

HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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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 21, 2024

WE GATHER

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

"Before You Lord We Bow"

- setting by 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.**

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid:

Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly

love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins,
God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silence for reflection and self-examination. (we kneel)

Most merciful God,

**we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against
you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and what we have left undone. We
have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For
the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so
that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.
Amen.**

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives
us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by his authority, I
therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father of the +
Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

(we stand)



PSALM 23

(sung responsively)

The LORD ¹ is my shepherd;

I shall not ¹ be in want.

²The LORD makes me lie down ¹ in green pastures
and leads me be- ¹ side still waters.

³You restore my ¹ soul, O LORD,
and guide me along right pathways ¹ for your name's sake.

⁴Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I shall ¹ fear no evil;

for you are with me; your rod and your staff,
they ¹ comfort me.

⁵You prepare a table before me in the presence ¹ of my enemies;
you anoint my head with oil, and my cup is ¹ running over.

⁶Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days ¹ of my life,
and I will dwell in the house of the ¹ LORD forever.

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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.

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.

SERVING YOU TODAY – July 21, 2024

Minister.....Rev. J. Chris Fischer
Organist/Choir Director.....Jill Helgeson
Acolytes.....(E) Virgil Hobbs (L) Brady West
Lectors.....(E) Phyllis Barnette (L) Sid Stokes
Assisting Ministers.....(E) Bob Straup (L) Joshua Fischer
Video/IT Engineer.....Paul Wagner/Christopher Caldwell/Connor Caldwell
Tabulators.....Christopher & Rachel Caldwell
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 21 – July 27**

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)

WED.

10:00 a.m. T.O.P.S. (Pairs and Spares Room)

SAT.

10:00 a.m. Saturday Servants (Fellowship Hall)

It's Here!

The new Congregational Pictorial Directory has finally been printed! You will recall that new photos of our congregational members were taken on Easter Sunday. One copy per household has been printed and is waiting for you to pick up at your convenience in the narthex.

*Hymn

“Here In This Place”

Hymn #718

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, 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.**

*Canticle of Praise (sung by all)

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This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, alleluia.

Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be people of God. Power and riches, wisdom and strength, and honor and blessing and glory are His.

This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, alleluia.

Sing with all the people of God, and join in the hymn of all creation: Blessing and honor, glory and might to God and the Lamb forever. Amen.

This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, alleluia. For the Lamb, the Lamb who was slain has begun His reign. Alleluia.

This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. Amen.

*Prayer of the Day

O God, powerful and compassionate, You shepherd Your people, faithfully feeding and protecting us. Heal each of us, and make us a whole people, so that we may embody the justice and peace of Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Children's Sermon

First Reading (Jeremiah 23:1-6)

Psalm 23

Second Reading (Ephesians 2:11-22)

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*Gospel Acclamation (sung by all)

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

The gospel is announced: The Holy Gospel according to Mark, the 6th chapter.

Glory to You, O Lord.

*Gospel (Mark 6:30-34, 53-56)

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

Sermon

“YOU DESERVE A BREAK TODAY”

*Hymn of the Day

“Loving Spirit ”

Hymn #683

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*Nicene Creed

**We believe in one God,
The Father, the Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
Of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
The only Son of God,
Eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
True God from true God,
Begotten, not made,
Of one Being with the Father.
Through Him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
He came down from heaven;
By the power of the Holy Spirit
He became incarnate of the virgin Mary, and was made man.**

LOOKING AHEAD

Worship Assistants

July 28

	8:45 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Acolytes	Jay Bannister	Sandi Jordan
Lectors	Christopher Caldwell	John Trent
July 28	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.
July 30	Women’s Bible Study (Pairs and Spares Room)	6:00 p.m.
July 31	T.O.P.S. (Pairs and Spares Room)	10:00 a.m.
August 1	Dining Divas (Place to be determined)	
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 p.m.
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.

ATTENDANCE

Worship Services – July 14- 8:45 a.m. (50)– 11:00 a.m. (53)

OFFERINGS RECEIVED July 14 – Operating Fund \$4,798.00, Endowment Fund \$50.00

GUEST SPEAKER

Next Sunday, July 28, we will be honored to have with us at both worship services, our Lutheran missionary to Japan, Pastor Hitoshi Adachi. He will be flying in to visit Bishop Jenny Abeischer, as well as to personally thank the South Carolina Synod congregations who have financially supported him over the years. Since June of 2019, Holy Trinity has supported the ministry of Pastor Hitoshi and his wife, Satako, as part of our yearly budget.

Pastor Fischer will be leading the worship services on this day as Pastor Hitoshi brings us God's Word from the pulpit as well as his deep appreciation to our congregation. Please make every effort to be with us on this special day.



**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 on Sunday, July 28th 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

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
He suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
In accordance with the scriptures;
He ascended into heaven
And is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
And his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
Who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son He is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
And the life of the world to come. Amen.**

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.)

(Each portion of the prayers concludes with these words:) **Lord In Your Mercy**, and the response is, **Hear our Prayer**.

(The prayers conclude with these words:) Into Your Hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** (we stand)

*The Peace is Shared
The Offering is Received

Anthem **"Make Me A Channel of Your Peace"** -Sebastian Temple

Make me a channel of Your peace.
Where there is hatred, let me bring Your love;
Where there is injury, Your pardon, Lord;
And where there's doubt, true faith in You.

Make me a channel of Your peace.
Where there's despair in life, let me bring hope;
Where there is darkness, only light;
And where there's sadness, ever joy.

O Master, grant that I may never seek
So much to be consoled as to console,
To be understood as to understand,
To be loved as to love with all my soul.

Make me a channel of Your peace.
It is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
In giving of ourselves that we receive,
And in dying that we're born to eternal life.

MEAL

*Offertory ***“Let The Vineyards Be Fruitful”***

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*The Prayer and Response

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*The Great Thanksgiving (spoken responsively)

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L. The Lord be with you.

C. And also with you.

L. Lift up your hearts.

C. We lift them to the Lord.

L. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

*Preface of the Day

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places
give thanks and praise (Here the minister continues with the preface for the day,
concluding) ... we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

*Sanctus (sung by all)

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**Holy, holy, holy Lord, Lord God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed, Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

*The Eucharistic Prayer and Words of Institution

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SATURDAY SERVANTS

As in prior years, HTLC will prepare bagged lunches for the Anderson Emergency Soup Kitchen through the Saturday Servants Program. Each Saturday in July (except the second Saturday) we will gather in the Fellowship Hall to prepare 140 peanut butter/jelly sandwiches and 140 bologna and cheese sandwiches, along with other food items. July 27th is our last Saturday. We will begin to pack at 10:00 a.m. **NOTE THE NEW TIME.**

Kroger Baker is providing the bread as in prior years. Ingles has provided all the bottled water.

We now have adequate food donations to cover all Saturdays of July.

If you have questions, please contact Leslie Cox at 301-788-9035 or Jamie Corrigan at 864-224-8070, our Service Committee Co-Chairs.

Helpful Hint of the Month

Why do we change hymnals during the summer months?

Beginning in July and August, we return to a long-held tradition of our congregation. During the summer months we will be using the blue paper-backed hymnal in the pews, *With One Voice*, or as many refer to it, “WOV.” We do this to provide a little variation in our Lutheran liturgy practice, besides, for many this little hymnal contains many of their favorite hymns. Designed as a supplement to the *Lutheran Book of Worship*, the *With One Voice* was first published by the ELCA in 1995. Besides over 200 hymns, several worship liturgies are also provided.

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
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David Lane
Nina & Larry Sherman
Gretchen Fant

Richard & Omaira Caruso
Connie Adams
Connie Adams

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*The Lord's Prayer

L. 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.**

*The Communion Hymn (sung by all)

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**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us, have mercy on us,
have mercy. Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us, have
mercy on us, have mercy. Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us
peace.**

The Communion (Continuous Method- Please follow directions of the ushers)

Invited to commune at this altar are all baptized believers. Children not yet receiving Holy Communion are invited to come with their families to receive a blessing. On the way up, you are to pick up a cup and bring it to the altar. Prefilled cups in the center of the tray contain grape juice; otherwise wine will be dispensed at the altar into empty cups. Gluten free wafers are available as needed. Please notify the Pastor. To have the elements brought to you for communion, please notify an Usher. It would be helpful if you would sit on the front pew or on the aisle. As you go to the altar for communion, you are invited to dip your fingers into the water of the Baptismal Font and make a sign of the cross on your forehead in remembrance of your baptism.

*The Communion Blessing

Pastor Fischer

*The Post Communion Hymn (sung by all)

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**Thankful hearts and voices raise; tell ev'ryone what God has done.
Let all who seek the Lord rejoice and bear Christ's holy name.
Send us with your promises, O God, and lead us forth in joy
with shouts of thanksgiving. Alleluia.**

*Prayer after Communion (The congregation responds with AMEN.)



SENDING

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

*Closing Hymn *“Christ Is Made The Sure Foundation”* **Hymn #747**

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

*The Dismissal
Go in peace, serve the Lord.
Thanks be to God!

Postlude *“Oh, Praise The Gracious Power”* -Carol Doran

(*) Indicates congregation to stand

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are given by Bobby and Jessica Wagner to the honor and glory of God, and in honor of the birthday of her father, Steve Rochester.

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.



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

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

SUMMER FUN NIGHT

We continue our monthly summer gatherings in Fellowship Hall for a time of **Food, Fun & Fellowship** around a Biblical theme. Adults and Kids of all ages are invited to join us! There will be crafts, games, and song. The meal will be provided.

WHEN: **Wednesday, August 7 5:30 –7:00 p.m. (Please note date change.)**
WHAT: **"JOSEPH’S COAT”**

PRAYER LIST

7/14 The Family of Bob Austin
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
5/19 The Family of Bobbie Jordan
5/19 Chris Corley and Family
5/19 Jean Vinson

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