



Trinity Lutheran Church
Howards Grove, Wisconsin

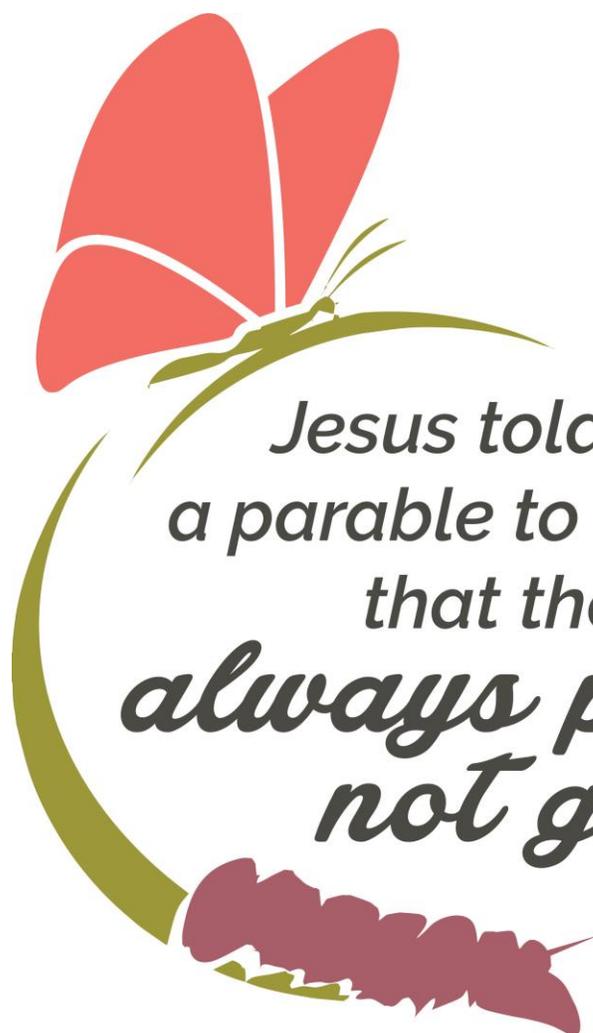
TO MAKE THE SAINTS - "WISE UNTO SALVATION" AND TO "EQUIP FOR SERVING"



19th Sunday after Pentecost

Divine I

10/16/2022



*Jesus told his disciples
a parable to show them
that they should
always pray and
not give up.*

Luke 18:1, NIV

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Trinity Lutheran Church Worship Services are aired on Cable TV, Channel 14, Sunday at 5:30 p.m.
& Mondays at 10:30 a.m. Services are also aired on Digital Channel 990 Tuesdays at 11:00 a.m.

You may view our worship services by going to our website at www.trinityhowardsgrove.org

Worship times:

Sunday at 8:00 & 10:30 am. Bible class and Sunday school are Sundays at 9:15am.

Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church

Hymns: 907, 545, 623, 686, 729, 731

Hymn: 907 God Himself Is Present

Stand

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

C Amen.

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.**

Kneel/Sit

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

C **Most merciful God, 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.

C Amen.

Stand

Introit

Psalm 74:18–19, 21, 20a, 22a; antiphon: v. 2a

P Remember your congregation, which you have purchased of old,
which you have redeemed to be the tribe of your heritage!

C **Remember this, O LORD, how the enemy scoffs,
and a foolish people reviles your name.**

P Do not deliver the soul of your dove to the wild beasts;
do not forget the life of your poor forever.

C **Let not the downtrodden turn back in shame;
let the poor and needy praise your name.**

P Have regard for the covenant;
arise, O God, defend your cause.

C **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.**

P Remember your congregation, which you have purchased of old,
which you have redeemed to be the tribe of your heritage!

- P** In peace let us pray to the Lord.
- C** Lord, have mercy.
- P** For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.
- C** Lord, have mercy.
- 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 mercy.
- P** For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.
- C** Lord, have mercy.
- P** Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.
- C** Amen.

This Is the Feast

Refrain



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*

Final Refrain



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



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

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Let us pray.

O Lord, almighty and everlasting God, You have commanded us to pray and have promised to hear us. Mercifully grant that Your Holy Spirit may direct and govern our hearts in all things that we may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of Your name; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Sit

Old Testament Reading

Genesis 32:22–30

²²The same night [Jacob] arose and took his two wives, his two female servants, and his eleven children, and crossed the ford of the Jabbok. ²³He took them and sent them across the stream, and everything else that he had. ²⁴And Jacob was left alone. And a man wrestled with him until the breaking of the day. ²⁵When the man saw that he did not prevail against Jacob, he touched his hip socket, and Jacob's hip was put out of joint as he wrestled with him. ²⁶Then he said, "Let me go, for the day has broken." But Jacob said, "I will not let you go unless you bless me." ²⁷And he said to him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Jacob." ²⁸Then he said, "Your name shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel, for you have striven with God and with men, and have prevailed." ²⁹Then Jacob asked him, "Please tell me your name." But he said, "Why is it that you ask my name?" And there he blessed him. ³⁰So Jacob called the name of the place Peniel, saying, "For I have seen God face to face, and yet my life has been delivered."

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Epistle

2 Timothy 3:14—4:5

¹⁴As for you, continue in what you have learned and have firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it ¹⁵and how from childhood you have been acquainted with the sacred writings, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. ¹⁶All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, ¹⁷that the man of God may be competent, equipped for every good work.

¹I charge you in the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who is to judge the living and the dead, and by his appearing and his kingdom: ²preach the word; be ready in season and out of season; reprove, rebuke, and exhort, with complete patience and teaching. ³For the time is coming when people will not endure sound teaching, but having itching ears they will accumulate for themselves teachers to suit their own passions, ⁴and will turn away from listening to the truth and wander off into myths. ⁵As for you, always be sober-minded, endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist, fulfill your ministry.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Stand

Alleluia and Verse

LSB 156



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 18:1-8

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the eighteenth chapter beginning at verse 1.

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

¹[Jesus] told them a parable to the effect that they ought always to pray and not lose heart. ²He said, "In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor respected man. ³And there was a widow in that city who kept coming to him and saying, 'Give me justice against my adversary.' ⁴For a while he refused, but afterward he said to himself, 'Though I neither fear God nor respect man, ⁵yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will give her justice, so that she will not beat me down by her continual coming.'" ⁶And the Lord said, "Hear what the unrighteous judge says. ⁷And will not God give justice to his elect, who cry to him day and night? Will he delay long over them? ⁸I tell you, he will give justice to them speedily. Nevertheless, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?"

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

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

Sit

Hymn: 545 Word of God, Come Down on Earth

Sermon

Stand

Nicene Creed

C I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried.

And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life ✝ of the world to come. Amen.

Prayer of the Church - Please respond with Amen.

Todd Bender, Connie Hansen, Roger Wagner, Eugene Bubolz, Gloria Hopf, Michael Winter, Mike Milbrath and our Shut-ins.

Sit

8:00am – Men’s Club is singing during the offering “Holy, Holy, Holy”

Offering - Please rise as the offerings are brought forward to the altar after “Holy, Holy, Holy” . Attendance cards are in the pews. Please complete a card and place it in the offering plate.

Stand

Offertory

LSB 159

C What shall I ren-der to the Lord for all His ben-e-fits to
me? I will of - fer the sac-ri-fice of thanks-giv - ing and will
call on the name of the Lord. I will take the cup of sal-
va - tion and will call on the name of the Lord. I will pay my
vows to the Lord now in the pres-ence of all His peo-ple, in the
courts of the Lord’s house, in the midst of you, O Je - ru - sa - lem.

Preface

LSB 160

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Lift up your hearts.

C We lift them to the Lord.

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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 saying:

Sanctus

LSB 161



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 -
san-na. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is He who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high - est.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

LSB 161

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.

The Words of Our Lord

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."

P As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.

C Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

P O Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, in giving us Your body and blood to eat and to drink, You lead us to remember and confess Your holy cross and passion, Your blessed death, Your rest in the tomb, Your resurrection from the dead, Your ascension into heaven, and Your coming for the final judgment. So remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

Lord's Prayer

C 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.

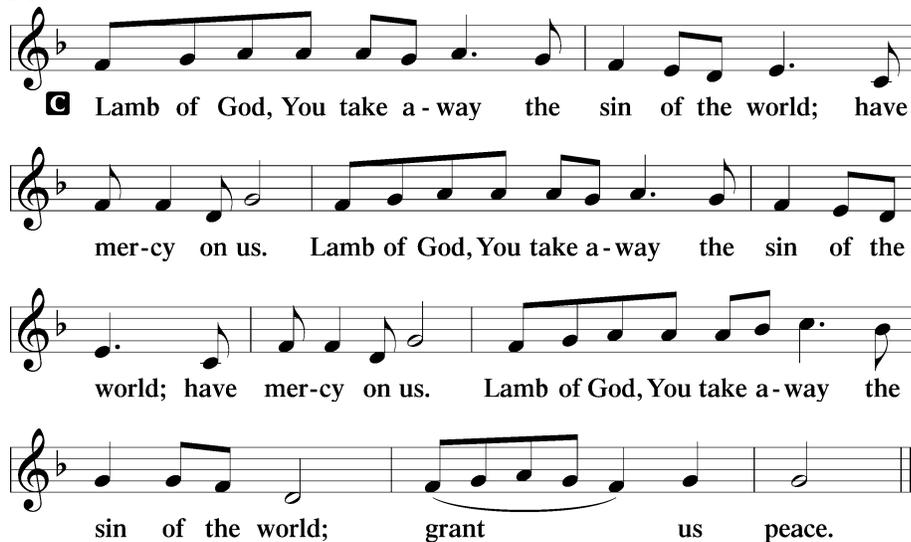
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LSB 163

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

Agnus Dei

LSB 163



C 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.

Sit

Distribution

P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart ✠ in peace.
C Amen.

Hymn: 623 Lord Jesus Christ, We Humbly Pray

Hymn: 686 Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Hymn 729 I am Trusting Thee, Lord Jesus

Stand

The Trinity Messenger

Voters Meeting

The next voters meeting is Sunday, October 23rd following the 10:30am worship service.

The following Members have agreed to place their name in nomination for the following officers and committees to begin their term January 1, 2023.

Elder: Dale Hopf, Jim Post. **Property:** Mark Schorer, **Education:** Kevin Kolb.

Stewardship: Michael Mallmann, **Chairman:** David Scharinger, **Finance:** Sandy Marthenze, Richard Boje, **Secretary:** Angie Schorer, **Cemetery:** Dennis Bramstedt, Lance Liermann.

Trinity Church Secretary Job Position available

After much prayer, I have decided to retire December 31st. It is the greatest job in the world, and I am so thankful and blessed that God placed me here at Trinity to serve Him. One of the best things about this job is you get to know and talk with most everyone in the congregation. I will greatly miss working here. A Job Description and an Application are available in the church office. A resume will also be required. I can email you the application and job description also. The hours are 8am-2pm, Monday through Friday. **The deadline to apply is October 31, 2022.** Thank you for your support the last 10 ½ years. I will miss seeing you in the office, but I will see you in church. Blessings to all of you, Toni

Mark Your Calendars

We will be hosting a fun and safe Trunk or Treat event on Friday, October 28th from 5-7pm. A prize will be given for the best costume and also the best decorated car. The kids will trick or treat from car to car. Candy is provided. There will be food and games and backgrounds for photo opts. Join in the fun by decorating your car. If you google trunk or treat cars, you can get a lot of great ideas. There is a sign-up sheet on the table in the narthex, if you would like to participate and decorate your car and hand out candy.

Pastor Appreciation Month

October is Pastor Appreciation month. We appreciate you Pastor Fremer and we thank the Lord He placed you and your family here at Trinity. To God be the glory!

Hearing Loop System

We offer a hearing loop system for those that might have trouble hearing. Please ask an usher if you need assistance.

Thank you

Thank you Connie Cortright for playing the music this weekend. You are very much appreciated.

Love Inc.

THANK YOU to Hands for Hope who are diligently crocheting kitchen items for Love INC. Starter Kitchen Kits. These kits provide kitchen items to our neighbors who find themselves in a situation of having to start over. Love INC. needs you! Our furniture ministry is in need of a few good people to deliver furniture to Sheboygan County resident homes offering loving conversation and encouragement. We deliver items such as beds/mattresses, dressers, couches, tables and chairs. The volunteer will pick up or deliver furniture to the resident in your vehicle pulling a Love INC. trailer. Delivery is on a Saturday morning from 8 -11:00 once a month. Neighbors in need of housing and furniture is a constant and growing thing. In a 4-hour period, I take at least 2 to 3 calls asking for furniture. If you would be able to help us, please call Love office at 920-783-6701 or let Barb Wolfert know. You may also go directly to their website and find many more volunteer opportunities. We are a faith based non-profit organization with over 40 churches involved in helping the Sheboygan community. www.loveincsheboygancounty.org

Happy Birthday to: Savannah Heffernan, **Kenneth** Korb, **Brody** Grunewald, **Evelyn** Grunewald, **Isabella** Brandt, **Elin** Winter, **Kris** Bender, **Betty** Wippermann **Blessings on your day!**

Blood Drive at Lutheran High School

Sheboygan Lutheran High will be hosting a blood drive on October 19. Please email Tom Roeske at troske@lutheranhigh.com to pick a time. Free chips, cookies, juice, and water will be provided. Each donation saves up to three lives!

Wreath Sale

We apologize for the late notice, but Lutheran High will not be holding its annual wreath sale this year. Currently our vendor has a labor shortage and is also unable to deliver the product, meanwhile we are evaluating the profitability of the sale.

The Girls Basketball team will instead be doing a different fundraiser during their season. Thank you for all of your past support! Carmen Dolson.

SAVE THE DATE

A NEW TIME! Social Media and Mental Health, It's Complicated!

Understanding the risks and dangers of social media while acknowledging the curiosity and needs of our youth. In each session:

- Why talk about social media?
- Why are we drawn to social media?
- What are +s and –s of social media?
- What are the risks of engagement?
- What are the consequences?
- Tips and Resources

Dr. Marie provides appropriate information for students, educators, and parents on the positives and negatives of the digital age with some real tips, helps and personals responsibility.

November 2, 6:30pm. LHS Worship & Fine Arts Center.

New way of recording attendance

In the near future, instead of the attendance cards we use now, we will be using a record of fellowship book. The books will be placed in each pew. Please sign it and pass it to the people in your pews. **A big thank you to Dawn Hopf** for cutting the current attendance cards the last 10 years. I can't tell you how much help that was.

Neat Repeats

Neat Repeats is a Thrift Store in Plymouth. All proceeds benefit Lutheran High School. They are always looking for volunteers. You may go to their website for details. www.neatrepeats101@gmail.com

Prayer Chain

God commands and invites believers in Jesus Christ to pray. "Be joyful always; pray continually; give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Jesus Christ." - 1Thess. 5:16-18. Are you feeling down, hurt, sick, anxious? Does someone you know need help?

We can bring our joys, sadness, requests, needs, praise, and thanks to God with confidence that He hears us and answers us for Jesus' sake. THERE IS POWER IN PRAYER. If you have a prayer request, please send it to me at prayer.chain4u@yahoo.com or barbjwolf@yahoo.com. you can also call or email the office, and Toni will forward it to me. "Call upon Me in the day of trouble; I will deliver you, and you shall glorify me." - Psalm 50:15

Flowers

The flowers on the altar today are from Connie and Jim Schmitt in honor of their 55th wedding anniversary. Happy Anniversary Connie and Jim. God's blessings to you.

Scrip

Don't forget to stop at the scrip table to purchase your scrip cards. If you have questions, a Scrip Representative will be happy to help you. Scrip is a great fund-raiser for our church. The profit from Scrip has paid for many repairs and have paid for or helped pay for many large items in our church. It cost you nothing except the cost of the scrip card and you use that card to pay for your items at the store or gas station, restaurant, amazon, etc. Trinity get a percentage of all the scrip cards we sell. They make great Christmas gifts.

Monday, October 17 8:30am Preschool 1:00pm Quilters	Tuesday, October 18 8:30am Preschool 6:00pm Education Meeting 6:30pm Elders Meeting 7:30pm Council Meeting	Wednesday, October 19 8:30am Preschool 4:00pm 6/7 grade confirmation 5:00pm 8 th grade confirmation	Thursday, October 20 8:30am Preschool 7:15pm Falcons @ Tigers	Friday, October 21	Saturday, October 22	Sunday, October 23 8&10:30am Worship 9:15am Bible Class, Sunday School.
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Description of Offering	Amount Given	Description of Offering	Amount Given
Attendance October 9, 2022 8:00am 95 10:30am-110= 205		Sunday school Children' Offering Attendance 10/9/2022—26	\$5.00
General Offering	\$5,440.00	Preschool	\$274.00
Christ's Care for Kids in Kenya	\$30.00	Church Improvement Fund	\$245.00
Roof Replacement Fund	\$100.00		

Acolyte	October 16 October 23	8:00am – Macey Schueler 10:30am – Joey Senkbeil 8:00am – Kaitlyn Koenig 10:30am - Chloe Grunewald
Greeters	October 16 October 23	8:00am - 10:30am - Mark and Angie Schorer 8:00am – Janice Lierffring 10:30am Larry and Kris Bender
Altar Guild	October 10-23	Kristen Scharinger, Robie Scharinger
October Elders		8:00am —Peter Franz 10:30am – Dale Hopf
October Ushers		8:00am —Team 5 10:30am —Team 2
Video Operators	October 16 October 23	Craig Lallensack Jim Post

