

<p><b>Welcome to Trinity</b></p>
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**#39 The Devil Seeks to Abolish God's Word and Sacraments With His Own**

But not only that! The devil has armed himself with these things in order to abolish God's word and sacraments with them. This is his line of thought: if someone arises to attack my church, sacraments, and bishops, saying that external things do not save, then God's word and sacraments shall perish with them, for these too are external signs and his church and bishops are also human beings. If mine do not stand approved, his will stand approved even less, especially because my church, bishops, and sacraments work promptly and help now and in this life, visibly and tangibly, for I am present in them and help quickly, as soon as it is desired. Christ's sacraments, however, work spiritually and invisibly and for the future so that his church and bishops can only be smelled, as it were, faintly and from afar, and the Holy Spirit behaves as though he were absent, permitting people to endure every misfortune and making them appear as heretics in the eyes of my church. Meanwhile, my church is not only so close that one can actually grasp it, but also my works follow very quickly; so everyone assumes that it is the true church of God. This is the advantage I have. (Luther's Works, v.41, p.169-170)

**Collect for Exaudi**

Almighty, everlasting God, make us always to have a devout will toward You and to serve Your majesty with a pure heart; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **AMEN**

**Divine Service I, p.136**

THE PREPARATION

- + Hymn #153..... "Draw Us to You"
- + Invocation..... p.136
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THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

- + Introit..... (insert)
- + Kyrie, Gloria in Excelsis... p.137ff
- + Salutation..... p.139
- + Collect of the Day... (insert)

Old Testament Reading

Epistle

- + Alleluia Verse..... (insert)
- + Holy Gospel..... p.140-141
- Nicene Creed..... p.141

**Hymn of the Day "We Thank Thee  
Jesus, Dearest Friend" (insert)**

Sermon "Have Fervent Love" 1 Pet 4:8

Offering

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SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

- + Preface, etc. .... p.144-151

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## Propers for Exaudi

“Hear...”

### Introit

Hear, O Lord, when I cry with  
my voice! Alle- / luia.\*

Your face, Lord, I will seek.

Do not hide Your face from me. Alle- / luia.



The Lord is my light and my sal- / vation;\*  
whom / shall I fear?

The Lord is the strength / of my life;\*  
of whom shall I / be afraid?

Teach me Your / way, O Lord,\*  
do not deliver me to the will of my adver- / saries;  
for false witnesses have risen a- / gainst me,\*  
and such as breathe out / violence.

Glory be to the Father and / to the Son\*  
and to the Holy / Spirit  
as it was in the be / ginning,\*  
is now, and will be forever. / Amen.

Hear, O Lord, when I cry with my voice! Alle- / luia.\*  
Your face, Lord, I will seek. Do not hide Your face from me.  
Alle- / luia. (Antiphon, Ps 27:7-9; Psalm 27:1, 11-12)

### Ezekiel 36:22-28

*A New Heart and Spirit*

*(From Quasimodo Geniti through the week following Pentecost, the  
Gradual is omitted and the Alleluia Verse is lengthened)*

### 1 Peter 4:7-14

*Sober Living*

### Alleluia Verse

Alle- / luia.\*

Alle- / luia.

God reigns over the / nations;\*  
God sits on His holy throne. Alle- / luia.

I will not leave you orphans; I am going away and coming / back to  
you;\*

and your heart will rejoice. Alle- / luia. (Psalm 47:8, John 14:18, 28, 16:22)



## St. John 15:26-16:4

*The Spirit of Truth*

*Followed by The Nicene Creed, p. 141*

## Prayer for the Church

Thanksgiving. – that Christ having ascended has sent the Spirit of truth from the Father to bear witness to His Son so that we might come to faith and as the body of Christ, be always expecting our Lord’s return, be continually in prayer, and above all be loving each other deeply until His return.

The Church and her servants.--that God’s people, who are exiles and orphans on account of their sins, believe that on account of Jesus’ righteousness, they are gathered into Christ’s Kingdom, made clean by the sprinkling of clean water, and made adopted sons of God with full rights of inheritance.

--Grant success to all who serve You and to our neighbors in their daily callings. Lead us all to make appropriate use of all the gifts of Your creation, especially in our humble service to those less fortunate.

--that all pastors in Christ, our bishop, James Heiser and our pastors Michael Henson and Gary Harroun, would consider their high calling as one speaking the oracles of God with the promise of the Spirit’s working.

--For our Director, Keely Gelso, for our teachers, for our assistants and support staff; for those who volunteer in taking care of the children and maintaining the facility; for those who give financial and prayer support;

The nations of the world and their rulers.— that our president, Donald Trump, our governor, J.B. Pritzker, our mayor, Steve Frattini, federal and state legislators, county commissioners, city officials and all our judges would faithfully administer their office as one who bears the sword for the common good.

--Our military personnel— Timothy R. Eichenseer, Danny Cobin, Jason Melvin, and Blake Darnstaedt

--"Prayer for the Afflicted and Those Suffering Hardship" Gerhard

Particular local needs.—

**Shut-ins.**- Rachel Zimmerman(Helia);

**Elderly.**- Violet Kemp, Verdelle Thies(Patty Kenner’s mother)

**Various Needs.**- Priscilla Kreuzer, Katelyn Guetersloh(MS), Jade Warden(Lee Dunaway's step dad's daughter, cancer), Kevin Krolak (nephew of Patti Baker), Gib (Jane’s Brother), Linda Plock, Rick Taylor(cancer, nephew of Mary Schroeder), Patti Baker, Rebekah Roethe (cancer, friend of Turners), Victor and Marsha Turner, Tony Prochaska, and Mike Wallace.

Eph. 4: 8

Wir danken dir, Herr Jesu Christ

Author unknown, 1607, cento.

Tr., Matthias Loy, 1880, alt.

L. M., with Hallelujah

Erschienen ist

Nikolaus Herman, 1560

1 We thank Thee, Je - sus, dear - est Friend, That Thou didst  
2 As - cend - ed to His throne on high, Hid from our  
3 The man who trusts in Him is blest And finds in

in - to heav'n as - cend. O bless - ed Sav - ior, bid us live  
sight, yet al - ways nigh, He rules and reigns at God's right hand  
Him e - ter - nal rest; This world's al-lure-ments we de - spise

And strength to soul and bod - y give. Hal - le - lu - jah!  
And has all pow'r at His com-mand. Hal - le - lu - jah!  
And fix on Christ a - lone our eyes. Hal - le - lu - jah! A - men.

4 We therefore heartily rejoice  
And sing His praise with cheerful voice;  
He captive led captivity,  
From bitter death He set us free.  
Hallelujah!

5 Through Him we heirs of heaven are made;  
O Brother, Christ, extend Thine aid  
That we may firmly trust in Thee  
And through Thee live eternally.  
Hallelujah!