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**October 26 & 27,
2019**



“A Reformation Carol”

*2 Kings 22:8,
10-13, 23:1-3*

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH



REFORMATION SUNDAY

October 26 & 27, 2019

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 large print bulletin or a hearing assistance unit, please ask an usher.

May the Holy Spirit bless our worship!

Thank you to Leon Jurczyszyn, Frank Kelly, Rachel Kelm, and The Antique Brass for playing in the services today.

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

[Saturday 4:00 p.m.]

“Toccata and Fugue in D Minor” J.S. Bach
Special Music

Larry Hubbard

[Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.]

“Toccata and Fugue in D Minor” J.S. Bach
“Fanfare on ‘Old Hundredth’ ” arr. Wagner *Antique Brass, Timpani, Organ*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

[Please stand]

OPENING HYMN

“Thy Strong Word”

(LSB578) vs 1, 4, 6

1 Thy strong word did cleave the dark - ness; At Thy
 4 From the cross Thy wis - dom shin - ing Break - eth

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3

speak - ing it was done. For cre - at - ed
 forth in con - qu'ring might; From the cross for -

3
3
3

light we thank Thee, While Thine or - dered sea - sons run.
 ev - er beam - eth All Thy bright re - deem - ing light.

3
3
3

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise to
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise to

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3

Thee who light dost send! Al - le - lu - ia,
 Thee who light dost send! Al - le - lu - ia,

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al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!
 al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!

God the Father, light-creator, To Thee laud and honor be.

To Thee, Light of Light begotten, Praise be sung eternally.

Holy Spirit, light-revealer, Glory, glory be to Thee.

Mortals, angels, now and ever Praise the holy Trinity!

INVOCATION

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

CONFESSiON AND ABSOLUTION

Pastor: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by Your Holy Spirit, that we may love You with all our heart, with all our mind, and with all our soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

People: **Amen.**

Pastor: Most holy and merciful Father,

People: **we confess to You and to one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have failed to do. We have not loved You with our whole heart, mind, and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We have not forgiven others as we have been forgiven. We have been deaf to Your call to serve as Christ served us. We have not been true to the mind of Christ. We have grieved the Holy Spirit. For the sake of Jesus Christ, Your Son, we ask Your forgiveness.**

(Silence for meditation and reflection)

Pastor: Friends in Christ, hear the Good News! Christ, who knew no sin, stepped into our place as a sinner. He suffered our punishment on the cross and died our death. By His blood, we are free. We are cleansed. We are children of the heavenly Father. At His command and by His authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the  Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: **Amen.**

[Please be seated]

HYMN OF PRAISE “God Has Spoken By The Prophets” (WR667)

1 God has spo - ken by the proph-ets, spo - ken the un - chang-ing Word,
 2 God has spo - ken by Christ Je - sus, Christ, the ev - er - last - ing Son,
 3 God is speak-ing by the Spir - it, speak-ing to our hearts a - gain;

each from age to age pro-claim-ing God, the one, the right-eous Lord!
 bright-ness of the Fa-ther's glo - ry, with the Fa - ther ev - er one;
 in the age-long Word de - clar - ing God's own mes-sage, now as then.

'Mid the world's de - spair and tur-moil one firm an - chor hold-ing fast:
 spo - ken by the Word in - car-nate, God of God, ere time was born:
 Through the rise and fall of na-tions one sure faith yet stand-ing fast:

God e - ter - nal reigns for - ev - er, God the first and God the last.
 Light of light, to earth de-scend-ing, Christ, as God in hu - man form.
 God a - bides, the Word un-chang-ing, God the first and God the last.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Let us pray.

People: **Gracious Savior, since You bore our sin, death, and hell on the cross, give us grace to believe it by Your Word, receive the benefits thereof by Your Sacraments, and confess the news to those who do not yet know or love You; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**



OLD TESTAMENT Genesis 32:22-30

Reader: **The Old Testament reading for Reformation Sunday is from the 32nd chapter of Genesis.**

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

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM**Psalm 121**

Reader: We read responsively from Psalm 121

Reader: I lift up my eyes to the hills. From where does my help come?
People: **My help comes from the LORD, who made heaven and earth.**

Reader: He will not let your foot be moved; he who keeps you will not slumber.
People: **Behold, he who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor sleep.**

Reader: The LORD is your keeper; the LORD is your shade on your right hand.
People: **The sun shall not strike you by day, nor the moon by night.**

Reader: The LORD will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life.
People: **The LORD will keep your going out and your coming in from this time forth and forevermore.**

EPISTLE**2 Timothy 3:14-4:5**

Reader: The Epistle is from the 3rd & 4th chapter of 2 Timothy.

But as for you, continue in what you have learned and have firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it and 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. All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work. I 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: preach the word; be ready in season and out of season; reprove, rebuke, and exhort, with complete patience and teaching. For 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, and will turn away from listening to the truth and wander off into myths. As for you, always be sober-minded, endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist, fulfill your ministry.

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

[Please stand]

CHOIR

Celtic Alleluia

[Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.]

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

PROCESSIONAL GOSPEL Luke 18:1-8

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 18th chapter.

People: **Glory to You, O Lord.**

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

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to You, O Christ.**

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Celtic Alleluia

[Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.]

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

[Please be seated]

SERMON

“A Reformation Carol”

2 Kings 22:8, 10-13, 23:1-3

HYMN

“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”

(LSB657)

1 A might - y for - tress is our God, A sword and shield vic -
2 No strength of ours can match his might. We would be lost, re -
3 Though hordes of dev - ils fill the land All threat'ning to de -
4 God's Word for - ev - er shall a - bide, No thanks to foes, who

to - rious; He breaks the cruel op - pres - sor's rod And wins sal -
ject - ed. But now a cham-pion comes to fight, Whom God Him -
your us, We trem - ble not, un - moved we stand; They can - not
fear it; For God Him-self fights by our side With weap-ons

va-tion glo - rious. The old sa - tan - ic foe Has sworn to
self e - lect - ed. You ask who this may be? The Lord of
o - ver - pow'r us. Let this world's ty - rant rage; In bat - tle
of the Spir - it. Were they to take our house, Goods, hon - or,

work us woe. With craft and dread - ful might He
hosts is He, Christ Je - sus, might - y Lord, God's
we'll en - gage. His might is doomed to fail; God's
child, or spouse, Though life be wrenched a - way, They

arms him - self to fight. On earth he has no e - qual.
on - ly Son, a - dored. He holds the field vic - to - rious.
judg - ment must pre - vail! One lit - tle word sub - dues him.
can - not win the day. The King-dom's ours for - ev - er!

CONFESSTION OF FAITH: APOSTLES' CREED

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 everlasting. Amen

THE COLLECTION OF GIFTS

"For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." –Matthew 6:21

OFFERING SPECIAL MUSIC

Special Music

[Saturday 4:00 p.m.]

Larry Hubbard

[Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.]

"God We Praise You" C.H.H. Parry *Antique Brass, Choir, Organ, Timpani*

[Please stand]

DOXOLOGY "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost;
Amen.

[Please be seated]



PRAYERS

Pastor: The eyes of all look to You, O Lord, and You provide for the needs of all people.

People: Bless the gifts brought to You today. Move us to a faithful response to Your gifts to us as we share our time, energy,

and resources, that Your kingdom may grow and Your name be glorified; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Pastor: Let us pray for the whole Christian Church, that sharing one Baptism, we may also share one holy, apostolic faith, and with one voice boldly proclaim the saving grace of our God in Christ Jesus. We give thanks for the guidance and inspiration of faithful workers who answered the call to serve God's Church as their life's work and who look forward one day to their own crown of eternal glory just as they boldly promised to so many others in Your name. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Pastor: Lord God of hope, to whom we turn when sickness, suffering, and death come near, be with those who cry to You in great need including those we have lifted up previously in Prayer. Grant healing, comfort, and peace, especially to those we name in our hearts. You have taught us to trust in Your gracious will, so into Your hands we rest the hopes and desires of all Your people in need, that You may answer them in mercy and visit them with the healing power of Your grace. Lord, in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

(Intercessory Prayers)



October 27—Joyce Landry, Dorothy Scheler, Nancy Steinmark,
Becky Wagner

October 28—Dorothy Horwath, Joyce Lindstrom, Larry Porter, Sharon Egan

October 31—Gary Eckoff, Rick Hoglund, Kay Jacobson, Karen Sheahan

November 1—Jim Gigstead, George Keenan, Sharon Pruszynski,
Karen Ross

November 2—Diane Coennen, Larry Thompson



October 28—Marvin & Debbie Rosser (30)

October 29—Russ & Pam Petro (53)

November 1—David & Paula Hemond (33)

November 2—Frank & Karen Ross (56)

Pastor: Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray,
trusting in Your mercy, through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.
People: Amen.

[Please stand]



SACRAMENT

The Lord's Supper is a gracious gift instituted by Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of sins and as a means of receiving God's grace. We believe that in the holy supper, the true body and blood of the Savior, along with the bread and wine, comes to us. We are encouraged by Jesus to commune frequently and God tells us through St. Paul that we must examine ourselves in preparation for a worthy reception of the sacrament. This includes a confession of our sins, a proclamation of our faith, and a determination to lead a more godly life in the future. If you also acknowledge your sinfulness and your need for a Savior, and recognize Christ's physical presence in the bread and wine, we invite you to join us at the Lord's table.

NOTE: *If you have a physical condition that would prohibit you from taking wine in the Lord's Supper, a few individual cups of white grape juice, instead of wine, are placed in the center of each communion tray for you. For those with a gluten allergy we now provide gluten-free wafers. Please help yourself to the gluten-free wafers located in the center of the tray*

PREFACE

Pastor: May the Lord be with you all.
People: **May the Lord be with you too.**

Pastor: Hearts and hands and voices raise
People: **Lifted to the Lord in praise.**

Pastor: Thank You, Lord, our God, most good
People: **For our soul's most precious food.**

Pastor: It is truly good, right and proper everywhere and always to give thanks to You, loving Father, holy and almighty Lord, eternal God, through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is the Christ, the promised Messiah, who makes us holy through His blood. Therefore with angels and archangels, the saints in heaven and those on earth, we glorify Your name, praising You and singing:

SANCTUS

A musical score for the Sanctus hymn, consisting of eight staves of music. The key signature is G minor (one flat), and the time signature is 3/4. The vocal parts are as follows:

- Top staff: Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and
- Second staff: might, — Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord,
- Third staff: God of power and might, — hea - ven and earth are
- Fourth staff: full, — full of your glo - ry. Ho -
- Fifth staff: san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na
- Sixth staff: in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes —
- Seventh staff: — in the name of the Lord. — Ho - san - na
- Bottom staff: in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

The score includes various musical markings such as fermatas, slurs, and dynamic changes (e.g., pp , f). The lyrics are integrated directly into the musical lines.

LORD'S PRAYER sung by all

*Our Fa--ther, Which art in heav--en,
Hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom come.
Thy will be done on earth, As it is in heav--en.
Give us this day our dai--ly bread.
And forgive us our debts, As we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil:
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glo--ry for-ev--er. A--men*

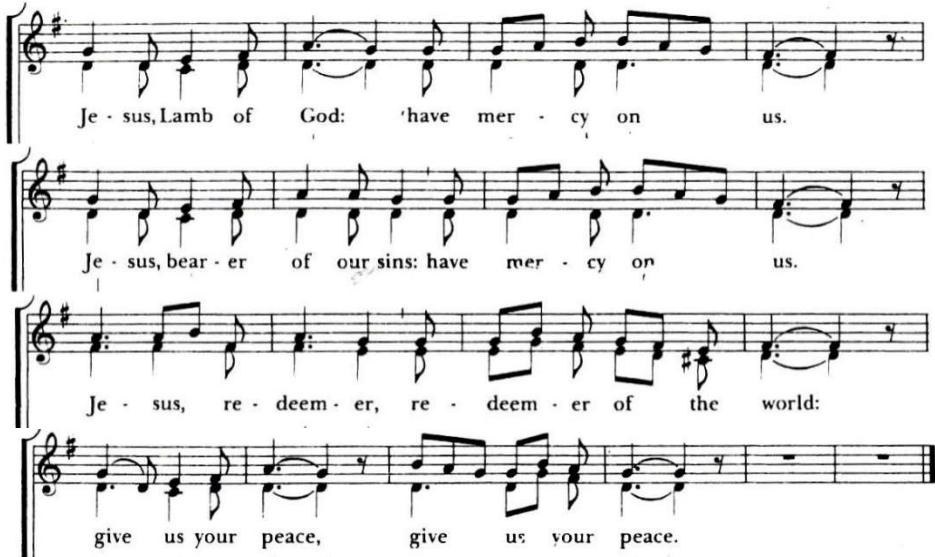
WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Pastor: 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."

[Please be seated]

AGNUS DEI



A musical score for the Agnus Dei, featuring four staves of music in G major and common time. The lyrics are written below each staff:

Je - sus, Lamb of God: have mer - cy on us.

Je - sus, bear - er of our sins: have mer - cy on us.

Je - sus, re - deem - er, re - deem - er of the world:

give us your peace, give us your peace.

SILENT PRAYER BEFORE COMMUNION

Dear Savior, I come to your table at your gracious invitation to eat and drink your holy body and blood. Let me find favor in your eyes to receive this holy sacrament in faith for the salvation of my soul and to the glory of your holy name; for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

[Saturday 4:00 p.m.]



COMMUNION SPECIAL MUSIC

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Larry Hubbard

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

“O God, Our Help in Ages Past”

(LSB733)



1 O God, our help in a - ges past, Our hope for years to come,
2 Un - der the shad-ow of Thy throne Thy saints have dwelt se - cure;
3 Be - fore the hills in or - der stood Or earth re - ceived her frame,
4 A thou-sand a - ges in Thy sight Are like an eve - ning gone,



Our shel - ter from the storm - y blast, And our e - ter - nal home:
Suf - fi - cient is Thine arm a - lone, And our de - fence is sure.
From ev - er - last - ing Thou art God, To end - less years the same.
Short as the watch that ends the night Be - fore the ris - ing sun.

**Time, like an ever-rolling stream, Soon bears us all away;
We fly forgotten as a dream Dies at the op'ning day.**

**O God, our help in ages past, Our hope for years to come,
Be Thou our guard while troubles last And our eternal home!**

"How Firm a Foundation"

(WR411)

1 How firm a foun - da - tion, you saints of the Lord,
 2 "Fear not, I am with you, O be not dis - mayed,
 3 "When through the deep wa - ters I call you to go,
 4 "When through fier - y tri - als your path - way shall lie,
 5 "The soul that on Je - sus still leans for re - pose,

is laid for your faith in his ex - cel - lent Word!
 for I am your God, and will still give you aid;
 the riv - ers of sor - row shall not o - ver - flow;
 my grace, all suf - fi - cient, shall be your sup - ply;
 I will not, I will not de - sert to its foes;

What more can he say than to you he has said,
 I'll strength - en you, help you, and cause you to stand,
 for I will be with you in trou - ble to bless,
 the flame shall not hurt you, I on - ly de - sign
 that soul, though all hell should en - deav - or to shake,

to you who for ref - uge to Je - sus have fled?
 up - held by my right - eous, om - nip - o - tent hand.
 and sanc - ti - fy to you your deep - est dis - tress.
 your dross to con - sume, and your gold to re - fine.
 I'll nev - er, no, nev - er, no, nev - er for - sake!"

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[Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.]



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"Surely It is God Who Saves Me"

Sanctuary Choir

"In The Lord I'll be Ever Thankful"

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"How Firm a Foundation"

Congregation

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 the riv - ers of sor - row shall not o - ver - flow;
 my grace, all suf - fi - cient, shall be your sup - ply;
 I will not, I will not de - sert to its foes;

What more can he say than to you he has said,
 I'll strength - en you, help you, and cause you to stand,
 for I will be with you in trou - ble to bless,
 the flame shall not hurt you, I on - ly de - sign
 that soul, though all hell should en - deav - or to shake,

to you who for ref - uge to Je - sus have fled?
 up - held by my right - eous, om - nip - o - tent hand.
 and sanc - ti - fy to you your deep - est dis - tress.
 your dross to con - sume, and your gold to re - fine.
 I'll nev - er, no, nev - er, no, nev - er for - sake!"

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SILENT PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Dear Lord Jesus, I thank and praise you that you have again refreshed me with the gift of your holy body and blood in this comforting sacrament. Bless my participation that I may go out into the world with peace and joy in the knowledge that I am reconciled to God. I ask this in your name. Amen.

[Please stand]

DISMISSAL

Pastor: May the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in His grace, unto life everlasting. Go in peace to serve the Lord.

People: Amen.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Pastor: Together we pray,

All: **O Lord, we give thanks to You for the gifts of forgiveness, life, and salvation that we received in Your body and blood. Unite us as one, as together we rejoice in the gifts of Word and Sacrament this day. Enable us now to live our lives for Your sake. By Your Spirit teach us every day how we can take up our cross and follow You; in the name of the same Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who with the Father and Spirit are one God, forever blessed. Amen.**

BENEDICTION

Pastor: 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  give you peace.

People: Amen.

CLOSING HYMN “Lift High the Cross”

Refrain

(LSB837)

Lift high the cross, the love of Christ pro - claim Till
all the world a - dore His sa - cred name.

1 Come, Chris-tians, fol - low where our Cap - tain trod,
2 Led on their way by this tri - um - phant sign,
3 All new - born sol - diers of the Cru - ci - fied
4 O Lord, once lift - ed on the glo - rious tree,

Our king vic - to - rious, Christ, the Son of God.
The hosts of God in con - qu'ring ranks com - bine.
Bear on their brows the seal of Him who died.
As Thou hast prom - ised, draw us all to Thee.

**Let ev'ry race and ev'ry language tell
Of Him who saves our lives from death and hell. Refrain**

**So shall our song of triumph ever be:
Praise to the Crucified for victory! Refrain**

DISMISSAL

Leader: Go in Peace, to love and serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

SILENT PRAYER

POSTLUDE “A Mighty Fortress is our God” arr. C.

OUR MISSION: *The mission of Trinity Lutheran Church is to share the good news of Jesus Christ by serving the spiritual, family and personal needs of the community. We believe that the primary reason for our existence is to bring people closer to Jesus Christ by providing worship, Bible studies, prayer and fellowship to foster spiritual growth.*



ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the honor and glory of our risen Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ by **Marvin & Debbie Rosser** in honor of **their 30th Wedding Anniversary**, by **Judi Terraciano** in memory of her parents **Walter & Blanche Hewitt**, and her brother, **Richard Hewitt Sr.**, and by **Venice Gigstead** in honor of **Jim Gigstead's 94th birthday**.

SPECIAL PRAYERS: Sal Vanacore, Bill Mercier, Bonnie Ashley, Al & Lois Etzler, Kathy Bultman, Betty Giertz, Mike David, George Walters, Gilbert Schroeter, Rick Hoglund, Joyce Moote, Bob Booth, Bill Roudebush, Rich (Woody) Wood, Marion Raper, Nancy Fauser, Marilyn & Bob Tomsik, Lydia Kelm, Denise Anderson, Lyle Hoffmeister, Lynn Guinn (friend of Lon & Jane Hertel), Bob Ashley, Diana Bernard (friend of Bob Palmer), Lois Franklin, Dan Lindstrom, Carol Bohlmann, Anthony Kakiou (brother of Connie Mulidore), Cathy Keifer, Janice Kaiser, Matthew Crispin, Bill Early, Victor Adam, Rosalyce Peterson, Adrienne Israel, William Hoban, Betty Kowske, Mary Staudacher, Dorothy Scheler, Ralph Munden, Tom Davies.

SPECIAL PRAYERS – LONG TERM ILLNESS: Beatriz Jansen, Shirley Radkiewicz, Fred Suco, Helen Richardson (friend of Charlotte Leidner), Sharon Lilley, Marlene Losey, Traci Wise-Maupin, Pam Petro, Kirsten Reisinger (*Granddaughter of Tom & Sandie Burritt*), Ray & Barbara King, Tom Palmer (Bob Palmer's brother), Ann Marie Jaeger, Jean Brown, Ron Barr, Marion Mashman, Ed Westover.

SPECIAL PRAYERS–SHUT-INS: Dallas & Marie Heine, Dottie Horwath, George Keenan, Matthew Derrig, Merle Deterding, Mary Staudacher, Martha Lukeman, Dotty McCafferty, Mary Wood.

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Director of Music, Dr. Lorna Lee Curtis

Saturday WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

	4:00 p.m.
Elder	Jim Keenan
Communion Assistants	Jim Moore, Bruce Larks
Lector	Rose Vanacore
Greeters	Ken & Joan Herro
Ushers	Jud & Joyce Moote, Joan Trainor, China Menendez, Rose Vanacore
Audio	John Zwolak
Video	Jeff Stutler
Altar Guild	Marianne Merrow
Welcome Center	Barb Larks

Sunday WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

	8:00 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
Elders	Leon Norregaard	Will Evans
Communion Assistants	Jim Konefe, Lon Hertel, Bob Anderson Larry Arndt, Gary Parker, Ron Lilley	Leon Norregaard, Larry Wigner, Jim Keenan, Dan Kowitz, Lon Hertel, Bob Anderson
Lectors	Col. Carl Carlan	Jerry Housholder
Greeters	Geri Arndt, Judy Bresky, Donna Brown, Karen Sheahan	Sam & Sandy Guzzetta Steve & Sharon Pruszynski
Ushers	Gary & Linda Eckoff, Mark Billow, Dan Tibbits, Jim Jacobson, Dick Rollins Rich Brown, Jack McElwain, Jeff Bixler	Ingrid Derlis, Sharmon Klemonska Susan Schuerman, Lane Ellington Judi Mittlestead, China Menendez Carol Keenan, Jerome Burgard
Audio	Dave MacTrinder	Lee Stump
Video	Jeff Stutler	Jeff Stutler
Altar Guild	<u>Sat pm:</u> Marianne Merrow, China Menendez <u>Sun am:</u> Carol Bach & Haynie Matthias	Dorothy Frenz Dianne Glass
Coffee Ministry	Jan MacTrinder, Elaine Helgeland	
Baker	Marilyn Thiel	
Welcome Center	Bev Tibbits	Andy & Bev Tourrette
Volunteer Resp.	Martha Mitchell, Mike Sindlinger	Marilyn Butenhof, Liz Koch

VALET PARKING **VALET SERVICE:** available at the **10:30 Service**. Any member who has completed and returned the **VEHICLE WAIVER FORM** is eligible to use this service.



NEW MEMBER BREAKFAST- Everyone is invited next **Sunday, November 3rd** to our “**New Member/ 50th Anniversary Breakfast**” in the Fellowship Hall. During this time we will be welcoming our new members, and also honoring those couples celebrating their 50th wedding anniversaries during the year 2019. **We encourage our worshipers attending the 8:00 service to stay afterwards for the breakfast, and the 10:30 attendees plan on arriving early and join us for a bountiful breakfast.** We will have tables reserved for our new members and anniversary celebrants so they will be easy to locate for welcoming and congratulating. We look forward to seeing you at this special occasion. “*Therefore receive one another, just as Christ also received us, to the glory of God.*” Romans 15:7 NKJV



PASTOR PAUL'S SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASS will be held again on Sunday, November 10 in the Fellowship Hall at 9:15 a.m.



WOMEN'S SUNDAY AM BIBLE STUDY- will be meeting today, October 27 at 9:15 AM in **Classroom 1** (**Please note the room change**). The theme of our study will be "JOY:FULLY LUTHERAN, Rejoice, Pray, Give Thanks" based on 1Thessalonians 5:16-18. Today we will be discussing Joy and Suffering as based on St. Paul's, writings in Romans Chapter 5. We look forward to our study today and pray that you will join us for Bible study, discussion, fellowship, and prayer. If you have questions, please contact Kay Jacobson at 352-638-2528. Have a blessed week!



VILLAGES GROUPS 7 & 8 NEIGHBORHOOD GET TOGETHER- **TODAY** is the day for another picnic for Trinity members that live in Group 8 (Amelia, Bonita, Caroline, Hadley, Lake Sumter Landing, Largo, Mallory Square, Sabal Chase, and Virginia Trace) and we're inviting Group 7 (Ashland, Belvedere, Bonnybrook, Bridgeport at Lake Miona, Bridgeport at Lake Sumter, Bridgeport at Lake Miona Shores, Lynnhaven, Mission Hills, Polo Ridge, Summerhill, Tall Trees, and Winifred) to join us **TODAY, Sunday, October 27 from 4:30-7:00 at Bacall Recreation Center.** Once again we will have an afternoon of appetizers and desserts and an opportunity to get to know your fellow Trinity members. If you want more information, call Liz Koch at 352-561-4179 or Kay Jacobson at 352-430-1577. **P.S. DON'T FORGET YOUR TRINITY NAMETAG AND YOUR VILLAGES ID.** See you there!



DO YOU LOVE MISSIONS? DO YOU HAVE A HEART FOR LOST SOULS? Are you interested in expanding our outreach globally for the lord? Global Missions needs you! We will have an informal meeting on **Monday, October 28th at 10:00 a.m. in Room 5**. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss opportunities for Service-mission work, Fellowship-travel and visitation, Donations, Financial Giving, and Prayer. We all serve the Lord and appreciate all that He has given to us. Let us be thankful and pay it forward to those less fortunate than ourselves. We are interested in any ideas that you may have and look forward to an exciting adventure. If you are interested and need more information, please contact Jan Garner, at 352-598-2048 or janandchloe@embarqmail.com.



TRINITY SOUTH LADIES BIBLE STUDY-Our Ladies Bible study is being held **every Tuesday morning** from **9:30 to 11:00 a.m.** It's being held on the second floor of Harbor Chase in the *Scrabble Room*. We are studying the Great Women of the Bible and all ladies of Trinity are welcome. If you have any questions you can call (479) 531-9327. –Lora Rollings



REVELATION: THE NOT-SO DISTANT TRUMPET CALL Pastor Dan will once again be leading a Wednesday night Bible study, this time studying the final book of the Bible, Revelation. Many people are troubled by this book, or get caught up in the many confusing interpretations they hear or read in books and on television or radio. Revelation is intended to be a book of great comfort for Christians, and when properly read, can bring great joy. **We invite you to join us in the Fellowship Hall on Wednesdays, continuing October 30, at 4PM for this study.** A meal will be served at the conclusion of the study.



PRISCILLA BIBLE CLASS: is now studying ACTS Part 1 in Concordia publishing house LifeLight series. We will meet on **Thursday, October 31 in Room 3 at 10:30 a.m.** For questions, please call Debbie Thompson at (352) 873-0453.



REMINDER TO ALL NEW MEMBERS: This is a reminder for all new members to join us for orientation on **Thursday, October 31** including a light dinner beginning at **4:00 p.m.** in the Fellowship Hall.



LWML MITE COLLECTION: The bit of change in your pocket can add up to make a big change in someone's life. Please bring your Mite contribution to church with you on **November 2nd or 3rd** for our monthly Mite collection. Mites are used to spread the Good News of Jesus' love throughout the world. The Trinity Ladies LWML wishes to thank all of you for your continued support. Always remember that A LITTLE CAN HELP SO MANY!



MEN! SATURDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY! Pastor Dan invites you to join him on **Saturday mornings at 8:00 a.m.**, for a low-key, discussion-filled men's discussion of Scripture. What a great way to get the weekend started! 5 or 50 men, we'll enjoy each other's company and begin our weekend with our Lord. See you Saturday? BYOC (bring your own coffee) to our Fellowship Hall!



ATTENTION MEN OF TRINITY - Plan to attend the next Arnie Aagenson -TLC Men's Club meeting on **Monday, Nov. 4**. The morning will be filled with socialization - fellowship - food- and an enlightening Bible study. It begins at 8:00 AM in the fellowship hall. Sign up on the clip board and remember to wear your name badge.



COLOR BOOK GROUP- meets on **Tuesdays, November 5 and 19th at 1:00 p.m. in Room 1**. The group is open to all. Remember to bring your favorite color book, pencils, and join the fun! Please call Janice Collins at (352) 750-4021 for questions. Come join us!



LAST CHANCE TO SIGN UP FOR YOUR GROUPS 9, 10 & ALL VILLAGES SOUTH OF 44 for a PICNIC/GATHERING: on **Saturday, Nov. 9 at Sterling Heights Recreation Center from 5:30 p.m. – 8:15 p.m.** If you forgot to sign up please call Wanda David, 219-508-5847 by Monday, November 4th. Villages for Group 9: Buttonwood, Duval, Hemmingway, Liberty Park, Pennecamp, Poinciana, St. Charles, St. James, Sunset Pointe, & Tamarind Grove. Group 10: Charlotte, Collier, Dunedin, Fernandina, Gilchrist, Hillsborough, LaBelle, Lake Deaton, Osceola Hills, Osceola Hills at Lake Deaton, Pine Ridge, Pine Hills, Pinellas, & Sanibel. All Villages South of Hwy 44 to Village of Fenney.

**Groups
1, 2 & 3
Picnic**

SAVE THE DATE - GROUP 3 PICNIC- Saturday, Nov. 9, from 12-3pm at Tierra Del Sol Recreation Center in the Mar de Calma Card Room. Please bring a dish to share and join in the fun. Sign up on the clipboard in the Narthex. Please note, we are happy to extend our invite to our Village neighbors in Groups 1 & 2 (Briar Meadow, Springdale, Woodbury, Calumet Grove and Chatham). **For info please call Vita A. Crain, 352-454-6468, villagenotary@aol.com**



CANCER SUPPORT GROUP-Meets the first Wednesday of each month at 9:30 a.m. at St. Timothy's Catholic Church, Parish Hall, Rm. 3. **(Nov. 6)** This is a non-denominational group and all cancer patients, survivors, care-givers and friends are welcome. For additional information please call Michele Brady 566-7160 or Rhetta Morales 352-430-2120.



TRINITY MOVIE NIGHT: Join us on **Tuesday, November 12** as we show the movie **"The Pilgrim's Progress"** at **7:00 p.m.** in The Fellowship Hall. The plot follows: *"This family-friendly animated feature follows closely John Bunyan's masterpiece by the same title. A man named Pilgrim discovers a book, and the more he reads it, the more he is convicted of sin and judgment and a burden begins to develop on his back. Obsessed with discovering the truth and escaping his town, the City of Destruction, he ventures outside the forbidden borders and begins his journey to find a Celestial City ruled by a good and noble King, meeting friends and foes along the way. THE PILGRIM'S PROGRESS was written over 340 years ago by John Bunyan when he was in prison. The story has been smuggled to the underground church during communism, banned for a time in China, and has sold more copies than any other book other than the Bible. The journey of this remarkable work continues as Revelation Media brings the story to a new generation using state-of-the-art CGI animation.* All are invited!



Newsletter Deadline: As a friendly reminder from the office, the deadline for submissions in the **DECEMBER Tidings** is **Friday, November 15th.** Please send all articles to **staff@trinitysummerfield.org** Thank you for your help! ☺



LAY LEADERSHIP SUMMIT - REGION 2 Are you currently a leader at Trinity or interested in becoming one? Would you like to have an opportunity to meet other FLGA District Lay Leaders and share your experiences, participate in a variety of workshops encompassing a broad scope of leadership opportunities all with a focus of encouraging, equipping, and empowering you in your ministry? **The next regional summit will be held on November 15 & 16 at Abiding Savior Lutheran Church in Gainesville, FL.**



All women of Trinity and guests are invited to our **LWML Red Boot Tea** on **Friday, December 6th 2:00-4:00 p.m.** in the Fellowship Hall. Sign-up sheets will begin on November 9th. Mark your calendars and also read details in upcoming bulletins and November Tidings. Come and be a part of this joyous event.



Community of Gratitude Emergency Food Center: Your donations continue to be appreciated and generous. The food center is asking for these items or any **non-perishable items only** that you would like to donate: **All-in-Ones (meals in a box or can), Cereal Bars, Condiments, Jelly, Juice, Potatoes (instant or canned), Soup and Spaghetti Sauce.** Please place your donations in the shopping cart in Room 4B and volunteers will deliver them to the food center. Contact Marilyn Tomsik 352-347-1469 if you have any questions. There are several opportunities for physically volunteering at the center, and if you have any questions call Linda Kafader, Director at 352-322-8810. Thank you to everyone supporting this Board of Human Care ministry.



SECRET PRAYER PALS REVEAL-Shhh...it's about time to spill the beans. **Save this date! Friday, December 13, 2019** for the revealing of our Secret Prayer Pals. More information to follow.



OPERATION SHOEBOX-Once again we have an opportunity to support our troops overseas with more than prayers. Operation Shoebox ships ditty bags to men and women overseas weekly, not just at Christmas. **Their supplies vary, but at the moment, they need small hand sanitizers, gum packets (5 stick kind), and juice bottle packets for 8, 12, or 16 oz. water bottles.** All of these are available at the Dollar Tree, etc. Check donations for postage made out to Operation Shoebox and left with the church office are greatly appreciated. It costs at least \$40 a box to ship overseas. There is a cart in Classroom 4 marked Operation Shoebox for donations. Thank you.



This past week **THE ROCK** assisted **144 students and 2 staff** member. Recent needs expressed by the students include: **individual serving size variety cereal packs, fruit cocktail, canned peaches and pears, spaghetti o's, ravioli, & pop tarts.**

Please contact Jill Esposito in the church office at (352) 307-4500 if you have any questions or to arrange a pick-up of donations.



FORE!! Men's Club Members living in The Villages can join others for Executive Golf as a part of the Men's Club. Send your Name, Email address, and golf ID number to Stu Vogt at stubefit@gmail.com to be included in the roster of golfers. For more details, call Stu at 352- 446-9910. Those living outside The Villages contact Skip Sattler at (901) 550-8060 for more details.

**USHERS
NEEDED**

USHERS NEEDED- Four is okay. Six is workable. Eight is perfect. What do these numbers mean? These are the number of ushers required for the 10:30 church service during the summer months. Now that the snowbirds have returned, eight is the needed number. **Ushering requires nothing but a smile and willingness to serve God.** How about YOU? Can you volunteer to usher one month out of every three? That's right one month on and two months off with a couple of Saturday services. If you need a service time off, no problem, no pressure. We are a flexible group! **PLEASE call Carol Keenan at 216-8106 and offer to serve the Lord as an usher.**



TLC "Veterans Helping Veterans" is an off-shoot of Trinity's Barnabas chapter. The idea is to help Veterans with simple tasks around the home that, because of physical challenges, they are unable to do. Examples would be a changing a light bulb where a ladder is needed, moving an appliance or sofa, etc. There are many others where a contractor is not needed but basic do-it-yourself skills will suffice. **We need members of the congregation whom we can call on when a request is made.** All tasks will be done by appointment at the convenience of the volunteer and a willingness and ability to perform the help desired. At least 2 people will be involved with all projects. This is a great way reach out to veterans and perform a service that will earn appreciation for Trinity. **Please call Nick Bock at 352-470-4577 or the church office at 352-307-4500 if you are willing to add your name to the list.**

Date	Time	TRINITY LUTHERAN WEEKLY EVENTS
10/27 Sun		Reformation Sunday
	8:00 am	Communion Service
	9:00 am	Blood Pressure Checks/ Library
	9:15 am	Musicians' Breakfast/ Fellowship Hall
	9:15 am	New Member Classes/ Room 5
	9:15 am	New Member Classes/ Harbor Chase/ 3 rd Floor Conf.
	9:15 am	South Choir Practice/ Harbor Chase 3 rd Floor
	9:15 am	Women's AM Bible Study/ Room 1
	10:30 am	Communion Service/ Sanctuary
	10:30 am	Communion Service/ Harbor Chase on the 3 rd Floor
	2:00 pm	Compassionate Friends Butterfly Release/ Fellowship Hall
10/28 Mon	9:30 am	Prayer Shawls Meeting/ Room 1
	10:00 am	Mission Meeting/ Room 5
10/29 Tues	9:30 am	South Ladies Bible Study/ 2 nd Floor Scrabble Room
	10:00 am	Cleaning of Sanctuary
	10:30 am	Adoration in Motion/ Fellowship Hall
	1:00 pm	Veteran's Center Group/ Room 5
	7:30 pm	Narcotics Anonymous/ Room 1
10/30 Wed	4:00 pm	Pastor's Bible Study on Revelation / Fellowship Hall
	5:00 pm	Meal and Fellowship/ Fellowship Hall
	7:30 pm	Narcotics Anonymous/ Room 1
10/31 Thurs	10:30 am	Priscilla Bible Class/ Room 3
	2:00 pm	Cleaning of the Fellowship Hall
	2:30 pm	Bells of Trinity Rehearsal/ Sanctuary
	2:30 pm	Veteran's Center Closed Group/ Room 5
	4:00 pm	SONrise Choir Rehearsal/ Sanctuary
	4:00 pm	New Member Orientation/Fellowship Hall
	5:00 pm	Glory Road Rehearsal/ Sanctuary
	6:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal/ Sanctuary
11/01 Fri	12:00 pm	Scrappy Quilters/ Room 1
11/02 Sat	8:00 am	Pastor Dan's Men's Bible Study/Fellowship Hall
	4:00 pm	Communion Service/ Sanctuary

11/03 Sun		All Saints/ New Member Sunday
		LWML Mite Box Collection
	8:00 am	Communion Service
	9:15 am	New Member Breakfast/ Fellowship Hall
	9:15 am	South Choir Practice/ Harbor Chase 3 rd Floor
	9:15 am	Women's AM Bible Study/ Room 1
	10:30 am	Communion Service & Reception of New Members/ Sanctuary
	10:30 am	Communion Service/ Harbor Chase on the 3 rd Floor

Attendance		
Saturday 10-19-19	4:00 pm	120
Sunday 10-20-19	8:00 am	182
	10:30 am	266
Trinity South 10-20-19	10:30 am	49
	Total	617



THE COFFEE STATION IS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS FOR NOVEMBER, DECEMBER and JANUARY. The Sign-Up Sheet is at the Coffee Station. It's a great way to meet people and to foster that friendly, caring attitude that Trinity specializes in. Questions? Call Toney Kendrick, (352) 446-5133.



LUTHERAN HOUR MINISTRIES- Lutheran Hour Ministries' Daily Devotions now feature a weekly focus on the church calendar's lectionary. Each week, individual days are devoted to the Psalms, the Old Testament, the New Testament epistles, and Gospel texts – one day each. The remaining three days feature devotions on a timeless hymn; a text from one of LHM's resources; and a sermon excerpt by a previous speaker of The Lutheran Hour. During Advent and Lent, LHM will continue to publish a special collection of devotions to help you walk through the season. Check it out at [www.lhm.org/daily devotions](http://www.lhm.org/daily-devotions) today!



STEWARDSHIP NOTE- “Then I saw another angel flying directly overhead, with an eternal gospel to proclaim to those who dwell on earth.” - Rev. 14:6 During the

Reformation this text was used to refer to Luther’s ministry and the Lutheran message: we have an eternal Gospel to proclaim. Christ has freed us from our sins without any works on our part. We are saved by grace alone. And, ironically enough, Luther said this should make him the “apostle of works” because once we are freed by grace, we are truly free to serve God in works that flow from thankfulness and praise.



DAILY BREAD MINISTRY: Are you a Trinity member experiencing a temporary need of help with meals? It may be that you are recovering from an illness, injury, or surgery. Our congregation has a Daily Bread Ministry of caring volunteers willing to bring you a prepared meal just for the asking. **Contact LouAnn O'Brien at 352-643-1558 or Jane Larson at 352-233-9653** When meals are requested, volunteers are called upon who live close to the household in need. For this reason, the ministry could use more volunteer cooks who live in The Villages.



Check out the **Project Connect** display in the narthex for free booklets on a variety of topics that provide down-to-earth insight about things people deal with every day – grief, stress, prayer, relationships and more. Share the **Project Connect** booklets with friends, family and neighbors. *Sponsored by the Board of Evangelism.*



PERFUME ALLERGIES/SENSITIVITIES: Did you know that some people are sensitive or allergic to strong scents? Strong aftershave and scented lotions can even cause asthma symptoms for some people. Please be sensitive to this and use perfumes lightly..



FOR A CHUCKLE – “For fast acting relief try slowing down.”-Lily Tomlin



THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK- “A Good Example has twice the value of Good Advice.”

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Christianity is the only religion of the world to insist that reconciliation with the creator cannot ever be accomplished by our performance. Only through the revelation of a Savior, who would be the substitute sacrifice for all of our wrongdoing and make us right with God, can we finally overcome our sense of separation from the Almighty.

This is a gift and promise of life that we rejoice in and share with Christians around the world. We share with all Christians the desire that everyone would come to know Jesus and experience a life under “new management” – the grace and purpose of God.

Trinity is a member of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod. We enjoy a blessed confessional heritage of Biblical Christianity with over 65 million Lutherans around the world and over 7 million Lutherans in the U.S. alone. What we know and believe comes only from the Bible, which is God’s inspired Word. While the Bible is certainly our guide for holy living, the primary purpose of the Bible is to reveal Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord.

We believe every Sunday at Trinity Lutheran Church is a “little Easter”, a celebration of the resurrection of our Lord. We celebrate the sacrament of the Lord’s Supper every Sunday in all worship services. We believe the forgiveness and strength of faith we are promised through receiving the very body and blood of Christ is so greatly needed by all of God’s people, for we are truly a community of wounded healers. For a Christian Church to be anything else than a place of common fellowship and unity and a source of strength for our fragile faith is to fail its God-ordained purpose and intent.

Our pastors would like to be of service to you in any way they can. Feel free to call the church office or speak with Pastor Dan or Pastor Blair directly if you wish to find out more about the church or have more personal needs of a spiritual nature.