



Trinity Lutheran Church

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Worship Services: Sundays at 8:00am & 10:30am

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Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

October 10, 2021

“Good
Teacher,

what must I do to
inherit
eternal life?”

Mark 10:17



Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church

+ CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION +

601 ALL WHO BELIEVE AND ARE BAPTIZED



1 All who be - lieve and are bap-tized Shall see the Lord's sal - va - tion;
2 With one ac - cord, O God, we pray: Grant us Your Ho - ly Spir - it.



Bap-tized in - to the death of Christ, They are a new cre - a - tion.
Help us in our in - fir - mi - ty Through Je - sus' blood and mer - it.



Through Christ's re-demp-tion they shall stand A - mong the glo-rious,
Grant us to grow in grace each day That by this sac - ra -



heav'n - ly band Of ev - 'ry tribe and na - tion.
ment we may E - ter - nal life in - her - it.

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Please rise

Pastor In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
Congregation **Amen.**

Pastor Our help is in the name of the Lord,
Congregation **who made heaven and earth.**

Pastor If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?
Congregation **But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.**

Pastor Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

Please kneel

Congregation **Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.**

Pastor Almighty God, merciful Father, in Holy Baptism You declared us to be Your children and gathered us into Your one, holy Church, in which You daily and richly forgive us our sins and grant us new life through Your Spirit. Be in our midst, enliven our faith, and graciously receive our prayer and praise; through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Congregation **Amen.**

Please rise

+ SERVICE OF THE WORD +

INTROIT (We read together) *Psalm 112:3–6; antiphon: v. 1*

Praise the LORD! Blessed is the man who fears the LORD,
who greatly delights in his commandments!
Wealth and riches are in his house,
and his righteousness endures forever.
Light dawns in the darkness for the upright;
he is gracious, merciful, and righteous.
It is well with the man who deals generously and lends;
who conducts his affairs with justice.
For the righteous will never be moved;
he will be remembered forever.
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.
Praise the LORD! Blessed is the man who fears the LORD,
who greatly delights in his commandments!

KYRIE *LSB 204*



☐ Lord, have mer - cy; Christ, have mer - cy; Lord, have mer - cy.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS *LSB 204*



☐ 1 To God on high be glo - ry And peace to all the earth;
2 To You, O sole - be - got - ten, The Fa - ther's Son, we pray;
3 For You a - lone are ho - ly; You on - ly are the Lord.



Good-will from God in heav - en Pro - claimed at Je - sus' birth!
O Lamb of God, our Sav - ior, You take our sins a - way.
For - ev - er and for - ev - er, Be wor - shiped and a - dored;



We praise and bless You, Fa - ther; Your ho - ly name, we sing—
Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus; Re - ceive our heart - felt cry,
You with the Ho - ly Spir - it A - lone are Lord Most High,



Our thanks for Your great glo - ry, Lord God, our heav'n - ly King.
Where You in pow'r are seat - ed At God's right hand on high—
In God the Fa - ther's glo - ry. "A - men!" our glad re - ply.

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

Pastor The Lord be with you.

Congregation And also with you.

Pastor Let us pray.

Lord Jesus Christ, whose grace always precedes and follows us, help us to forsake all trust in earthly gain and to find in You our heavenly treasure; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Congregation Amen.

Please be seated

OLD TESTAMENT READING *Amos 5:6–7, 10–15*

⁶Seek the LORD and live, lest he break out like fire in the house of Joseph, and it devour, with none to quench it for Bethel, ⁷O you who turn justice to wormwood and cast down righteousness to the earth! . . .

¹⁰They hate him who reproves in the gate, and they abhor him who speaks the truth.

¹¹Therefore because you trample on the poor and you exact taxes of grain from him, you have built houses of hewn stone, but you shall not dwell in them; you have planted pleasant vineyards, but you shall not drink their wine.

¹²For I know how many are your transgressions and how great are your sins you who afflict the righteous, who take a bribe, and turn aside the needy in the gate. ¹³Therefore he who is prudent will keep silent in such a time, for it is an evil time.

¹⁴Seek good, and not evil, that you may live; and so the LORD, the God of hosts, will be with you, as you have said.

¹⁵Hate evil, and love good, and establish justice in the gate; it may be that the LORD, the God of hosts, will be gracious to the remnant of Joseph.

Pastor This is the Word of the Lord.

Congregation Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE *Hebrews 3:12–19*

¹²Take care, brothers, lest there be in any of you an evil, unbelieving heart, leading you to fall away from the living God.

¹³But exhort one another every day, as long as it is called “today,” that none of you may be hardened by the deceitfulness of sin. ¹⁴For we share in Christ, if indeed we hold our original confidence firm to the end. ¹⁵As it is said,

“Today, if you hear his voice,
do not harden your hearts as in the rebellion.”

¹⁶For who were those who heard and yet rebelled? Was it not all those who left Egypt led by Moses? ¹⁷And with whom was he provoked for forty years? Was it not with those who sinned, whose bodies fell in the wilderness? ¹⁸And to whom did he swear that they would not enter his rest, but to those who were disobedient? ¹⁹So we see that they were unable to enter because of unbelief.

Pastor This is the Word of the Lord.

Congregation Thanks be to God.

Please rise

ALLELUIA AND VERSE



HOLY GOSPEL *Mark 10:17-22*

Pastor The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the tenth chapter beginning at verse 17.

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

¹⁷As [Jesus] was setting out on his journey, a man ran up and knelt before him and asked him, "Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" ¹⁸And Jesus said to him, "Why do you call me good? No one is good except God alone. ¹⁹You know the commandments: 'Do not murder, Do not commit adultery, Do not steal, Do not bear false witness, Do not defraud, Honor your father and mother.'" ²⁰And he said to him, "Teacher, all these I have kept from my youth." ²¹And Jesus, looking at him, loved him, and said to him, "You lack one thing: go, sell all that you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow me." ²²Disheartened by the saying, he went away sorrowful, for he had great possessions.

Pastor This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Congregation **Praise to You, O Christ.**

APOSTLES' CREED

Congregation **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.**

Please be seated

HYMN 694 THEE WILL I LOVE, MY STRENGTH, MY TOWER Text and tune: Public domain



1 Thee will I love, my strength, my tow - er; Thee will I
2 Thee will I love, my life, my Sav - ior, Who art my
3 I thank Thee, Je - sus, Sun from heav - en, Whose ra - diance
4 O keep me watch - ful, then, and hum - ble; Per - mit me
5 Thee will I love, my crown of glad - ness; Thee will I



love, my hope, my joy. Thee will I love with all my
best and tru - est friend. Thee will I love and praise for -
hath brought light to me; I thank Thee, who hast rich - ly
nev - er - more to stray. Up - hold me when my feet would
love, my God and Lord, A - mid the dark - est depths of



pow - er, With ar - dor time shall ne'er de - stroy. Thee will I
ev - er, For nev - er shall Thy kind - ness end. Thee will I
giv - en All that could make me glad and free; I thank Thee
stum - ble, And keep me on the nar - row way. Fill all my
sad - ness, And not for hope of high re - ward, For Thine own



love, O Light di - vine, So long as life is mine.
love with all my heart— Thou my Re - deem - er art!
that my soul is healed By what Thy lips re - vealed.
na - ture with Thy light, O Ra - diance strong and bright!
sake, O Light di - vine, So long as life is mine.

Please rise

SERMON – Please be seated for the sermon

Please rise

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Leader In peace let us pray to the Lord:

Congregation Lord, have mercy.

Leader For the gift of divine peace and of pardon, with all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord:

Congregation Lord, have mercy.

Leader For the holy Christian Church, here and scattered throughout the world, and for the proclamation of the Gospel and the calling of all to faith, let us pray to the Lord:

Congregation Lord, have mercy.

Leader For this nation, for our cities and communities, and for the common welfare of us all, let us pray to the Lord:

Congregation Lord, have mercy.

Leader For reasonable weather and for the fruitfulness of the earth, let us pray to the Lord:

Congregation Lord, have mercy.

Leader For those who labor, for those whose work is difficult or dangerous, and for all who travel, let us pray to the Lord:

Congregation Lord, have mercy.

Leader For all those in need, for the hungry and homeless, for the widowed and orphaned, and for all those in prison, let us pray to the Lord:

Congregation Lord, have mercy.

Leader For the sick and for all those who care for them. Especially we remember **Dave Scharinger, LaVerne Weber, Todd Bender and Teri Bender.**let us pray to the Lord:

Congregation Lord, have mercy.

Leader For those celebrating birthdays this week. **JoAnn Bramstedt, Kinsley Gates, Kurt Fehlhaber, Preston Reiss, Stacia Schmidt, Hayden Zander, Jan Grunewald, Donald Plier, Savannah Heffernan, Kenneth Korb.** let us pray to the Lord:

Congregation Lord, have mercy.

Leader Finally, for these and for all our needs of body and soul, let us pray to the Lord:

Congregation Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

Please be seated

OFFERING – Please place your attendance card in the offering plate. We rise as the offerings are brought forward to the altar.

LORD’S PRAYER

BENEDICAMUS LSB 212

Pastor Let us bless the Lord.

Congregation Thanks be to God.

BENEDICTION

Pastor 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.

Congregation Amen.

869 WITH THE LORD BEGIN YOUR TASK



1 With the Lord be - gin your task; Je - sus will di - rect it.
2 Let each day be - gin with prayer, Praise, and ad - o - ra - tion.
3 With your Sav - ior at your side, Foes need not a - larm you;
4 If your task be thus be - gun With the Sav - ior's bless - ing,
5 Thus, Lord Je - sus, ev - 'ry task Be to You com - mend - ed;



For His aid and coun - sel ask; Je - sus will per - fect it.
On the Lord cast ev - 'ry care; He is your sal - va - tion.
In His prom - is - es con - fide, And no ill can harm you.
Safe - ly then your course will run, Toward the prom - ise press - ing.
May Your will be done, I ask, Un - til life is end - ed.



Ev - 'ry morn with Je - sus rise, And when day is end - ed,
 Morn - ing, eve - ning, and at night Je - sus will be near you,
 All your trust and hope re - pose In the might - y Mas - ter,
 Good will fol - low ev - 'ry - where While you here must wan - der;
 Je - sus, in Your name be - gun Be the day's en - deav - or;



In His name then close your eyes; Be to Him com - mend - ed.
 Save you from the tempt - er's might, With His pres - ence cheer you.
 Who in wis - dom tru - ly knows How to stem dis - as - ter.
 You at last the joy will share In the man - sions yon - der.
 Grant that it may well be done To Your praise for - ev - er.

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THE TRINITY MESSENGER

WEDDING

Congratulations to Ashley Rietbrock and Jordan Liermann who were united in marriage here at Trinity on Saturday, October 9th. Pastor Bergelin officiated. May God bless them as they begin their new life together.

QUARTERLY VOTERS MEETING

Our quarterly voters meeting will be held on Sunday, October 17th following the late worship service. All are invited and encouraged to become a voting member. All you have to do is attend a meeting. Minutes from the last voters meeting have been emailed and also there are copies on the table in the narthex.

THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS HAVE AGREED TO PLACE THEIR NAME IN NOMINATION FOR THE FOLLOWING OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES.

Elder: (Elect three) Aaron Kuhlow, Peter Franz, Mark Plocar **Property:** (Elect one) Jan Grunewald,

Education: (Elect two) Nathan Cassity, Connie Mallmann

Stewardship: (Elect one) Wendy Forward **Chairman:** (Elect one) David Scharinger,

Finance: (Elect one) Richard Schoessow **Treasurer:** (Elect one) Linda Hopf

Secretary: (Elect one) Angie Schorer, **Cemetery:** (Elect one) Jerry Brandt

GREETERS

We are going to start having greeters before our worship services again. If you would like to be a greeter there is a sign-up sheet on the table in the narthex.

TRUNK OR TREAT

We will be having Trunk or Treat on Saturday, October 30th from 1-3pm. Join in the fun as you decorate your cars/trunks and hand out candy to all the trick or treaters. Candy is provided for you to hand out. Masks will be available if needed. There is a sign-up sheet on the table in the narthex. If you need costume ideas or decorating your car ideas you may go online or the office has pictures from the last Trunk or Treat.

APPRECIATION MESSAGE FROM A TRINITY MEMBER

I would just like to say the presentation on the process and additional information for securing a pastoral candidate was done very well. Also thanks should go out to the committee members who also worked on this call process the past months. It is something our congregation indeed appreciates. Thank you.

FLOWERS

The altar flowers are sponsored by Peter and Pat Sixel in honor of their 52nd wedding anniversary. God's richest blessings to you Peter and Pat. Happy anniversary!

The tall pedestal flowers are given in honor of Ashley and Jordan Liermann's wedding. Congratulations Ashley and Jordan. May God bless you both.

CHRISTIAN WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

We would love to have new members join. All women from our church are invited to attend. CWF will be making **LOVE PACKETS** for our college students. If you have a child in college, please email or call the church office. CWF meets the 2nd Monday of each month at 6:30pm (We do not meet in the summer) Our next meeting is Monday, October 11th at 6:30pm

LWML SUNDAY—October 17

CWF places a purple flower on the altar. The big mite box will be available to help support a multitude of mission grant recipients. All members of Trinity are invited to fill the mite box with loose change! A list of grants that are being supported at the district loved level total over \$153,000 within a 2 year period. These are mighty mites at work. For almost 80 years, the women in a mission of the LWML have been serving the Lord with gladness!

PASSION PLAY AND HOLY LAND TRIP: Would you like to walk in Jesus' footsteps and see historic biblical sites? Would you like to experience the longest-running Passion Play in the world? Join Pastor Tim Fraker in traveling to Oberammergau, Germany and the Holy Land June 14-26, 2022. Informational fliers are available in the Narthex. For more information contact Pastor Tim at pastor@trinityweatherford.org or 817-881-3650. There will be an info session on **October 12th at 7pm** on ZOOM. <https://cui-edu.zoom.us/j/97812419164?pwd=Qi9Uc3hRZTV5WDRObU96eWdrYTFHQ09>

Website for the trip: <http://www.eo.travelwithus.com/tours/2022-oberammergau-passion-play-the-best-of-the-holy-land-oberammergau-to-the-holy-land-with-pastor-tim-fraker#.X5HneXdfzcs>

Financials and attendance for October 3, 2021	8:00AM-83	10:30AM-82	Sunday School Attendance-23 Offering \$6.85	Total 165
Description of Offering	Amount Given	Description of Offering	Amount Given	
General Offering	\$7,854.25	Kitchen Remodel Fund	\$60.00	
Christ Cares for Kids in Kenya	\$90.00	Preschool Tuition	\$521.00	
Memorial—Mary Ann Grunewald	\$3,000.00	Church Improvement Fund	\$725.00	
Roof Replacement Fund	\$160.00			

Acolytes	October 10 October 17	8:00am Evan Erdmann, Macey Schueler 10:30am Sam Parnitzke, Matthew Schukow 8:00am Greyson Reiss, Matthew Koenig 10:30am Ethan Fenn, Joey Senkbeil
Altar Guild	October 10 October 11- 17	Kristin Scharinger, Robie Scharinger Ann Parnitzke, Pat Sixel
October Ushers October Elders		Early —Team 5 Early —Peter Franz Late - Team 2 Late —Dale Hopf
Video Operators	October 10 October 17	Scott Timm Craig Lallensack

Monday October 11 8:30am Preschool 6:30pm Christian Women's Fellowship	Tuesday October 12 8:30am Preschool	Wednesday October 13 8:30am Preschool Confirmation 6/7 grade 4-4:55pm 8th grade 5-6pm	Thursday October 14 8:30am Preschool 7:15pm Dartball	Friday October 15	Saturday October 16	Sunday, Oct. 17 8 & 10:30am Family Worship with Holy Communion 9:15am —Bible Class & Sunday School LWML Sunday Voters Meeting will follow the late service.
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