



This is My body

This is My blood

which is shed

for you

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Pre-Service Meditation

Luke 22:19

And He took bread, gave thanks and broke it, and gave it to them, saying, "This is My body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of Me."

Prayer: O Holy Lord Jesus, you have given to Your Church the gift of the Lord's Supper. Through it, we receive the surety of forgiveness and the strengthening of our faith through Your true body and blood in, with, and under the bread and wine. Help us to look eagerly forward to when we may next receive your sacrament. Help us to prepare our hearts accordingly. May we never despise this blessed and powerful display of your love and grace. Amen.



Service of the Word

Opening Prayer

Opening Hymn

LSB 622 Lord Jesus Christ, You Have Prepared (vv. 1-4) (printed on bulletin insert)

Invocation

 ${f P}$ In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.



(spoken) Amen.

Confession and Absolution

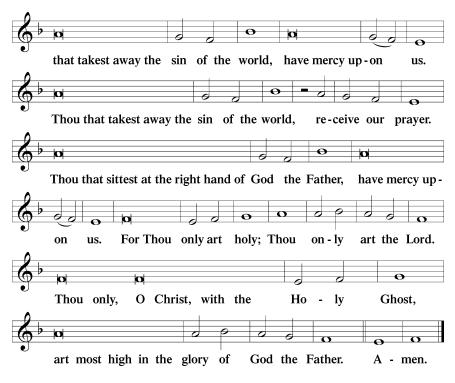
- Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
 - **G** (spoken) who made heaven and earth.
- I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
 - **C** (spoken) and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.
 - O almighty God, merciful Father, I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am truly sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.
- P Upon this your confession, I, as a called servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of our Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the +I Son and of the Holy Spirit.



(spoken) Amen.

■ In the peace of forgiveness, let us praise the Lord!





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

Exodus 40:34-38

When Israel had finished constructing the tabernacle according to the LORD's instruction, He was present in it. In a similar way, God is truly present in the Lord's Supper as well. Christ dwells with us bodily in the sacrament!

Then the cloud covered the tabernacle of meeting, and the glory of the Lord filled the tabernacle. 35 And Moses was not able to enter the tabernacle of meeting, because the cloud rested above it, and the glory of the Lord filled the tabernacle. 36 Whenever the cloud was taken up from above the tabernacle, the children of Israel would go onward in all their journeys. 37 But if the cloud was not taken up, then they did not journey till the day that it was taken up. 38 For the cloud of the Lord was above the tabernacle by

day, and fire was over it by night, in the sight of all the house of Israel, throughout all their journeys.

Psalm 114

When Israel went out of Egypt, the house of Jacob from a people of strange language

C Judah became His sanctuary, and Israel His dominion.

P The sea saw it and fled; Jordan turned back.

The mountains skipped like rams, the little hills like lambs.
 What ails you, O sea, that you fled? O Jordan, that you turned back?
 O mountains, that you skipped like rams? O little hills, like lambs?

P Tremble, O earth, at the presence of the Lord,

C At the presence of the God of Jacob,

 ${f P}$ Who turned the rock into a pool of water,

C The flint into a fountain of waters.

Second Reading

Luke 22:14-22

Jesus institutes a new celebration meal for future generations of believers using bread and wine. He says that when properly celebrated, we receive His true body and blood for the forgiveness of sins. This is why we call it, "the Lord's Supper".

When the hour had come, He sat down, and the twelve apostles with Him. 15 Then He said to them, "With fervent desire I have desired to eat this Passover with you before I suffer; 16 for I say to you, I will no longer eat of it until it is fulfilled in the kingdom of God."

17 Then He took the cup, and gave thanks, and said, "Take this and divide it among yourselves; 18 for I say to you, I will not drink of the fruit of the vine until the kingdom of God comes."

19 And He took bread, gave thanks and broke it, and gave it to them, saying, "This is My body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of Me."

20 Likewise He also took the cup after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in My blood, which is shed for you. 21 But behold, the hand of My betrayer is with Me on the table. 22 And truly the Son of Man goes as it has been determined, but woe to that man by whom He is betrayed!"

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 Ghost 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 on the right hand of the Father. And He shall come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Ghost, 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 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

LSB 625 Lord Jesus Christ, Life Giving Bread (printed on bulletin insert)

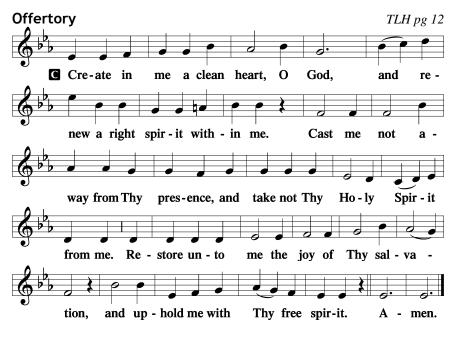
Sermon

1 Corinthians 10:16-17

16 The cup of blessing which we bless, is it not the communion of the blood of Christ? The bread which we break, is it not the communion of the body of Christ? 17 For we, though many, are one bread and one body; for we all partake of that one bread.

Jesus Puts the Union in Communion I: Between the bread/wine and the body/blood II: Between the believer and Himself III: Between all believers

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



Hymn

WS 755 What is This Bread?

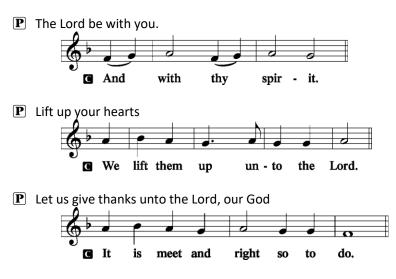
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Prayer of the Church

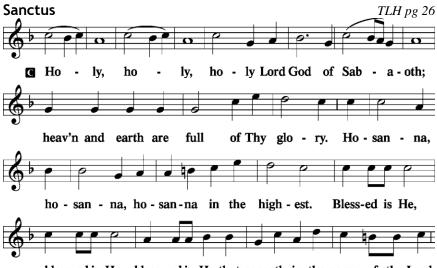
Service of the Sacrament

Preface

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 It is truly proper 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 brought to us the Word of reconciliation and invited us to partake of this heavenly food that, through it, we may be united us to Your Son and to one another by faith. Therefore, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:



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



Lord's Prayer

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P 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. . .



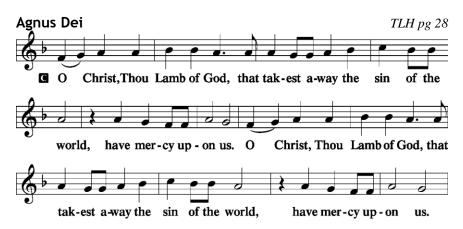
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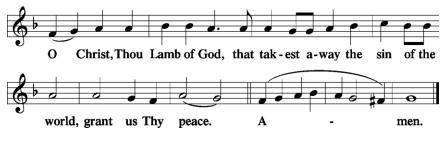
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P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

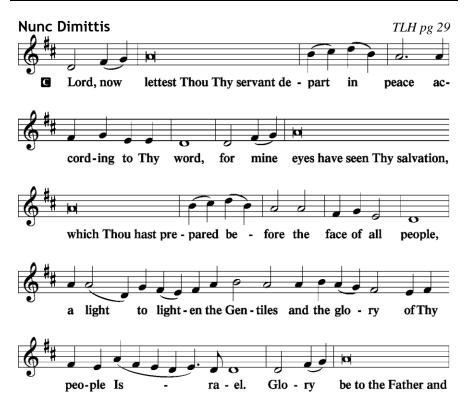


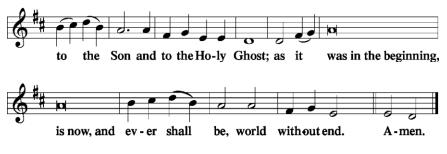




Distribution

<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.

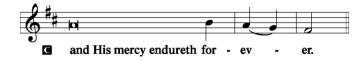




Thanksgiving

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P Oh, give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good.



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; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Benediction

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 + give you peace.



Closing Hymn LSB 622 Lord Jesus Christ, You Have Prepared (vv. 5-8)

- 5 Though reason cannot understand, Yet faith this truth embraces: Your body, Lord, is even now At once in many places.
 I leave to You how this can be: Your Word alone suffices me; I trust its truth unfailing.
- 6 Lord, I believe what You have said; Help me when doubts assail me. Remember that I am but dust, And let my faith not fail me. Your supper in this vale of tears Refreshes me and stills my fears And is my priceless treasure.

Silent Prayer

- 7 Grant that we worthily receive Your supper, Lord, our Savior, And, truly grieving for our sins, May prove by our behavior That we are thankful for Your grace And day by day may run our race, In holiness increasing.
- 8 For Your consoling supper, Lord, Be praised throughout all ages! Preserve it, for in ev'ry place The world against it rages. Grant that this sacrament may be A blessèd comfort unto me When living and when dying.

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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! Because He lives, we shall live also! We invite you to sign our guest book in the entryway. Please speak to the members and pastor if you wish to learn more about the Gospel ministry here at *Trinity*, and we hope to see you again!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIBLE CLASS & SUNDAY SCHOOL

Bible Class – Now: RECESSED UNTIL OCTOBER Sunday School – Now: RECESSED UNTIL OCTOBER

CARPET COMMITTEE – The carpet committee will meet this Tuesday evening (9/6) at 6pm at the church.

MIDWEEK BIBLE CLASS – We will resume our study in "Learn From Me" this Wednesday here at church, beginning at 6pm. We hope you'll be able to join us!

PASTOR ABSENCE – Pastor Naumann will be out of the parish from this Friday (9/9) until the following Friday (9/16) while he assists Ascension and Redemption this weekend and then attends regional pastoral conference in Clarkston WA. If an emergency should arise during this time, please contact our congregation president Dennis Lux (contact info on bulletin cover). Pastor Wayne Eichstadt will be bringing us the Word this coming weekend.

VIRTUAL COMMUNION – After deliberation, the church council has decided to discontinue virtual communion during the regular communion service. Members may still celebrate the Lord's Supper at a distance, but are asked to contact Pastor Naumann to arrange individual, online appointments to partake of the sacrament. If you have any questions about what this means

for you going forward or why this decision was made, please reach out to your pastor.

PRAYERS REQUESTED

• 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 James Albrecht of St. John's Lutheran Church, Okabena, MN, has <u>returned</u> the call to Immanuel Lutheran Church, Winter Haven, FL.

MOWING SCHEDULE		
This week	Tom Bettinger	
9/17	Nate Everett	
9/24	Isaac Everett	

	Attendance	Offering
8/7/22	19	\$1250
8/14/22	20	\$685
8/21/22	25	\$555
8/28/22	29	\$1085

SEPTEMBER CLEANING SCHEDULE		
North Entry	Clark	
Sanctuary	Helke	
Basement	Toll	

GREETER SCHEDULE		
Next Sunday	Dennis & Linda Lux	
9/18	Tom & Molly Bettinger	
9/25	Pastor Naumann	

