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Trinity Lutheran School – Waukesha

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Worship Service Times

Saturday - 5:30pm
Sunday - 8:15 & 10:45am
Monday - 6:30pm

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Rev. Aaron L. Christie
Administration, Worship, School, & Youth

Rev. Lawrence R. Gates
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Rev. Scott T. Oelhafen
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Hispanic Ministry



*We all are called to service to witness in God's name.
Our ministries are different; Our purpose is the same.
(Christian Worship 566:2)*

A CELEBRATION OF MINISTRY

Sunday, October 26, 2014

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church
Waukesha, WI

THE 20TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

October 26, 2014

"A CELEBRATION OF MINISTRY"

WELCOME TO TRINITY

This weekend we are celebrating Ministry Sunday here at Trinity. As a family of believers, we have many people who volunteer their time and talents for the Lord's service in many different ways here at Trinity Lutheran Church, School & Childcare. As a family of believers, we also have over a dozen full-time pastors and teachers who serve the Lord at Trinity on our behalf. We take an opportunity today both to thank God for their service and to encourage our young men and women to consider the full-time preaching and teaching ministries. May this weekend help us all do what the Scriptures say: *"Now we ask you, brothers, to respect those who work hard among you, who are over you in the Lord and who admonish you. Hold them in the highest regard in love because of their work. Live in peace with each other"* (1 Thessalonians 5:12-13).

OUR SPECIAL GUESTS

Assisting us in leading our celebration of ministry today are representatives from three of our four WELS ministerial education schools: presiding minister, Seminarian Aaron Voss, representing Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary, Mequon, WI, guest preacher, Rev. Mark Zarling, President of Martin Luther College, New Ulm, MN, and the Prep Singers from Luther Preparatory School, Watertown, WI, Professor Randy Bode, conductor. Please join in welcoming our special guests to worship at Trinity today.

HYMN ENLARGEMENT INSERTS

Hymn enlargement inserts with the texts to the chosen hymns for this weekend's worship, printed in larger print on cream-colored paper, are available from the ushers upon request.

OUR FACILITIES

Our restrooms are located to the left as you leave the sanctuary. They are located near the coat room. The members of Trinity believe that families should be encouraged to worship together. If your young child needs to be quieted, we have an audio-equipped children's room just outside of the church doors to your right. If you need anything during the service, please feel free to ask an usher.

WELS CONNECTION

Thankful for our membership in WELS and wanting to know more about our ministry at home and around the world, it is our privilege to watch the September edition of the WELS Connection during the gathering of the offering, which highlights Luther Preparatory School, one of our WELS ministerial prep schools, preparing young students for lives of Christian service and ministry. The calendar year, 2015, will mark the 150th Anniversary of Luther Preparatory School.



November 2014

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| November 2 | Keep Us FAITHFUL to the Word |
| November 9 | Keep Us MINDFUL of Your Judgment |
| November 16 | Keep Us WATCHFUL for Our Triumph |
| November 23 | Keep Us JOYFUL in Our King |
| November 26-27 | Keep Us THANKFUL for Your Blessings
<i>Thanksgiving Services</i> |

Sundays at 8:15 & 10:45 AM

Saturdays at 5:30 PM & Mondays at 6:30 PM

Thanksgiving Eve at 6:30 PM & Thanksgiving Day at 9:00 AM

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"Therefore KEEP WATCH, because you do not know on what day your Lord will come"

Matthew 24:42



LUTHER PREPARATORY SCHOOL

PREP SINGERS ROSTER

SOPRANO

Hannah Dornik
Miriam Fischer
Winter Fredrick
Brittany Jensen
Hope Loersch
Chloe Mittelstadt
Erin Naumann
Gretchen Nemmers
Emma Turriff
Lydia Wilde
Kasandra Wagner

Oconomowoc, WI
Watertown, WI
Oconomowoc, WI
Ixonla, WI
Watertown, WI
Lak Elmo, MN
Milwaukee, WI
Allen, TX
Yakima, WA
Kenosha, WI
Montgomery, IL

ALTO

Hannah Brohn Hudson, WI
Abby Enstad Andover, MN
Rachel Hartmann Germantown, WI
Molly Hennig New Ulm, MN
Jenna Hering Rowlett, TX
Jacqueline Pautz Franksville, WI
Paige Schwark Elkhorn, WI
Jamie Spaude Greenfield, WI

TENOR

Alex Brown
Caleb Dobberstein
Anthony Fitzgerald
Nathan Jenswold
Erik Lund
Stephen Oelhafen
Micah Otto
Joel Robbert
Joel Chamber
Christian Willick

Watertown, SD
Port Orange, FL
Redding, CA
Hortonville, WI
Spanaway, WA
Waukesha, WI
Baraboo, WI
Wasilla, AK
Wyoming, MI
Elm Grove, WI

BASS

Christian Arnold Oconto Falls, WI
Robert Beaver Oconomowoc, WI
Joshua Brands Palm Coast, FL
Matthew Brohn Hudson, WI
Karl Christie Waukesha, WI
Phillip Kieselhorst Watertown, WI
Mitchell Kohlmetz Mukwonago, WI
Jacob Melso Brookfield, WI
Henry Tomhave Locust Grove, GA
Matthew Zeng Roseville, MN

ORDER OF SERVICE

Stand

CONFESSION OF SINS

M: Dearly beloved! We have come together in the presence of God our heavenly Father, to render thanks for the great benefits that we have received at his hand, to set forth his most worthy praise, to hear his holy Word, and to ask for ourselves and on behalf of others, those things that are necessary for our life and salvation. O come, let us worship him! Let us kneel and bow down before him. Let us confess our sins with penitent hearts, and obtain forgiveness by his infinite grace and mercy.

C: **Almighty and most merciful Father, we have strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have followed the devices and desires of our hearts. We have offended against your holy law. We have done those things which we should not have done, and we have not done those things which we should have done. Have mercy on us, O Lord! Spare us and restore us, according to the promises you have declared to us in Jesus Christ, our Lord. For his sake grant that we may live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of your holy name.**

ABSOLUTION

M: The almighty and merciful Lord has granted us pardon and forgiveness of all our sins, grace for true repentance and amendment of life, and the comfort of the Holy Spirit. Peace be with you!

C: **Amen.**

Be seated

OPENING SONG

With Songs of Jubilation
James J. Chepponis
See next page



Brass & Organ Introduction

Cantors : With songs of jubilation, thank God in joyful praise!
Remember ev'ry blessing bestowed on all our days.
Come, celebrate our journey, the ministry begun.
Believe that God will guide us, and may the kingdom come.

Congregation joins to sing:

Refrain

With songs of ju - bi - la - tion, thank God in joy - ful praise!
 Re - mem - ber ev - 'ry bless - ing be - stowed on all our days.
 Come cel - e - brate our jour - ney, the min - is - try be - gun.
 be - lieve that God will guide us, and may the king - dom come.

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Cantors: Remember that God loves us, as seen in ages past
Through those whose work has given a legacy so vast.
With those who went before us, the work that was begun,
We give our lives in service so that the kingdom come.

At the end of each verse, repeat after Cantor:

We give our lives in ser - vice so
 that the king - dom come. **D.C.**

C: Refrain

SERVING AT WORSHIP

Presiding Minister Seminarian Aaron M. Voss

Guest Preacher Rev. Mark G. Zarling
President, Martin Luther College
New Ulm, MN

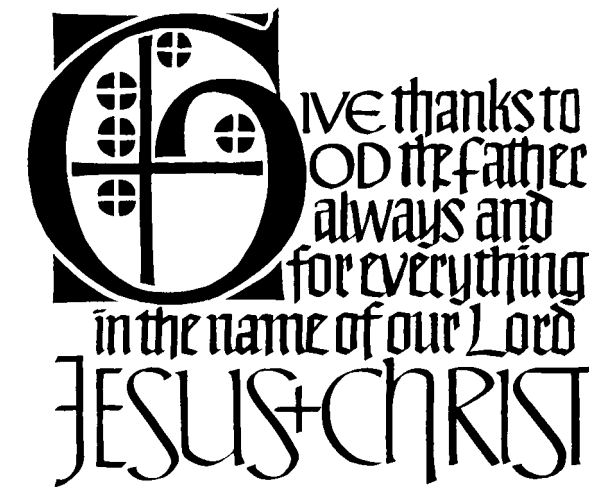
Principal Organist Mark D. Davidson

Cantors Jonathan A. Laabs
Ruth J. Mattek
Karen Vasatko

Choirs **The Prep Singers**
Luther Preparatory School
Watertown, WI
Professor Randy P. Bode, director

Trinity Lutheran School
Grades K-8

Trinity Chamber Brass
Rod Clouser, Brian Genrich, trumpet
Tracy Clouser, trombone
Jonathan Neujahr, tuba

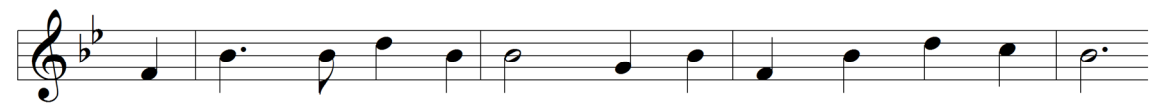


CLOSING HYMN

We All Are One in Mission
Christian Worship 566:2-3



2 We all are called to ser - vice, To wit - ness in God's name.
3 Now let us be u - nit - ed, And let our song be heard;



Our min - is - tries are dif - frent; Our pur - pose is the same:
Now let us be a ves - sel For God's re - deem - ing Word.



To touch the lives of oth - ers With God's sur - pris - ing grace,
We all are one in mis - sion; We all are one in call,



So ev - 'ry folk and na - tion May feel God's warm em - brace.
Our var - ied gifts u - nit - ed By Christ, the Lord of all.

Be seated

RECOGNITION OF CALLED WORKERS & SUPPORT STAFF (8:15)

POSTLUDE & DISMISSAL

**LORD, GIVE SUCCESS
TO THE WORK
OF OUR HANDS**

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Cantors: We celebrate our richness as God's own people here.
As members of Christ's body, we pray to persevere.
Empowered by the Spirit, united all as one,
We pray and work together so that the kingdom come.

C: **We pray and work together so that the kingdom come.**

Refrain

Cantors: Believe that God sustains us, and always will provide
The strength we need to prosper, the courage to abide.
With challenges before us, and work yet to be done,
We put our faith in action so that the kingdom come.

C: **We put our faith in action so that the kingdom come.**

Refrain

Stand

DIALOGUE FOR MINISTRY SUNDAY

M: Praise to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!

C: **In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.**

M: Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God.

C: **Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things.**

M: He who is seated on the throne says, "Behold, I make all things new!"

C: **If anyone is in Christ, the old has gone; the new has come.**

M: We give you thanks, O Lord, for making us new people.

C: **We give you thanks for making us your workmanship and giving us good works to do.**

M: We praise you for all of the people in this congregation who serve in joyful response to your love.

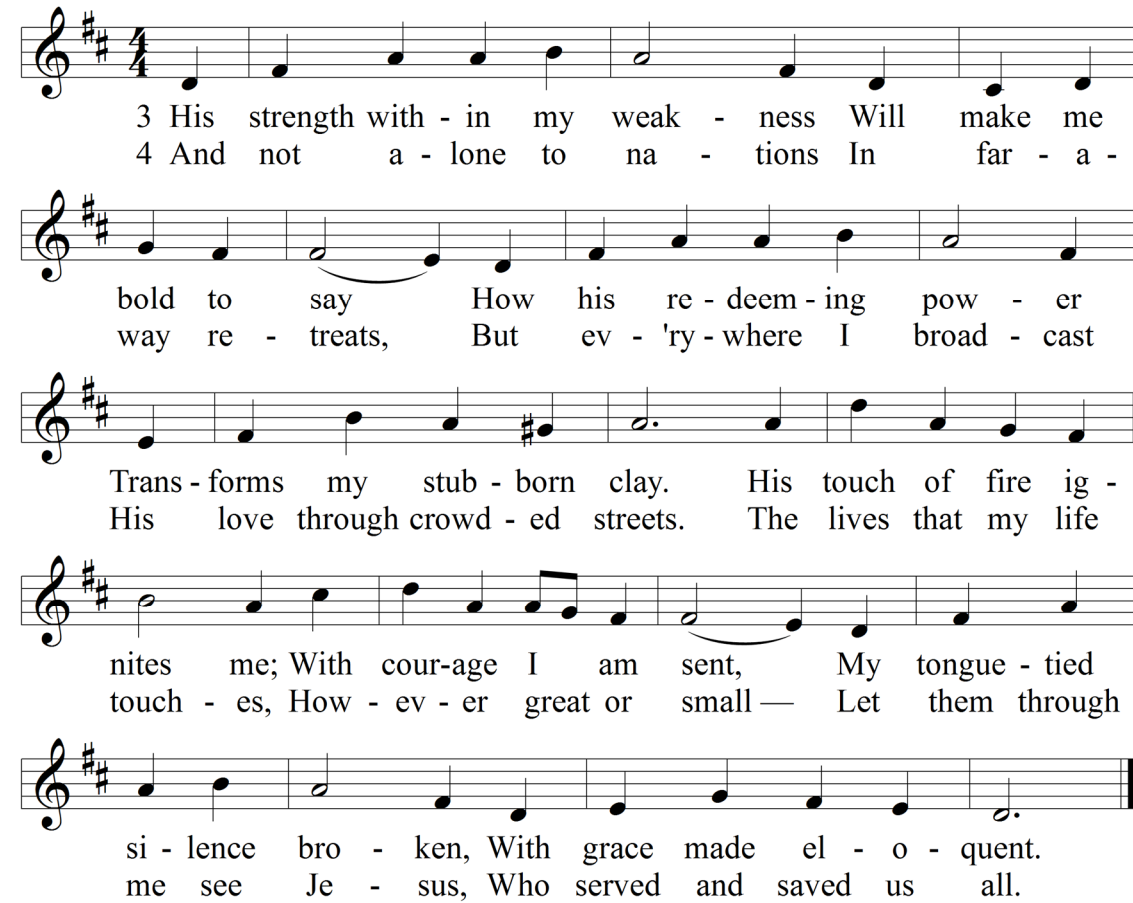
C: **We ask you to bless our efforts to your glory and the good of your Church.**

M: Lead us always to deeper appreciation for those whom you have given to take care of our needs.

C: **Make us the answer to the prayers of those who cry out to you for help. Let them see Jesus in all that we do.**

Written by Rev. Paul T. Prange, Administrator for WELS Ministerial Education, for this special occasion.

Congregation joins to sing:



3 His strength with - in my weak - ness Will make me
4 And not a - lone to na - tions In far - a -
bold to say How his re - deem - ing pow - er
way re - treats, But ev - 'ry - where I broad - cast
Trans - forms my stub - born clay. His touch of fire ig -
His love through crowd - ed streets. The lives that my life
nites me; With cour - age I am sent, My tongue - tied
touch - es, How - ev - er great or small — Let them through
si - lence bro - ken, With grace made el - o - quent.
me see Je - sus, Who served and saved us all.

SALUTATION

M: The Lord be with you.
C: And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

M: Let us pray.

Lord of the Church, inspire the hearts of many to offer themselves for ministry and service in your kingdom. Look with favor on our Trinity congregation, blessing those who preach, teach, and serve your people willingly, that they may apply themselves diligently to your will and faithfully to your service; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

Be seated

SEPTEMBER WELS CONNECTION

viewed during the Offering

Stand

OFFERING PRAYER

C: To pledge my labor willingly,
Which shall so sweet a service be
That angels well might envy me,
Christ crucified, I come. Amen.

Be seated

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS (10:45)

Stand

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

LORD'S PRAYER

C: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

BLESSING

M: The grace of our Lord + Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.



C: A - men.

CANTICLE HYMN

Holy God, We Praise Your Name
Christian Worship 278
Setting by Jacob B. Weber

Sung as follows: v.1 - All; v.2 - Men; v.3 - Women; v.4 - All



1 Ho - ly God, we praise your name; Lord of all, we
2 Hark! The glad ce - les - tial song An - gel choirs a -
3 Blest Re - deem - er, vir - gin's Son, O - ver death his
4 Ho - ly Fa - ther, ho - ly Son, Ho - ly Spir - it,



bow be - fore you. All on earth your scep - ter claim;
bove are rais - ing; Proph - ets, mar - tyrs join the throng,
vic - t'ry claim - ing, Now as - cend - ed to his throne,
three we name you; Though in es - sence on - ly one,



All in heav'n a - bove a - dore you. In - fi - nite your
In un - ceas - ing cho - rus prais - ing With the Church in
Judge and king, his grace pro - claim - ing, O - pens heav'n to
Un - di - vid - ed God we claim you, Then, a - dor - ing,



vast do - main, Ev - er - last - ing is your reign.
one ac - cord: Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord!
all his own. Praise and thanks to God a - lone!
bend the knee And con - fess the mys - ter - y.

Be seated

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING

Please take a moment during the collection of the offering to sign the Friendship Register in each of the pews. We encourage you to take a moment after the service to get to know those seated around you!

CHORAL ANTHEMS

On God and Not on Human Trust
Johann Pachelbel

On God and not on human trust, my earthly stand I've taken;
On Him who made me out of dust I build with faith unshaken;
I trust His hands who understands, for all that He bestoweth
Is good, as He best knoweth.

To God be the Glory
arr. Pepper Choplin

To God be the glory, great things he has done;
So loved he the world that he gave us his Son,
Who yielded his life an atonement for sin,
And opened the life-gate that all may go in.

Refrain

Praise the Lord, let the earth hear his voice!
Praise the Lord, let the people rejoice!
Oh, come to the Father through Jesus the Son
And give him the glory---great things he has done!

Oh, perfect redemption, the purchase of blood,
To ev'ry believer the promise of God;
The vilest offender who truly believes,
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives. Refrain

Great things he has taught us, great things he has done,
And great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son,
But purer and higher and greater will be
Our joy and our wonder when Jesus we see. Refrain

I Shall See
Michael John Trotta

Teach me your way; lead me in a straight path.
One thing I seek, I seek to dwell in your house.
Your face I seek, hide not from me.
You are my light, whom should I fear?
In times of trouble he shall hide me, I will not fear.
I will not fear. He is my strength.

I believe I shall see all of your good in the land of the living.
Wait upon him, and he will strengthen you.
Wait for him, he is your strength.
I will not fear. He is my strength.

LESSON

Romans 12:1-8

God equips his people with various gifts to use in service to him

¹Therefore, I urge you, brothers, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God--this is your spiritual act of worship. ²Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is--his good, pleasing and perfect will. ³For by the grace given me I say to every one of you: Do not think of yourself more highly than you ought, but rather think of yourself with sober judgment, in accordance with the measure of faith God has given you. ⁴Just as each of us has one body with many members, and these members do not all have the same function, ⁵so in Christ we who are many form one body, and each member belongs to all the others. ⁶We have different gifts, according to the grace given us. If a man's gift is prophesying, let him use it in proportion to his faith. ⁷If it is serving, let him serve; if it is teaching, let him teach; ⁸if it is encouraging, let him encourage; if it is contributing to the needs of others, let him give generously; if it is leadership, let him govern diligently; if it is showing mercy, let him do it cheerfully.

CHORAL ANTHEMS

On My Heart Imprint Thine Image

arr. A. Fremder

On my heart imprint thine image, blessed Jesus, King of grace,
That life's riches, lures, and pleasures have no pow'r Thee to efface.
This the superscription be: Jesus crucified for me,
Is my life, my hope's foundation, and my glory and salvation.

Let me never Lord forsake thee, E'en though bitter pain and strife
On my way shall overtake me; But may I through all my life
Walk in fervent love to thee, In all woes for comfort flee
To thy birth, thy death, and Passion, Till I see thy full salvation.

The Battle of Jericho

Traditional Spiritual

arr. Moses Hogan

Joshua fit the battle of Jericho and the walls come tumbalin' down.

Talk about your kings of Gideon, talk about your men of Saul,
but none like good old Joshua at the Battle of Jericho.

Right up to the walls of Jericho he marched with spear in hand.
"Go blow that ramhorn!" Joshua cried, "Cause the battle am in my hand."

Then the lamb, ram, and sheep horns begin to blow and the trumpet begins to sound!
Joshua commanded the children to shout! And the walls come a tumbalin' down!

Oh Lord, you know that Joshua fit the battle of Jericho and the walls come tumbalin' down.

HYMN OF THE DAY

The Church's One Foundation

Christian Worship 538

Setting by A.O. Lehmann

The congregation joins the choirs to sing the final stanza.

The Church's one foundation is Jesus Christ, her Lord;
She is His new creation by water and the Word.
From heav'n He came and sought her to be His holy bride;
With His own blood He bought her and for her life He died.

Elect from ev'ry nation yet one o'er all the earth,
Her charter of salvation, one Lord, one faith, one birth.
One holy name she blesses, partakes one holy food,
And to one hope she presses with ev'ry grace endued.

The church shall never perish! Her dear Lord to defend,
To guide, sustain, and cherish is with her to the end.
Tho' there be those that hate her, And strive to see her fail,
Against both foe and traitor she ever shall prevail.



4 Mid toil and trib - u - la - tion And tu-mult of her war



She waits the con - sum - ma - tion Of peace for - ev - er - more



Till with the vi - sion glo - rious Her long - ing eyes are blest



And the great Church vic - to - rious Shall be the Church at rest.

SERMON

Selected portions of Scripture

Rev. Mark G. Zarling

"TAKE TIME TO READ YOUR CARDS"

Stand