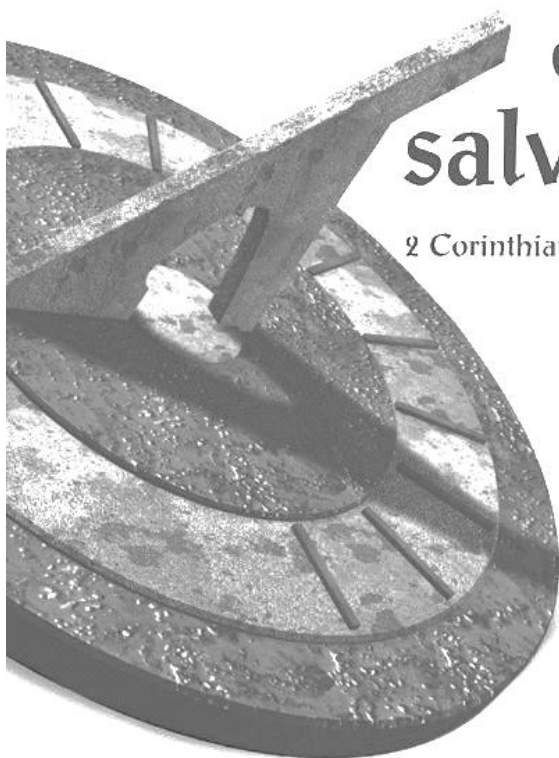


**Behold, now is**  
the acceptable  
**time;**

**behold, now is the**  
day of  
**salvation.**

2 Corinthians 6:2



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# Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church

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## Service of the Word

### Opening Prayer

### Opening Hymn

*TLH 132 O God of God, O Light of Light*

### Invocation

- P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
**C** (spoken) Amen.

### Confession and Absolution

- P** 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,  
**C** (spoken) who made heaven and earth.
- P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,  
**C** (spoken) and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

**All:** 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 ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** (spoken) Amen.

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

### Gloria Patri

*TLH pg 16*



**C** Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost;



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

### Kyrie

*TLH pg 17*



**C** Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -



on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

### Gloria in Excelsis

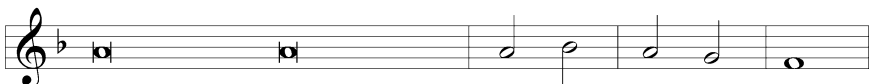
*TLH pg 17*



**C** Glory be to God on high: and on earth peace, good - will toward



men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,



we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.



O Lord God, heav'n - ly King, God the Fa - ther Al - mighty.



O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
 that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.  
 Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.  
 Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-  
 on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on-ly art the Lord.  
 Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho-ly Ghost,  
 art most high in the glory of God the Father. A-men.

### Salutation and Collect of the Day

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

### First Reading

*Deuteronomy 18:15-18*

“The Lord your God will raise up for you a Prophet like me from your midst, from your brethren. Him you shall hear,<sup>16</sup> according to all you desired of the Lord your God in Horeb in the day of the assembly, saying, ‘Let me not hear again the voice of the Lord my God, nor let me see this great fire anymore, lest I die.’

<sup>17</sup>“And the Lord said to me: ‘What they have spoken is good. <sup>18</sup>I will raise up for them a Prophet like you from among their brethren, and will put My words in His mouth, and He shall speak to them all that I command Him.

## Responsive Psalm of the Day

*Psalm 104:31-34*

- P** May the glory of the Lord endure forever;  
**C** **May the Lord rejoice in His works.**
- P** He looks on the earth, and it trembles;  
**C** **He touches the hills, and they smoke.**
- P** I will sing to the Lord as long as I live;  
**C** **I will sing praise to my God while I have my being.**
- P** May my meditation be sweet to Him;  
**C** **I will be glad in the Lord.**

## Second Reading

*Luke 19:1-10*

Then *Jesus* entered and passed through Jericho. <sup>2</sup>Now behold, *there was* a man named Zacchaeus who was a chief tax collector, and he was rich. <sup>3</sup>And he sought to see who *Jesus* was, but could not because of the crowd, for he was of short stature. <sup>4</sup>So he ran ahead and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see Him, for He was going to pass that way. <sup>5</sup>And when *Jesus* came to the place, He looked up and saw him, and said to him, “Zacchaeus, make haste and come down, for today I must stay at your house.” <sup>6</sup>So he made haste and came down, and received Him joyfully. <sup>7</sup>But when they saw *it*, they all complained, saying, “He has gone to be a guest with a man who is a sinner.”

<sup>8</sup>Then Zacchaeus stood and said to the Lord, “Look, Lord, I give half of my goods to the poor; and if I have taken anything from anyone by false accusation, I restore fourfold.”

<sup>9</sup>And *Jesus* said to him, “Today salvation has come to this house, because he also is a son of Abraham; <sup>10</sup>for the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost.”

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

## Alleluia



**C** Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

## Apostles' Creed

- C** **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 there 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

*TLH 377 Salvation Unto Us Has Come (vv. 1-5)*

## Sermon

*2 Corinthians 6:1-10*

We then, *as* workers together *with Him* also plead with *you* not to receive the grace of God in vain. <sup>2</sup>For He says:

“In an acceptable time I have heard you,  
And in the day of salvation I have helped you.”

Behold, now *is* the accepted time; behold, now *is* the day of salvation.

<sup>3</sup>We give no offense in anything, that our ministry may not be blamed. <sup>4</sup>But in all *things* we commend ourselves as ministers of God: in much patience, in tribulations, in needs, in distresses, <sup>5</sup>in stripes, in imprisonments, in tumults, in labors, in sleeplessness, in fastings; <sup>6</sup>by purity, by knowledge, by longsuffering, by kindness, by the Holy Spirit, by sincere love, <sup>7</sup>by the word of truth, by the power of God, by the armor of righteousness on the right hand and on the left, <sup>8</sup>by honor and dishonor, by evil report and good report; as deceivers, and *yet* true; <sup>9</sup>as unknown, and *yet* well known; as dying, and behold we live; as chastened, and *yet* not killed; <sup>10</sup>as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and *yet* possessing all things.

### Sermon Theme:

## BEHOLD, NOW IS THE DAY OF SALVATION!

I: Salvation which is not always seen or felt

II: Salvation which can always be trusted

III: Salvation which brings forth fruits

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

## Offertory

*TLH pg 12*

*♪ Create in me a clean heart O God,  
And renew a right spirit within me.  
Cast me not away from Thy presence,  
And take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.  
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation,  
And uphold me with Thy free Spirit. Amen. ♪*

## Hymn

*TLH 279 Today Thy Mercy Calls Us*

## Offering

### Prayer of the Church + the Lord's Prayer

**C** 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** A-men, a-men, a - men.

## Hymn

*TLH 377 Salvation Unto Us Has Come (vv. 6-10)*

## Silent Prayer

## Acknowledgments

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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

**Annual Voter's Meeting** – Our annual voter's meeting will be held after worship today. Info packets are available on the table in the entryway and were sent out in this morning's e-mail. All voting members, please be present for this important meeting. Non-voting members are also welcome and encouraged to attend, as your input will likely be requested.

**Vicki Still Victory Service** – Vicki Still was called to her eternal rest this past Sunday afternoon. The victory service will be held at **3:30pm** this Saturday (not 3pm, as previously announced). There is a sign-up sheet in the entryway if you're able to bring refreshments for a light reception afterwards.

**Thank You!** – A hearty thanks for everyone who was able to stay after worship last week and help take down the Christmas decorations!

**Online Women's Retreat** - A National Women's Retreat (online) is being held on Saturday, January 25 beginning at 9:00 a.m. Pacific. The Theme is "Press Pause: Grace-full Stewardship." The scriptural foundation for the retreat is 1 Peter 4:10, "*As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace.*" Registration and more information can be accessed at: <https://tinyurl.com/PressPause25>.

**Pastoral Visit Schedule** – Don't forget: the signup sheet for visiting with Pastor Naumann in 2025 is on the table in the entryway and there are plenty of openings in the couple of months!



## PRAYERS REQUESTED

- Larry Ryals's sister, **Linda**, is beginning physical rehabilitation in Las Vegas after suffering a stroke. Please keep Larry's sister in your prayers, and may God grant her a swift and full recovery according to His will.
- Kathy Conway's friend, **Pam**, has been struggling with a recent bout of double pneumonia. We ask that the Lord might give her strength to overcome.
- **Vicki Loomis**, one of our members living in Helena, MT, fell recently and broke her wrist and hip. She had surgery last Monday to repair the damage and is well on her way to recovery. We thank God for blessing her operation and ask Him to continue to be with her.
- **Mike Helke**, husband of Jeanne, had an accident with a saw that damaged his hand quite severely. He is currently recovering at home and recently got his stitches out. May God continue to grant him swift healing and a full recovery according to His will.
- **Dale Johnson** has returned home since having surgery to repair a broken hip. We thank God for Dale's progress and ask Him to continue to be with Dale throughout His recovery.
- **Barbara Anderson** has returned home after spending the last month in rehabilitation to manage the effects of a stroke she suffered in November. Praise the Lord! May He remain with her and keep her in good health.
- **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.
- **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 and comfort to Pastor Wheaton, his family, and our brothers and sisters at Prince of Peace during this difficult time.
- Molly Bettinger's friend, **Jeanne** (pronounced "Genie"), who has been suffering from glioblastoma had an MRI that shows a more enhanced brain tumor. Please continue to pray for Jeanne that she may be healed if it is God's will. Above all, may the joyful hope of the Gospel comfort her and her family no matter what the future holds.
- 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: <https://www.caringbridge.org/visit/pastorjohnhein>. Additionally, a GoFundMe has been set up to help offset medical and travel expenses: <https://www.gofundme.com/f/john-and-janelle-hein-family>.

**CALL NEWS**

Pastor Paul Krause of Trinity Lutheran Church and School, Watertown, SD and Zion Lutheran Church, Hidewood Township, SD has received the call to St. Stephen Lutheran Church and School, Mountain View, CA. <> Sam Naumann of Eau Claire, WI has received the call to Faith Lutheran Church, Manchester, MO. <> Teacher Claire Abbas of Berea Lutheran School, Inver Grove Heights, MN has received the call to Trinity Lutheran School, Watertown, SD.

<b>FRUITS OF FAITH AT TRINITY</b>		
<b>Date</b>	<b>Attendance</b>	<b>Offering</b>
<b>12/29/24</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>\$390</b>
<b>1/1/25</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>\$690</b>
<b>1/5/25</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>\$1,850</b>
<b>1/2/25</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>\$680</b>

<b>GREETER SCHEDULE</b>	
<b>Next Sunday</b>	<b>Laurie White</b>
<b>2/2</b>	<b>Tom + Molly Bettinger</b>
<b>2/9</b>	<b>Jeanne Helke</b>
<b>2/16</b>	<b>Joyce Miller</b>

<b>JANUARY CLEANING SCHEDULE</b>	
<b>North Entry</b>	<b>Estes</b>
<b>Sanctuary</b>	<b>Naumann</b>
<b>Basement</b>	<b>Helke</b>



THE LORD  
HAS DONE IT THIS  
*very day;*  
LET US REJOICE TODAY  
AND BE GLAD.

PSALM 118:24

