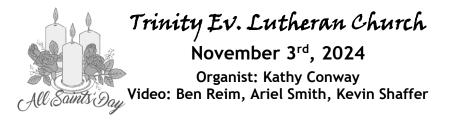




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Service of the Word

Opening Prayer

Opening Hymn

TLH 463 For All the Saints (vv 1-4)

Confession and Absolution

- In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
 (spoken) Amen.
- 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.

C (spoken) Amen.

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

LORD, HAVE MERCY Kyrie



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

Revelation 7:9-17

After these things I looked, and behold, a great multitude which no one could number, of all nations, tribes, peoples, and tongues, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed with white robes, with palm branches in their hands, ¹⁰ and crying out with a loud voice, saying, "Salvation *belongs* to our God who sits on the throne, and to the

Lamb!" ¹¹ All the angels stood around the throne and the elders and the four living creatures, and fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, ¹² saying:

"Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom, Thanksgiving and honor and power and might, *Be* to our God forever and ever. Amen."

¹³ Then one of the elders answered, saying to me, "Who are these arrayed in white robes, and where did they come from?" ¹⁴ And I said to him, "Sir, you know."

So he said to me, "These are the ones who come out of the great tribulation, and washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. ¹⁵ Therefore they are before the throne of God, and serve Him day and night in His temple. And He who sits on the throne will dwell among them. ¹⁶ They shall neither hunger anymore nor thirst anymore; the sun shall not strike them, nor any heat; ¹⁷ for the Lamb who is in the midst of the throne will shepherd them and lead them to living fountains of waters. And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Psalm of the Day

- **P** Let Israel rejoice in their Maker;
 - **C** Let the children of Zion be joyful in their King.
- Let them praise His name with the dance;

C Let them sing praises to Him with the timbrel and harp.

- **P** For the Lord takes pleasure in His people;
 - **G** He will beautify the humble with salvation.
- **P** Let the saints be joyful in glory;

C Let them sing aloud on their beds.

Second Reading

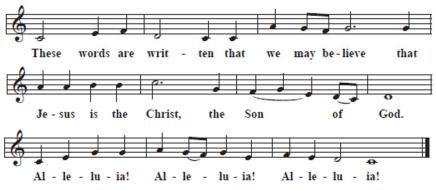
Behold what manner of love the Father has bestowed on us, that we should be called children of God! Therefore the world does not know us, because it did not know Him. ² Beloved, now we are children of God; and it has not yet been revealed what we shall be, but we know that when He is revealed, we shall be like Him, for we shall see Him as He is. ³ And everyone who has this hope in Him purifies himself, just as He is pure.

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



Psalm 149:2-5

1 John 3:1-3



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

TLH 391 Blessed Are the Sons of God

Sermon

Matthew 5:1-12

And seeing the multitudes, He went up on a mountain, and when He was seated His disciples came to Him. ² Then He opened His mouth and taught them, saying:

³ "Blessed are the poor in spirit,

For theirs is the kingdom of heaven. ⁴ Blessed *are* those who mourn, For they shall be comforted. ⁵ Blessed *are* the meek, For they shall inherit the earth. ⁶ Blessed *are* those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, For they shall be filled. ⁷ Blessed *are* the merciful, For they shall obtain mercy. ⁸ Blessed *are* the pure in heart, For they shall see God. ⁹ Blessed *are* the peacemakers, For they shall be called sons of God. ¹⁰ Blessed *are* those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, For theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

¹¹ Blessed are you when they revile and persecute you, and say all kinds of evil against you falsely for My sake. ¹² Rejoice and be exceedingly glad, for great *is* your reward in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

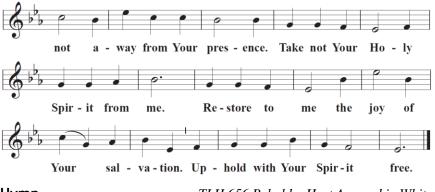
Sermon Theme: CHRIST MAKES YOUR SAINTHOOD MORE THAN A COSTUME

I: He raises your miserable state by the forgiveness of sin II: He sanctifies you to lead God-pleasing lives as His saints

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



OFFERTORY



Hymn

TLH 656 Behold a Host Arrayed in White

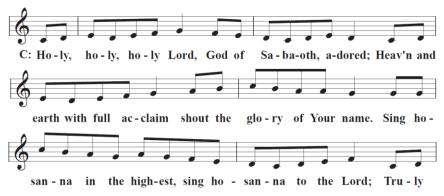
Offering

Prayer of the Church

Service of the Sacrament

- The Lord be with you(spoken) And also with you
- Lift up your hearts!(spoken) We lift them up to the LORD!
- 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 redeemed Your people and made us saints here in this life and in the blessed life to come through the resurrection of our Lord, Jesus Christ. Therefore, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:



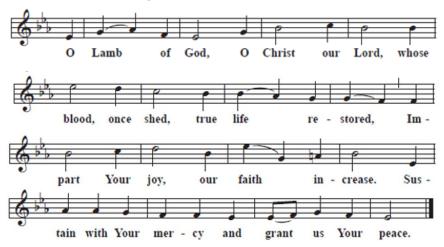




Words of Institution

P ... and the peace of the Lord be with you always.

LAMB OF GOD Agnus Dei



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.

P We continue with the singing of the Nunc Dimittis

O LORD, NOW LET YOUR SERVANT Nunc Dimittis





Thanksgiving + Lord's Prayer

P Let us pray:

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this wholesome 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, in whose Name we also join to pray together...



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

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.

C (spoken) Amen

Closing Hymn

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Silent Praver

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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

Communion Registry – If you received the sacrament this morning, please be sure to mark your name on the communion registry in the entryway.

October Minutes – Minutes for the October church council meeting are available on the table in the entryway.

Fellowship Hour – There will be light refreshments in the basement after worship. Please stay and join us!

2025 CLC Mission Helper Trip - Applications are now being accepted for the 2025 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

- Connie Estes, sister-in-law to Randy Estes, is undergoing chemotherapy treatment for kidney cancer. We ask the Lord's blessing on Connie and the whole Estes family during this time and pray for the treatment's success.
- Missionary Peter Evensen continues to recover from his knee surgery and other possible health complications here in Spokane. Please keep Peter in your prayers that God would grant him swift recovery according to His will.
- Stan White has finished his chemotherapy/radiation regimen to treat the cancer that was discovered two months ago. As he continues to recover and awaits results to see if the treatment was effective, may the LORD uphold Stan with His Word of truth and all His promises of help, comfort, and salvation.
- **Tom Steger**, a friend of the congregation, continues to recover at home from spinal surgery to remove a tumor and has begun hormone therapy to treat his cancer. May God bless his recovery and treatment.

- **Pastor Timothy Wheaton**, who serves Prince of Peace Lutheran Church in Loveland, Colorado, has been diagnosed with a rare form of inoperable and highly aggressive stage-4 thyroid cancer. As his time on earth appears to be drawing to a close, may God give grace a comfort to Pastor Wheaton, his family, and our brothers and sisters at Prince of Peace during this difficult time.
- Please keep Pastor John Hein and his family in your prayers as he continues treatment for his thymic carcinoma. For updates on his care, visit: <u>https://www.caringbridge.org/visit/pastorjohnhein</u>. Additionally, a GoFundMe has been set up to help offset medical and travel expenses: <u>https://www.gofundme.com/f/john-and-janelle-hein-family</u>.

CALL NEWS

Teacher Collette Krause of Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church, Watertown, SD has announced her <u>retirement</u> effective the end of the current school year. <> Pastor Sam Rodebaugh will be <u>installed</u> at St. John's Lutheran Church, Okabena, MN on November 10, 2024. <> Pastor Frank Gantt of Zion Ev. Lutheran Church, Loganville, GA has <u>received</u> the call to Faith Lutheran Church, Manchester, MO.

FRUITS OF FAITH AT TRINITY		
Date	Attendance	Offering
10/6/24	21	\$1,485
10/13/24	26	\$2,085
10/20/24	TBD	\$750
10/27/24	42	\$900

GREETER SCHEDULE		
Next Sunday	Joyce Miller	
11/17	Jeanne Helke	
11/24	Dennis & Linda Lux	
12/1	Randy & Lynne Estes	

NOVEMBER CLEANING SCHEDULE		
North Entry	Clark	
Sanctuary	Helke	
Basement	Naumann	