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THE PREPARATION

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**Welcome to Trinity**

**#48 Christ Strengthens Us in Our Suffering**

So it is with all other things; when it gets going it becomes too heavy, whether it be sin, devil, hell, or even our own conscience. But how are we going to do it? Where shall we go and hide ourselves? For us it looks as if the whole thing would fall to the ground. But on the other side they are confident and proud; they think they already have won the day. I too see the good Christopher sinking; nevertheless he gets through, for he has a tree which he holds on to. This tree is the promise that Christ will do something remarkable with our suffering. "In the world," he says, "you shall have afflictions and tribulations, but in me you shall have peace" [cf. John 16:33]. And St. Paul says, "We have a faithful God who helps us out of affliction, so that we can bear it" [cf. I Cor. 10:13]. These sayings are staves, yea, trees, which we can hold on to and let the waters roar and foam as they will.

So in Christopher we have an example and a picture that can strengthen us in our suffering and teach us that fear and trembling is not as great as the comfort and the promise, and that we should therefore know that in this life we shall have no rest if we are bearing Christ, but rather that in affliction we should turn our eyes away from the present suffering to the consolation and promise. Then we will learn that what Christ says is true: "In me you shall have peace" [John 16:33]. (Luther's Works, v.51, p.203)

**Assistants**

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

Church Cleaning – ECLC

**Trinity News**

**Bishop Heiser Annual visit.**—Is scheduled for August 14-15  
**New Member Potluck.**—Sunday, August 1.

**Trinity Lutheran Church & Early Childhood Learning Center**

1000 North Park Avenue, Herrin, IL 62948 Church 942-3401, Learning Center 942-4750 [www.trinityh.org](http://www.trinityh.org)

**Pastor Michael D. Henson · Deacon Gary K. Harroun**

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United States, our governor, J.B. Pritzker, and state legislators, and our mayor, Steve Frattini—the spirit of wisdom that there may be justice and peace in our land. Give our police officers especially Daniel Byrne and Alex Byrne, as well as our judges the will and ability to maintain law, order, and justice. When time are prosperous, let our hearts be thankful; and in troubled times do not let our trust in you fail.

--Protect those who serve in the armed forces— especially Danny Cobin, Jason Melvin, and Blake Darnstaedt—that they may diligently carry out their duties and be protected from all harm and danger.

**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, Gib, Howard and Stan (Jane’s Brothers), 3-year-old Demi (chemo, friend of Claire Stretch) and Oceia Miller (rehab, Herrin Hospital)

**Communion Psalm:** *Ant.* Bow down You ear unto me: and hasten to deliver me. (Psalm 31:2). **Psalm 31.**

**Weekly  
Calendar**

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

MONDAY through THURSDAY

-School Age Class 9:15 AM / Children’s Matins 10 AM

WEDNESDAY -Learn-by-Heart 6:30-7:00 PM

-Catechesis 7:00-7:35 PM

SATURDAY -Confession and Absolution, 8:00-8:30 PM

NEXT *-THE NINTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY*

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

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

-New Member Potluck

**The Lord’s  
Supper**

The Lord's Supper is being celebrated today. Please note that our practice of closed communion with those who are in fellowship with us—members of congregations of the ELDoNA—is not meant to offend, but is the historic practice of the Church. It is prompted by love, both for God's Word and for God's people. It does not deny that members of other denominations may be Christians. Rather, it bows the knee to the Bible's deep concern for doctrinal truth (Rom. 16:17) and the Bible's witness that doctrinal unity (Acts 2:42) is the central issue to the common reception of the Sacrament of the Altar. Therefore, we ask GUESTS desiring to commune to speak with the pastor before the service so that he may know that you are a member of a congregation in fellowship with Trinity Lutheran Church.

**For Consecration 2.**

CAUSE us, O Lord, to become heirs of Thy testimonies, which have been made matter of belief unto us, let them be constantly in our thought, that: they may be sincerely held in true faith, and be so fulfilled in our work, that as they are uttered by the mouth they may guide us in sorrow with their comfort, and make us more ready to labor with Thee; 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.40).



Ich hab einen gültten  
Kampf gekempffet  
ich hab de lauff vollen:  
det ich hab Gläuben  
gehalten. hinfort ist mir  
beygelegt die kron der  
Gerechtikeit. welche mit  
der Herr an jenem tag  
der gerechte richter ge:  
ben wirt. nich aber  
nur allein sonder auch  
allen die seine Erschei:  
nug lieb haben.  
2 Timoth 4.  
v. 7. 8.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Tim. 4, v. 7-8.**

7. I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: 8. Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing.