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Welcome to Trinity

#50 Schools are Second in Importance Only To The Church

In summary, the schools must be second in importance only to the church, for in them young preachers and pastors

are trained, and from them emerge those who replace the ones who die. Next, then, to the school comes the burgher's house, for it supplies the pupils; then the city hall and the castle, which must protect the schools so that they may train children to become pastors, and so that these, in turn, may create churches and children of God (whether they be burghers, princes, or emperors). But God must be over all and nearest to all, to preserve this ring or circle against the devil, and to do everything in all of life's vocations, indeed, in all creatures. Thus Psalm 127 [:1] says that there are only two temporal governments on earth, that of the city and that of the home, "Unless the Lord builds the house; unless the Lord watches over the city." The first government is that of the home, from which the people come; the second is that of the city, meaning the country, the people, princes and lords, which we call the secular government. These embrace everything—children, property, money, animals, etc. The home must produce, whereas the city must guard, protect, and defend. Then follows the third, God's own home and city, that is, the church, which must obtain people from the home and protection and defense from the city. (Luther's Works, v.41, p.176-177)

Assistants

Elder – Cecil Plock (218-3064) Organist – LeeAnn Byrne Altar Guild – Patti Baker

Acolyte – Dylan Dunaway Church Cleaning – August 9 Darnstaedt, August 16/23 Byrne, August 30/Sep 6 Brieschke

THE PREPARATION	
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then congregation joins in.]	
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Propers for the Ninth Sunday after Trinity

Introit



Behold, God is my/helper;*
the Lord is with those
who up-/hold my life.

He will repay my enemies for their / evil.* Cut them off / in Your truth.

Save me, O God, / by Your name,* and vindicate me / by Your strength.

Hear my / prayer, O God;*
give ear to the words / of my mouth.

For strangers have risen up a-/ gainst me,* they have not set God be-/ fore them.

He has delivered me out of all / trouble;* and my eye has seen its desire upon my / enemies.

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. / Am

is now, and will be forever. / Amen.

Behold, God is my / helper;*

the Lord is with those who up- / hold my life.

He will repay my enemies for their / evil.*

Cut them off / in Your truth. (Antiphon, Ps 54:4-5; Psalm 54:1-3,7)

Collect

Let Your merciful ears, O Lord, be open to the prayers of Your humble servants; and that they may obtain their petitions, make them to ask such things as shall please You; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

2 Samuel 22:26-34

Our Shrewd God

Gradual

O | LORD, our Lord,*
how excellent is Your
name in | all the earth,
You who set Your | glory*
above the | heavens!



Examples & Warnings

(Psalm 8:1)

1 Corinthians 10:6-13

Followed by Alleluia Verse, p.140

St. Luke 16:1-13

6:1-13 The Shrewd Manager

Followed by The Nicene Creed, p. 141

Prayer for the Church

<u>Thanksgiving</u>. – that our heavenly Father has blessed us with an abundance of worldly wealth, out of fatherly divine goodness and mercy and without any merit or worthiness in us.

<u>The Church and her servants.</u>—that God would give the spirit of wisdom to the children of light so that they will be shrewd in their stewardship of all their gifts, possessions, and money.

- --Bless our bishop, James Heiser, and our pastors, Michael Henson and Gary Harroun, that they would be shrewd in protecting the flock by preserving true doctrine and practice, to be faithful in very little and in much, in unrighteous wealth and true riches. Grant safe travel for Bishop Heiser as he comes to examine the teaching and practice of our pastors.
- --Holy Cross Lutheran Church(Kerrville, TX) and Faith Lutheran Mission(Leander, TX), Pr. Josh Sullivan
- --Bless our Early Childhood Learning Center, and our Director, Keely Gelso

<u>The nations of the world and their rulers.</u>—guide and support all government officials, especially those who serve in positions of authority including our president, Donald Trump, our governor, J.B. Pritzker, our mayor, Steve Frattini, as well as the civil servants and police of this community, that those who have been entrusted with community affairs may administer them in good faith.

- --because You know that we require daily sustenance and have promised to supply what our earthly bodies need, permit us to trust Your Word that we may not worry about what we will eat or drink, but always give thanks for what You provide.
- -Grant Your blessing upon all the schools of our land. To the teachers give diligence and a love for their students, and grant an eagerness for their students to learn. Keep our schools safe from all violence, and thwart the evil plans of those who would lead our children astray. Grant Your holy people opportunities to witness to Your love both through their words and their deeds.
- --Protect those who serve in the armed forces especially Timothy R. Eichenseer, Danny Cobin, Jason Melvin, and Blake Darnstaedt and our police officers, especially Daniel Byrne and Alex Byrne, that they may diligently carry out their duties and be protected from all harm and danger.

Particular local needs.—

Shut-ins.- Rachel Zimmerman(Helia), Carolyn Westerman(Liberty Village)

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(successful
surgery on Aug 3).

Hospitalized after fall.—Michael Baker (broken ribs and cracked vertebrae)

Students.- Kara Martin (University of Tennessee at Martin);
Andrew Miller and Eric Henson (SIU-E), Jonathan Henson (SIU-C), Kjersten Jolly (University of Tennessee at Martin),
Alexis Darnstaedt (University of Missouri, Columbia), Sarah
Miller (University of Kentucky, Lexington), and Benjamin
Henson and Jacob Henson (St. Ignatius Seminary)

Weekly Calendar

TODAY -Adult and Child Bible Studies, 9:00 AM
-Divine Service-Lord's Supper, 10:15 AM
MONDAY-THURSDAY Pastor Henson and his family

are moving Jacob Henson to Hillsboro, Texas in order to begin seminary from August 10-13. In case of emergency, call this month's elder, Cecil Plock (218-3064)

SATURDAY -At-risk Service of ten people, 7 PM

(Call Pr. Henson to reserve a space)

-Private Confession & Absolution, 8:00-8:30 PM

NEXT -THE TENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY
SUNDAY -Adult and Child Bible Studies, 9:00 AM

-Divine Service-Lord's Supper, 10:15 AM

For the Parish Church 2.

ALMIGHTY and everlasting God, Who callest men to the service of Thy sanctuary: Vouchsafe to all who here minister before Thee the direction, aid and counsel of Thy Holy Spirit, that they may serve Thee with pure hearts and holy lives; preach Thy Word according to Thy loving purpose in Christ Jesus; humbly and devoutly administer Thy sacraments; and be found acceptable to Thee as good and faithful stewards of Thy grace; through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end. Amen. (Oremus, 1925, p.69).

Trinity News

<u>**Bishop Heiser Visitation**</u>.—Bp. Heiser will be here for his visitation on Monday, August 17. Congregational meeting at 7 PM.

Summer Sunday School. -- Karin Henson has offered to prepare and teach a children's class at 9 AM for those who request ahead of time. She just needs to know by Friday night, so she can prepare a lesson to teach.

