



TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Moorhead, Minnesota



TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

AUGUST 13, 2017

WELCOME TO TRINITY!



Thank you for worshipping with us today. If you are visiting, please fill out the pink slip on the front of this Order of Service and place it in the offering. We would love the opportunity to get to know you better. YOU are welcome at Trinity!

Offerings - Trinity Lutheran is a tithing church. We support many mission partners throughout our community. We also dedicate a percentage of our offerings to the mission of the wider church through the NW MN Synod of the ELCA. We are able to support these ministries because of your offerings and tithes. Thank you for making a difference through your gifts.

Coffee is served between the services from 9:30-10:25 a.m. in the CLC. Stay late or come early and join in this opportunity for making and visiting friends.

Radio Sponsorship - Listen to 9 a.m. Sanctuary Worship live on KNFL (740 AM). These dates are available for sponsorship: August 20, 27; September 3, 24; October 1, 8, 15, 22. Please help us continue this important outreach ministry. Call Char at 218-236-1333 to sign up.

WHAT'S NEW TODAY?

Prayer Concerns - Vernell Weiss, Lillian Roman, Dana Willard, Ione Dusek, Jeffrey Gellner, Lynne Kovash, Mollie Bylund, Gwen Johanson, Kirsten Johnson (caringbridge.org/visit/kirstenjohnson65)

Death: Father of Corey Elmer

Funeral: Duane Nelson

Holy Baptisms - Vivian Rose Olson, child of Bradley & Jill Olson, at 8:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary; Arie Walter & Patrick Lee Beatty, children of Matthew & Molly Beatty, at 10:30 a.m. in the CLC.

JAZZ WORSHIP SERVICE



Join us next **Wednesday, August 16**, at 6:30 p.m. in the CLC for a special Jazz Worship Service!

Don't miss out on this fun worship opportunity!

NEWS AND NOTES

All City Women's Bible Study

The final study of the summer will be held on **Tuesday, August 15** at 9:30 a.m. at Trinity! All are welcome!

Jazz Worship Service

Mark your calendars for a special jazz liturgy on **Wednesday, August 16**, at 6:30 p.m. in the CLC

TLCW: SWO Convention

Registration materials for the upcoming SWO Convention (**September 14-15**) are at the information desk & online. Call Fair Hills Resort directly for your room reservation.

Voting member registration is due by **August 15** & non-voting registration is due by **September 1**. The physical offering for the convention is new or gently used duffle bags filled with personal care items, clothing, stuffed animals, books, pajamas with no feet, pull-ups, etc. for toddlers size 2-4T. Please bring your donations to the church office by **September 8**.

Churches United Community Picnic

Join Churches United for a community picnic on **Tuesday, August 15**, from 4:30-7:30 p.m. at Gooseberry Park in the Large Shelter! They'll be serving hot dogs, burgers, salads, fruit, desserts and beverages. This event is free and for all ages. All are welcome!

ATTENDANCE

<u>Wednesday, August 9</u>	<u>Sunday, August 6</u>
6:30 p.m. CLC - 10	8:30 a.m. Sanctuary - 171
	10:30 a.m. CLC - 161
	TOTAL - 342

SUNDAY, AUGUST 20

Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost

8:30 a.m. - Sanctuary

Preaching: Pastor Kristina Waters

10:30 a.m. - Christian Life Center

Preaching: Pastor Kristina Waters

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23

6:30 p.m. - CLC

Preaching: Pastor Kristina Waters

Texts for Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost

First Reading - ???

Second Reading - ???

Gospel - ???

YOUR CONGREGATION NEEDS YOU!



Sign up online at bit.ly/servetrinity to serve coffee, read scripture & serve communion on Sundays!

**We can't do it
without you!**

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

For complete schedule go to www.trinitymhd.org

Monday, August 14

- 7:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study - Fry'n Pan
- 10:00 a.m. Senior Bible Study - CLC Classrooms
- 6:30 p.m. Produce Collection Site - Parking Lot
- 6:45 p.m. Boy Scouts - Fellowship Hall
- 7:00 p.m. Financial Peace University - Lounge

Tuesday, August 15

- 9:30 a.m. All City Bible Study - CLC
- 1:30 p.m. Knit Wits - Lounge
- 3:00 p.m. Trinity Serves at Churches United
- 6:00 p.m. Fourté Quartet Rehearsal - Room 38
- 6:45 p.m. Boy Scouts Parents Meeting -
CLC Classrooms
- 8:00 p.m. AA and Al-Anon

Wednesday, August 16

- 6:00 p.m. Building Committee Meeting -
Conference Room
- 6:30 p.m. Jazz Worship Service - CLC**
- 7:15 p.m. Worship Ensemble Rehearsal - CLC

Thursday, August 17

- 5:30 p.m. Acappella Xpress - Room 46
- 7:00 p.m. Venturing Crew 007 - FH Classroom

Sunday, August 20

- 8:30 a.m. Communion Worship - Sanctuary**
- 9:30 a.m. Coffee & Conversation - CLC
- 10:30 a.m. Communion Worship - CLC**

Join us
AUGUST 27

BEER & HYMNS
@ Junkyard Brewing Co.

7:00-9:00 p.m.



MUSIC BY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Whether you just want to have a beer &
listen to music or sing along with some classic
hymns, all are welcome!

ORDER OF SERVICE

The congregation is invited to participate at the places marked with bold type.

PRELUDE

Andrew Steinberg, Organist

WELCOME

GATHERING HYMN “When Peace Like a River”

#785

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the Holy Trinity, one God, full of compassion and mercy, abounding in steadfast love.

Amen.

Trusting God’s promise of forgiveness, let us confess our sin against God and one another.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

Eternal God our Creator,

in you we live and move and have our being. Look upon us, your children, the work of your hands. Forgive us all our offenses, and cleanse us from proud thoughts and empty desires. By your grace draw us near to you, our refuge and our strength; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. God’s love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit. In the mercy of almighty God, Christ died for us while we still were sinners; and for his sake, God forgives you all your sins.

Amen.

APOSTOLIC GREETING

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

And also with you.

KYRIE

Lord, have mer - cy. Christ, have mer - cy

Lord, have mer - cy; have mer-cy on us, O Lord.

The musical score for the Kyrie is written for piano. It consists of two systems of music. The first system has four measures of music with lyrics: "Lord, have mer - cy. Christ, have mer - cy". The second system has five measures of music with lyrics: "Lord, have mer - cy; have mer-cy on us, O Lord." The music is in G major and 4/4 time. The piano accompaniment features chords and moving lines in both hands.

HYMN OF PRAISE

*Congregation sings refrains.
Cantor sings verse.*

Glo - ry to God in the High - est, and peace to God's

1. peo - ple on earth. 2. peo - ple on earth.

The musical score for the Hymn of Praise is written for piano. It consists of two systems of music. The first system has four measures of music with lyrics: "Glo - ry to God in the High - est, and peace to God's". The second system has two measures of music with lyrics: "1. peo - ple on earth. 2. peo - ple on earth." The music is in G major and 3/4 time. The piano accompaniment features chords and moving lines in both hands.

Verses

Lord, heavenly King, almighty God; we worship you, we give you thanks,
We praise you for your glory, Lord, Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father.

Lord, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world have mercy on us;
For you alone are the Lord, the most high Jesus Christ with the Holy Spirit.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

O God our defender, storms rage around and within us and cause us to be afraid. Rescue your people from despair, deliver your sons and daughters from fear, and preserve us in the faith of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

FIRST LESSON 1 Kings 19:9-18

9 At [Horeb, the mount of God,] [Elijah] came to a cave, and spent the night there. Then the word of the Lord came to him, saying, “What are you doing here, Elijah?” 10 He answered, “I have been very zealous for the Lord, the God of hosts; for the Israelites have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword. I alone am left, and they are seeking my life, to take it away.” 11 He said, “Go out and stand on the mountain before the Lord, for the Lord is about to pass by.” Now there was a great wind, so strong that it was splitting mountains and breaking rocks in pieces before the Lord, but the Lord was not in the wind; and after the wind an earthquake, but the Lord was not in the earthquake; 12 and after the earthquake a fire, but the Lord was not in the fire; and after the fire a sound of sheer silence. 13 When Elijah heard it, he wrapped his face in his mantle and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave. Then there came a voice to him that said, “What are you doing here, Elijah?” 14 He answered, “I have been very zealous for the Lord, the God of hosts; for the Israelites have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword. I alone am left, and they are seeking my life, to take it away.” 15 Then the Lord said to him, “Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus; when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael as king over Aram. 16 Also you shall anoint Jehu son of Nimshi as king over Israel; and you shall anoint Elisha son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah as prophet in your place. 17 Whoever escapes from the sword of Hazael, Jehu shall kill; and whoever escapes from the sword of Jehu, Elisha shall kill. 18 Yet I will leave seven thousand in Israel, all the knees that have not bowed to Baal, and every mouth that has not kissed him.”

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SECOND LESSON Romans 10:5-15

5 Moses writes concerning the righteousness that comes from the law, that “the person who does these things will live by them.” 6 But the righteousness that comes from faith says, “Do not say in your heart, ‘Who will ascend into heaven?’” (that is, to bring Christ down) 7 “or ‘Who will descend into the abyss?’” (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead). 8 But what does it say? “The word is near you, on your lips and in your heart” (that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); 9 because if you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. 10 For one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the mouth and so is saved. 11 The scripture says, “No one who believes in him will be put to shame.” 12 For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all and is generous to all who call on him. 13 For, “Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.” 14 But how are they to call on one in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in one of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone to proclaim him? 15 And how are they to proclaim him unless they are sent? As it is written, “How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!”

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia, Lord you have the Words of Life

GOSPEL Matthew 14:22-33

The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the 14th chapter.

Glory to You, O Lord.

22 [Jesus] made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead to the other side [of the Sea of Galilee], while he dismissed the crowds. 23 And after he had dismissed the crowds, he went up the mountain by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, 24 but by this time the boat, battered by the waves, was far from the land, for the wind was against them. 25 And early in the morning he came walking toward them on the sea. 26 But when the disciples saw him walking on the sea, they were terrified, saying, “It is a ghost!” And they cried out in fear. 27 But immediately Jesus spoke to them and said, “Take heart, it is I; do not be afraid.” 28 Peter answered him, “Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water.” 29 He said, “Come.” So Peter got out of the boat, started walking on the water, and came toward Jesus. 30 But when he noticed the strong wind, he became frightened, and beginning to sink, he cried out, “Lord, save me!” 31 Jesus immediately reached out his hand and caught him, saying to him, “You of little faith, why did you doubt?” 32 When they got into the boat, the wind ceased. 33 And those in the boat worshiped him, saying, “Truly you are the Son of God.”

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

Pastor Matt Peterson

HOLY BAPTISM

Vivian Rose Olson, child of Bradley & Jill Olson

Sponsors: Matt & Jodi Saari

Congregational Sponsors: Carmen & Deb Walter

In baptism, our gracious God frees us from sin and death by joining us to the death and resurrection of our Lord, Jesus Christ. We are born children of a fallen humanity; by water and the Holy Spirit we are reborn children of God and made members of the church, the body of Christ. Living with Christ and in the communion of saints, we grow in faith, love, and obedience to the will of God.

As parents and sponsors, do you present Vivian Rose Olson for the sacrament of holy baptism?

We do.

In Christian love, you have presented Vivian for holy baptism. You are entrusted with the following responsibilities: to live with her among God’s faithful people, to bring her to the word of God and the holy supper, teach her the Lord’s Prayer, the Creed, and the Ten Commandments, place in her hands the holy scriptures, and nurture her in faith and prayer, so that she may learn to trust God, proclaim Christ through word and deed, care for others and the world God made, and work for justice and peace. As parents and sponsors, do you promise to help her grow in the Christian faith and life?

We do.

(congregation stands to join in the confession of faith)

I now ask you to profess your faith in Christ Jesus, to reject sin, and to confess the faith of the church, the faith in which we baptize. Do you renounce the devil, the powers of this world, and the ways of sin that draw you away from God?

We do.

Do you believe in God the Father?

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s 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 to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

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.

Let us pray for the whole people of God and for all people according to their needs.

Lord, in your mercy.

Hear our prayer.

(prayers conclude with...)

We give you thanks, O God, for in the beginning your Spirit moved over the waters and by your Word you created the world, calling forth life in which you took delight. Through the waters of the flood you delivered Noah and his family, and through the sea you led your people of Israel from slavery into freedom. At the river your Son was baptized by John and anointed with the Holy Spirit. By the baptism of Jesus' death and resurrection you set us free from the power of sin and death and raise us up to live in you. Pour out your Holy Spirit, the power of your living Word, that those who are washed in the waters of baptism may be given new life. To you be given honor and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

Amen.

Vivian Rose Olson, I baptize you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Let us pray.

We give you thanks, O God, that through water and the Holy Spirit you give your daughters and sons new birth, cleanse them from sin, and raise them to eternal life. Sustain Louis with the gift of your Holy Spirit: the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord, the spirit of joy in your presence, both now and forever.

Amen.

Vivian Rose, child of God, you have been sealed by the Holy Spirit and marked with the cross of Christ forever.

Amen.

Let your light so shine before others that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.

Through Baptism God has made Vivian Rose a new member of the priesthood we all share in Christ Jesus, that we may proclaim the praise of God and bear God's creative and redeeming word to all the world.

We welcome you into God's family. We receive you as a fellow member of the body of Christ, child of the same heavenly Father, and servant with us in the kingdom of God.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

**For the fruit of all creation, thanks be to God.
 For these gifts to every nation, thanks be to God.
 For the plowing, sowing, reaping, silent growth while we are sleeping,
 future needs in earth’s safekeeping, thanks be to God.**

OFFERING PRAYER

Merciful God, you open wide your hand and satisfy the need of every living thing. You have set this feast before us. Open our hands to receive it. Open our hearts to embrace it. Open our lives to live it. We pray this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We left them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right . . . join their unending hymn.

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,

ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,

heav-en and earth are full, full of your glo - ry.

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

Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

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

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

On the night in which he was betrayed...

LORD'S PRAYER

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.

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

Trinity Lutheran practices open communion; all are welcome at the table of the Lord. Those not communing may come forward for a blessing. If you prefer to receive communion at your seat, please inform an usher. Grape juice and gluten free wafers are available.

DISTRIBUTION MUSIC

“Eternal Father, Strong to Save”	#753
“Precious Lord, Take My Hand”	#773
“Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me”	#767

BLESSING

May the body and blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ, strengthen you and keep you in his grace. **Amen.**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Jesus Christ, host of this meal, you have given us not only this bread and cup, but your very self, that we may feast on your great love. Filled again by these signs of your grace, may we hunger for your reign of justice, may we thirst for your way of peace, for you are Lord forevermore. Amen.

BENEDICTION

The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.
The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.
Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SENDING HYMN "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" #632

DISMISSAL

Go in Peace. Serve the Lord!
Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE

Andrew Steinberg, Organist

"THE WORSHIP HAS ENDED, NOW THE SERVICE BEGINS."



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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL CELEBRATION!

AUGUST 13, 2017

ORDER OF WORSHIP

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Pre-Service Music

Welcome

Confession & Forgiveness

We gather as we live in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Trusting God's promise of forgiveness, let us confess our sin against God and one another.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

Most merciful God,

we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Greeting

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

And also with you.

Gathering Song

"When Peace Like a River"

Prayer of the Day

Let us pray:

O God, you give us comfort, patience, peace, love and joy. Help us to discover all your good gifts! Amen.

Holy Baptisms

Arie Walter & Patrick Lee Beatty, children of Matthew & Molly Beatty
Sponsors: John Beatty, Robin Simonson
Congregational Sponsors: Karin & Paul Held

Sharing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**

VBS Celebration

PASSPORT TO PERU

Day 1 - God Gives Us Comfort

Song: All That Is Good

Verse: 2 Corinthians 1:4

Day 2 - God Gives Us Patience

Song: Trading My Sorrows

Verse: Psalm 22:14

Day 3 - God Gives Us Peace

Song: God Has Given To Me

Verse: John 14:27

Day 4 - God Gives Us Love

Song: I Have A Friend

Verse: 1 Corinthians 13:13

Day 5 - God Gives Us Joy

Song: O Happy Day

Verse: Nehemiah 8:10

Offering Song

“Jesus Loves Me!”

Benediction

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord’s face shine on you with grace and mercy.

The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

Amen.

Announcements

Sending Song

“Go, My Children, With My Blessing”

Dismissal

Go in peace. Serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

Post-Service Music