

JOHN 16:13

When He, the Spírít of Truth, has come, He will guide you into all truth



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Pre-Service Meditation *1 Corinthians 2:12* Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit who is from God, that we might know the things that have been freely given to us by God.

Prayer: O Holy Spirit, You have powerfully changed us through Your Word. Once lost sinners, You have declared us saints of God. Once in the darkness of unbelief, you have revealed to us the light of the gospel. Show us every day the love of God as revealed to us in Holy Scripture. Strengthen our faith and encourage us to live for You alone. Amen.



Service of the Word

Opening Prayer



Invocation

- In the name of the Father and of the

 → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C (spoken) Amen.

Confession and Absolution

- We have come into the presence of God, who created us to love and serve Him as His dear children. But we have disobeyed Him and deserve only His wrath and punishment. Therefore, let us confess our sins to Him and plead for His mercy.
- Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth. In countless ways I have sinned against You and do not deserve to be called Your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray: Have mercy on me according to Your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin and take away my guilt.
- God, our heavenly Father, has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, He has removed your guilt forever. You are His own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to His will.



(spoken) Amen.





Salutation and Collect of the Day

- **P** The Lord be with you.
- **G** (*spoken*) And also with you.
- P Let us pray...
- C (spoken) Amen.

First Reading

John 16:7-15

Nevertheless I tell you the truth. It is to your advantage that I go away; for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you; but if I depart, I will send Him to you. 8 And when He has come, He will convict the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment: 9 of sin, because they do not believe in Me; 10 of righteousness, because I go to My Father and you see Me no more; 11 of judgment, because the ruler of this world is judged.

12 "I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. 13 However, when He, the Spirit of truth, has come, He will guide you into all truth; for He will not speak on His own authority, but whatever He hears He will speak; and He will tell you things to come. 14 He will glorify Me, for He will take of what is Mine and declare it to you. 15 All things that the Father has are Mine. Therefore I said that He will take of Mine and declare it to you.

Psalm of the Day

Psalm 143 (selected verses)

- P Hear my prayer, O Lord, Give ear to my supplications!
- In Your faithfulness answer me, And in Your righteousness.
- For the enemy has persecuted my soul; He has crushed my life to the ground;
- He has made me dwell in darkness, Like those who have long been dead.

- **P** Therefore my spirit is overwhelmed within me;
- **C** My heart within me is distressed.
- Cause me to hear Your lovingkindness in the morning, For in You do I trust;
- Cause me to know the way in which I should walk, For I lift up my soul to You.
- P Teach me to do Your will, For You are my God;
- **C** Your Spirit is good. Lead me in the land of uprightness.
- P Revive me, O Lord, for Your name's sake!
- **G** For Your righteousness' sake bring my soul out of trouble.

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 2:9-16

But as it is written:

"Eye has not seen, nor ear heard,

Nor have entered into the heart of man

The things which God has prepared for those who love Him."

10 But God has revealed them to us through His Spirit. For the Spirit searches all things, yes, the deep things of God. 11 For what man knows the things of a man except the spirit of the man which is in him? Even so no one knows the things of God except the Spirit of God. 12 Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit who is from God, that we might know the things that have been freely given to us by God.

13 These things we also speak, not in words which man's wisdom teaches but which the Holy Spirit teaches, comparing spiritual things with spiritual. 14 But the natural man does not receive the things of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness to him; nor can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned. 15 But he who is spiritual judges all things, yet he himself is rightly judged by no one. 16 For "who has known the mind of the Lord that he may instruct Him?" But we have the mind of Christ.

P Blessed are they who hear the Word of God and keep it!





Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by Whom all things were made: Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, Whose kingdom will have no end. And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, Who proceeds from the Father and the Son, Who with the Father and the Son together

is worshiped and glorified,

Who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, And I look for the resurrection of the dead And the life of the world to come. Amen.

Hymn of the Day TLH 235 Come Holy Spirit, Enter In (vv. 1-3, 6-7)

Sermon

Isaiah 44:1-8

"Yet hear now, O Jacob My servant, and Israel whom I have chosen. 2 Thus says the Lord who made you and formed you from the womb, who will help you: 'Fear not, O Jacob My servant; and you, Jeshurun, whom I have chosen. 3 For I will pour water on him who is thirsty, and floods on the dry ground; I will pour My Spirit on your descendants, and My blessing on your offspring; 4 They will spring up among the grass Like willows by the watercourses.' 5 One will say, 'I am the Lord's'; another will call himself by the name of Jacob; another will write with his hand, 'The Lord's,' and name himself by the name of Israel. 6 "Thus says the Lord, the King of Israel, and his Redeemer, the Lord of hosts: 'I am the First and I am the Last; Besides Me there is no God. 7 And who can proclaim as I do? Then let him declare it and set it in order for Me, since I appointed the ancient people. And the things that are coming and shall come, let them show these to them. 8 Do not fear, nor be afraid; have I not told you from that time, and declared it? You are My witnesses. Is there a God besides Me? Indeed there is no other Rock; I know not one.'"

The Spirit Ends the Drought

I: The dryness of sin II: The drenching of the Word III: The development of the redeemed

- P The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.
- C Amen.

OFFERTORY



Hymn

TLH 234 Holy Ghost with Light Divine

Prayer of the Church

Service of the Sacrament

- **P** The Lord be with you
- **C** (spoken) And also with you
- **P** Lift up your hearts!
- **G** (spoken) We lift them up to the LORD!
- It is right and beneficial that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God. For you have caused Your Holy Spirit to go out into the world with the glorious message of salvation in Christ. Therefore, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we magnify Your glorious Name, evermore praising You and saying:



Words of Institution



Distribution of the Lord's Supper

<u>A NOTE TO OUR GUESTS ABOUT COMMUNION:</u> All CLC churches practice "close communion." We ask that only those who are members of our church or another congregation in the CLC come forward to receive the Sacrament. This is NOT a judgment on your faith! Rather, it is an expression of our own faith and unity. If you would like more information, or are interested in becoming a member, please speak to the pastor.

We continue with the singing of the Nunc Dimittis



O LORD, NOW LET YOUR SERVANT Nunc Dimittis

P Go in peace. Serve the Lord with gladness.

THANKSGIVING



The Lord's Prayer

P Let us pray:

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we pray that You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and fervent love toward one another. We ask this in Jesus' Name, and it is in His Name that we join to pray together:

 Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed by 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

Benediction

- 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 H give you peace.
 - **G** (spoken) Amen.

Closing Hymn

WS 740 Holy Spirit, End Our Sadness

Silent Prayer

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Welcome to worship at Trinity!

Please wait to be ushered out of the sanctuary. Please do not leave any bulletins or other materials behind. **Offerings** may be left in the offering plate in the narthex or mailed to the church.

Guest and Visitors, we are delighted to have you here for worship with us this morning and are grateful for the opportunity to share the saving gospel message of Jesus Christ with you! We invite you to sign our guest book in the entryway. Please speak to the members and pastor after worship to learn more about the Gospel ministry here at *Trinity*. We hope to worship with you again soon!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIBLE CLASS & SUNDAY SCHOOL

Bible Class – SUMMER RECESS (no bible class) Sunday School – SUMMER RECESS (no Sunday school) Wednesday bible class (6pm): Learn From Me

COUNCIL AND WOMEN'S CIRCLE – A week from this Sunday following worship, our Church Council and our Women's Circle will meet. Officers, please have your reports ready and emailed in a timely manner. Ladies, please stay and join the discussion if you are able.

MIDWEEK BIBLE CLASS – We held our first midweek bible class last week but if you missed it, that doesn't mean you can't jump in this week! We will meet again at 6pm at church this Wednesday evening to continue our study in "Learn From Me". If you'd like a digital copy of the materials to look ahead or are interested in joining the discussion remotely, please let me know!

DAILY REST RENEWAL – DAILY REST RENEWAL – We will be sending in our Daily Rest subscription payment this week but if you didn't have the chance to subscribe or renew your subscription, you can still do that at any time. Simply go to the following link to place your order:

https://clcbookhouse.org/shop/adult-devotions/daily-rest-subscription/

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL – So far, we've only had two volunteers to help with the various aspects of Vacation Bible School. It is not a terribly difficult

or complicated program, but it is one that requires a fair amount of help for supervision and lessons. Please prayerfully consider if you might be able to contribute your time to this wonderful opportunity for evangelism. It would be 9am-12pm, Tue-Fri sometime toward the end of July or beginning of August. Once we have a larger group of volunteers, we can discuss what week works best for all. Contact Pastor Naumann if you are able to serve Trinity and the youth of Spokane in this way! Matthew 19:14 *But Jesus said, "Let the little children come to Me, and do not forbid them; for of such is the kingdom of heaven."*

PROSPECTUS – The Prospectus to the 2022 General Convention of the CLC is available now! There are hard copies in the entryway at church and there the digital version can be accessed at the following link:

tinyurl.com/CLC-Prosp-2022

BUSINESS CARDS – Inviting your family, friends, and coworkers to church just got a little easier! In the entryway is a box of TLC business cards. There are plenty, so please take a stack and use them liberally!

GETHSEMANE FAMILY FUN NIGHT - This Wednesday, June 8th, our sister congregation in the Valley will be hosting a family fun night beginning at 5:30pm on Gethsemane Lutheran Church's lawn. There will be food and entertainment, and you are invited!

PRAYERS REQUESTED

- A few weeks ago, Paul Hein was admitted to the hospital after suffering an accident at his nursing home. He has since returned but has suffered a painful injury to his knee. Please keep Paul in your prayers that God may grant him comfort of body and soul during his recovery.
- As we view the ongoing conflict in Ukraine, may our Almighty God protect His children in that part of the world. With the many catastrophes that have taken place and continue to arise, may the Spirit lead us to look forward to Christ's return with eyes of faith which longingly hope for the eternal peace of heaven assured to us for Jesus' sake!
- A reminder to keep **Trinity's gospel ministry** in your prayers. May the Lord bless our labors in Spokane as a congregation and as individuals in sharing the hope of Easter and the empty tomb with

others so that many may turn to Jesus and be saved through the hearing and believing of His Word.

CALL NEWS

• Pastor Samuel Naumann, Resurrection Lutheran Church, Corpus Christi, TX, has <u>received</u> the call to Ascension Lutheran Church, Tacoma, WA.

MOWING SCHEDULE		
This week	Isaac Everett	
6/18	Pastor Naumann	
6/25	Dennis Lux	

	Attendance	Offering
5/8/22	22	\$1050
5/15/22	19	\$950
5/22/22	16	\$1285
5/29/22	18	\$1375

JUNE CLEANING SCHEDULE		
North Entry	Karen Clark	
Sanctuary	Jeanne Helke	
Basement	Karla Toll	

GREETER SCHEDULE		
Next Sunday	Tom & Molly Bettinger	
6/19	Pastor Naumann	
6/26	Randy & Lynne Estes	

