Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church August 20, 2023 Eleventh Sunday After Trinity



Worship Service 9:00AM Sunday School 10:30AM www.trinitylebanon.com secretary@trinitylebanon.com

Communion Invitation

Dear Guest: If you are not a member of the Lutheran Church- Missouri Synod, please speak to pastor before taking the Lord's Supper.

We love you! We want you to be able to receive the true body and blood of Jesus in, with, and under the bread and the wine for your forgiveness. If you would like to be part of our communion, please set up a time to visit with pastor during the week. You can contact Pastor after the service or call the church office at 532-2717.

You may, however, come up to the altar today to receive a blessing. Simply <u>cross your arms over your chest</u> while you are kneeling at the communion rail. You may also remain in your pew during Communion if you so desire.





Opening Versicles

- This is the day which the Lord has made;
- let us rejoice and be glad in it. C
- From the rising of the sun to its setting, L
- C the name of the Lord is to be praised.
- L Better is one day in Your courts than a thousand elsewhere;
- I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the C tents of the wicked.
- Make me to know Your ways, O Lord. L
- C Teach me Your paths.
- Sanctify us in Your truth. L
- Your Word is truth.
- From the rising of the sun to its setting, L
- C the name of the Lord is to be praised.
- Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; C as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

Readings From Holy Scripture

Second Reading Acts 4:1-31

¹ As (Peter and John) were speaking to the people, the priests and the captain of the temple guard and the Sadducees came up to them, ²being greatly disturbed because they were teaching the people and proclaiming in Jesus the resurrection from the dead. ³And they laid hands on them and put them in jail until the next day, for it was already evening. ⁴But many of those who had heard the message believed; and the number of the men came to be about five thousand.

⁵On the next day, their rulers and elders and scribes were gathered together in Jerusalem; 6 and Annas the high priest was there, and Caiaphas and John and Alexander, and all who were of high-priestly descent. ⁷ When they had placed them in the center, they began to inquire, "By what power, or in what name, have you done this?" ⁸Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers and elders of the people, ⁹if we are on trial today for a benefit done to a sick man, as to how this man has been made well, ¹⁰let it be known to all of you and to all the people of Israel, that by the name of Jesus Christ the Nazarene, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead—by this name this man stands here before you in good health. ^{11"}He is the STONE WHICH WAS REJECTED by you, THE BUILDERS, but WHICH BECAME THE CHIEF CORNER stone. ¹² "And there is salvation in no one else; for there is no other name under heaven that has been given among men by which we must be saved."

¹³Now as they observed the confidence of Peter and John and understood that they were uneducated and untrained men, they were amazed, and began to recognize them as having been with Jesus. ¹⁴And seeing the man who had been healed standing with them, they had nothing to say in reply. 15 But when they had ordered them to leave the Council, they began to confer with one another, ¹⁶saying, "What shall we do with these men? For the fact that a noteworthy miracle has taken place through them is apparent to all who live in Jerusalem, and we cannot deny it. 17" But so that it will not spread any further among the people, let us warn them to speak no longer to any man in this name." 18 And when they had summoned them, they commanded them not to speak or teach at all in the name of Jesus. 19But Peter and John answered and said to them, "Whether it is right in the sight of God to give heed to you rather than to God, you be the judge; ²⁰ for we cannot stop speaking about what we have seen and heard." ²¹ When they had threatened them further, they let them go (finding no basis on which to punish them) on account of the people, because they were all glorifying God for what had happened; ²² for the man was more than forty years old on whom this miracle of healing had been performed.

²³When they had been released, they went to their own companions and reported all that the chief priests and the elders had said to them. ²⁴And when they heard this, they lifted their voices to God with one accord and said, "O Lord, it is You who MADE THE HEAVEN AND THE EARTH AND THE SEA, AND ALL THAT IS

IN THEM, ²⁵who by the Holy Spirit, through the mouth of our father David Your servant, said, 'WHY DID THE GENTILES RAGE, AND THE PEOPLES DEVISE FUTILE THINGS? ²⁶THE KINGS OF THE EARTH TOOK THEIR STAND, AND THE RULERS WERE GATHERED TOGETHER AGAINST THE LORD AND AGAINST HIS CHRIST.' 27"For truly in this city there were gathered together against your holy servant Jesus, whom you anointed, both Herod and Pontius Pilate, along with the Gentiles and the peoples of Israel, ²⁸to do whatever your hand and your purpose predestined to occur. 29"And now, Lord, take note of their threats and grant that your bond-servants may speak your word with all confidence, ³⁰while you extend Your hand to heal, and signs and wonders take place through the name of Your holy servant Jesus." ³¹And when they had prayed, the place where they had gathered together was shaken, and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak the word of God with boldness.

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

Alleluia LSB 190

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

Holy Gospel Luke 18:9–14

- P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the eighteenth chapter.
- C Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

⁹[Jesus] also told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous, and treated others with contempt: ¹⁰"Two men went up into the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. ¹¹The Pharisee, standing by himself, prayed thus: 'God, I thank you that I am not like other men, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. ¹²I fast twice a week; I give tithes of all that I get.' ¹³But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even lift up his eyes to heaven, but beat his breast, saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' ¹⁴I tell you, this man went down to his house justified, rather than the other. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted."

- P This is the Gospel of the Lord.
- C Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Responsory

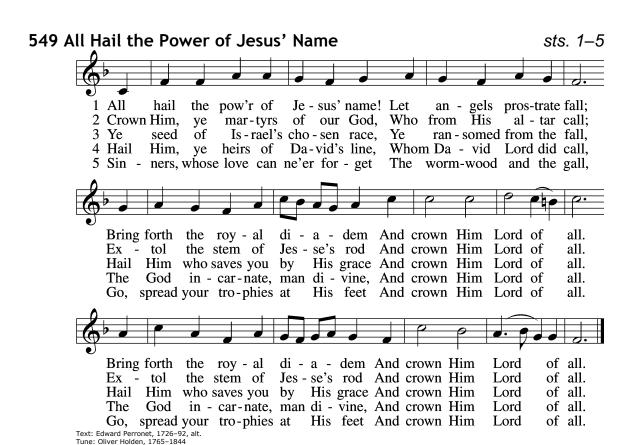
- L Forever, O Lord, Your Word is firmly set in the heavens.
- C Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.
- L Blessed are those who hear the Word of God and keep it.
- C Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.
- L Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.
- C Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.

Apostles' Creed

C I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life T everlasting. Amen.



Sermon

Prayers of the Church

Presentation of the Offerings & Communion Set-Up

Confessional Prayer by Pastor

Silent Confession

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 T Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Preface LSB 194

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P The Lord be with you.

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P Lift up your hearts.

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P Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.



P It is truly meet, 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, out of love for His fallen creation, humbled Himself by taking on the form of a servant, becoming obedient unto death, even death upon a cross. Risen from the dead, He has freed us from eternal death and given us life everlasting. 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 195



Ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;



heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,



ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless-ed is He,



bless-ed is He, bless-ed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord.



Ho-san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san-na in the high - est.

Lord's Prayer

LSB 196

- P 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.



G For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the



The Words of Our Lord

LSB 197

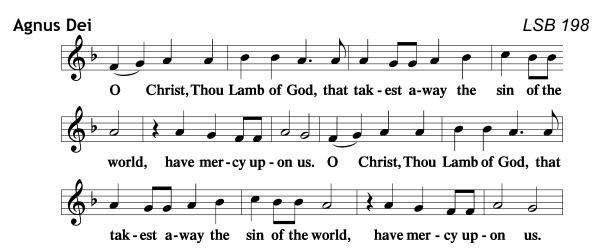
P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My T body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

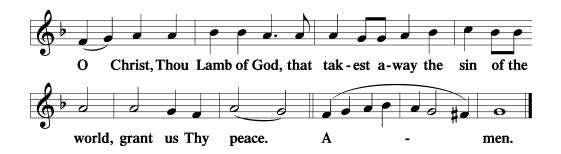
In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My T blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Pax Domini LSB 197

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

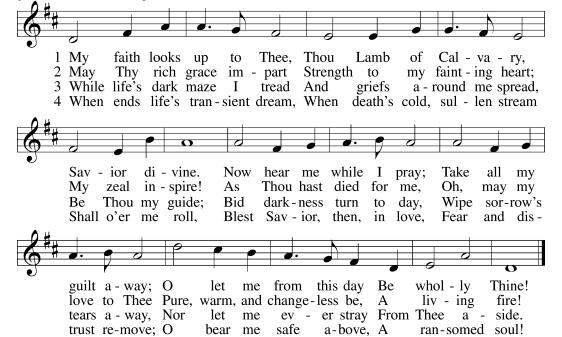






Distribution

702 My Faith Looks Up to Thee



732 All Depends on Our Possessing

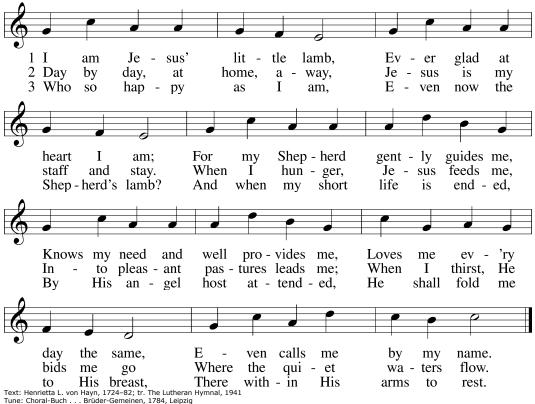


Well He knows what best to grant me;
 All the longing hopes that haunt me,
 Joy and sorrow, have their day.
 I shall doubt His wisdom never;
 As God wills, so be it ever;
 I commit to Him my way.

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.

Text: Andächtige Haus-Kirche, 1676, Nürnberg; tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1827–78, alt. Tune: Johann Löhner, 1645–1705; adapt. Johann Balthasar König, 1691–1758

740 I Am Jesus' Little Lamb





Thanksgiving LSB 200

A O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,



A 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.



P The Lord be with you.



Benedicamus LSB 202

A Bless we the Lord.



Benediction LSB 202

P The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and T give you peace.



601 All Who Believe and Are Baptized



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



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



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



Text: Thomas Hansen Kingo, 1634–1703; tr. George A. T. Rygh, 1860–1942, alt. Tune: Etlich Cristlich lider, 1524, Wittenberg

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Service of Prayer and Preaching from Lutheran Service Book

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Prayers and Announcements

In Our Prayers: Jeff Carlson (cancer), Roy Meyer, Jean Shore Massey (316 Vicksburg St., Tyler, TX 75703), Cathy Davis, Vicki Fincher (Larry Jacobsen's sister), Homebound: Jeanette Seeman, Jen Perry, Sandy McCoy, Peggy Avers, Bill Riley, Gaylene Peters, Brian Pendergrass, In the Military: Grady McAllister (Janet's grandson), Patrick Gardner (Jacobsen's grandson), Clay Marlin, James Beall, Zach Sparks, and those we think of privately.

Our Christian Sympathy is offered to the family and friends of our long-time member, Neva Draheim. Her funeral service was held at Trinity on Friday morning with burial at Ozark Community Cemetery. We pray for God's blessings and comfort for all who mourn.

Board of Evangelism Meeting will be held on Tuesday at 3:30 p.m.

Church Council Meeting is on Thursday at 6:30 p.m. At this time, we will be discussing nominations for the election of officers in September.

You are invited to a 60th birthday party for Debbie Podoll! This will be on Saturday, 8-26, from 6:00-11:00PM at the Wallace Center (325 Harwood). No need to RSVP. Join family and friends for dinner, dancing, visiting & games.

Daily Bible Readings for this week: Today -1 Timothy 2:1-15; Monday-1 Timothy 3:1-16; Tuesday-1 Timothy 4:1-16; Wednesday- 1 Timothy 5:1-25; Thursday- 1 Timothy 6:1-21; Friday-2 Timothy 1:1-18; Saturday-2 Timothy 2:1-26.

Our Response to the Lord Last Week

Stewardship of S	ouls	Stewardship of Finances
Worship Attendance		General Offering Last Week
9:00AM -	72	\$4 <i>,</i> 488.00
Pastor's Class -	N/A	Sunday School Renovation
Sunday School -	N/A	\$1,000.00

Pastor	Serving Today David Oberdieck	Serving Next Week David Oberdieck
Pianist		Thomas Walters
Elders	Larry Jacobsen Jeff Loges	Nick Grunwaldt Allen Carothers
Lector	Larry Jacobsen	Allen Carothers
Usher	Jansen Cheek Steve Barry	Jansen Cheek Steve Barry
Altar Guild	De Stirling	De Stirling

Weekly Calendar				
Today	9:00AM	Worship/Communion		
	10:30AM	Sunday School		
Tuesday	9:00AM	Men's Bible Study at Judes'		
	3:30PM	Board of Evangelism Meeting		
Wed	9:30AM	Ladies' Bible Class		
Thursday	9:30AM	Thursday Girls		
_	6:30PM	Church Council Meeting		
Saturday	6:00PM	60 th Birthday Party for Debbie Podoll		
Sunday,	9:00AM	Worship/Communion		
8-27	10:30AM	Sunday School		