

**August 17, 2025**

**TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**

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

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Trinity Lutheran  
Church, LCMS

### WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

#### Head Elder

8:00am – Jim Moore

10:30am – Will Evans

#### Communion Assistants

8:00am – Kirsch & Munden

10:30 am – Schweiger & Stieber

#### Lectors

8:00am – Paul Stieber

10:30 am – Wood Scheler

#### Keyboard

Judy Hall

#### Music Director

Jan Garner



## Trinity Lutheran Church

Reverend Jack Mackowiak

### Our Mission

STATEMENT  
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*“To share the good news of Jesus Christ”*



### Our Vision STATEMENT

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

### **WELCOME!!!**

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

### **OUR RITE OF FRIENDSHIP:**

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

**Please turn off your cell phone.**

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

# TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH



## TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST August 17, 2025

### PRELUDE - *Judy Hall*

**“SAVIOR, LIKE A SHEPHERD LEAD US”**

by William B. Bradbury

**“JUST A CLOSER WALK WITH THEE”**

by Anonymous (arranged by Marty Parks)

**“ARIOSTO”**

by Johann Sebastian Bach

### SPECIAL MUSIC

**“GOD WE PRAISE YOU!”**

Text: Christopher Idle Tune: C. Hubert H. Parry

**“AMAZING GRACE”**

*By Praising Percussionists  
accompanied by Sisters in Christ*

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### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**[Please stand]**

## OPENING HYMN "O DAY OF REST AND GLADNESS"

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1 O day of rest and glad - ness, O day of joy and light,  
2 This day at earth's cre - a - tion The light first had its birth;  
3 This day, God's peo - ple meet - ing, His Ho - ly Scrip - ture hear;  
△ 4 That light our hope sus - tain - ing, We walk the pil - grim way,

O balm of care and sad - ness, Most beau - ti - ful, most bright;  
This day for our sal - va - tion Christ rose from depths of earth;  
His liv - ing pres - ence greet - ing, Through bread and wine made near.  
At length our rest at - tain - ing, Our end - less Sab - bath day.

This day the high and low - ly, Through a - ges joined to bless,  
This day our Lord vic - to - rious The Spir - it sent from heav'n,  
We jour - ney on, be - liev - ing, Re - newed with heav'n - ly might,  
We sing to Thee our prais - es, O Fa - ther, Spir - it, Son;

Sing, "Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly," The tri - une God con - fess.  
And thus this day most glo - rious A three - fold light was giv'n.  
From grace more grace re - ceiv - ing, On this blest day of light.  
The Church her voice up - rais - es To Thee, blest Three in One.

## INVOCATION

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

**C** Amen.

## CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

**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.

**P** Cast your burden on the Lord and He will sustain you.

**C** Give ear to my prayer, O God, and do not hide from my prayer for mercy.

**P** Holy and gracious God,

**C** I confess that I have sinned against You this day. Some of my sin I know, the thoughts words and deeds of which I am ashamed, but some is known only to You. In the name of Jesus Christ, I ask forgiveness. Deliver and restore me that I may live in Your peace.

**P** Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As an 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.

**P** Let us pray... Merciful Lord, cleanse and defend Your Church by the sacrifice of Christ. United with Him in Holy Baptism, give us grace to receive with thanksgiving the fruits of His redeeming work and daily follow in His way; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

**[Please be seated]**

### **HYMN OF PRAISE**

### **“IN CHRIST ALONE”**

Song by Adrienne Camp and Geoff Moore & The Distance • 2002

#### Verse 1

In Christ alone, my hope is found  
He is my light, my strength, my song  
This Cornerstone, this solid ground  
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm  
What heights of love, what depths of peace  
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease  
My Comforter, my All in All  
Here in the love of Christ I stand

#### Verse 2

In Christ alone, who took on flesh  
Fullness of God in helpless babe  
This gift of love and righteousness  
Scorned by the ones He came to save  
'Til on that cross as Jesus died  
The wrath of God was satisfied  
For every sin on Him was laid  
Here in the death of Christ I live, I live

#### Verse 3

There in the ground His body lay  
Light of the world by darkness slain  
Then bursting forth in glorious Day  
Up from the grave He rose again  
And as He stands in victory  
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me  
For I am His and He is mine  
Bought with the precious blood of Christ

#### Verse 4

No guilt in life, no fear in death  
This is the power of Christ in me  
From life's first cry to final breath  
Jesus commands my destiny  
No power of hell, no scheme of man  
Can ever pluck me from His hand  
Till He returns or calls me home  
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

PEACE LOVE HOPE JESUS PEACE LOVE HOPE JESUS

**++THE WORD++**

**FIRST READING**

*Jeremiah 23:16-29*

**[L]** This is the Word of the Lord.

**[C]** Thanks be to God!

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**EPISTLE READING**

*Hebrews 11:17-34, 12:1-3*

**[L]** This is the Word of the Lord.

**[C]** Thanks be to God!

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**ANTHEM**

**“I LOVE YOU, LORD”**

Laurie Klein, Arr. By Arnold B. Sherman

*By Sisters in Christ*

**[Please stand]**

**HOLY GOSPEL**

*Luke 12:49-56*

**[P]** The Holy Gospel according to Luke the 12<sup>th</sup> chapter.

**[C]** Glory to You, O Lord

**[P]** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

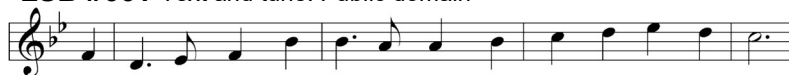
**[C]** Praise to You, O Christ.

**[Please be seated]**

**HYMN**

**“THE SON OF GOD GOES FORTH TO WAR”**

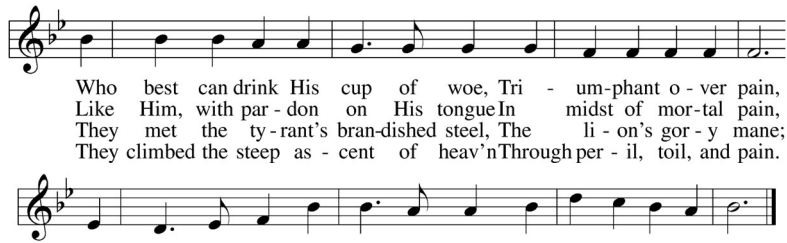
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1 The Son of God goes forth to war A king - ly crown to gain.  
2 The mar - tyr first, whose ea - gle eye Could pierce be - yond the grave,  
3 A glo - rious band, the cho - sen few, On whom the Spir - it came,  
4 A no - ble ar - my, men and boys, The ma - tron and the maid,



His blood - red ban - ner streams a - far; Who fol - lows in His train?  
Who saw his mas - ter in the sky And called on Him to save.  
Twelve val - iant saints—their hope they knew And mocked the cross and flame.  
A - round the Sav - ior's throne re - joice, In robes of light ar - rayed.



Who best can drink His cup of woe, Tri - um-phant o - ver pain,  
 Like Him, with par - don on His tongue In midst of mor-tal pain,  
 They met the ty-rant's bran-dished steel, The li - on's gor - y mane;  
 They climbed the steep as - cent of heav'n Through per - il, toil, and pain.

Who pa - tient bears his cross be - low— He fol-lows in His train.  
 He prayed for those who did the wrong— Who fol-lows in his train?  
 They bowed their necks their death to feel— Who fol-lows in their train?  
 O God, to us may grace be giv'n To fol - low in their train!

## SERMON

*“The Great Race” Hebrews 12:1-3*  
*Pastor Jack Mackowiak*

[Please stand]

## APOSTLE’S CREED

[Please be seated]

## OFFERING HYMN

### “CREATE IN ME”

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Create in me a clean heart, O God,  
 and renew a right spirit within me.  
 Cast me not away from Thy presence;  
 and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.  
 Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation;  
 and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

## PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

**P** Let us pray for the whole church of God and for all people according to their needs. (after each petition:

**P** Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** Hear our prayer.

## August Birthdays

17<sup>th</sup> Roy Egeland  
18<sup>th</sup> Diana Pollard & Mindy Esch  
20<sup>th</sup> Karen Fanta  
21<sup>st</sup> Russell Harms, Sandra Pazitney  
and Ray Gross  
23<sup>rd</sup> Toni Bell, Jane Richardson and  
Marilyn Butenhof

## August Anniversaries

19<sup>th</sup> - Dennis & Mindy Esch (37)  
20<sup>th</sup> - Lane & Raquel Ellington (14)  
21<sup>st</sup> - Jerry & Annie Housholder (43)  
22<sup>nd</sup> - Ray & Geri Hass (72)  
23<sup>rd</sup> - Bob & Barb Oilschlager (56)

**[Please stand]**

### **COMMUNION LITURGY**

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** **And also with you.**

**P** Come among us, Lord, and with the power of Your Spirit bless and sanctify Your people that we may worthily receive Your body and blood in this Holy Sacrament.

**C** **Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.**

**P** Remembering what our Lord has accomplished by His suffering and death and His victorious resurrection and ascension, and patiently awaiting His return in glory to claim all that is His for eternity, we offer You thanks and praise, not as we ought, but as we are able.

**C** **Through Him, with Him, in Him, all glory is Yours, almighty Father.**

**P** Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

**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.**

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

**C** **Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

### **WORDS OF OUR LORD**

### **PEACE OF THE LORD**

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

**C** **And also with you.**



[Please be seated]

### AGNUS DEI

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

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

### DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

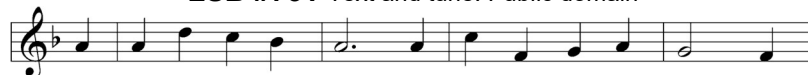
#### “THERE’S A QUIET UNDERSTANDING”

Words and Music by: Tedd Smith

*By Sisters in Christ*

#### “O GOD, FORSAKE ME NOT”

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1 O God, for-sake me not! Your gra-cious pres-ence lend me;  
2 O God, for-sake me not! Take not Your Spir - it from me;  
3 O God, for-sake me not! Lord, hear my sup - pli - ca - tion!  
4 O God, for-sake me not! Lord, I am Yours for - ev - er.



Lord, lead Your help-less child; Your Ho - ly Spir - it send me  
Do not per - mit the might Of sin to o - ver-come me.  
In ev - 'ry e - vil hour Help me re - sist temp - ta - tion;  
O keep me strong in faith That I may leave You nev - er.



That I my course may run. O be my light, my lot,  
In - crease my fee - ble faith, Which You a - lone have wrought.  
And when the prince of hell My con-science seeks to blot,  
Grant me a bless - ed end When my good fight is fought;



My staff, my rock, my shield— O God, for - sake me not!  
O be my strength and pow'r— O God, for - sake me not!  
Be then not far from me— O God, for - sake me not!  
Help me in life and death— O God, for - sake me not!

# **“JESUS CHRIST, MY SURE DEFENSE”**

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1 Je - sus Christ, my sure de - fense And my Sav - ior, now is  
 2 Je - sus, my Re - deem - er, lives; Like - wise I to life shall  
 3 No, too close - ly I am bound By my hope to Christ for -  
 4 I am flesh and must re - turn To the dust, whence I am  
 liv - ing! Know - ing this, my con - fi - dence  
 wak - en. He will bring me where He is;  
 ev - er; Faith's strong hand the Rock has found,  
 tak - en; But by faith I now dis - cern  
 Rests up - on the hope here giv - en, Though the  
 Shall my cour - age then be shak - en? Shall I  
 Grasped it, and will leave it nev - er; E - ven  
 That from death I shall a - wak - en With my  
 night of death be fraught Still with man - y an anx - ious thought.  
 fear, or could the Head Rise and leave His mem - bers dead?  
 death now can - not part From its Lord the trust - ing heart.  
 Sav - ior to a - bide In His glo - ry, at His side.

5 Glorified, I shall anew  
 With this flesh then be enshrouded;  
 In this body I shall view  
 God, my Lord, with eyes unclouded;  
 In this flesh I then shall see  
 Jesus Christ eternally.

6 Then take comfort and rejoice,  
 For His members Christ will cherish.  
 Fear not, they will hear His voice;  
 Dying, they will never perish;  
 For the very grave is stirred  
 When the trumpet's blast is heard.

- 7 Laugh to scorn the gloomy grave  
And at death no longer tremble;  
He, the Lord, who came to save  
Will at last His own assemble.  
They will go their Lord to meet,  
Treading death beneath their feet.
- 8 O, then, draw away your hearts  
From all pleasures base and hollow;  
Strive to share what He imparts  
While you here His footsteps follow.  
As you now still wait to rise,  
Fix your hearts beyond the skies!

**[Please stand]**

**PRAYER**

**P** Let us pray...God of power and glory, we give You thanks for the gift of Your Son's body and blood for our forgiveness. Having received those gifts along with Your Word, keep us faithful to Jesus amid all danger and temptation; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** **Amen.**

**BENEDICTION**

**P** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God the Father, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you. Go in peace and serve the Lord.

**C** **Thanks be to God! Amen!**

**HYMN:**

**"GO NOW IN PEACE"**

Words by Don Besig and Nancy Price, Tune by: Don Besig

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# CLOSING HYMN “FORTH IN THE PEACE OF CHRIST WE GO”

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1 Forth in the peace of Christ we go;  
2 King of our hearts, Christ makes us kings;  
3 Priests of the world, Christ sends us forth;  
4 Christ's are our lips, His Word we speak;  
5 We are the Church; Christ bids us show

Christ to the world with joy we bring;  
King - ship with Him His ser - vants gain;  
This world of time to con - se - crate;  
Proph - ets are we whose deeds pro - claim  
That in His Church all na - tions find

Christ in our minds, Christ on our lips,  
With Christ the Ser - vant - Lord of all,  
This world of sin by grace to heal,  
Christ's truth in love that we may be  
Their hearth and home where Christ re - stores

Christ in our hearts, the world's true king.  
Christ's world we serve to share Christ's reign.  
Christ's world in Christ to re - cre - ate.  
Christ in the world, to spread Christ's name.  
True peace, true love to all man - kind.

## POSTLUDE “JUBILATE AMEN” by Norton Charles

HOPE Love FAITH  
JOY  
Peace