

are obvious, and even those that are not cannot be hidden.

Love of Money

<sup>3</sup>If anyone teaches false doctrines and does not agree to the sound instruction of our Lord Jesus Christ and the healthy teaching, he is conceited and understands nothing. He has an unhealthy interest in controversies and quarrels about words that result in envy, strife, malicious talk, evil suspicion and constant friction between men. Such corrupt minds, who have been robbed of the truth and who think that godliness is a means to financial gain,

1 TIMOTHY 6:12

# THE GOOD FIGHT OF THE



# FAITH

...the ... in this  
... nor to  
... is so  
... God,  
... thing  
... and them to  
... rich in good deeds, and  
... and willing to share. <sup>19</sup>In  
... will lay up treasure for  
... a firm foundation for the  
... so that they may take hold  
... life that is truly life.

...I must guard what has been entrusted to your care. Turn away from needless chatter and the opposing ideas of what is falsely called knowledge, which some have professed and in so doing have wandered from the faith. I will be with you.



MEMBER OF THE CHURCH



OF THE LUTHERAN  
CONFESSION

First Sunday  
After



# Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church

June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2025

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## Service of the Word

Opening Prayer

Opening Hymn

*WS 782 – Evening and Morning*

Invocation

**P** In the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

Confession and Absolution

**P** Our Help is in the Name of the Lord,

**C** Who made heaven and earth

**P** If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

**C** But with you there is forgiveness; therefore, You are feared.

**P** Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, and to call upon Him in prayer and praise, let us first consider our own unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God be merciful to me, a sinner.

**C** Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.

**P** Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

## Kyrie - Lord, Have Mercy



**C** Lord, have mer - cy; Christ, have mer - cy; Lord, have mer - cy.

## Gloria in Excelsis - Glory to God in the Highest



**C** 1 To God on high be glo - ry And peace to all the earth;  
2 To You, O sole-be - got - ten, The Fa - ther's Son, we pray;  
3 For You a - lone are ho - ly; You on - ly are the Lord.



Good-will from God in heav - en Pro - claimed at Je - sus' birth!  
O Lamb of God, our Sav - ior, You take our sins a - way.  
For - ev - er and for - ev - er, Be wor - shipped and a - dored;



We praise and bless You, Fa - ther; Your ho - ly name, we sing—  
Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus; Re - ceive our heart - felt cry,  
You with the Ho - ly Spir - it A - lone are Lord Most High,



Our thanks for Your great glo - ry, Lord God, our heav'n - ly King.  
Where You in pow'r are seat - ed At God's right hand on high—  
In God the Fa - ther's glo - ry. "A - men!" our glad re - ply.

## 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

*Jeremiah 9:23-24*

Thus says the Lord:

"Let not the wise *man* glory in his wisdom,  
Let not the mighty *man* glory in his might,  
Nor let the rich *man* glory in his riches;

<sup>24</sup> But let him who glories glory in this,

That he understands and knows Me,  
That I *am* the Lord, exercising lovingkindness, judgment, and righteousness  
in the earth.  
For in these I delight,” says the Lord.

**Antiphonal Psalm**      *Psalm 45 “My Heart Is Overflowing” (WS pg. 32)*

**Second Reading**

*1 Timothy 6:6-19*

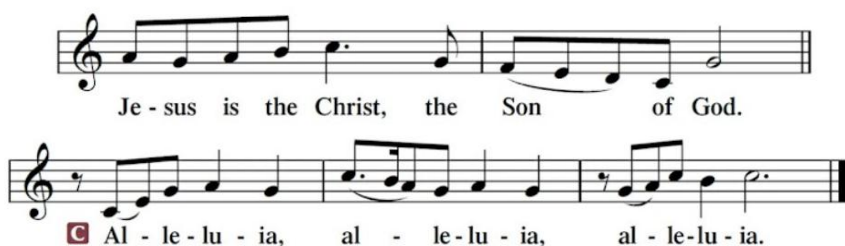
Now godliness with contentment is great gain. <sup>7</sup>For we brought nothing into *this* world, *and it is* certain we can carry nothing out. <sup>8</sup>And having food and clothing, with these we shall be content. <sup>9</sup>But those who desire to be rich fall into temptation and a snare, and *into* many foolish and harmful lusts which drown men in destruction and perdition. <sup>10</sup>For the love of money is a root of all *kinds of* evil, for which some have strayed from the faith in their greediness, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows.

<sup>11</sup>But you, O man of God, flee these things and pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, gentleness. <sup>12</sup>Fight the good fight of faith, lay hold on eternal life, to which you were also called and have confessed the good confession in the presence of many witnesses. <sup>13</sup>I urge you in the sight of God who gives life to all things, and *before* Christ Jesus who witnessed the good confession before Pontius Pilate, <sup>14</sup>that you keep *this* commandment without spot, blameless until our Lord Jesus Christ’s appearing, <sup>15</sup>which He will manifest in His own time, *He who is* the blessed and only Potentate, the King of kings and Lord of lords, <sup>16</sup>who alone has immortality, dwelling in unapproachable light, whom no man has seen or can see, to whom *be* honor and everlasting power. Amen.

<sup>17</sup>Command those who are rich in this present age not to be haughty, nor to trust in uncertain riches but in the living God, who gives us richly all things to enjoy. <sup>18</sup>*Let them* do good, that they be rich in good works, ready to give, willing to share, <sup>19</sup>storing up for themselves a good foundation for the time to come, that they may lay hold on eternal life.

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





## 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  $\dagger$  everlasting. Amen.

**Hymn of the Day**      *LSB 728 – How Firm a Foundation (bulletin pg. 7)*

## Sermon

*Psalms 44:1-8*

We have heard with our ears, O God,  
Our fathers have told us,  
The deeds You did in their days,  
In days of old:

<sup>2</sup> You drove out the nations with Your hand,  
But them You planted;  
You afflicted the peoples, and cast them out.

<sup>3</sup> For they did not gain possession of the land by their own sword,  
Nor did their own arm save them;  
But it was Your right hand, Your arm, and the light of Your countenance,

Because You favored them.

<sup>4</sup>You are my King, O God;

Command victories for Jacob.

<sup>5</sup>Through You we will push down our enemies;

Through Your name we will trample those who rise up against us.

<sup>6</sup>For I will not trust in my bow,

Nor shall my sword save me.

<sup>7</sup>But You have saved us from our enemies,

And have put to shame those who hated us.

<sup>8</sup>In God we boast all day long,

And praise Your name forever. *Selah*

**Sermon Theme:**

## **IT IS RIGHT THAT MAKES MIGHT**

**I: Sinful man is not right and, therefore, has no might**

**II: God's Word reveals what is right and gives us His might**

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

### OFFERTORY



C: Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -  
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me  
not a - way from Your pres - ence. Take not Your Ho - ly  
Spir - it from me. Re - store to me the joy of  
Your sal - va - tion. Up - hold with Your Spir - it free.

**Hymn**

*TLH 428 – I Am Trusting Thee, Lord Jesus*

## Offering

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

**P** . . . in whose Name we also join to pray together:

**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** Amen.

### Closing Hymn

*TLH 472 – Rise, Ye Children of Salvation*

### Silent Prayer

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# LSB 728 – How Firm a Foundation

1 How firm a foun - da - tion, O saints of the Lord,  
 2 "Fear not! I am with you, O be not dis - mayed,  
 3 "The soul that on Je - sus has leaned for re - pose  
 4 "When through fi - ery tri - als your path - way will lie,

Is laid for your faith in His ex - cel - lent Word!  
 For I am your God and will still give you aid;  
 I will not, I will not, de - sert to his foes;  
 My grace, all - suf - fi - cient, will be your sup - ply.

What more can He say than to you He has said  
 I'll strength - en you, help you, and cause you to stand,  
 That soul, though all hell should en - deav - or to shake,  
 The flames will not hurt you; I on - ly de - sign

Who un - to the Sav - ior for ref - uge have fled?  
 Up - held by My righ - teous, om - nip - o - tent hand.  
 I'll nev - er, no nev - er, no nev - er, for - sake!  
 Your dross to con - sume and your gold to re - fine.

5 "Throughout all their lifetime My people will prove  
 My sov'reign, eternal, unchangeable love;  
 And then, when gray hairs will their temples adorn,  
 Like lambs they will still in My bosom be borne."

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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

**Thank you!** – Thank you for all your prayers for safe travel and a blessed conference – the Lord graciously granted both! And a hearty thank-you to Pastor Wayne Eichstadt for leading our worship last week!

**VBS Meeting** – Next Sunday after worship, we'll have a (somewhat) brief meeting with everyone who is willing to help with our Vacation Bible School this summer. Even if you aren't sure if you can help, you're still more than welcome to join our meeting and learn more about what we're planning. That way, you can make a more informed decision.

**Communion Fellowship Hour** – We'll be taking a break from our monthly fellowship hour after communion Sundays over the summer. These will resume in September.

**"Meditations" Devotion Booklets** – We're still waiting on the Meditation booklets that weren't sent with the first package to arrive. Thanks for your patience!

**Council Reports from June** – Council reports from our June meeting are available on the table in the entryway. If you'd prefer to receive digital copies, please let Pastor Naumann know.

**Daily Rest & Lutheran Spokesman** – There are sign-up sheets on the table in the entryway for our synodical publications. Daily Rest is a daily devotional book that is published quarterly and the Lutheran Spokesman is a monthly magazine containing devotions and information about the goings-on in our greater fellowship. If you'd like to receive these, simply check "renew" next

to your name. If you aren't already receiving them but would like to, write your information in the blank spaces on the sheet. Each publication is \$15/year, but the congregation is happy to pay for anyone who is unable to. If you are able to pay for your subscriptions, simply adjust your offering accordingly. These are fantastic resources and there is no reason for you not to sign up!

**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

- **Molly Bettinger** was on vacation in Italy when she took a bad fall, breaking her leg in several places as well as her ankle. She is back home in Spokane and will be undergoing surgery tomorrow morning at 11:30am to repair the damage. May God guide the surgeon's hands and give Molly swift healing according to His perfect will!
- **Tom Steger** went to the hospital last Wednesday due to some complications and pain in his bladder. He underwent surgery and is now home recuperating. We thank the Lord for preserving Tom and pray that the Spirit would grant him strength in His body and soul as he faces yet another trial with the grace and help of our loving Savior, Jesus.
- Please keep **Pastor John Hein and his family** in your prayers as he continues treatment for his thymic carcinoma. He has spent the last week in the hospital and is seriously ill. For updates on his health, 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>.
- **Pam**, a friend of Kathy Conway's, has been struggling in her battle with cancer and recently had to return to the hospital. Please continue to keep Pam in your prayers that God might grant her strength and hope through His Word.

### CALL NEWS

Rebecca Buck of Messiah Lutheran Church, Eau Claire, WI, has received the call to Luther Memorial School, Fond du Lac, WI. <> Erin Franson has received the call to serve as the female Mentor at Immanuel Lutheran High School and College <> Mr. Rick Mariner has accepted the call to serve as principal of Immanuel Ev. Lutheran Church, Mankato, MN. <> Leah Baumann has received the one-year call to teach part-time at St. John's

Lutheran School, Okabena, MN. Leah is a member of St. John's Lutheran Church. <> Pastor Frank Gantt of Zion Lutheran Church of Zion Ev. Lutheran Church, Loganville, GA, has **accepted** the call to Faith Lutheran Church, Manchester, MO. Pastor Gantt will continue to serve the members of Zion Ev. Lutheran Church, Loganville, GA in a dual parish arrangement. <> Pastor Aaron Ude of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Rapid City, SD, has **received** the call to St. Stephen Lutheran Church, Mountain View, CA. <> Pastor Mark Tiefel of Peace Thru Christ Lutheran Church, Middleton, WI, **received** the call to Messiah Lutheran Church, Eau Claire, WI.

#### FRUITS OF FAITH AT TRINITY

Date	Attendance	Offering
5/25/25	27	\$610
6/1/25	38	\$3,010
6/8/25	40	TBD
6/15/25	20	\$385

#### GREETER SCHEDULE

Next Sunday	Randy + Lynne Estes
7/6	Travis Maguire
7/13	Tom + Molly Bettinger
7/20	Jeanne Helke

#### MOWING SCHEDULE

This Week	Dennis Lux
7/5	Travis Maguire
7/12	Kevin Shaffer
7/19	Pastor Naumann

#### JUNE CLEANING SCHEDULE

North Entry	Sue P. + Jill K.
Sanctuary	Lux
Basement	Helke

