

Seventh Sunday of Easter
Sunday, May 29, 2022 – Traditional Service with Holy Communion

**“I PRAY ALSO
FOR THOSE WHO
WILL BELIEVE IN ME
THROUGH THEIR MESSAGE,
THAT ALL OF THEM
MAY BE ONE,
FATHER,
JUST AS YOU ARE IN ME
AND I AM IN YOU.”**

JOHN 17:20-21, NIV

WELCOME TO ALL

Welcome to worship at Trinity Lutheran Church! We are glad you are here.
We are delighted to gather as one people in the name of the risen Lord Jesus,
in whose power over disease and death we take hope.

Please use this bulletin to participate in the liturgy
and take it with you when the service is ended.

Based on revised CDC guidance, we are no longer encouraging the wearing of masks for those attending worship, regardless of vaccination status. However, if you have symptoms, have tested positive for Covid or been exposed to someone with Covid-19, we ask that you do wear a mask.

***Please feel free to continue wearing a mask in worship for your safety, if desired.
This guidance may change if our risk level changes.***

We track attendance for communion. If you plan to commune,
you're invited to register yourself beforehand on our website (trinitylutheranchambersburg.org),
by calling the church office (717-263-8156), or ushers can register you when you arrive.

Bathrooms are located down the hall from the side entrance to the sanctuary.

Children are always welcome during worship, but if desired,
there is a nursery in room 107 available for children ages birth to school age.

*Please be aware that we are streaming our services.
If you do not wish to be on camera please contact the church office.*

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*It is possible to hear in Jesus' high priestly prayer,
a prayer he offered shortly before his death, the petitions of the ascended Christ
for his own throughout history—to our day—and beyond.
Jesus prays for us. In holy baptism we become believers in God,
have our robes washed in the flood of Christ's forgiveness,
and receive the gift of life forever with all the saints.*

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congregation responds in bold print.

Please respect the silence of those around you preparing for worship.

PRELUDE

"Aria for Flute"

Broughton

Please stand as you are able.

CONFESSION & 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 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 the 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.

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 by 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.

Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake,
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, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

1 The strife is o'er, the bat - tle done; now is the vic - tor's
5 Lord, by the stripes which wound-ed you, from death's sting free your

tri - umph won! Now be the song of praise be - gun. Al - le - lu - ia!
ser - vants too, that we may live and sing to you. Al - le - lu - ia!

After the final stanza

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

APOSTOLIC 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.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray.

**O God,
form the minds of your faithful people
into your one will.**

**Make us love what you command
and desire what you promise, that,
amid all the changes of this world,
our hearts may be fixed where true joy is found,
your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever.**

Amen.

Christ is Risen!

He is Risen indeed Alleluia!

Please be seated.



WORD

FIRST READING

Acts 16:16-34

Those who had enslaved a girl and used her powers to tell fortunes threw Paul and Silas into jail for ordering the spirit to come out of her and consequently ruining their business. In prison, Paul and Silas bring the good news of the gospel to the jailer and his family.

¹⁶One day, as we were going to the place of prayer, we met a slave-girl who had a spirit of divination and brought her owners a great deal of money by fortune-telling. ¹⁷While she followed Paul and us, she would cry out, “These men are slaves of the Most High God, who proclaim to you a way of salvation.” ¹⁸She kept doing this for many days. But Paul, very much annoyed, turned and said to the spirit, “I order you in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her.” And it came out that very hour.

¹⁹But when her owners saw that their hope of making money was gone, they seized Paul and Silas and dragged them into the marketplace before the authorities. ²⁰When they had brought them before the magistrates, they said, “These men are disturbing our city; they are Jews ²¹and are advocating customs that are not lawful for us as Romans to adopt or observe.” ²²The crowd joined in attacking them, and the magistrates had them stripped of their clothing and ordered them to be beaten with rods. ²³After they had given them a severe flogging, they threw them into prison and ordered the jailer to keep them securely. ²⁴Following these instructions, he put them in the innermost cell and fastened their feet in the stocks.

²⁵About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them. ²⁶Suddenly there was an earthquake, so violent that the foundations of the prison were shaken; and immediately all the doors were opened and everyone’s chains were unfastened. ²⁷When the jailer woke up and saw the prison doors wide open, he drew his sword and was about to kill himself, since he supposed that the prisoners had escaped. ²⁸But Paul shouted in a loud voice, “Do not harm yourself, for we are all here.” ²⁹The jailer called for lights, and rushing in, he fell down trembling before Paul and Silas. ³⁰Then he brought them outside and said, “Sirs, what must I do to be saved?” ³¹They answered, “Believe on the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household.” ³²They spoke the word of the Lord to him and to all who were in his house.

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³³At the same hour of the night he took them and washed their wounds; then he and his entire family were baptized without delay. ³⁴He brought them up into the house and set food before them; and he and his entire household rejoiced that he had become a believer in God.

Word of God. Word of Life.
Thanks be to God!

PSALMODY

Psalm 97

We will speak the Psalm responsively.

Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous. (Ps. 97:12)

- ¹The LORD reigns; let the earth rejoice;
let the multitude of the isles be glad.
- ²**Clouds and darkness surround the LORD,
righteousness and justice are the foundations of God's throne.**
- ³Fire goes before the LORD,
burning up enemies on every side.
- ⁴**Lightnings light up the world;
the earth sees and trembles.**
- ⁵The mountains melt like wax
before the Lord of all the earth.
- ⁶**The heavens declare your righteousness, O LORD,
and all the peoples see your glory.**
- ⁷Confounded be all who worship carved images and delight in false gods!
Bow down before the LORD, all you gods.
- ⁸**Zion hears and is glad, and the cities of Judah rejoice,
because of your judgments, O LORD.**
- ⁹For you are the LORD, most high over all the earth;
you are exalted far above all gods.
- ¹⁰**You who love the LORD, hate evil!
God guards the lives of the saints and rescues them from the
hand of the wicked.**
- ¹¹Light dawns for the righteous,
and joy for the honest of heart.
- ¹²**Rejoice in the LORD, you righteous,
and give thanks to God's holy name.**

SECOND READING

Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21

*The ascended Christ, hidden from our sight, promises to come again.
We eagerly pray, "Come, Lord Jesus," with all who respond to this invitation.*

¹²"See, I am coming soon; my reward is with me, to repay according to everyone's work. ¹³I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end."

¹⁴Blessed are those who wash their robes, so that they will have the right to the tree of life and may enter the city by the gates.

¹⁶"It is I, Jesus, who sent my angel to you with this testimony for the churches. I am the root and the descendant of David, the bright morning star."

¹⁷The Spirit and the bride say, "Come."

And let everyone who hears say, "Come."

And let everyone who is thirsty come.

Let anyone who wishes take the water of life as a gift.

²⁰The one who testifies to these things says, "Surely I am coming soon."

Amen. Come, Lord Jesus!

²¹The grace of the Lord Jesus be with all the saints. Amen.

Word of God. Word of Life.

Thanks be to God!

Please stand as you are able.

Gospel Reading is from The Message.

GOSPEL

John 17:20-26

*Jesus prays that the life of his followers will be characterized by an intimate unity of identity with God. To be so identified with God means also to share in God's mission:
to proclaim the word that will bring others into this same unity.*

The Holy Gospel according to John, the 17th chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

²⁰⁻²³ I'm praying not only for them

But also for those who will believe in me

Because of them and their witness about me.

The goal is for all of them to become one heart and mind—

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Just as you, Father, are in me and I in you,
So they might be one heart and mind with us.
Then the world might believe that you, in fact, sent me.
The same glory you gave me, I gave them,
So they'll be as unified and together as we are—
I in them and you in me.
Then they'll be mature in this oneness,
And give the godless world evidence
That you've sent me and loved them
In the same way you've loved me.

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²⁴⁻²⁶ Father, I want those you gave me
To be with me, right where I am,
So they can see my glory, the splendor you gave me,
Having loved me
Long before there ever was a world.
Righteous Father, the world has never known you,
But I have known you, and these disciples know
That you sent me on this mission.
I have made your very being known to them—
Who you are and what you do—
And continue to make it known,
So that your love for me
Might be in them
Exactly as I am in them.

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

Please be seated.

CHILDREN'S SERMON

SERMON

SPECIAL MUSIC

"O God Beyond All Praising"

Holst

Please stand as you are able.

APOSTLES' CREED

With the whole church, let us confess our faith.

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

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and 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.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Names of family & friends in prayer found on page 17.

A brief silence.

Response following each petition:

L: God, in your mercy,

R: hear our prayer.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you!



OFFERING

Thank you for your generous and faithful support during these extraordinary times.

Out of an abundance of caution, we are not currently passing the collection plates.

*Instead, you may place your offerings in the plates provided
by the door as you enter or exit worship.*

If you prefer, Trinity offers 5 other ways to give as well:

Text, Mail, Mobile, Automatic Transfer, & Online. Contact the church office for details.

Create in Me a Clean Heart

Offering Song

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, and take not your Ho - ly Spir - it from me.
Re - store to me the joy of your sal - va - tion, and up - hold me
with your free Spir - it. Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God,
and re - new a right spir - it with - in me.

MEAL

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.



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.**

SANCTIFY
THEM
IN THE
TRUTH; **YOUR
WORD
IS TRUTH.**
JOHN 17:17

Please be seated.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Come to God's table.

There is a place for you and enough for all.

Thanks be to God.



- 1 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
- 2 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
- 3 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;



you suf-fered death our lives to save: have mer-cy now, we pray.
you set us free from guilt and grave: have mer-cy now, we pray.
e - ter-nal peace with God you made: give us your peace, we pray.

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION INFORMATION

All baptized followers of Christ are welcome at the Lord's Table.

Communicants are ushered forward row-by-row.

Collect an empty cup as you near the front of the sanctuary and proceed forward.

Please open your hand and the pastor will place the bread in your hand.

Once you have eaten the bread, the communion assistant will offer you a cup of wine.

Please take the cup of wine from the tray.

After drinking the wine, you may return to your seat along the side aisle.

If you prefer, grape juice is available which you may request from the communion assistant.

COMMUNION BLESSING

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

THE BENEDICTION

Crown Him with Many Crowns

1 Crown him with man - y crowns, the Lamb up - on his throne;
4 Crown him the Lord of life, who tri - umphed o'er the grave

hark, how the heav'n-ly an - them drowns all mu - sic but its own.
and rose vic - to - rious in the strife for those he came to save.

A - wake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,
His glo - ries now we sing, who died and rose on high,

and hail him as thy match-less king through all e - ter - ni - ty.
who died, e - ter - nal life to bring, and lives that death may die.

The musical score is written for a four-part choir (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) and piano accompaniment. It is in the key of D major (two sharps) and 4/4 time. The score consists of four systems of music. Each system has a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano line (bass clef). The lyrics are written below the vocal line. The first system includes a first ending (1) and a second ending (4). The second system includes a first ending (1) and a second ending (2). The third system includes a first ending (1) and a second ending (2). The fourth system includes a first ending (1) and a second ending (2). The piano accompaniment consists of chords and single notes. The vocal lines are written in a simple, clear style. The lyrics are written in a simple, clear style. The score is a closing hymn, and it is a well-known hymn in the Lutheran tradition.

SENDING

DISMISSAL

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Go in peace. Tell what God has done.

Thanks be to God.

Please be seated.

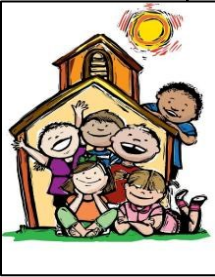
POSTLUDE

"Praise the Lord on High"

Sawyer

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*Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God,
and in memory of loved ones,
by Bob & Frances Kitzmiller.*



*The children's bulletins are given to the Glory of God
and in honor of Dilynn Fisher's 15th birthday
by his sister, Alyssa, and cousins: Brooklynn & Isabella Barkman.*

Next week's Lessons:

- Acts 2:1-21
- Psalm 104:24-34, 35b
- Romans 8:14-17
- John 14:8-17 [25-27]



CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

*Sunday, June 5, 2022
Following worship
In-person & via Zoom*

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Preacher/Presider	
Organist	Barb Woods
	10 AM
Greeter	Ruth Cramer
Lector	Denny Alleman
Communion Asst.	Janelle Barkman Luke Coder
Communion Prep	Gloria McCauley
Ushers	Brenda Runshaw Ken Runshaw
Livestream Team	Jason Brown
Nursery	Erich Vogel Laurie Vogel

IN OUR THOUGHTS & PRAYERS



We Pray For

FAMILY & FRIENDS

Christie Brown
Ron Portner
Larry Royce
Tiffany Welch
Floss Sterner
Sharon Emmons

David & Kathy Hoffman
Bernice Conner
Caleb Stropas
Cindy Guldin
Dottie Fochtman

Michele Phillips
Susie Glick
Curt Stambaugh
Cheryl Kelly
Cameron

MEMBERS

Rebecca &
Sydney Fischer

Jason, Jackie,
Alyssa, & Dilynn
Fisher

Jared Fisher

Lynn & Lynette Fisher

*****Names may be added / removed by calling the church office.***

*****Names will normally be removed after 4 weeks.***

CHURCH COUNCIL

Interested in taking more of a leadership role at Trinity?
There are spots opening up on Church Council. If interested contact
Kathy Ashway or the church office: 717-263-8156.

OFFERING

Budgeted amount needed: \$8,072.12 05/22/22 Offering: \$3,595.60
Thank You!

TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Confirmation Class



Calling all students in 6th grade and above!

If you're not already participating in Confirmation Classes and are ready to start this fall, please contact Ruth Cramer at ruthcramer102@gmail.com so she can order materials for you. Our confirmation classes are held on Sunday mornings during the Sunday School hour and involve a two-year curriculum focusing on the Old and New Testaments, as well as Lutheran theology and Luther's teachings.

thank  YOU

On behalf of the Church Council & the Congregation we'd like to thank ***Sage Brown*** for her diligent work as Financial Secretary for the past year and as the Assistant Financial Secretary for a year prior. We wish her well in the future!

RECYCLE PAPER DAY



EVERY LAST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

We take: *newspaper, *magazines, *paperback books, *paper bags, *shredded paper, and *junk mail.

In our household we receive over six pounds of junk mail per month! Ideal containers are paper bags. Please do not tape or tie anything closed.

The paper is sold to Applegate Insulation where it's ground and manufactured into insulation that helps people stay warm. The funds from paper sale will be directed to the Capital Needs account.

Every family has paper that just ends up in the land fill. How about setting that waste paper aside and bringing it to the paper drive: a small bit to save the environment and build our Capital Needs Account.

Thanks so much for your participation!

Michael's BBQ Chicken



Saturday, June 11th - 10:30am - till sold out
Lowe's Parking Lot - (Drive through only)

\$13.00/Dinner

Sponsored by SpiriTrust Lutheran
Chambersburg Auxiliary



The church office will be **closed**
Monday, May 30, 2022
in observance of Memorial Day.

THIS WEEK @ TRINITY

Today - 05/29	9:00 AM 10:00 AM	Scripture & Coffee - Lounge Worship - Sanctuary <i>Recycle Paper Day</i> <i>7th Sunday of Easter</i>
Monday - 05/30	7-9 PM	Church Office CLOSED (Memorial Day) Boy Troop - Scout Room
Tuesday - 05/31	10:00 AM	Tuesday Bible Study - Lounge
Wednesday - 06/01	10:00 AM 5:30 PM	Service/Witness - Lounge Yoga - Social Hall
Thursday - 06/02	6:00 PM 7:00 PM	Learning Committee - Cloud 9 Grief Share - Lounge
Friday - 06/03	6-8 PM	Cub Scouts - Scout Room
Saturday - 06/04		National Hug Your Cat Day
Sunday - 06/05	9:00 AM 10:00 AM 11:15 AM	Scripture & Coffee - Lounge Worship - Sanctuary Congregational Meeting (in person & Zoom) <i>Pentecost Sunday</i>

Helping Network Ministry with Food!

If you could supply snacks for either 30 or 60 children once a year, you could help this Christian Outreach Ministry. Snacks are food such as granola bars, individual packages of Goldfish crackers, raisins, breakfast bars, fresh fruit or vegetables or something similar. Contact the church office or someone on the Service/Witness team. The kids say Thanks!!





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The Rev. Ruth Smith

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Christie Brown

Secretary

Anne Crawford

Treasurer

Dennis Alleman

Financial Secretary

Sage Brown

Livestream Coordinator

Jason Brown

Vision

"Growing in God"

Mission Statement

*"Seed - Planting and Growing in our Faith
Sow - Sharing the word of God with our community
Steward - Giving to all the love of God
Service - Showing the love of God with our community"*