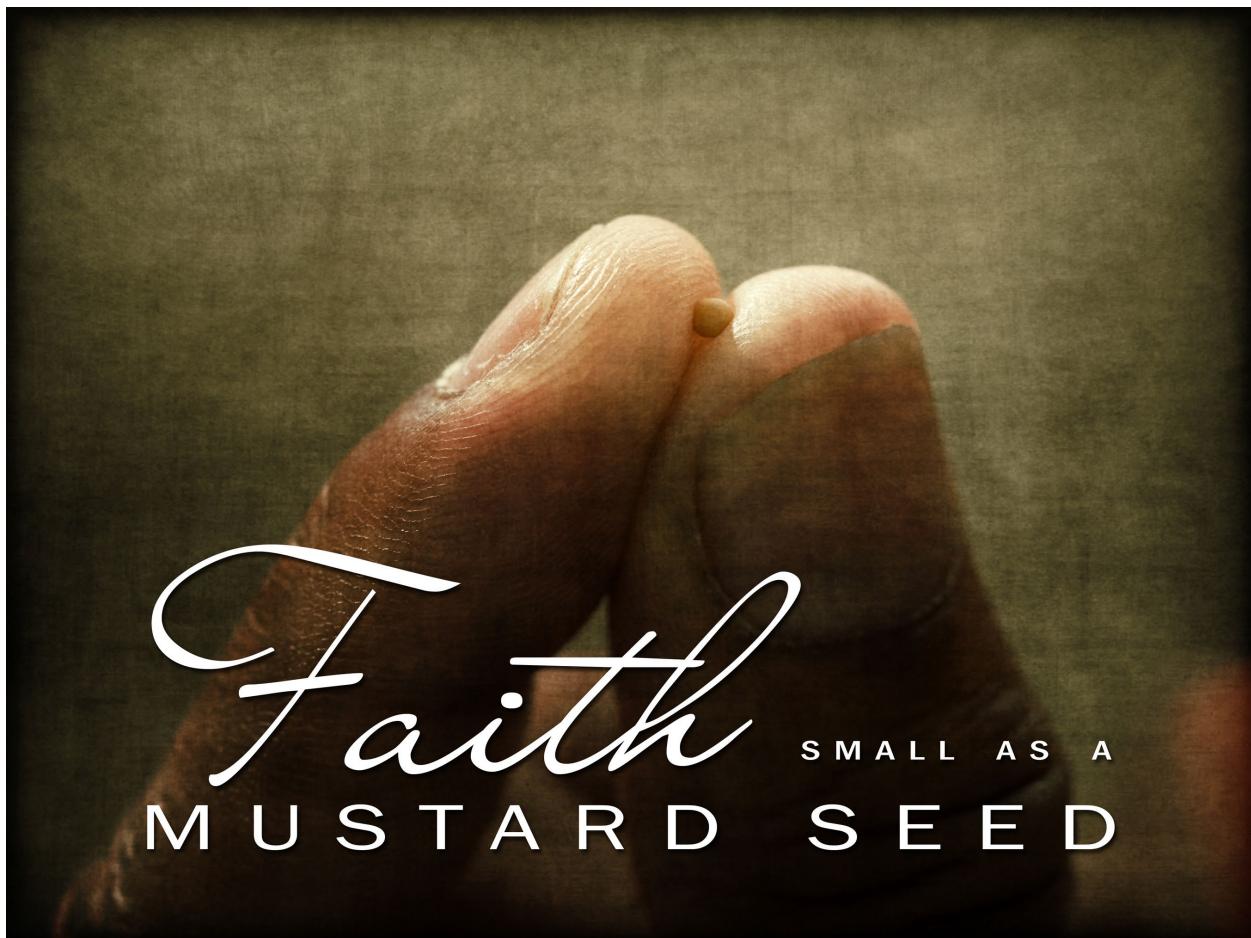


The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost  
Sunday, October 2, 2022



Knowing Christ's Love ... Seeking His Will ... Spreading His Word

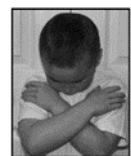
Warm greetings to you, dear worshipper, in the name of our Risen Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. May the blessings of His presence and His peace be with you throughout this week.



Holy Communion is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that with the bread and the wine **we also truly receive the Body and Blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ**. We call this belief the Doctrine of the Real Presence. Through the gift of Communion, the Lord bestows on us the forgiveness of sins and strengthens our union with Him and with one another.

Our Lord desires that those who commune should know and believe what they are receiving in Holy Communion (1 Corinthians 11:29), should be instructed in God's Word so that they can properly examine themselves prior to communing (1 Corinthians 11:28), and should be united as one body in the faith (Acts 2:42 and 1 Corinthians 10:17).

Out of our heartfelt desire that all who commune at this altar be well prepared for Holy Communion, this congregation practices "close communion." All who are presently communicant members in a congregation of The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod and those Lutheran churches that are in altar and pulpit fellowship with the LCMS are warmly invited to join us in Communion. All other guests are warmly invited to come to the communion rail for a blessing from the Pastor. Please cross your arms at the rail to receive the blessing.



We invite guests to visit with the pastor about how we may commune together in the future.



Communicants may receive the wafer by having it placed directly into the mouth or by having it placed in the palm of the hand. If the communicant wishes to take the individual cup, please take one from the tray when the elder comes to your place at the communion rail. Drink from the individual cup only when the pastor/elder comes to your place at the communion rail with the chalice and speaks the words of distribution. If the communicant wishes to receive the chalice, do not take an individual cup from the tray carried by the elder.

The Lord has given His people the gift of His Body and His Blood in, with and under the consecrated bread and wine for the forgiveness of sins (St. Matthew 26:28). However, if an individual is allergic or intolerant to wheat or fermented wine, it is difficult to participate in this great fellowship. Should you be one of these individuals, we gladly provide gluten-free and alcohol-removed wine so that you are able to receive these gifts of God with your brothers and sisters in Christ.

**Guests:** If you are a guest worshiping with us today, we are honored to have you join us in receiving the rich blessings that our Lord supplies to us through the gift of His holy Word. We invite you to return and worship with us again as the opportunity arises.



**Children:** Parents and their children are welcome to sit in the front of the church so that the children can see and hear the service clearly. The Family Room in the Narthex may be used by anyone who prefers or needs a more private setting.

**Prayer Requests:** If you have an intercession to add to our weekly prayers at church or to our daily Prayer Chain, please contact the Church Office or fill out one of the prayer request cards located in your pew and place it in the offering collection box.



**Publications:** We invite you to read our Trinity Weekly News and visit our bulletin boards for info about church activities. Publications including our monthly newsletter are available from the information stand in the Narthex and at various locations in the hallway.



**Accessibility:** A lift (slow-moving elevator) is located just outside the sanctuary overflow area for those who prefer not to take the stairs to the lower level. Ushers and many church members can assist with the operation of the lift.



**Audio Assistance:** We provide hearing-assist and closed captioning devices for the hearing impaired. If you would like to try these devices to see if they will enhance your worship experience, they are located in the Narthex. CD and DVD recordings of the weekly service will be available from the Church Office later in the week.

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### Serving in God's House Today:

Preacher:	Rev. Joseph McCalley
Liturgist:	Rev. Brian Thieme
Elders:	(8:00) John Frerking   (10:30) Benjamin Asbeck
Ushers:	(8:00) Kyle Dickes & Hunter Kevil (10:30) Karl Christopher & Dan Hartman
Organist:	Carolyn Holste
Acolyte:	(10:30) Madeline Huggans
Altar Guild:	Carolyn Trigg & Phyllis White

# Order of Service: Divine Service V – LSB 213

Bells' Call to Worship

Word of Welcome

Organ Prelude

## Hymn of Invocation

LSB 902 *Lord Jesus Christ, Be Present Now*



1 Lord Je - sus Christ, be pres - ent now; Our hearts in  
2 Un - seal our lips to sing Your praise In end - less  
3 Then shall we join the hosts that cry, "O ho - ly,  
△ 4 All glo - ry to the Fa - ther, Son, And Ho - ly



true de - vo - tion bow. Your Spir - it send with  
hymns through all our days. In - crease our faith and  
ho - ly Lord Most High!" And in the light of  
Spir - it, Three in One! To You, O bless - ed



light di - vine, And let Your truth with - in us shine.  
light our minds; And set us free from doubt that blinds.  
that blest place We then shall see You face to face.  
Trin - i - ty, Be praise through-out e - ter - ni - ty!

## Confession and Absolution

*Stand*

*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.

**P** 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,

**C** who made heaven and earth.

- P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,  
**C** and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

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

- P** O almighty God, merciful Father,
- C** 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

*Psalm 119:162, 164–165, 167; antiphon: v. 166*

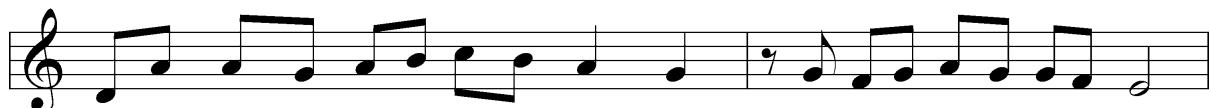
- P** I hope for your salvation, O LORD,  
and I do your commandments.
- C** I rejoice at your word  
like one who finds great spoil.
- P** Seven times a day I praise you  
for your just and righteous decrees.
- C** Great peace have those who love your law;  
nothing can make them stumble.
- P** My soul keeps your testimonies;  
I love them exceedingly.
- 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** I hope for your salvation, O LORD,  
and I do your commandments.

## Kyrie

LSB 942 Kyrie! God, Father



Ky - ri - e! God, Fa - ther in heav'n a - bove, You a-bound in gra - cious love,



Of all things the mak - er and pre - serv - er. E - le - i - son! E - le - i - son!



Ky - ri - e! O Christ, our king, Sal - va - tion for all You came to bring.



O Lord Je - sus, God's own Son, Our me - di - a - tor at the heav'n - ly throne:



Hear our cry and grant our sup - pli - ca - tion. E - le - i - son! E - le - i - son!



Ky - ri - e! O God the Ho - ly Ghost, Guard our faith, the



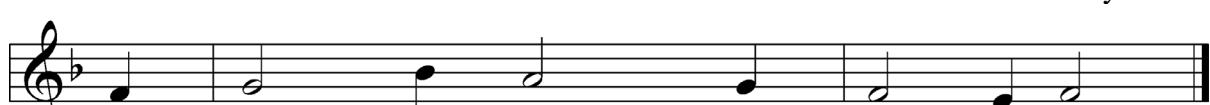
gift we need the most, And bless our life's last hour, That we leave this



sin - ful world with glad - ness. E - le - i - son! E - le - i - son!

## Gloria

LSB 947 All Glory Be to God on High



## Salutation and Collect of the Day

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And also with you.

**P** Let us pray.

O God, our refuge and strength, the author of all godliness, by Your grace hear the prayers of Your Church. Grant that those things which we ask in faith we may

receive through Your bountiful mercy; 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

*Habakkuk 1:1–4; 2:1–4*

<sup>1</sup>The oracle that Habakkuk the prophet saw.

<sup>2</sup>O LORD, how long shall I cry for help,

and you will not hear?

Or cry to you “Violence!”

and you will not save?

<sup>3</sup>Why do you make me see iniquity,

and why do you idly look at wrong?

Destruction and violence are before me;

strife and contention arise.

<sup>4</sup>So the law is paralyzed,

and justice never goes forth.

For the wicked surround the righteous;

so justice goes forth perverted.

<sup>1</sup>I will take my stand at my watchpost

and station myself on the tower,

and look out to see what he will say to me,

and what I will answer concerning my complaint.

<sup>2</sup>And the LORD answered me:

“Write the vision;

make it plain on tablets,

so he may run who reads it.

<sup>3</sup>For still the vision awaits its appointed time;

it hastens to the end—it will not lie.

If it seems slow, wait for it;

it will surely come; it will not delay.

<sup>4</sup>“Behold, his soul is puffed up; it is not upright within him,

but the righteous shall live by his faith.”

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## Gradual

*Psalm 91:11; 103:1*

- P** He will command his angels concerning you  
**C** to guard you in all your ways.  
**P** Bless the LORD, O my soul,  
**C** and all that is within me, bless his holy name!

## Epistle

*2 Timothy 1:1-14*

<sup>1</sup>Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God according to the promise of the life that is in Christ Jesus,

<sup>2</sup>To Timothy, my beloved child:

Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

<sup>3</sup>I thank God whom I serve, as did my ancestors, with a clear conscience, as I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. <sup>4</sup>As I remember your tears, I long to see you, that I may be filled with joy. <sup>5</sup>I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that dwelt first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, dwells in you as well. <sup>6</sup>For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands, <sup>7</sup>for God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control.

<sup>8</sup>Therefore do not be ashamed of the testimony about our Lord, nor of me his prisoner, but share in suffering for the gospel by the power of God, <sup>9</sup>who saved us and called us to a holy calling, not because of our works but because of his own purpose and grace, which he gave us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, <sup>10</sup>and which now has been manifested through the appearing of our Savior Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel, <sup>11</sup>for which I was appointed a preacher and apostle and teacher, <sup>12</sup>which is why I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know whom I have believed, and I am convinced that he is able to guard until that Day what has been entrusted to me. <sup>13</sup>Follow the pattern of the sound words that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. <sup>14</sup>By the Holy Spirit who dwells within us, guard the good deposit entrusted to you.

- P** This is the Word of the Lord.  
**C** Thanks be to God.

Hymn of the Day

LSB 587 *I Know My Faith Is Founded*

1 I know my faith is found - ed On Je - sus Christ, my  
 2 In - crease my faith, dear Sav - ior, For Sa - tan seeks by  
 3 In faith, Lord, let me serve You; Though per - se - cu - tion,  
  
 God and Lord; And this my faith con - fess - ing, Un -  
 night and day To rob me of this trea - sure And  
 grief, and pain Should seek to o - ver - whelm me, Let  
  
 moved I stand on His sure Word. Our rea - son can - not  
 take my hope of bliss a - way. But, Lord, with You be -  
 me a stead - fast trust re - tain; And then at my de -  
  
 fath - om The truth of God pro - found; Who trusts in hu - man  
 side me, I shall be un - dis - mayed; And led by Your good  
 par - ture, Lord, take me home to You, Your rich - es to in -  
  
 wis - dom Re - lies on shift - ing ground. God's Word is  
 Spir - it, I shall be un - a - fraid. A - bide with  
 her - it As all You said holds true. In life and  
  
 all - suf - fi - cient, It makes di - vine - ly sure; And  
 me, O Sav - ior, A firm - er faith be - stow; Then  
 death, Lord, keep me Un - til Your heav'n I gain, Where  
  
 trust - ing in its wis - dom, My faith shall rest se - cure.  
 I shall bid de - fi - ance To ev - 'ry e - vil foe.  
 I by Your great mer - cy The end of faith at - tain.

*Stand*

## Holy Gospel

*Luke 17:1–10*

- P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the seventeenth chapter.  
**C** Glory to You, O Lord.

<sup>1</sup>[Jesus] said to his disciples, “Temptations to sin are sure to come, but woe to the one through whom they come! <sup>2</sup>It would be better for him if a millstone were hung around his neck and he were cast into the sea than that he should cause one of these little ones to sin. <sup>3</sup>Pay attention to yourselves! If your brother sins, rebuke him, and if he repents, forgive him, <sup>4</sup>and if he sins against you seven times in the day, and turns to you seven times, saying, ‘I repent,’ you must forgive him.”

<sup>5</sup>The apostles said to the Lord, “Increase our faith!” <sup>6</sup>And the Lord said, “If you had faith like a grain of mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, ‘Be uprooted and planted in the sea,’ and it would obey you.

<sup>7</sup>“Will any one of you who has a servant plowing or keeping sheep say to him when he has come in from the field, ‘Come at once and recline at table’? <sup>8</sup>Will he not rather say to him, ‘Prepare supper for me, and dress properly, and serve me while I eat and drink, and afterward you will eat and drink’? <sup>9</sup>Does he thank the servant because he did what was commanded? <sup>10</sup>So you also, when you have done all that you were commanded, say, ‘We are unworthy servants; we have only done what was our duty.’”

- P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.  
**C** Praise to You, O Christ.

## Creed

LSB 953 We All Believe in One True God



1 We all be - lieve in one true God, Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost,  
2 We all be - lieve in Je - sus Christ, Son of God and Mar - y's son,  
3 We all con - fess the Ho - ly Ghost, Who from both in truth pro - ceeds,



Ev - er - pres - ent help in need, Praised by all the heav'n - ly host;  
Who de - scend - ed from His throne And for us sal - va - tion won;  
Who sus - tains and com - forts us In all tri - als, fears, and needs.



All He made His love en-folds, All cre - a - tion He up-holds.  
By whose cross and death are we Res - cued from all mis - er - y.  
Bless-ed, ho - ly Trin - i - ty, Praise for - ev - er be to Thee!

*Sit*

Sermon

"Measuring Up"

Luke 17:1-10

*Stand*

## Prayer of the Church

- P** Friends in Christ, I urge you all to lift up your hearts to God and pray with me as Christ our Lord has taught us and freely promised to hear us.

God, our Father in heaven, look with mercy on us, Your needy children on earth, and grant us grace that Your holy name be hallowed by us and all the world through the pure and true teaching of Your Word and the fervent love shown forth in our lives. Graciously turn from us all false doctrine and evil living whereby Your precious name is blasphemed and profaned. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

- P** May Your kingdom come to us and expand. Bring all transgressors and those who are blinded and bound in the devil's kingdom to know Jesus Christ, Your Son, by faith that the number of Christians may be increased. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

- P** Strengthen us by Your Spirit according to Your will, both in life and in death, in the midst of both good and evil things, that our own wills may be crucified daily and sacrificed to Your good and gracious will. Into Your merciful hands we

commend *[name(s)]* and all who are in need, praying for them at all times: Thy will be done. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Grant us our daily bread, preserve us from greed and selfish cares, and help us trust in You to provide for all our needs. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Forgive us our sins as we also forgive those who sin against us so that our hearts may be at peace and may rejoice in a good conscience before You, and that no sin may ever frighten or alarm us. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Lead us not into temptation, O Lord, but help us by Your Spirit to subdue our flesh, to turn from the world and its ways, and to overcome the devil with all his wiles. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** And lastly, O heavenly Father, deliver us from all evil of both body and soul, now and forever. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** We trust, O Lord, in Your great mercy to hear and answer us; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

**C** Amen.

## Offering

# Service of the Sacrament

## Preface

LSB 216

**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, O Lord our God, king of all creation, for You have had mercy on us and given Your only-begotten Son that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life. Grant us Your Spirit, gracious Father, that we may give heed to the testament of Your Son in true faith and, above all, firmly take to heart the words with which Christ gives to us His body and blood for our forgiveness. By Your grace, lead us to remember and give thanks for the boundless love which He manifested to us when, by pouring out His precious blood, He saved us from Your righteous wrath and from sin, death, and hell. Grant that we may receive the bread and wine, that is, His body and blood, as a gift, guarantee, and pledge of His salvation. 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.

## 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.

- ¶ In the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, at His command, and with His own words, we receive His testament:

### The Words of Our Lord

LSB 217

- ¶ 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  $\text{\tfrac{X}{P}}$  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  $\text{\tfrac{X}{P}}$  blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

### Sanctus

LSB 960 *Isaiah, Mighty Seer in Days of Old*



I - sa - iah, might - y seer in days of old, The Lord of all in spir - it



did be-hold High on a loft - y throne, in splen-dor bright, With robes that



filled the tem-ple courts with light. A-bove the throne were flam-ing ser-a-phim;



Six wings had they, these mes-sen-gers of Him. With two they veiled their



fac-es as was right, With two they hum-bly hid their feet from sight,



And with the oth - er two a - loft they soared; One to the oth - er



called and praised the Lord: "Ho - ly is God, the Lord of Sab - a - oth!



Ho - ly is God, the Lord of Sab - a - oth! Ho - ly is God, the Lord of



Sab - a - oth! His glo - ry fills the heav - ens and the earth!" The beams and lin - tels



trem - bled at the cry, And clouds of smoke en - wrapped the throne on high.

### Pax Domini

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

**C** Amen.

### Agnus Dei

LSB 198



O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a-way the sin of the



world, have mer - cy up - on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that

tak - est a-way the sin of the world, have mer - cy up - on us.

O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a-way the sin of the

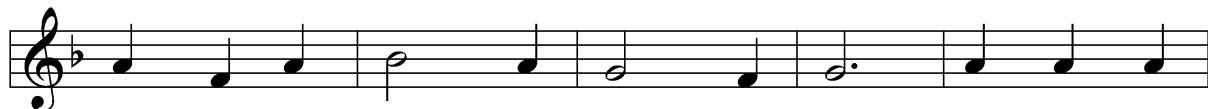
world, grant us Thy peace. A - men.

*Sit*

Distribution

## Distribution Hymn

LSB 634 *The Death of Jesus Christ, Our Lord*



1 The death of Je - sus Christ, our Lord, We cel - e -  
2 He blot - ted out with His own blood The judg - ment  
3 That this for - ev - er true shall be He gives a  
4 His Word pro - claims and we be - lieve That in this



brate with one ac - cord; It is our com - fort  
that a - gainst us stood; For us He full a -  
sol - emn guar - an - tee: In this His ho - ly  
Sup - per we re - ceive His ver - y bod - y,



in dis - tress, Our heart's sweet joy and hap - pi - ness.  
tone - ment made, And all our debt He ful - ly paid.  
Sup - per here We taste His love so sweet, so near.  
as He said, His ver - y blood for sin - ners shed.

5 We dare not ask how this can be,  
But simply hold the mystery  
And trust this word where life begins:  
“Given and shed for all your sins.”

7 But blest is each believing guest  
Who in these promises finds rest;  
For Jesus shall in love remain  
With all who here His grace obtain.

6 They who this word do not believe  
This food unworthily receive,  
Salvation here will never find—  
May we this warning keep in mind!

8 Help us sincerely to believe  
That we may worthily receive  
Your Supper and in You find rest.  
Amen! They who believe are blest.

## Distribution Hymn

LSB 732 All Depends on Our Possessing

1 All de - pends on our pos - sess - ing God's a - bun - dant  
 2 He who to this day has fed me And to man - y  
 3 Man - y spend their lives in fret - ting O - ver tri - fles  
 4 When with sor - row I am strick - en, Hope a - new my

grace and bless - ing, Though all earth - ly wealth de - part.  
 joys has led me Is and ev - er shall be mine.  
 and in get - ting Things that have no sol - id ground.  
 heart will quick - en; All my long - ing shall be stilled.

They who trust with faith un - shak - en By their God are  
 He who ev - er gent - ly schools me, He who dai - ly  
 I shall strive to win a trea - sure That will bring me  
 To His lov - ing - kind - ness ten - der Soul and bod - y

not for - sak - en And will keep a daunt - less heart.  
 guides and rules me Will re - main my help di - vine.  
 last - ing plea - sure And that now is sel - dom found.  
 I sur - ren - der, For on God a - lone I build.

5 Well He knows what best to grant me;  
 All the longing hopes that haunt me,  
 Joy and sorrow, have their day.  
 I shall doubt His wisdom never;  
 As God wills, so be it ever;  
 I commit to Him my way.

6 If my days on earth He lengthen,  
 God my weary soul will strengthen;  
 All my trust in Him I place.  
 Earthly wealth is not abiding,  
 Like a stream away is gliding;  
 Safe I anchor in His grace.

*Stand*

## Dismissal

- P** The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart  $\text{†}$  in peace.
- C** Amen.

## Post-Communion Collect

**P** Let us pray.

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.

**C** Amen.

## Benedicamus & Benediction

LSB 218

**P** Let us bless the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

**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  $\text{\tfrac{X}{+}}$  give you peace.

**C** Amen.

## Closing Hymn

LSB 758 *The Will of God Is Always Best*

1 The will of God is al - ways best And shall be done for -  
 2 God is my com - fort and my trust, My hope and life a -  
 3 Lord, this I ask, O hear my plea, De - ny me not this  
 4 When life's brief course on earth is run And I this world am

ev - er; And they who trust in Him are blest;  
 bid - ing; And to His coun - sel, wise and just,  
 fa - vor: When Sa - tan sore - ly trou - bles me,  
 leav - ing, Grant me to say, "Your will be done,"

He will for - sake them nev - er. He helps in - deed In  
 I yield, in Him con - fid - ing. The ver - y hairs, His  
 Then do not let me wa - ver. O guard me well, My  
 Your faith - ful Word be - liev - ing. My dear - est Friend, I

time of need; He chas-tens with for - bear - ing. They who de -  
 Word de - clares, Up - on my head He num - bers. By night and  
 fear dis - pel, Ful - fill Your faith - ful say - ing: All who be -  
 now com-mend My soul in - to Your keep - ing; From sin and

pend On God, their friend, Shall not be left de - spair - ing.  
 day God is my stay; He nev - er sleeps nor slum - bers.  
 lieve By grace re - ceive An an - swer to their pray - ing.  
 hell, And death as well, By You the vic - t'ry reap - ing.

## Organ Postlude

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# Trinity Weekly News

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October 2 & 3, 2022

The chancel flowers this week are  
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## This Week at Trinity:

### Sunday 10/2

8:00 a.m.—Divine Service w/ Communion  
9:00 a.m.—Fellowship Time  
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School w/ Communion  
10:30 a.m.—Divine Service  
5:00 p.m.—Handbell Choir  
6:00 p.m.—JCC  
6:00 p.m.—Choir  
6:00 p.m.—LLL Fellowship

### Wednesday 10/5

9:00 a.m.—TLCLC Chapel  
Rev. Thieme on vacation  
Rev. McCalley's day off

### Thursday 10/6

6:30 a.m.—Men's Bible Study  
9:00 a.m.—TLCLC Chapel  
11:00 a.m.—Communion @ Lenoir  
5:30 p.m.—Pickleball  
6:00 p.m.—QuarterLife  
Rev. Thieme on vacation

### Friday 10/7

Rev. Thieme on vacation

### Monday 10/3

9:00 a.m.—Bible Study  
1:00 p.m.—GLAT  
6:00 p.m.—Divine Service w/ Communion

### Tuesday 10/4

5:00 p.m.—Sound Words  
5:30 p.m.—Pickleball  
5:30 p.m.—BoECE  
6:00 p.m.—Stephen Ministry  
6:30 p.m.—BoCE  
Rev. Thieme on vacation

### Sunday 10/9

LWML Sunday  
8:00 a.m.—Divine Service  
9:00 a.m.—Fellowship Time  
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School  
10:30 a.m.—Divine Service  
12:00 p.m.—Special AOV  
6:00 p.m.—JCC  
6:00 p.m.—Choir



## Handbell Choir

**HANDBELL CHOIR** The handbell choir will restart this fall, with practices on Sundays at 5 p.m. Ages 4<sup>th</sup> grade and up are welcome, no experience is required. Please contact Kimberly Walker if you are interested in joining the handbell choir: (708) 532-3358 or [kimberly.walker@outlook.com](mailto:kimberly.walker@outlook.com).



Trinity Lutheran Church choir practices have resumed! Practices are held on Sundays at 6:00 PM in

the church overflow area.

## Stewardship & Scripture

**October 2 – (Proper 22)**

**Luke 17:10 – “So you also, when you have done all that you were commanded, say, ‘We are unworthy servants; we have only done what was our duty.’”** We can never put God in our debt. Even if we lived in perfect compliance with the Law, we would still only be unworthy servants. Our giving to the Lord’s work in the Church is a sign that we recognize our role as servants. Furthermore, we give because we recognize our own need for that work of the Lord in the Church. And what a blessing it is to give to the Church so that the ministry of His Word and Sacraments may reach all in community.

Brought to you by LCMS Stewardship Ministry and Trinity's Board of Stewardship and Finance



## Junior Confirmation Classes



### Confirmation — Class

Parents of new and returning JCC students should have received letters about this year's confirmation classes. Classes meet on Sundays at 6:00 p.m.

If you have any questions, please contact the church office at (573) 445-2112 or [church@trinity-lcms.org](mailto:church@trinity-lcms.org) or talk with one of the pastors.

## Pattern of Sound Words: Adult Catechism Classes

This fall we are offering adult catechism classes. All members and guests are invited to join us in learning about the Lutheran faith. The class meets on Tuesdays from 5-6 p.m.

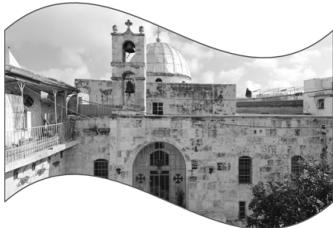


Those who are interested may contact the church office at (573) 445-2112 or [church@trinity-lcms.org](mailto:church@trinity-lcms.org) or talk with one of the pastors.

**Join us for  
SUNDAY  
SCHOOL**



BOCE wants to invite all of God's children to Sunday School hour. Grades pre-K–5th meet in the gym and 6th–8th meet in the classroom attached to the fellowship hall from 9:30am to 10:20am. The high school youth meet in the youth room and the adult bible study meets in the fellowship hall from 9:30am to 10:15am. We would like to extend the invitation to everyone to study scripture during Sunday school hour after coffee and donuts. We look forward to seeing you there!



### Israel Trip Update!

The Israel trip is scheduled for April 14—May 1, 2023! And the good news is that the cost of this trip is less than the previous iteration.

An informational meeting will be held **today, Sunday, October 2** after the second service for those interested in joining our travel group. A brochure detailing the itinerary and costs can be found in the Narthex.

### Trinity LLL Fellowship Club

Trinity LLL Fellowship Club will meet for Bible study and fellowship on Sunday, October 2nd at 6pm in the church basement. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.

A brief business meeting is held 6-6:15pm followed by Lutheran Hour Ministries Bible study, refreshments, and fellowship.

### Lost & Found

Two items are waiting to be claimed: a black sketch book and Kenmore sewing machine accessories in a box. If these are yours, please retrieve them from the Lost & Found basket in the Resource Center. Thank you!

### Nut Sales—Order Now!

The Mary Martha Guild will be taking orders for through October 17. We



are offering an assortment of plain and chocolate-covered nuts, pretzels, and gummies. The nuts and treats are great for baking, snacking, and also make wonderful gifts. Your order will be ready for pickup in November. An order form is included here in the *Trinity Weekly News*. Please place your orders and payments in the box located in the Narthex. The profits from our nut sales are used to sponsor various missions that Mary Martha chooses.

MEMORY VERSE

**For great  
is the Lord,  
and greatly to be  
praised, and he is  
to be feared above  
all gods. For all the  
gods of the peoples  
are worthless idols,  
but the Lord made  
the heavens.**

1 CHRONICLES 16:25-26



**Special Assembly of Voters Meeting**

**Sunday, October 9, 2022 at 12 p.m.**

**Agenda: Two Proposals**

1. Approval to cover the startup expenses with the State Early Childhood Grant money we have in the TLCLC reserve account
2. The addition of Infant/Toddlers (for the care of up to 4 children) to the Trinity Lutheran Childhood Learning Center



The Life Team and others from the congregation were blessed to attend the 30th annual My Life Network Banquet on Thursday, September 15th at Forum Christian Church. Trinity Lutheran Church sponsored a table and received 4 copies of the book, "The Christian and Abortion: a Nonnegotiable Stance. It was co-written by Dr. Steve Hammond, MD and Emily Labonte, FNP-BC and tells the story of how Dr. Hammond came to realize the abortions he was performing were wrong in the eyes of God and were the taking of pre-born life. "Each chapter is designed to better inform Christians straddling the pro-choice/pro-life fence." Trinity was given 4 copies of this book; 3 are currently in the hands of people in our congregation and one is still available for check out. Contact Phyllis White at 573-489-5127 or at [bandp@socket.net](mailto:bandp@socket.net) if you would like to read this informative and helpful book.

If you would like to visit the My Life Clinic, there is a prayer walk through on Saturday, October 8th from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. This is an opportunity to meet the staff, walk through the clinic and pray for the staff and clients and pre-born babies served through My Life Clinic. The address is 802 N. Providence Road, Suite 2. It is located just south of Hickman High School. My Life also is need of fathers to be mentors to fathers-to-be. Currently, 5 fathers-to-be have expressed interest in having a mentor. If are interested and you want more information, call My Life Clinic at 573-874-3561. This is a wonderful opportunity for men to get involved in helping men who are facing a crisis pregnancy. We place so much attention on the women and children in these situations and very often forget about the men who are involved and need an helping hand as well.

Blessings, the Life Team

# We need your help!

## TRUNK OR TREAT



Sunday, October 30, 2022 3:00—5:00 p.m.

Trinity Lutheran Church

Please see the sign-up sheet outside the church office to volunteer!

### Ways you can **SERVE**

Serving on the Boards of Christian Education and Early Childhood Education

Our service to the Church is one way in which we express thanksgiving to God for His blessings. With our time, talent and treasures we become blessings to others.

In support of the nomination committee in identifying congregation members interested in serving on two of our boards: the Board of Christian Education (BOCE) and the Board of Early Childhood Education (BOECE), the members of these two boards are providing TLC members with the relevant information. This information was emailed out with the digital version of the newsletter, print copies are available in the Narthex, or it can be accessed via the church website. Copies are also available via request from the church office: 573-445-2112 or [church@trinity-lcms.org](mailto:church@trinity-lcms.org).

Should you be interested in serving on either of these boards or learning more about the other TLC boards, please contact Carey Smith, Pat Hansen, or Myra McCoig.

## Lectionary Preview Study

### Prepare for next week: The Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost, October 9, 2022

#### Old Testament: Ruth 1:1-19a

1. Ruth was likely written down during King David's reign, about 1000 BC. The events of the book likely took place during the time of the judges, about 400-500 years prior.
2. In verse 2, Elimelech went to live in Moab. When did Moab become an enemy of Israel? See Numbers 22-24.
3. Where did the word Ephrathite originate? See Genesis 35:19.
4. In verse 6 we read, "the Lord had visited his people and given them food." Does Naomi understand "cause and effect" differently than people do today? How does Jesus visit us today to make us well? Does God's hand still go out against sin?
5. In verse, 11 how did God provide for widows according to Mosaic law? See Deut. 25:5-6.
6. The phrase "the hand of the Lord" is used in Judges 2:15 (read 2:11-15) to indicate what? It is also used at Psalm 32:4 and Psalm 39:10. Read both Psalms. What is the prayer of the believer in such situations?

#### Psalm 111

#### Epistle: 2 Timothy 2:1-13

7. Verse 2 helps us see how pastor training happens. What responsibilities and charge does Paul give to Timothy? Read 1 Timothy 3:1-7 to see what qualifications St. Paul had set for pastors.
8. In vv.3-6 St. Paul compares Timothy's pastoral task to three different jobs. There's quite a bit packed in to each example. It seems possible Paul was writing hurriedly, hence verse 7!
9. Where is Paul bound in chains, see 1:17.
10. According to v. 10, what is the attitude of pastors and also Christians when it comes to suffering and giving the faithful witness?
11. What does it mean to die with Christ? See 2 Cor. 4:10-11. What to endure with him? Rom. 8:17.
12. Verse 12b shows the opposite of 11 and 12a. See Matt. 10:33 and Lk. 12:9.
13. Romans 3:3 is parallel to verse 13. St. Augustine observes, "God is almighty precisely because he cannot do these things" (lie, deceive, sin).

#### Holy Gospel: Luke 17:1-19

14. Lepers! What do Leviticus 13 and 14 have to say about leprosy?
15. Where in the divine service do we pray the lepers' prayer?
16. Memory challenge. What is the history of the Samaritans, and why is there division between them and the Jews?
17. How does faith in Jesus makes us well? From what does it cleanse us?

**Collect of the Day:** Almighty God, You show mercy to Your people in all their troubles.

Grant us always to recognize Your goodness, give thanks for Your compassion, and praise Your holy name...

# Zion Lutheran School 52nd Annual Turkey Dinner Country Store, Raffle, & Silent Auction

**Sunday  
October 16, 2022  
11a.m. to 2p.m.**

Zion Lutheran School Gym - Lone Elm, MO  
*7.5 miles south of Boonville on Hwy B*

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#### Questions?

Contact: Carla, 314.651.9571

## Radio Resources

### The Lutheran Hour

The Lutheran Hour with Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler proclaims the salvation story of Jesus every week to hundreds of thousands of listeners. The Lutheran Hour weekly half-hour program can be heard on [www.lhm.org](http://www.lhm.org), on their mobile app, or Sundays on several area radio stations:

8:00 a.m. on **KMCV 89.9FM**

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9:00 a.m. on **KMCR 103.9FM**

10:00 a.m. on **KMMO 1300AM**

### KFUO Lutheran Radio

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**CHRIST FOR YOU this week on KFUO.org:** Finish the book of Deuteronomy on Sharper Iron's 'The Law of God is Good and Wise' (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT), study 1 Corinthians 12-14 on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11:00 a.m. CT), and hear about Lutheran confessions and practice on Concord Matters (10/8 at 10:00 a.m. CT) and Cross Defense (10/8 at 11:00 a.m. CT). Find your favorite programs on demand at [kfuo.org](http://kfuo.org) or the KFUO Radio app!



1 THESSALONIANS BIBLE STUDY... The Word of the Lord Endures Forever is a daily 15-minute verse-by-verse Bible study produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Will Weedon. Pastor Weedon recently started a study on The Book of 1 Thessalonians.

You can listen on-demand at [thewordendures.org](http://thewordendures.org), the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.



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