Welcome to Trinity

#36 Disregard the Eyes and Hold to the Word

Notice how our adversaries, those torturers from the devil, are torn and divided in their teachings in so many ways

that they fail to realize their hopes, since they must be concerned with so much peril and misfortune that they can never act for a moment with certainty or confidence. And these penalties and punishments are only temporal! How can I comprehend their guilt, namely, that without God and through the devil's craftiness they, beset by an evil conscience, are eternally lost? Even though they are uncertain as to the outcome of their endeavor, they keep on rejoicing in a hope that is completely and absolutely lost, while we, on the other hand, have God's unfailing promises for our comfort.

In short, since God is the same and the cause is the same, in which he has upheld the faith of all the saints so that he might be vindicated, God will not now, just for our own sake, be found a liar; nor are we to make a liar of him. God grant, whether we do or do not believe, that he will yet defend his word and surely help [us]. This demands great effort and care so that, in the first place, we turn our eyes from the might [of this world] and second, hold fast to the word. Eye disregarded the word and relied on what was visible, but a Christian, in contrast, disregards what he can see and holds to the word. The godless do not do so but rely upon the emperor to uphold them in this world, but because they neglect the word, they will be mined and lost to eternity. In the year 1530. (Luther's Works, v.43 p.184-185)

For Grace to Praise God 4.

CHRIST the Lord, Whose holy name is as ointment poured out: Grant, we beseech Thee, that the ointment of Thy head may be poured down by Thee, so as to descend on the beard of Thy people, and come to the very edge of the garment of this mortal life; Who livest. and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end. Amen (Oremus, 1925, p.36-37).

Divine Service I, p.136

Skip the Invocation, Confession/Absolution

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Announcements

Trinity Lutheran Church & Early Childhood Learning Center

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Pastor Michael D. Henson · Deacon Gary K. Harroun

Pr. Henson and Dcn. Harroun are members of the Evangelical Lutheran Diocese of North America (<u>Eldona.org</u>)

Propers for Rogate

"Ask'

Introit

With a voice of singing, declare, proclaim this, utter it to the end of the earth.



Alle-/luia.*

The Lord has redeemed His servant Jacob! Alle-/luia.

Make a joyful shout to God, / all the earth!*

Sing out the honor / of His name.

I cried to Him / with my mouth,*

and He was extolled / with my tongue.

Certainly God has / heard me;*

He has attended to the voice / of my prayer.

Blessed be God, who has not turned a-/way my prayer,*

nor His mer- / cy from me!

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.

With a voice of singing, declare, proclaim this, utter it to the end of the earth. Alle-/luia.*

The Lord has redeemed His servant Jacob! Alle- / luia.

(Antiphon, Is 40:20; Psalm 66:1, 17, 19-20)

Collect

O God, from whom all good things do come, grant to us, Your humble servants, that by Your holy inspiration we may think those things that be right and by Your merciful guiding may perform the same; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Savior, who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **AMEN**

Numbers 21:4-9

Bronze Snake

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

1 Timothy 2:1-6

Pray for all

Alleluia Verse

Alle- / luia.

Alle- / luia.*



Christ who has redeemed us / with His blood,*

is risen and has appeared unto us. Alle-/luia.

I came forth from the Father and have come in- / to the world.* Again, I leave the world and go to the Father. Alle- / luia.

(Liturgical text, John 16:28)

St. John 16:23-33

Ask and you will receive

Followed by The Nicene Creed, p. 141

Prayer for the Church

<u>Thanksgiving</u>. — that our Lord Jesus Christ –the one Mediator--came from the Father and was lifted up so that all who believe in him would have eternal life.

The Church and her servants.--that all God's people would be diligent in prayer asking of the heavenly Father in the name of Jesus Christ.

- -- that our bishop, James Heiser, our pastors Michael Henson and Gary Harroun, and all pastors in Christ, would devote themselves and encourage those who are given to their care, to the ministry of the Word of God and prayer.
- --Bless our Director Keely Gelso, teachers, staff, and the children enrolled in our Center.
- The nations of the world and their rulers.—Give us the will to pray for our president, Joe Biden, our governor, J.B. Pritzker, our mayor, Steve Frattini, the congress, and all who make, administer and judge our laws so that we may live peaceful and quiet lives and the message of the Gospel would spread.
- --Help us to honor our mother by serving her, obeying her, loving her and cherishing her as God's good gift. For those whose mothers have died, comfort them with the Resurrection of Jesus Christ.
- --For our military personnel-- especially Danny Cobin, Jason Melvin, and Blake Darnstaedt, as well as our police officers, especially Alex Byrne and Daniel Byrne, and those who attend to us in times of emergency, and all public servants give commitment to duty, and, in all times of danger, keep them safe.

--Almighty and everlasting God, the consolation of the sorrowful and the strength of the weak, look upon the tribulation and distress of those affected by the coronavirus throughout the world. 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.

Particular local needs.—

Shut-ins.- Carolyn Westerman (Assisted Living at Parkway Manor)
Elderly.- Violet Kemp, Verdelle Thies(Patty Kenner's mother)
Various Needs.- Katelyn Guetersloh(MS), Jade Warden(cancer),
Kevin Krolak (nephew of Patti Baker), Linda Plock, Rebekah
Roethe (cancer, friend of Turners), Victor and Marsha Turner,
Tony Prochaska, Gib (Jane's Brother), Shirley Webb, Vicki Blair,
Keely Gelso, Patti Baker (recovery from knee surgery 5/3), and
3-year-old Gemi (chemo following surgery for cancerous tumor removed, friend of Claire Stretch)

Students.- Jonathan Henson, Kjersten Jolly, Alexis Darnstaedt, Sarah Miller, Benjamin Henson, Jacob Henson, and Ashleigh Byrne.

Communion Psalm: *Ant.* O Sing unto the Lord, alleluia: O sing unto the LORD, and bless ye his holy Name; tell forth his salvation even from one day unto another, alleluia, alleluia. (Ps. 96:1-2). **Ps 80:1, 8-11, 14-15, 17-18.**



Weekly
Calendar

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

-Mother's Day

MONDAY -Rogation Monday Matins, 7:00 AM

-Board of Education, 6:00 PM

TUESDAY -Rogation Tuesday Matins, 7:00 AM

-Children's Matins, 10 AM

WEDNESDAY -Rogation Wednesday Matins, 7:00 AM

-Children's Matins, 10 AM

-Private Confession and Absolution, 10:30 – 11:00AM

-Learn-by-Heart, 6:30 PM

THURSDAY - Children's Matins, 10 AM

-Divine Service, Ascension Day, 7:00 PM

FRIDAY -No Children's Matins SATURDAY -Armed Forces Day

-Private Confession and Absolution, 8 PM

NEXT -EXAUDI "Hear, (O LORD, my voice)..."

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

Diving Service Lead's Sympos 10:15 AM

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

Assistants

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

Church Cleaning - May 16 Horman, May 23/30 Michael Henson

Art. XX Das man gütte weck solle übe, aber nicht 1umb verdinst sondren der Ehrë Gottes wille.

That one should call forth goodness, but not for the sake of the glory of God's will.

Gal. 5 v. 6; For in Jesus Christ neither circumcision availeth any thing, nor uncircumcision; but faith which worketh by love.

1st Joh. 4, v. 10; Herein is love, not that we loved God, but that he loved us, and sent his son to be the propitiation for our sins.

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 before coming 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.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Herrin IL presents

"Camp Trinity" Summer Academy

June 2nd - August 6th

(A Christ-centered curriculum in a Classical Education environment)

For ages 6 through 12 . All Day or Morning Classes

- Building Honor and Virtue
 □ Worshipping Daily
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- □ Searching the Scriptures
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- Area Field Trips
- **P**Outdoors, Wildlife
- Learn German





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For more information and registration, contact: Mrs. Keely Gelso Trinity Lutheran Early Childhood Learning Center 1000 North Park Avenue, Herrin, IL 62948 (618) 942-4750 • eclcdirector@trinityh.org

Trinity News

Eldona Summer Camp for 2021 is being planned for July 19-23 in Kerrville, Texas. See brochure. Bike with Pastor Mike.—Sunday, June 6. **ECLC School Age Academy**.—starts June 2

Sadie Henson High School Graduation Party.—Sunday May 30 from 3 to 7 PM. Please join us for a party celebrating Sadie's graduation. It will be hosted at David and Carol Henson's home at 402 Insignia Drive, Herrin, IL. Begins at 3 PM; ceremony at 4 PM, eat afterwards. In addition to the game nine-square in the air, there will be several games of corn hole toss. Beer Buds Suds will provide home-made root beer floats and adult beverages.

An Eldona Collection

ASSISTANCE FOR PR. MARIN AND THE CONFESSIONAL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF COLOMBIA—The ongoing difficulties suffered by

our brethren in Colombia were discussed at the

recent synod. Covid-19 related lockdowns continue to hinder the work of the Church, and the ability of the Marin family to earn a living. (It should be noted that despite the lockdowns, a mission in Santa Barbara, approximately 40 miles from Medellin, has been started.) It was unanimously decided that a diocesan offering would be collected in connection with the upcoming Ember Days in Pentecost(May 26, 28, 29) to help support Pr. Marin and his family. **TO HELP**: Make checks out to "ELDoNA" (Please include a note designating that it is for "Colombia Assistance") and place in the offering plates.



Pastors and Seminarians in attendance at the 2021 Colloquium and Synod (l. to r.): Pr. Mensing, Pr. Carver, Pr. Henson, Pr. Sullivan, Pr. Dulas, Pr. Heimbigner, Pr. Rutowicz, Sem. Jacob Henson, Sem. Ben Henson, Bp. Heiser, Pr. Ahonen, Dcn. Oncken, Pr. Warr, Dcn. Jackson, Pr. Burnet, Pr. Moll, Pr. Stefanski, Pr. Rydecki, Pr. Scheck, Dcn. Smithey