

HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Ministers: People of Holy Trinity

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*Holy Trinity Lutheran Church is a family of Christians saved by God's grace
to proclaim the good news to our community and to the world by word and action.*

The Service (With One Voice Hymnal setting 4)

8:45 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

July 28, 2024

WE PREPARE FOR WORSHIP

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude *"You Servants of God"* - setting Edwin T. Childs

*Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness

In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

God of all mercy and consolation, come to the aid of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that, attentive to your Word, we may confess our sins, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another. (we kneel)

Silence is kept for reflection and self-examination.

Gracious God, **have mercy on us. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone. Uphold us by your Spirit so that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your holy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

(we stand)

SERVING YOU TODAY – July 28, 2024

Minister.....Rev. J. Chris Fischer
Organist/Choir Director.....Jill Helgeson
Acolytes.....(E) Jay Bannister (L) Sandi Jordan
Lectors.....(E) Christopher Caldwell (L) John Trent
Video/IT Engineer.....Paul Wagner/Christopher Caldwell/Connor Caldwell
Tabulators.....Claude Calloway & Amy Goodson
Ushers:

(E) Chris Caldwell - Captain, Christopher Caldwell, Connor Caldwell, Kevin Lockhart,
Leon Chute

(L) Mike Oates - Captain, Richard Caruso, Mike Metz, Bobbi Metz, Michael Oates,
Randy Passow

Church Secretary.....Pat Ross
PresidentBeth Cribbe
Vice-President.....Rynde Dial
Treasurer.....Diane Richardson
Council Secretary.....Lauren Guthre

CALENDAR FOR THIS WEEK

July 28 – August 3

TODAY

8:45 a.m.

Worship Service (Sanctuary)

Early Choir Practice

10:00 a.m.

Youth Sunday School (Youth Room)

10:00 a.m.

Adult Sunday School Class (Fellowship Hall)

11:00 a.m.

Worship Service (Sanctuary)

TUES.

6:00 p.m.

Women's Bible Study (Pairs and Spares Room)

WED.

10:00 a.m.

T.O.P.S. (Pairs and Spares Room)

THUR.

6:00 p.m.

Dining Divas (Public Well Cafe & Pizza)

LOOKING AHEAD
Worship Assistants
August 4

	8:45 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Acolytes	Claude Calloway	Landen Moody
Lectors	Gail Cannon	Rynde Dial
Assisting Ministers	Steven House	Rynde Dial
August 4	Worship Service (Sanctuary)	8:45 a.m.
	Early Choir Practice (After Worship)	
	Youth Sunday School Class (Youth Room)	10:00 a.m.
	Adult Sunday School Class (Fellowship Hall)	10:00 a.m.
	Worship Service (Sanctuary)	11:00 a.m.
August 5	Personnel Committee Meeting (Fellowship Hall)	5:30 pm.
August 6	Property Committee Meeting (Fellowship Hall)	7:00 p.m.
August 7	T.O.P.S. (Pairs and Spares Room)	10:00 a.m.
	Family Fun Night (Fellowship Hall)	5:30 p.m.
August 11	Worship Service (Sanctuary)	8:45 a.m.
	Early Choir Practice (After Worship)	
	Youth Sunday School Class (Youth Room)	10:00 a.m.
	Adult Sunday School Class (Fellowship Hall)	10:00 a.m.
	Worship Service (Sanctuary)	11:00 a.m.
	Worship and Music Committee meeting after Late Worship	
August 12	Church Council Meeting (Fellowship Hall)	7:00 p.m.
August 13	Women's Bible Study (Pairs and Spares Room)	6:00 p.m.
August 14	T.O.P.S. (Pairs and Spares Room)	10:00 a.m.
August 18	Worship Service (Sanctuary)	8:45 a.m.
	Early Choir Practice (After Worship)	
	Youth Sunday School Class (Youth Room)	10:00 a.m.
	Adult Sunday School Class (Fellowship Hall)	10:00 a.m.
	Worship Service (Sanctuary)	11:00 a.m.
August 20	Support Committee Meeting (Office Conference Room)	7:00 p.m.
August 21	T.O.P.S. (Pairs and Spares Room)	10:00 a.m.
August 25	Worship Service (Sanctuary)	8:45 a.m.
	Early Choir Practice (After Worship)	
	Youth Sunday School Class (Youth Room)	10:00 a.m.
	Adult Sunday School Class (Fellowship Hall)	10:00 a.m.

ATTENDANCE

Worship Services – July 21- 8:45 a.m. (58)– 11:00 a.m. (39)

OFFERINGS RECEIVED July 21 – Operating Fund \$3,685.55, Utilities Fund \$105.00, Pastor's Discretionary Fund \$250.00, Saturday Servants Fund \$15.00, Prayer Garden Fund \$240.00

*Hymn

“Word of God, Come Down On Earth”

Hymn #716

WE OFFER PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING

*Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

*The Kyrie (sung responsively)

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In peace, in peace, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord have mercy.**

For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mercy.**

For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord have mercy.**

Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord. **Amen.**

*Hymn of Praise (sung by all)

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(Refrain)

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father: we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. (Refrain)

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God: you take away the sin of the world; have mercy, have mercy on us. You are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. (Refrain)

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen. (Refrain)

*Prayer of the Day

Gracious God, You have placed within the hearts of all Your children a longing for Your word and a hunger for Your truth. Grant that we may know Your Son to be the true bread of heaven and share this bread with all the world, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Children's Sermon

First Reading (2 Kings 4:42-44)

Psalm 145 (sung responsively)



All your works shall praise ¹ you, O LORD,
and your faithful ¹ ones shall bless you.
¹¹They shall tell of the glory ¹ of your kingdom
and speak ¹ of your power,
¹²that all people may know ¹ of your power
and the glorious splendor ¹ of your kingdom.
¹³Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom;
your dominion endures through- ¹ out all ages.
You, LORD, are faithful in all your words,
and loving in ¹ all your works.
¹⁴The LORD upholds all ¹ those who fall
and lifts up those who ¹ are bowed down.
¹⁵The eyes of all wait upon ¹ you, O LORD,
and you give them their food ¹ in due season.
¹⁶You open ¹ wide your hand
and satisfy the desire of every ¹ living thing.
¹⁷You are righteous in ¹ all your ways
and loving in ¹ all your works.
¹⁸You are near to all who ¹ call upon you,
to all who call up- ¹ on you faithfully.

Second Reading (Ephesians 3:14-21)

*Gospel Acclamation (sung by all)

Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.

The gospel is announced: The Holy Gospel according to John, the 6th chapter.
Glory to You, O Lord.

*Gospel (John 6:1-21)

After the reading: The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to You, O Christ.**

Sermon

“GATHERING UP THE FRAGMENTS”

*Hymn of the Month

“Loving Spirit ”

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Pastor Hitoshi

Hymn #683



**Frozen Casseroles
for
Calvary Home for Children
July 28 – August 4**

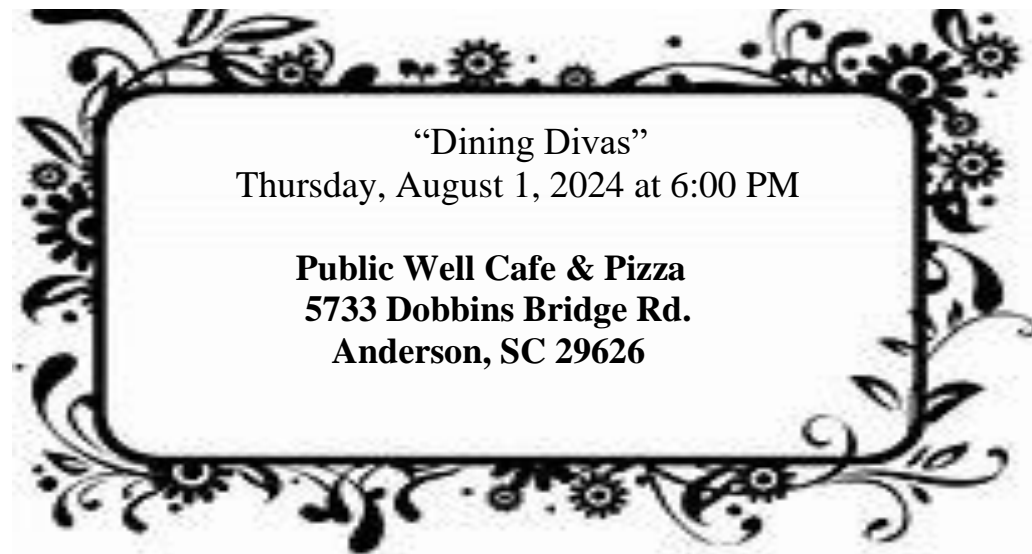
For many years, Holy Trinity has provided frozen casseroles for Calvary Home for Children (CHC). With school starting August 1, now is the perfect time to continue the tradition. Stocking CHC’s freezer with casseroles allows more time for the house parents to focus on the needs of the children than on “what’s for dinner?”

So how can you help? Prepare and freeze **or** buy a frozen casserole dinner (size 9’ x 13”). If you choose to make a homemade casserole, be sure to use a disposable container and label by type, such as chicken and broccoli or lasagna, etc. Also attach the recipe or a list of ingredients to help address any allergy concerns.

Service Committee members will be in the Narthex today and Sunday, August 4th to accept casseroles. Of course, you may deliver your casserole directly to the freezer in the Fellowship Hall. The freezer is located in the coatroom, next to the ice maker, in the hallway just outside the Fellowship Hall. Just use your key or the keypad to access the building. Casseroles will be delivered to Calvary Home for Children on Tuesday, August 6.

If you have any questions, please contact Leslie Cox at (301) 788-9035 or Jamie Corrigan at (864) 224-8070.

The Service Committee



“Dining Divas”
Thursday, August 1, 2024 at 6:00 PM

Public Well Cafe & Pizza
5733 Dobbins Bridge Rd.
Anderson, SC 29626

WELCOME!!!!!!

We welcome today Pastor Hitoshi Adachi as our guest preacher. Since June of 2019, Holy Trinity has supported the ministry of Pastor Hitoshi and his wife, Satako, as part of our yearly budget. He was born into an Eastern Orthodox family in Yokohama, Japan, and became a fourth generation Christian. She studied at Friends Junior High and High School in Tokyo that was founded by Quakers and became a Christian.

Hitoshi and Satoko met at Nihon Kohden, a Japanese manufacturer of medical devices and married in 1985. Two years later she left the company when their first child was born. He became the president of their US subsidiary in Southern California in 1997. Hitoshi, Satoko, and their three children moved there and were invited to Resurrection Lutheran Church in Huntington Beach, eventually becoming Lutherans.

Several years later Hitoshi felt the call of God after helping a coworker deal with cancer and then death. He left the company in 2006, entered studies at Luther Seminary, and was ordained in 2010.

Pastor Hitoshi served as an assistant to the Bishop in the Pacifica Synod as well as a pastor of Resurrection Lutheran Church in Huntington Beach that included a Japanese ministry. For the last eight years, Pastor Hitoshi has served as a missionary to Kumamoto, Japan. Satako has served as an organist and a pianist for congregations for many years.

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

***Apostles' Creed**

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended into hell.
On the third day He rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

***The Peace is Shared
The Offering is Received**

Anthem

“We Come To The Hungry Feast”

-Ray Makeever

We come to the hungry feast hungry for a word of peace.
To hungry hearts unsatisfied the love of God is not denied.
We come, we come to the hungry feast.

We come to the hungry feast hungry for a world released
From hungry folk of ev'ry kind, the poor in body, poor in mind.
We come, we come to the hungry feast.

We come to the hungry feast hungry that the hunger cease,
And knowing, though we eat our fill, the hunger will stay with us still.
We come, we come to the hungry feast.
We come, we come to the hungry feast.

*Offertory ***“Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow”***

Praise God, from whom all bless-ings flow; Praise him, all crea-tures here be - low;

Praise him a - bove, ye heav'n-ly host; Praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

*The Prayers of Intercession

Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs. (We kneel.)

The Leader concludes each petition with “Lord In Your Mercy,” and the response is, “Hear our Prayer.”

The Lord’s Prayer

Lord, remember us in your Kingdom and teach us to pray:

**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.**

Blessing

Almighty God, Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever. **Amen.**

*Recessional Hymn

“God When Human Bonds Are Broken”

Hymn #735

(Silence is observed for meditation as candles are extinguished.)

*Dismissal

Postlude

“Christians, While On Earth Abiding”

-Johann Schop

(*) Indicates congregation to stand

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are provided by Jill Helgeson to the honor and glory of God, and in memory of her parents, Claude and Allie Mae Cromer.

WARM GREETINGS AND LOVE IN CHRIST are extended to all members and visitors. We trust that you will experience the warmth of Christian fellowship and the inspiration of God’s presence here today. Prayer Request Cards (yellow cards) are located in the pews. Please place these in the offering plate. Names will be listed in next week’s bulletin.

Activity Bags are available in the Narthex for children; please return after the service.



ASSISTED HEARING DEVICES are now available in the Sound Room. Please see an usher to inquire about their use.

DURING THE MONTH OF JULY WE ARE COLLECTING NEEDED ITEMS FOR A.I.M.

- ITEMS INCLUDE: Peanut Butter, rice, dried beans, pasta, canned meat, canned fruit, canned soup, oatmeal, grits, flour, sugar, cereal, cooking oil—cleaning/personal hygiene list: bath soap, shampoo, deodorant, toothpaste, toothbrushes, toilet tissue, laundry soap, bleach, cleaning solutions (Lysol, Mr. Clean for example). Please note: perishables are not included.

A reminder that during the months of July and August we switch to using the blue *With One Voice* (WOV) hymnal.

EARLY REMINDER!!!!!!!!!!

Committee Chairs are requested to submit 2025 Budget Proposals on or before August 9, 2024. The proposals may be left in the church office in Diane’s folder and labeled “2025 Budget Proposals” or email the proposals to, ddrich73@gmail.com. Please make every effort to meet this deadline. Thank you.

5/19 The Family of Bobbie Jordan
5/19 Chris Corley and Family
5/19 Jean Vinson
5/12 The Family of Maria Luque
5/12 Mary Ell
5/12 Mary Adams

LONG TERM PRAYERS

Warren Lutz
Elanor Dean
Mike Borron
Henri Holmes Adair Baker
Judith Womer
Gabrielle Godfrey
Richard Benedict
Carolyn Culbreath
Abby Barrett & Family
Chris Goodwin
Buddy & Lesley Taylor
Jean Vinson
Kathy Weeks
Judy Jarrett
Ross King
Willy E. Johnson
Michael Morrison
Pruitt Martin
Joan Stinson
Susan Socha
Robert Scribner
Danny Rouse
Laura Wagner
Sue Walthall
David Lane
Nina & Larry Sherman
Gretchen Fant

Congregation
The Moody Family
Bob Vinson
Richard & Omaira Caruso
Connie Adams
Connie Adams

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The Stokes Family
Paul Wagner
The Stokes Family
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Bob Vinson
Tom Weeks
The Fischer Family
Cherie Brown
The Stokes Family
Jill Helgeson
Bob Vinson
Brenda McGowan
Dan & Johnnie Hunnicutt
Jan House
Brenda McGowan
Paul Wagner
Bob & Susan Straup
Dan & Johnnie Hunnicutt
Jill Helgeson
Jill Helgeson

PRAYER LIST

7/21 Sandy Addis
7/21 Bea Bates
7/21 Linda Hill
7/21 The Family of Chris Price
7/14 Becky Smoak
7/14 Jeanette Thoms
7/14 The Family of Debbie Dorn
7/14 Connie Herring
7/6 The Family of Charlene Kelly
7/6 Matthew Vinson
7/6 Phyllis Barnett
7/6 Hervie Thomas
7/6 Emily Richey
7/6 Ryan Bond
6/30 Beth Miller
6/30 Chase Patterson
6/23 The Family of Mrs. Betty Royster
6/23 Hannah Gibson & Sonya Burdette
6/23 Eric Rasche
6/23 Adleigh Korver
6/16 John Stricker
6/16 The Family of Donna Welborn
6/16 Lee Moody
6/9 Maggie Murray
6/9 Lauren Guthre
6/9 The Family of Walter Cribbe
6/9 The Family of Linda Blackwelder
6/9 Bryce Loftis
6/9 Trisha Jordan
6/9 Charlene Kelly
6/2 The Family of Marie Gilley
6/2 The Family of Sue Thompson
6/2 Linda Gilliland
5/26 Marijane Coggins
5/26 Reuel Walker
5/26 Betty Williams
5/26 David Whitten
5/26 Whitney Capps
5/26 Lisa Shorter
5/26 The Family of Terry Pop
5/19 Matthew Vinson

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Michael & Amber Oates
Michael & Amber Oates
The Stokes Family
Barbara Thomas
Gail Cannon
Amber Oates
Dave & Sue Rasche
Gail Cannon
Congregation
The Stokes & Moody Families
The Stokes Family
Paul Wagner
Congregation
Congregation
Congregation
Suzie Bannister
Kati Smith
Amy Compton
Congregation
Jane Potter
Dan & Johnnie Hunnicutt
Harry Coggins
Dave & Sue Rasche
Connie Adams
The Fischer Family
Mike & Bobbi Metz
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