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THE PREPARATION

- Preparation Hymn..... #198**
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THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

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**Welcome
to Trinity**

**#45 Human Ordinances Can Be Useful But Have Only
Natural Effects**

Besides these external signs and holy possessions the church has other externals that do not sanctify it either in body or soul, nor were they instituted or commanded by God; but, as we said at length above, they are outwardly necessary or useful, proper and good—for instance, certain holidays and certain hours, forenoon or afternoon, set aside for preaching or praying, or the use of a church building or house, altar, pulpit, baptismal font, candlesticks, candles, bells, priestly vestments, and the like. These things have no more than their natural effects, just as food and drink accomplish no more by virtue of the grace the children say at the table, for the ungodly or rude folk who don’t say it, that is, who neither pray to God nor thank him, grow just as fat and strong from food and drink as Christians do. To be sure, Christians could be and remain sanctified even without these items, even if they were to preach on the street, outside a building, without a pulpit, if absolution were pronounced and the sacrament administered without an altar, and if baptism were performed without a font—as happens daily that for special reasons sermons are preached and baptisms and sacraments administered in the home. But for the sake of children and simple folk, it is a fine thing and conducive to good order to have a definite time, place, and hour to which people can adapt themselves and where they may assemble, as St. Paul says in I Corinthians 14 [:40], “All things should be done decently and in order.” And no one should (as no Christian does) ignore such order without cause, out of mere pride or just to create disorder, but one should join in observing such order for the sake of the multitude, or at least should not disrupt or hinder it, for that would be acting contrary to love and friendliness. (Luther’s Works, v.41, p.173-174)

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THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY



Introit

*The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom | shall I fear?**
The LORD is the strength of my life; of whom shall I | be
afraid?
*When the wicked came a- | gainst me,**
my enemies and foes, they stum- | bled and fell.

Though an army may encamp a- | gainst me,*
my heart | shall not fear;
though war should rise a- | gainst me,*
in this I will be | confident.
One thing I have desired of the LORD, that | will I seek: *
that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days | of my
life,
for in the time of trouble He shall hide me in His pa- | vilion; *
he shall set me high up- | on a rock.
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.
The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom | shall I fear? *
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(Psalm 27:3-5; Antiphon: Psalm 27:1-2)

Collect

Grant, O Lord, we implore You, that the course of this world may be so peaceably ordered by Your governance, that Your Church may joyfully serve You in all godly quietness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end.

Genesis 50:15-21

The Death of Jacob

Gradual

Make atonement for
our | sins, O Lord*



lest the nations say, “Where | is their God?”
Help us, O God of our sal- | vation,*
for the glory of Your name, de- | liver us. (*Ps 79:9-10*)

Romans 8:18-23

Present Sufferings

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St. Luke 6:36-42

Be Merciful

Followed by The Nicene Creed, p. 141

Prayer for the Church

Thanksgiving. – that our merciful heavenly Father does not rightly condemn us, but forgives us our sins through His Son Jesus Christ.

The Church and her servants.— that all pastors in Christ, including our bishop, James Heiser, and our pastors, Michael Henson and Gary Harroun would not be blind guides, but be ever studying God’s Word that they might be fully-trained to lead us in the way of truth.

--that those who have been taught the truth of God’s Word would not judge others while they themselves continue to sin, but would instead be merciful to their brother just as they have received mercy.

--St. Patrick Lutheran Church (ChIPLEY, FL), Pastor Brandon Warr
--For a successful opening for our Early Childhood Learning Center on July 6 and a virus-free operation. For our Director, Keely Gelso, for our teachers, our assistants and support staff, for both preschool and school-age children enrolled in our Summer Academy, that they would grow up into the knowledge of the Lord.

The nations of the world and their rulers.—For our president, Donald Trump and the congress of the United States, our governor, J.B. Pritzker, and state legislators, our mayor, Steve Frattini and city officials, and all our judges, that they would act wisely and responsibly, and that we would carry out our duties as citizens.

--We acknowledge with gratitude the gift of a free country as Your good gift. We thank you for those who laid down their lives for the sake of our nation. Let us never take for granted those sacrifices. Help us to live as good and obedient citizens, taking advantage of our liberty to freely worship you. Watch over the men and women of our armed forces—especially Timothy R. Eichenseer, Danny Cobin, Jason Melvin, Blake Darnstaedt, and Jack Anglin, as well as our police officers Daniel Byrne and Alex Byrne—and keep them from harm and danger

--You are the consolation of the sorrowful and the strength of the weak, look upon the tribulation and distress of those affected by the coronavirus. Comfort those who have lost loved ones, provide care for those infected and calm the worries of the timid, so that in their necessities they may observe and receive your manifold help and comfort. For those who are discouraged because of a lack of employment, in your mercy, raise up opportunity for businesses and work, that in peace and thanksgiving all people may earn and eat the bread of contentment.

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.

Weekly Calendar

TODAY -Adult and Child Bible Studies, 9:00 AM
-Divine Service-Lord’s Supper, 10:15 AM

NEXT SUNDAY -*THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY*
 -Adult and Child Bible Studies, 9:00 AM
 -Divine Service-Lord’s Supper, 10:15 AM

Assistants

Elder – Tony Stretch (995-1379)
 Organist – LeeAnn Byrne
 Altar Guild – Patti Baker

Church Cleaning – July 5/12 Field, Bob, July 19/26 Dunaway

Trinity News

Next Council Meeting.— Sunday, July 19
Bishop Heiser Annual visit.—Is scheduled for Monday, August 17. There will be a congregational meeting that evening.



St. John

For the Church, General 4
 O CHRIST, the Word of the Father, by Whom all things were created: Keep, we beseech Thee, Thy Church gathered together from the various nations of the Gentiles: that while we love Thee with a pure heart, we may come to the joys of Thine eternal Kingdom; Who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end. Amen. (Oremus, 1925, p.67-68).