

22nd Sunday after Trinity





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Bible Class: 9:15am Worship: 10:30am

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Pre-Service Meditation

And many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, Some to everlasting life, Some to shame and everlasting contempt.

Prayer: Dear Heavenly Father, many in the world fear what comes after this life. This fear is warranted when we consider mankind's sinfulness and Your wrath against sin. Forgive our sins for Jesus' sake and assure us through Your Word of our resurrection unto eternal life. Teach us to fear the grave as little as we fear our bed, knowing that those who sleep in Jesus will be raised to inherit the mansions of paradise when Christ returns. Amen.



Daniel 12:2

Service of the Word

Organist: Kathy Conway

Video: Stan White & Ben Reim

Opening Prayer

Opening Hymn

TLH 201 Jesus Lives! The Victory's Won

Confession and Absolution

■ In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.



- 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.
 - C 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.

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



GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST Gloria in Excelsis



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

Daniel 12:1-3

"At that time Michael shall stand up, the great prince who stands watch over the sons of your people; And there shall be a time of trouble, Such as never was since there was a nation, Even to that time. And at that time your people shall be delivered, every one who is found written in the book. 2 And many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, Some to everlasting life, Some to shame and everlasting contempt. 3 Those who are wise shall shine Like the brightness of the firmament, and those who turn many to righteousness Like the stars forever and ever.

Psalm of the Day

P They have closed up their fat hearts;

C With their mouths they speak proudly.

Psalm 17:10-15

They have now surrounded us in our steps;

C They have set their eyes, crouching down to the earth,

- P As a lion is eager to tear his prey,
 - **C** And like a young lion lurking in secret places.
- P Arise, O Lord, Confront him, cast him down;
 - C Deliver my life from the wicked with Your sword,
- With Your hand from men, O Lord, From men of the world who have their portion in this life, And whose belly You fill with Your hidden treasure.
 - They are satisfied with children, And leave the rest of their possession for their babes.
- P As for me, I will see Your face in righteousness;
 - **C** I shall be satisfied when I awake in Your likeness.

Second Reading

John 11:17-27

So when Jesus came, He found that he had already been in the tomb four days. 18 Now Bethany was near Jerusalem, about two miles away. 19 And many of the Jews had joined the women around Martha and Mary, to comfort them concerning their brother.

20 Then Martha, as soon as she heard that Jesus was coming, went and met Him, but Mary was sitting in the house. 21 Now Martha said to Jesus, "Lord, if You had been here, my brother would not have died. 22 But even now I know that whatever You ask of God, God will give You."

23 Jesus said to her, "Your brother will rise again." 24 Martha said to Him, "I know that he will rise again in the resurrection at the last day." 25 Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. He who believes in Me, though he may die, he shall live. 26 And whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die. Do you believe this?" 27 She said to Him, "Yes, Lord, I believe that You are the Christ, the Son of God, who is to come into the world."





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.

Hymn of the Day TLH 206 Jesus Christ, My Sure Defense (vv. 1-4)

Sermon

1 Corinthians 15:50-58

Now this I say, brethren, that flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God; nor does corruption inherit incorruption. 51 Behold, I tell you a mystery: We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed— 52 in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed. 53 For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality. 54 So when this corruptible has put on incorruption, and this mortal has put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that

is written: "Death is swallowed up in victory."

55 "O Death, where is your sting? O Hades, where is your victory?"

56 The sting of death is sin, and the strength of sin is the law. 57 But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

58 Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your labor is not in vain in the Lord.



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



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Hymn

Offering

Prayer of the Church + The Lord's Prayer

P . . . in whose Name we also 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.



Closing Hymn

TLH 193 Christ the Lord is Risen Today

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 rear of the sanctuary 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 – The Acts of the Apostles **NO BIBLE CLASS 11/20** Sunday School – Jailer of Philippi **NO SUNDAY SCHOOL 11/20**

THANKSGIVING SUNDAY – This year, Trinity will be celebrating Thanksgiving Sunday next week (11/20). There will be no service at Trinity on 11/23 or 11/24. If you would like to attend in-person Thanksgiving Eve worship, our sister congregation Gethsemane in Spokane Valley will be holding their service on 11/23 beginning at 6:30pm.

PASTOR ABSENCE – Pastor Naumann will be on vacation leaving tomorrow and returning on 11/26. If an emergency should arise during this time, please contact congregation president Dennis Lux (509) 389-9349 or Pastor Wayne Eichstadt (507) 380-1068.

CHURCH COUNCIL + WOMEN'S CIRCLE – The church council will meet after worship in the Sanctuary, and the Women's circle will meet in the North entryway.

CHRISTMAS FELLOWSHIP MEAL + DECORATING – We will be decorating our sanctuary for the Advent season on Saturday, December 3rd, and we will have our annual Christmas fellowship meal after worship on December 4th. Our tradition is to have a gift exchange, where everyone

brings a gift to exchange (\$10 limit). Please plan on joining us for good food, fellowship, and a few Christmas carols!

MIDWEEK ADVENT SERVICE FEEDBACK – The church council will be making a final decision on whether to hold midweek Advent services this year. Due to the Pastor Naumann's vacancy workload and many of our members being uncomfortable driving after dark, the council is inclined to <u>not</u> hold them. If you feel strongly to the contrary, **today** is your last chance to make those feelings known to Pastor Naumann or your council members.

2023 CLC Mission Helper Trip – Applications are being accepted for the 2023 Mission Helper Trip to Nepal. Space is limited for this trip so please apply early. Find more information at: <u>https://mht.lutheranmissions.org/</u>

PRAYERS REQUESTED

- Please keep son of the congregation **Pastor John Hein** in your prayers. He was recently diagnosed with a thymic carcinoma, an aggressive cancer of the thymus gland. John's parents, Paul and Bertie Hein, are shut-in members here at Trinity. May the LORD grant strength and comfort to John and his family during this difficult time, and may they find an endless, sure hope in the cross of Christ. Lamentations 3:21-26 Lamentations 3:22-23 Through the LORD'S mercies we are not consumed, Because His compassions fail not. 23 They are new every morning; Great is Your faithfulness.
- 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 saving message of Christ crucified with others so that many may turn to Jesus and be saved through the hearing and believing of His Word
- Please keep our sister congregations Ascension (Tacoma) and Redemption (Lynnwood) in your prayers as they each seek a pastor to shepherd their flocks. May the Lord strengthen these congregations during their vacancy period and grant them an answer to their prayers according to His own perfect timing.

CALL NEWS

- Pastor Luke Bernthal of St. Stephen Lutheran, Mountain View, CA, is has <u>returned</u> the call to Immanuel Lutheran, Winter Haven, FL.
- Pastor Dave Naumann of St. John's Ev. Lutheran, Clarkston, WA, and Peace Lutheran, Orofino, ID has <u>returned</u> the call from the CLC Board of Missions to serve as the CLC's Third Foreign Missionary.
- Pastor Joe Naumann of Immanuel Lutheran, Mankato, MN, is still <u>considering</u> the dual call to serve Redemption Lutheran, Lynnwood, WA and Ascension Lutheran, Tacoma, WA.

FRUITS OF FAITH AT TRINITY			
Date	Attendance	Offering	
10/16/22	17	\$650	
10/23/22	15	\$395	
10/30/22	17	\$865	
11/6/22	19	\$1900	

NOVEMBER CLEANING SCHEDULE		
North Entry	White	
Sanctuary	Bettinger	
Basement	Naumann	

GREETER SCHEDULE		
Next Sunday	Randy & Lynne Estes	
11/20	Jeanne Helke	
11/27	Laurie White	

