

Special Prayers for Today

May God bless us to share His Word, love and mercy with everyone we meet; prayers for all of those celebrating anniversaries and birthdays; prayers for the health concerns of Colleen Armitage, Pat Baker, Jo Barrington, Eugene Beccue (brother of Evie Meyer), Marilyn Britton, Terri Bridgeman (mother of Adam Bridgeman), Richard Bridgeman (father of Adam Bridgeman), Melanie Ferricks Capps and family (family friend of Holly Henning-Buhr), Al Casolari, Bill Furling, Bill Hemenway (father of Pastor Hemenway), Helen Hoffman, Mark Hoffman (son of Helen Hoffman), Phyllis Hylton (mother of Amy Hayer), Jim Klug (father of Zack and Jake Klug), Joelle Knoles, Tom Kopera, Marilyn Lockwood, Anthony Meredith (father of Kaden Meredith), Kevin Moore (brother of Pam Sausaman), Evie Meyer, Barry Nass, Paul Ogan (father of Brian Ogan), Sheavie Reagan, Aaron Shipman, Amelia Smith (daughter of Kris Smith), Rick Wilson (father of LeAnne Woody), and Sandra Yost (sister of Joelle Knoles); prayers for the family of Evelyn Lageman (sister of Wayne Harshaw), who passed away last week; prayers for those affected by dangerous weather all over the world; prayers for those suffering in California from the wildfires; Amen.

Sunday Altar Flowers

Flowers are placed on the altar today by John and Linda Rodenburg in thanksgiving to God for His many blessings.

At Worship Last Week

Saturday: 105 Sunday: 182, 173..... 430
Adult Studies: 146 Sunday School: 47..... 193
Offerings for the Lord’s Kingdom Work:\$21,513.25
October 2018 Automatic Contributions.....\$7,820.00

Sunday Bible Study

9:30am-10:15 a.m.

Sunday School

Sunday School and Sunday Bible Study are held at the School Campus Parish Center, 515 S. MacArthur. Directions are as follows: From the Church to get to Trinity Lutheran School and thus our Parish Hall, head south on 2nd Street, then go west on Edwards Street, and turn right (north) on MacArthur Blvd. The school/parish center will be on your left. From the parking lot you’ll see doors to the school. Enter there and the Parish Center is on your right. **Childcare is available for Adult Bible Study.*

Grades Pre-K-Grade 8: Today in Sunday School, students will study “Worship in the Tabernacle.” God dwelled with His people, cleansing them and making them holy through the blood of sacrifices. In Christ, God now dwells among us, cleansing us and making us holy through His blood, sacrificed for us on the cross. Ask students, “Why did God direct the people to build the tabernacle? Where do we worship God today?”

Sunday Morning Adult Bible Classes:

- Lutheranism 101: The Lord’s Supper, taught by Pastor Holmes in the Science Room.
- Women’s Bible Study: Living the Fruit of the Spirit, taught by Amy Holmes in the Extended Care room.
- Burning Questions, taught by Pastor Hemenway in the Parish Center.

“Rest Assured” Hebrews 10:11-25 Rev. Jonathan Holmes

- You really can’t find any assurance in anything you say, think, or do.
 - It’s unclear at best whether or not you can trust yourself or anyone else, since you just can’t trust sinners in the end.
- Find assurance in what God gives to you: forgiveness, life, and salvation.
 - All is found and gained through Christ.
 - His death.
 - His resurrection.
- Rest in the promises of God and where He says He is for you – even though these appear far to simple and insignificant:
 - The Spoken Word – the preaching of God’s Word.
 - Water – Baptism.
 - Bread and Wine – The Lord’s Supper.



Worship Services:

Sermon
“Rest Assured”
Rev. Jonathan Holmes

Saturday Service
5:30pm-Parish Center
Liturgy 203
Hymns: 785, 645 (st. 1-3), 672
Primary Choir

Sunday Services
8:00am-Church
Liturgy 203
Holy Communion
Hymns: 785, 645 (st. 1-3), 673, 672
Trinity Choir

10:30am-Church
Liturgy 203
Hymns: 785, 645 (st. 1-3), 672
Junior Choir

Scriptures for Today

1st Reading: Dan. 12:1-3 (p. 750)
Psalm: Ps. 16 (p. 453)
Epistle: Heb. 10:11-25 (p. 1006)
Gospel: Mark 13:1-13 (p. 849)

Those Serving This Week

Communion Assistants

Saturday

Non-Communion Service

Sunday

Travis Hindman, Brian Ogan
Dave Rohe

Ushers

Saturday

Non-Communion Service

Sunday 8am

Al Casolari, Kevin Cranford, Lynn Friday,
Bill Miller, and Barry Nass

Sunday 10:30am

Paul Hartman, Bryan Knoles,
Alan Krofchick, Cliff Krueger,
Chris Nickols, Adam Strong

Musicians

Saturday

Amy Reed

Sunday

Laura Fliege

Altar Committee

Saturday

Non-Communion Service

Sunday

Melissa Bowers, Susan Gilman



A Warm Welcome to our Visitors and Members!

- We would like to know who our visitors are, so either before or after the service, please sign the Visitor Register in the Welcome Center at the back of the sanctuary.
- Personal Assistive Listening Devices for persons with hearing problems are available from an usher.
- The offering is an act of worship for members and friends of Trinity, moved by God's love, to support this ministry. Visitors should not feel obligated to participate. We want you to feel welcome and we truly wish to serve you.
- If at any time during the service it becomes difficult for you to stand, by all means take a seat, even if others are standing. God knows our strengths and He understands our weaknesses and frailties, too. God bless you!



Our Practice in Participating in the Lord's Supper

We're glad you are here worshipping with us! Today we will be celebrating Holy Communion. According to Christ and Holy Scripture, in this gift we receive the true body and blood of Jesus for the forgiveness of sins (Matthew 26:26-28, Luke 22:14-20, I Corinthians 10:16-21, I Corinthians 11:23-26). Through this blessing, we are also strengthened to live in faithfulness to Christ, lead more Godly lives and have a deeper love for one another. Those communing are publicly professing that they believe these things to be true and are also giving witness that they are in agreement with the teaching of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod.

St. Paul tells us that those who take Communion without proper instruction take it to their great harm (I Corinthians 11:29). We don't want that for anyone; therefore, we ask that anyone holding a different Christian confession or belief about the Lord's Supper refrain from Communion. If you are not Communing with us today, we encourage you to come forward with those in your aisle to receive a blessing. Simply indicate your presence by crossing your hands on the rail (or in front of your body for Saturday night worshipers). If you have questions about our Communion policy or our beliefs please feel free to speak to one of the pastors after the service or indicate on an attendance card that you would like to be contacted. May God bless us all as we worship Him in His house today!

*Upon request, we offer a gluten free communion wafer. Please ask an usher for assistance.

Christian stewardship is the free and joyous activity of the child of God and God's family, the church, in managing all of life and life's resources for God's purposes.

The Truth is...

Christ has overcome the world. We are safe and secure in Him.

Twenty-sixth Sunday after Pentecost
Saturday, November 17 and Sunday, November 18



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