Welcome to Trinity

#58 The True Church Has The Apostles' Creed & The Lord's Prayer

Fifth, nobody can deny that we, like it, do indeed hold, believe, sing, and confess the **Apostles' Creed, the ancient**

creed of the ancient church, and neither make nor add anything new to it. Hence we belong to the ancient church and are one with it. There is, therefore, in this matter also, no reason the papists should really call us heretics or a new church, for whoever believes as the ancient church did and holds things in common with it belongs to the ancient church.

Sixth, nobody can deny that we have **the same prayer as the ancient church, the same Lord's Prayer.** We have not invented a new or different one; we sing the same psalms and praise and thank God with united heart and voice according to the teaching of Christ, the practice of the apostles and the ancient church, and their command to us to follow their example. And so again the papists cannot call us heretics or a new church, unless they first call Christ himself such, together with his beloved ancient church, etc. (Luther's Works, v.41, p.196)

Trinity News

<u>Pastor Daniel Mensing</u> of Tucson, Arizona is here today in order to lead Bible class and Divine Service along with Pastor Harroun.

The confirmation of T.J. and Susan Plock and the baptism of

Graceland Plock will be Sunday, October 11.

<u>Council Meeting</u>.—is scheduled for October 18, following the Divine Service. <u>Bonfire</u>.—is scheduled for Friday, October 23

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THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY



Introit

Righteous are / You, O Lord,*
and upright are Your / judgments.

Deal with Your servant according to Your / mercy,*
and teach me Your / statutes.

Blessed are the undefiled / in the way,*
who walk in the law / of the Lord!
Blessed are those who keep His testi- / monies,*
who seek Him with the / whole heart!
Oh, that my ways were / directed*
to keep Your / statutes!

Then I would not / be ashamed,* when I look into all Your com- / mandments.

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.

Righteous are / You, O Lord,* and upright are Your / judgments.

Deal with Your servant according to Your / mercy,* and teach me Your / statutes. (Antiphon, Ps 119:137,124; Psalm 119:1-2, 5-6)

Collect

Lord, we implore You, grant Your people grace to withstand the temptations of the devil and with pure hearts and minds to follow You, the only God; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **AMEN**

Proverbs 25:6-14

Do not exalt yourself

Gradual

Blessed is the nation whose God / is the Lord,*



the people He has chosen as His own in-/heritance.

By the word of the Lord the / heav'ns were made,* and all the host of them by the breath / of His mouth.

(Psalm 33:12, 6)

Ephesians 4:1-6

The calling you have received

Followed by Alleluia Verse, p.140

St. Luke 14:1-11

Sabbath laws and Humility

Followed by The Nicene Creed, p. 141

Prayer for the Church

<u>Thanksgiving</u>. – that Jesus Christ showed us his love by humbling himself unto death that we might be exalted to be with him in heaven forever.

<u>The Church and her servants</u>.—That the church would not give out love and forgiveness based on the works of the law, but based upon the perfect compassion of Jesus Christ.

- --that all pastors in Christ, our bishop, James Heiser, and our pastors, Michael D. Henson and Gary K. Harroun would humble themselves by serving the church according to their calling with the assurance that Christ would lift them up.
- -- Emmanuel Lutheran Church (Las Cruces, NM) and Sts. Peter and Paul Lutheran Mission(Silver City, NM), Pastor Paul Rydecki
- --that the teachers at our Learning Center, along with our director, Keely Gelso would be completely humble, gentle, patient and bear with one another in love.
- <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.
- --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.- 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), Rebekah Roethe (cancer, friend of Turners), Victor and Marsha Turner, Tony Prochaska, and Gary Harroun (Essential thrombocythemia or ET).

Fell Asleep in Jesus.-- Rachel Zimmerman (went to live with her son, Michael Zimmerman in Elgin IL, she was hospitalized on Wednesday, Sept 30)

Communion Psalm: *Ant.* O Lord, I will make mention of your righteousness only: You, O God, have taught me from my youth up until now: forsake me not in my old age, O God, when I am greyheaded. (Psalm 71:16-18). **Psalm 71:1-4, 8, 11, 13, 22.**

For Forgiveness 5.

WE have sinned, O Lord, we confess, like prodigal sons; we dare not look up to heaven: for it was thence we fell and became wretched; we have sinned against heaven and before Thee, and we are not worthy to be called Thy sons, we denounce ourselves, we need neither accusers nor witnesses, we have iniquity triumphing over us, we have evil conversation condemning us: Merciful Father, Only-Begotten Son, Holy Ghost, receive us penitent, and have mercy upon us. Amen. (Oremus, 1925, p.62).

Assistants

Elder – Cecil Plock (218-3064) Altar Guild – Patty Kenner Organist – LeeAnn Byrne

Acolyte – Liam Phillips Church Cleaning – Oct 11/18 Weber, Oct 25/Nov 1 Webb

Weekly Calendar

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

WEDNESDAY -Learn-by-Heart, 6:30 PM

-Catechesis Service, 7:00 PM

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 EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

SUNDAY -Adult and Child Bible Studies, 9:00 AM

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

the confirmation of T.J. and Susan Plock and the baptism of Graceland Plock



The Veronica Window in church choir loft

The Lord's Supper

Trinity Lutheran Church observes the Scriptural practice (*Eph 4:3, 2 John 1:10-11*) of communing only with those for whom their public profession of faith (congregational

membership) is in agreement with God's Word and the correct exposition of Holy Scripture as found in the Book of Concord (1580). All who desire to receive Christ's Body and Blood for the forgiveness of sins are asked to speak with Pastor Henson <u>before coming</u> forward to commune.

Trinity Lutheran Church is served by pastors who are members of the Evangelical Lutheran Diocese of North America(Eldona.org).

- --Those who are members of Eldona-affiliated congregations are welcome to commune after announcing to Pastor Henson.
- --Those who are not members of Eldona-affiliated congregations will need to set up an appointment with Pastor Henson to discuss their public church membership.

The Lord's Supper is celebrated at Trinity Lutheran Church in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but **His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another.** Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth his death until He comes.

Those who are not yet invited to receive the Sacrament are encouraged to meditate on God's Word in the distribution hymns and pray for the day when our divisions will have ceased.