

Welcome to Trinity

#64 Call Upon God, and Do Not Prescribe to God the Time or the Method of using the World's Things

Therefore he draws the same conclusion that he drew in the preceding chapter.

12. *I know that there is nothing better for them than to be happy and enjoy themselves as long as they live;* 13. *also that it is God's gift to man that everyone should eat and drink and take pleasure in all his toil.*

This can be understood satisfactorily on the basis of what has been said above. He wants to say: **There is nothing better for a man in such a disastrous business than to enjoy the things that are present and to have a happy and joyful heart, without anxiety and care about the future.** But the ability to do this is a gift of God. "I can teach this," Solomon says, "but it is not in my ability to do it or to grant that it be done." He shows what is to be done, and at the same time he teaches where it is to be obtained. He teaches that our cares only bring affliction, but he urges that we call upon God to take away these cares and to give success and peace of heart. (Luther's Works, v.15 p.54)

Assistants

Elder – Dan Byrne (922-3556)
 Organist – LeeAnn Byrne
 Altar Guild – Butch and Mary Schroeder
 Church Cleaning – Nov 20 Henson, David, Nov 27/Dec 4 Harroun

For Control of One's Tongue 2.
 ALMIGHTY God, Who settest men's minds upon righteousness, and causeth them to judge the thing that is right: Grant that there may be neither evil on our lips, nor iniquity in our hearts; so that righteousness in works may precede good speaking tongue; 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.50).

Divine Service I, p.136

THE PREPARATION

Hymn..... #477
 + Invocation/Confession/Absolution p.136-137

THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

+ Introit..... (insert)
[Pastor chants first 4 lines, then congregation joins in.]
 + Kyrie, Gloria in Excelsis..... p.137-139
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SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

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Propers for the 2nd-last Sunday in the Church Year



Introit

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.
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.
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. / Amen.
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. (*Antiphon, Ps 54:1-2; Psalm 54:3-5, 7*)

Collect

O Lord, so rule and govern our hearts and minds by Your Holy Spirit that, being ever mindful of the end of all things and the day of Your just judgment, we may be stirred up to holiness of living here and dwell with You forever hereafter; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **AMEN**

Daniel 7:9-14 *The Ancient of Days*

Gradual



He shall call to the heavens / from above,*
and to the earth, that He may judge His / people.
Let the heavens declare His / righteousness,*
for God Him- / self is Judge. (*Psalm 50:4, 6*)

2 Peter 3:3-14

The Day of the Lord

Followed by Alleluia Verse, p.140

St. Matthew 25:31-46

The Judgment

Followed by The Nicene Creed, p. 141

Prayer for the Church

Thanksgiving. --that our King has blessed us with an inheritance which was secured by the death of His Son, Jesus Christ.

--that our gracious God has created in us a living faith that produces love towards the least of Jesus' brothers.

The Church and her servants.—Warn those hypocrites who are mingled with God's church that their deception will be made known on the Last Day. A person cannot despise God's Word, cannot ignore the members of Christ's body, cannot be self-centered without being a cursed goat sent to eternal punishment.
--Comfort your beloved sheep who hear God's Word, lovingly serve Christ's body and do good for others with the Last Day's message concerning salvation through faith alone and the final separation of good and evil, sheep and goats, the merciful and the unmerciful.

For Family and Friends, General. 3

O ALMIGHTY God, look graciously upon this household gathered together in Thy name: Give them whom Thou hast set over it wisdom to direct those committed to their charge; give to its members strength to fulfill Thy will in the daily work to which Thou hast appointed them; grant that love and peace, with all other graces, may live and grow among us; and that finally we may meet before Thy throne in heaven, and be united in Thy love forever; 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.78).

--All Saints' Lutheran Mission (Myrtle Beach, SC), Pr. Jerry Dulas
--teach all pastors in Christ, our bishop, James Heiser, and our
pastors, Gary K. Harroun and Michael D. Henson, that they
should not be indifferent or grow weary in doing good, for Christ
will surely come.

---that our director, Keely Gelso, would be upheld and strengthened
in her work on behalf of our Learning Center.

The nations of the world and their rulers.—Bless our nation, including
our president, Joe Biden, our governor, J.B. Pritzker, and our
mayor, Steve Frattini, and all who serve in government, that we
who rejoice in Your truth may be permitted, without restriction, to
declare Your glory and serve You. Give all public servants a love
of that which is true and noble, that justice may be done, peace
promoted, wealth protected, and mercy shown.

--For the soldiers, marines, airmen, sailors, and special forces—
especially Danny Cobin, Jason Melvin, and Blake Darnstaedt, and
our police officers, especially Daniel Byrne and Alex Byrne—
who put their lives in harm's way in order to defend our freedoms
we ask that God would protect them from all danger and lift their
spirits during times of trial.

Particular local needs.—

Shut-ins.- Carolyn Westerman; **Elderly.**- Violet Kemp, Tom Smith
Various Needs.- Kevin Krolak (nephew of Patti Baker), Stan (Jane's
Brothers), Jack Plock (brother of Cecil Plock), Levi Gonzalez
(nephew of Patti Baker), Jennifer (brain tumor, Cecil's daughter),
and Victor and Marsha Turner.

Thanksgiving.--Anita Prochaska(successful spine surgery 11/9).

Students.- Sarah Miller (University of Kentucky, Lexington), Sadie Henson
(Concordia University, Nebraska), Jonathan Henson (Southern Illinois
University), Kara Martin (University of Southern Indiana), Alexis Darnstaedt
(University of Missouri, Columbia), Ashleigh Byrne(Colorado State
University-Global), Cameron Offnet(Southern Illinois University), and
Benjamin Henson & Jacob Henson (St. Ignatius Seminary)

Communion Psalm: *Ant.* The LORD is my shepherd, therefore
can I lack nothing: He shall feed me in a green pasture: and lead me
forth beside the waters of comfort. (Psalm 23:1-2). **Psalm 23:3-6.**

Trinity ECLC Annual Pecan Fundraisers:

These delicious, candied pecans (cinnamon
glazed, chocolate covered, and glazed) make
wonderful Christmas gifts at \$10.00/bag. The
plain pecans (extra-large halves) are \$12.00 and
are great for your baking needs.

Orders can be placed until Thurs., Nov 16.



Trinity News

Pecans.—The annual pecan fundraiser for the Learning
Center is here. Orders by Nov 16.

Thanksgiving Day Service.—Matins at 9:00 AM on
Nov. 24.

Decorating for the Holidays.—Saturday, Nov. 26 at 5:00 PM.

Addresses of Military and Students for Bulletins.—Please give
pastor the addresses of those soldiers, which we are including in
our prayers

Christmas Services.--This year's services will be Saturday,
December 24 at 7 PM and Sunday, **December 25 Matins at 8
AM, Bible Class at 9 AM, and Divine Service at 10:15 AM.**

Weekly Calendar

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

MONDAY -Board of Education, 6 PM

WEDNESDAY -Private Confession & Absolution, 10:30–11:00AM
-Learn-by-Heart, 6:30 PM
-Catechesis Service, 7:00 PM

THURSDAY -No Ladies Missionary Society Meeting

NEXT **-LAST SUNDAY IN THE CHURCH YEAR**

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

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.



The Luther Bible 1534: Genesis 32 – Jacob Wrestles with God, page 59.