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1 For all the saints who from their la - bors rest,
3 Oh, may Thy sol - diers, faith - ful, true, and bold,
4 Oh, blest com - mu - nion, fel - low - ship di - vine!
6 The gold - en eve - ning bright - ens in the west;



Who Thee by faith be - fore the world con - fessed, Thy
Fight as the saints who no - bly fought of old And
We fee - bly strug - gle, they in glo - ry shine; Yet
Soon, soon to faith - ful war - riors com - eth rest;



name, O Je - sus, be for - ev - er blest.
win with them the vic - tor's crown of gold!
all are one in Thee, for all are Thine.
Sweet is the calm of par - a - dise the blest.



Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

INVOCATION

P In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P Dear brothers and sisters in Christ, we stand before God this day because we were clothed with the righteousness of God in Holy Baptism. Despite being born in the tribulations of this world, our spiritual robes have been made white in the blood of the Lamb. Yet as long as we draw breath, we remain sinners---even as we, the baptized, are God's saints. Therefore let us confess our sins to God that we may walk not according to the flesh, but according to the Spirit, and be transformed by the renewal of our minds.

P Most merciful God,

C **We confess that we are impure in heart. We have done what is detestable and false, and do not deserve to enter into Your presence. We are indeed poor, miserable sinners. We are sorry for our sin and sincerely repent of it. Forgive us and renew us, Lord, that we may come before You with clean hearts and rejoice in Your eternal presence.**

P God has created a holy nation for Himself and opens the gates of heaven that we may enter in! As a called and ordained servant of God's Word and in the stead of our Lord Jesus Christ I announce to you the entire forgiveness of all of your sins, in the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

[Please be seated]

COMMEMORATION OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

P We remember those who together with us stood at the foot of the cross, who heard the Easter truths at the empty tomb, who have gone before us into the heavenly mansions:

Robert Adams – December 12, 2023
Richard Brandt – January 2, 2024
Jim Crenshaw – January 6, 2024
Franklin Wick – January 11, 2024
Ellen Smith – January 10, 2024
Pamela Petro – January 21, 2024
Don Butenhoff – February 5, 2024
Frank Blanchard – February 12, 2024

Norbert Laabs – March 12, 2024
Robert Ackerman – March 17, 2024
Anna Thompson – March 25, 2024
Jesse McDonald – April 1, 2024
Elaine Wick – April 12, 2024
Fred Willman – April 17, 2024
David Zeller – April 24, 2024
Dale Stoner – June 11, 2024
Dick Schluckbier - July 20, 2024
Barbara Fielitz - August 2, 2024
Donna Martens - August 19, 2024
David Despres – August 26, 2024
Patsy Yukoty – September 2, 2024
Gene Brown – September 5, 2024
Ilomay Thomas – September 6, 2024
Marilyn Tomsik – September 20, 2024
Gary Marten – October 5, 2024
Tom Bell – October 16, 2024

P Let us pray. Gracious Father in Jesus Christ, we remember with thanksgiving before You all those who rejoice with us, but upon another shore, and in a greater light, that multitude which no man can number, whose hope was the Word made flesh, and with whom in the Lord Jesus we are one forevermore.

All: As You have received our brothers and sisters who have gone to their rest in the hope of the resurrection to eternal life, bring us at last with them into the light of Your presence, that in union with all Your saints, we may laud and magnify Your name forever, through Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



HYMN OF PRAISE
“FOR ALL THE SAINTS”
LSB #677 vs 8
 Text and tune: Public domain

8 From earth's wide bounds, from o - cean's far - thest coast, Through
 gates of pearl streams in the count - less host,
 Sing - ing to Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost:
 Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

THE WORD

FIRST READING

Revelation 7:9–17

After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, and crying out with a loud voice, “Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!” And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, saying, “Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen.”

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, “Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?” I said to him, “Sir, you know.” And he said to me, “These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

“Therefore they are before the throne of God,
 and serve him day and night in his temple;
 and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence.
 They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore;

the sun shall not strike them,
nor any scorching heat.
For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd,
and he will guide them to springs of living water,
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.”

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

EPISTLE READING

1 John 3:1–3

See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God’s children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure.

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

[Please Stand]

HOLY GOSPEL

Matthew 5:1–12

P The Holy Gospel according to John, the fifth chapter.

C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

Seeing the crowds, [Jesus] went up on the mountain, and when he sat down, his disciples came to him.

And he opened his mouth and taught them, saying:

“Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.”

“Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.”

“Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.”

“Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.”

“Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.”

“Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.”

“Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.”

“Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness’ sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.”

“Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you.”

P This is the gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

[Please be seated]

ANTHEM

“FOR THE SAINTS”

Words and Music by: Jennifer G. Klein and David Angerman
By The Trinity Choir

SERMON

“Saintly Paradoxes”

Revelation 7:14-17

Pastor Blair Clark

[Please stand]

CONFESSION OF FAITH - “THE THIRD ARTICLE”

C 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.

P *What does this mean?*

C I believe that I cannot by my own reason or strength believe in Jesus Christ, my Lord, or come to Him; but the Holy Spirit has called me by the Gospel, enlightened me with His gifts, sanctified and kept me in the true faith.

In the same way He calls, gathers, enlightens, and sanctifies the whole Christian Church on earth, and keeps it with Jesus Christ in the one true faith.

In this Christian Church He daily and richly forgives all my sins and the sins of all believers.

On the Last Day He will raise me and all the dead, and give eternal life to me and all believers in Christ.

This is most certainly true.

OFFERING:

“FIGHT THE GOOD FIGHT”

LSB #664

Text and tune: Public domain



1 Fight the good fight with all your might; Christ is your
2 Run the straight race through God's good grace; Lift up your
3 Cast care a - side, lean on your guide; His bound - less



strength, and Christ your right. Lay hold on life, and
eyes, and seek His face. Life with its way be -
mer - cy will pro - vide. Trust, and en - dur - ing



it shall be Your joy and crown e - ter - nal - ly.
fore us lies; Christ is the path, and Christ the prize.
faith shall prove Christ is your life and Christ your love.

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

P Rejoicing that we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses- the saints of every generation who have been led to life eternal by Christ Jesus our Lord---let us call on the Lord for ourselves, for the Church throughout the world, and for everyone. For our Trinity congregation that, encouraged by Christ's victory given to the saints, we may constantly receive His gifts, faithfully confess Him, and joyfully serve one another in love, for the Church throughout the world, especially those who suffer for the name of Christ, that they may have joy and hope in their eternal white robes purchased by the blood of the Lamb, and for the ill and all among us who are suffering, especially those we have named previously, and those we name in our hearts that, confident of the complete healing of all Christ's saints in the resurrection, their faith may be strengthened and their unbelief overcome through the Lord's promises, and that, according to His will, they would be healed.

Happy Birthday

November 3 - Kyle Konrath & David Luxton
November 4 - Dawn O'Connor, Carol Bajus, Myrna VanSwol
Kathie Adams & Sandy Wachholz
November 5 - Leonard Jagow & Carl Ventura
November 7 - Chuck Matthias & Ellen Rentola
November 8 - Geraldine Kain

Happy Anniversary

November 3 - Karen and Bill Early 11

Blessing

Christian Cancer Care Bags

- P** Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.
- C** Amen.

[Please stand]

THE 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

THE WORDS INSTITUTION

- 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 cup is the † new testament in My blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

[Please be seated]

AGNUS DEI

**O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,
You take the sin of the world away;
O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,
Have mercy on us, Lord, we pray.**

**O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,
You take the sin of the world away;
Have Mercy on us, Jesus Christ,
And grant us peace, O Lord we pray.**

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

“THE SPIRIT SONG”

By John Wimber

*By The Trinity Choir
(Congregation Sing)*

O Let the Son of God enfold you with His Spirit and is love
Let Him fill your life and satisfy your soul.

O come and sing this song with gladness as your hearts are filled with joy,
Lift your hands in sweet surrender to His name.

“JESUS MESSIAH”

Solo by Kimberley Clark



BLESSED ASSURANCE

TOSB #16 vs 1-3

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
born of his Spirit, washed in his blood.

Refrain:

**This is my story, this is my song,
praising my Savior all the day long.
This is my story, this is my song,
praising my Savior all the day long.**

Perfect submission, perfect delight,
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight.
Angels descending bring from above
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love. [Refrain]

Perfect submission, all is at rest.
I in my Savior am happy and blest;
Watching and waiting, looking above,
Filled with his goodness, lost in his love. [Refrain]

[Please stand]

DISMISSAL

P May the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in His grace, unto life everlasting. Go in peace to serve the Lord.

C **Amen.**

BENEDICTION

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

C **Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN

“YE WATCHERS AND YE HOLY ONES”

LSB #670 vs 1, 3 & 4

Text and tune: Public domain



1 Ye watch - ers and ye ho - ly ones, Bright
3 Re - spond, ye souls in end - less rest, Ye
4 O friends, in glad - ness let us sing, Su -



ser - aphs, cher - u - bim, and thrones, Raise the glad strain:
pa - tri - archs and proph - ets blest: “Al - le - lu - ia,
per - nal an - thems ech - o - ing: “Al - le - lu - ia,



“Al - le - lu - ia!” Cry out, do - min - ions, prince - doms,
al - le - lu - ia!” Ye ho - ly Twelve, ye mar - tyrs
al - le - lu - ia!” To God the Fa - ther, God the



pow’rs, Vir - tues, arch - an - gels, an - gels’
strong, All saints tri - um - phant, raise the
Son, And God the Spir - it, Three in



choirs: “Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -
song: “Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -
One: “Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -



lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!”
lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!”
lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!”

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Christianity is the only religion of the world to insist that reconciliation with the creator cannot ever be accomplished by our performance. Only through the revelation of a Savior, who would be the substitute sacrifice for all of our wrongdoing and make us right with God, can we finally overcome our sense of separation from the Almighty.

This is a gift and promise of life that we rejoice in and share with Christians around the world. We share with all Christians the desire that everyone would come to know Jesus and experience a life under “new management” – the grace and purpose of God.

Trinity is a member of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod. We enjoy a blessed confessional heritage of Biblical Christianity with over 65 million Lutherans around the world and over 7 million Lutherans in the U.S. alone. What we know and believe comes only from the Bible, which is God’s inspired Word. While the Bible is certainly our guide for holy living, the primary purpose of the Bible is to reveal Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord.

We believe every Sunday at Trinity Lutheran Church is a “little Easter”, a celebration of the resurrection of our Lord. We celebrate the sacrament of the Lord’s Supper every Sunday in all worship services. We believe the forgiveness and strength of faith we are promised through receiving the very body and blood of Christ is so greatly needed by all of God’s people, for we are truly a community of wounded healers. For a Christian Church to be anything else than a place of common fellowship and unity and a source of strength for our fragile faith is to fail its God-ordained purpose and intent.

Our pastor would like to be of service to you in any way he can. Feel free to call the church office or speak with Pastor Blair directly if you wish to find out more about the church or have more personal needs of a spiritual nature.



**TEACHING THE
LOVE OF
CHRIST**