

Trinity Lutheran Church
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8:30 am

ORDER OF WORSHIP

8:30 am

25th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST November 19, 2023

Liturgist: Deacon Penny Steinken

Sermon: Pastor Kris Garlick

Organist: Caroline Straub

Lector: Carol Weiss

Cantor: Dennis DeSmet

Choir Director: Justin Stephens

PRELUDE

“Cantilene Religieuse”

by Theodore Dubois

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Per Lundquist from LuMin

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations;

All: You have been our home throughout all the ages.

Leader: You were there before the world was made and will be forever.

All: From everlasting to everlasting you are God.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Leader: God's love has destined us not for wrath, but rather for salvation.

Therefore, let us confess our sins to the One who is eager to save.

All: Loving God, we confess that we have sinned against you by not honoring you or one another. When we place our sins before you, it is your love that sheds light on our wayward deeds. As we stand in awe of your constancy for us, we ask your forgiveness through the mercy of Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

Leader: Sisters and brothers, when we acknowledge our human limitations and turn to depend upon our everlasting God, we grow wise in heart to God's commands. You are freed to love one another, for your sins are forgiven by the mercy of Christ.

All: Amen.

GATHERING HYMN

"Gather Us In"

ELW #532

GREETING

Leader: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

All: And also with you.

THE KYRIE

Cantor: In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, have mercy.

Cantor: For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, have mercy.

Cantor: 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.

All: Lord, have mercy.

Cantor: For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, have mercy.

Cantor: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

All: Amen, amen.

THIS IS THE FEAST

Cantor: This is the feast of victory for our God.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

**All: Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain,
whose blood set us free to be people of God.
Power and riches, wisdom and strength,
and honor and blessing and glory are his.**

**This is the feast of victory for our God.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

**Sing with all the people of God,
and join in the hymn of all creation:
Blessing and honor, glory and might
be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen.**

**This is the feast of victory for our God.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

**For the Lamb who was slain has begun his reign.
Alleluia.**

**This is the feast of victory for our God.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

THE SALUTATION

Leader: The Lord be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

Leader: Let us pray.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Leader: O God,

All: **the gift of your Son is the life-changing treasure that is truly
beyond all value. Your generosity and goodness astound us!
Inspire us to teach your commandments and share your Gospel,
that all may enter into the joy of Christ. Amen.**

THE FIRST READING Zephaniah 1:7, 12-18

Lector: Word of God, word of life.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

THE SECOND READING 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11

Lector: Word of God, word of life.

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Lector: We invite you to stand for the reading of the Gospel.

All: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Cantor: Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life.

All: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Lector: The Holy Gospel according to Matthew 25:14-30

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

The Gospel is read.

Lector: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON HYMN

“Give Me Jesus”

ELW #770

THE SERMON

Pastor Kris Garlick

APOSTLES' CREED

**All: I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
And born of the virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
Was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended into hell.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
And is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,
The communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
The resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Leader: Let us turn our hearts to God, our breath and life, as we pray for the church, the world, and all who are in need.

All: God of grace...hear our prayer

(The response after each prayer petition:)

Leader: We offer our spoken prayers and those held in our hearts trusting in your mercy; through Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord.

All: Amen.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: **And also with you.**

THE GATHERING OF THE OFFERINGS & TITHES Complete the yellow card enclosed in this bulletin and place in the offering plate.

OFFERTORY “With a Voice of Singing” by Martin Shaw
performed by Trinity Lutheran Choir

With a voice of singing declare ye this, and let it be heard, Alleluia. Utter it even unto the ends of the earth. The Lord hath delivered his people, Alleluia.

O be joyful in God all ye lands, O sing praises to the honour of his name, make his praise to be glorious. With a voice of singing declare ye this and let it be heard, Alleluia.

“We Plow the Fields and Scatter”

ELW #681 vs. 3

PRAYER OF OFFERING

Leader: God of constancy,

All: **you are our home and dwelling place forever. Thank you for giving your people a gift beyond all value, the treasure of eternal life. Bless our gifts that we offer you this day. With them may we share your love with others, that all may enter into your eternal joy. Amen.**

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION (Children are welcome to the altar to receive communion with parent’s approval, or to receive a prayer of blessing. You will be served wine unless you ask for apple juice. Gluten free wafers are available upon request.)

GREAT THANKSGIVING

Leader: The Lord be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

All: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Leader: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise.....we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of
 pow-er and might, heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
 san - na in the high-est. Blessed is he who comes in the
 name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

LAMB OF GOD

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace,
 grant us peace.

DISTRIBUTION:

"Let Us Break Bread Together"

ELW #471

"You Satisfy the Hungry Heart"

ELW #484

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Leader: Lord Jesus,

All: in this simple meal you have set a banquet. Sustain us on the journey, strengthen us to care for the least of your beloved children, and give us glad and generous hearts as we meet you on the way. Amen.

BLESSING

Leader: May God, whose coming we eagerly await, keep you fervent in faith, steadfast in hope, and constant in love. And the blessing of God, Creator, Redeemer and Sustainer, be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

SENDING SONG

“Lord Jesus, You Shall Be My Song”

ELW#808

“God Be with You till We Meet Again”

ELW #536 verse 1

(congregation may join in the singing) performed by Trinity Lutheran Choir

DISMISSAL

Leader: Go in peace. God is at work in you.

All: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

“Sortie”

by Cesar Franck

Trinity’s Mission Statement

We are disciples of Jesus with open doors, open hands, and open hearts committed to making disciples through the power of the Holy Spirit to the glory of God.

Calendar of Events

November 19- SUNDAY

- 8:30 am - Worship, LuMin speaking, Communion and KOTA Broadcast
- 9:35 am - Coffee and Conversation in Library
- 9:35 am - Sunday School
- 9:35 am - Bible Study in Lounge
- 10:45 am - Worship and Communion
- 7:00 pm - NA Group

November 20 - MONDAY

November 21 - TUESDAY

- 6:30 pm - Choir

November 22 - WEDNESDAY

November 23- THURSDAY
Closed—Happy Thanksgiving

November 24- FRIDAY

November 25- SATURDAY

November 26- SUNDAY

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- 9:35 am - Coffee and Conversation in Library
- 9:35 am - Sunday School
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THOSE SERVING TODAY
November 19, 2023
8:30 a.m. Service

- Greeters:** Marie Sailer
- Ushers:** Paul Fauss and Vic Tisher
- Counters:** JoAnn Holcomb and Wendy Hanken
- Food Certs:** Stacey Schmaltz
- Sound Board:** John Goff
- Communion:** Shelley Ahrlin, Lee Ahrlin, Sandi Ohlen, Dave Ohlen, Jeanne Jacobson, and Arlyce Naeve
- Blessing:** Alice Bentley

Altar Guild
JoAnn Holcomb, Arletta Schuh,
and Charlotte Wilsey
Thank You for Your Service!

2023 Offerings	\$281,194.30
2023 Expenses	<u>\$296,266.44</u>
	-\$15,032.14

<u>MONTH OF October, 2023</u>	
Offerings	\$31,349.12
Expenses	<u>\$35,749.20</u>
	-\$4,400.08

CONTRIBUTIONS

Offering 11/12/2023 \$5,341.54

NEEDED WEEKLY \$6,873.00

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ATTENDANCE
Sunday November 12, 2023

8:30 am - 105
10:15 am - 22

Total - 127



There will be **NO** fellowship lunch this week.

Remember these individuals in your prayers this week:

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| Gavynn Maas | Marvin Knuth |
| Ty Cross | Val Flagstad |
| Makenzie Hayes | Loleen Anderson |
| Matt Jorgensen | Dustin Denton |
| Deb Simpson | Gary Soderberg |
| Wayne Versaille | Mae Hanscom |
| Greg Riley | Richard Cleland |
| Berniece Larsen | Dan Arnio |
| Rob Mommaerts | Ty Tisher |
| Charmaine Maas | Steve and Prae |
| Mary Stutz | Bonnie Warejcka |
| Sarah Siggelkow | |



NFL "Pick Um"

Help raise funds for the 2025 Tijuana house build!
 Each Sunday, fill out the weekly NFL "pick um" schedule in the church entryway and place in the indicated box. Free will donation to play. A \$10 Dairy Queen gift card will be awarded each week for the winner! Please put first AND last name on your sheet!

WEEK 10 WINNER: Stacey Schmaltz



If you would like Food Certificates in December, please call the church office to preorder them.



Two Strike Christmas Bins

In December, Trinity members will be taking Christmas bins to our sister congregation at Two Strike. A Thrivent Action team has been approved and the money will be used to purchase the bins we will fill. As in the past, we need help filling the bins! Would you be willing to help? The following list has items needed. If you are interested in purchasing any items, they can be brought to the church anytime during November.

Sunday, Dec. 4th will be **the final day** to donate to this project. Thank you for your generous support!

- Laundry Soap
- Dish Soap
- Toilet Tissue
- Facial Tissue
- Calendar
- Writing pad or notebook
- Packages of pens or pencils
- Paper Towels
- Coffee or tea
- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Wash cloth, hand towel, bath towel
- Pillow & pillow case
- Blanket
- Bars of soap
- Band Aids
- Shampoo
- Cleaning Solution
- Cake Mix and Frosting tub
- 9 X 13 pan




Today's radio broadcast is in memory of Willa Lein.




Penny's Bible study will **NOT** meet on November 21st.

The Wednesday Fellowship Luncheon group is now taking orders for poinsettias. **The deadline for ordering poinsettias is Monday, December 11th. Please fill out the form below or call the church office to place your order.** Poinsettias will be displayed at worship services on December 17th and 24th.





Christmas Poinsettias Order Form



Poinsettias to be given in memory or in honor of loved ones.

Please fill out the form below and drop it off in the Narthex or mail it in to the church office, along with your check made out to "Trinity Lutheran Church".
You can also drop your order off at the church office during the week.

Name _____ Phone # _____

No. of Poinsettias _____ X \$13.00 = _____ TOTAL (Ck.# _____)

Given in Memory or in Honor of (Please specify):
