

Welcome to Trinity

#57 By the Example of Jesus, We will Be Urged to Love Our Neighbor

If we believe these truths with all our heart, we will be urged by the example of the Samaritan to love our neighbor. It is the nature of the Word, whenever it is rightly heard and believed, to make such people as the Samaritan here, who are full of pity and kindness toward every sufferer. When they find others in misery, they are ready to deliver them at their own trouble and expense. I have reference here to the help of indigent poor who are not in the habit of begging, like the indolent, idle and slothful professional beggars, who never can be induced to labor, but wander about over the whole country. Such vagabonds should not be supported. But when a Christian meets a worthy poor person he will be ready to help, like the Samaritan. He will reason thus: It is my neighbor, a man composed of body and soul like myself, and having the same God that I have. Hence he has also more claim on me than any other creature, and I will not pass him by. Come, dear brother, let me help thee, etc. He has compassion on him, as the Samaritan had compassion on the man having fallen among thieves, or a mother on her sick and suffering child. These are the true saints. (Luther’s House Postil, Sermon for the Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity, Volume 3, p. 776-777)

Assistants

Elder – Stephen Phillips (303-0769)
Altar Guild – Patty Kenner
Organist – LeeAnn Byrne

Church Cleaning – Sept 15/22 Phillips , Sep 29/Oct 6 Miller

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.

Weekly Calendar

TODAY -Adult and Child Bible Studies, 9:00 AM
-Divine Service-Lord’s Supper, 10:15 AM
-Family Fun Day (Herrin House of Hope),
12:30 PM to 6:00 PM

WEDNESDAY -No PCA, Learn-by-Heart, or Catechesis Service
SATURDAY -SIU Faith and Family Night – Tailgate at 4 PM and Football Game at 6 PM.

NEXT -THE SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY
SUNDAY -Adult and Child Bible Studies, 9:00 AM
-Divine Service-Lord’s Supper, 10:15 AM
-Building Committee Meeting, after service

Divine Service

Hymn LW #480

Augustana Service Book & Hymnal

- + Invocation..... p.7
- + Confession/Absolution p.8-9
- + Introit..... (insert)
[Pastor, then congregation]
- + Kyrie... p.10
- + Gloria in Excelsis p.11-13
- + Salutation..... p.13
- + Collect of the Day... (insert)
Old Testament Reading
Epistle
- + Gradual..... (insert)
- + Holy Gospel..... p.16
- Nicene Creed..... p.17
- ASBH #53 “Why Art Thou Thus
Cast Down, My Heart?”**
- Sermon
- + Offertory: "Create in Me..." p.18
The Offerings are gathered.
- + General Prayer..... p.19-20
- Hymn..... LW #240
- + Exhortation p.21

Lutheran Worship Hymnal

- + Preface, etc. p.144-151
Communion Psalm (by cantor)
- Distribution & Hymns**
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- + “Lord, now you let ...” p.152
- + Post-Communion Collects p.153
- + Benedicamus/Benediction.... p.154-5
Announcements

Trinity News

Building Committee Meeting.—September 15 following service

SIU Faith and Family Night – SIU Football Game and tailgate on September 14. The game starts at 6 PM and tickets are \$10.

Family Fun Day (Herrin House of Hope).—today from 12:30 PM until 6 PM at Community of Faith (See brochure)

Ladies Missionary Society.—September 19 at 6 PM at LeeAnn Byrne’s home

Bishop Heiser’s Visit is Wednesday September 25 with a congregational meeting at 6 PM.

Hike with Pastor Mike.—October 13.

Deer Farm Hayride and Cookout.—October 18

General Prayer p.18-19

Special Prayers

- Pastoral Office:** Bishop, James Heiser, Pastor Michael D. Henson, Deacon Gary K. Harroun
- Eldona Congregations:** Holy Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church (Harrison, AR) and Emmanuel Luth. Mission (Conway, AR) Pr. Eric J. Stefanski
- Armed forces:** Jason Melvin, Blake Darnstaedt.
- Police officers:** Daniel Byrne, Alex Byrne.
- Shut-ins:** Carolyn Westerman; Patty Rametta
- Elderly:** Violet Kemp Tom Smith
- Pregnant:** Clara Melvin, Rachel Offutt
- Various Needs:** Jim and Charolette Harroun (declining health), Murvon Minnemann (brother of Oletha Taft), Jennifer Denton (rare cancer, Golconda friend), Don Stretch (health concerns), Donna Eggemeyer (cancer, Aunt of Patty Kenner), Anita Prochaska (recovery), Tim Deppe (recovery, friend of Pr. Henson), Sarah Melvin, (bad back pain), Carol Henson (cancer, Kansas University Medical Center), Stacey Arnett (multiple myeloma, co-worker of Rachel Offutt)
- Students:** Bless our universities, colleges, and schools so that knowledge may be increased among us and all good learning flourish and abound. Bless all who teach and learn, and grant that they may ever look to You with humble hearts. Tom Weber (Florida State University), Sadie Henson (Concordia University, Nebraska) Jonathan Henson (University of Georgia), Jessica Gordon (SIU-C, Oletha’s granddaughter)
- Wedding Anniversary.**—65 years for David and Carol Henson on September 5, 2024.

The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity



Ottheinrich Bible 1430 (VII:29) Eutychus at Ephesus in Acts 20:7-12

Acts 20:7-12, “Now on the first day of the week, when the disciples came together to break bread, Paul, ready to depart the next day, spoke to them and continued his message until midnight. 8There were many lamps in the upper room where they were gathered together. 9And in a window sat a certain young man named Eutychus, who was sinking into a deep sleep. He was overcome by sleep; and as Paul continued speaking, he fell down from the third story and was taken up dead. 10But Paul went down, fell on him, and embracing him said, “Do not trouble yourselves, for his life is in him.” 11Now when he had come up, had broken bread and eaten, and talked a long while, even till daybreak, he departed. 12And they brought the young man in alive, and they were not a little comforted.

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Before the Holy Communion 2.

WE RENDER Thee thanks, O Lord our God, that Thou hast given us boldness to enter into the Holiest, through the Blood of Jesus, by the new and living Way Which Thou hast consecrated through the veil of flesh of Thy Christ; therefore, thus entering into the tabernacle of Thy glory and brought within the veil, we fall down before Thee, full of fear and dread ... but Thou, O Lord, send forth Thy grace, and hallow our souls, bodies and spirits, that so with pure hearts we may in receiving forgiveness offer to Thee a sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving; through the Same 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.140 adapted).

Deuteronomy 6:4-7

⁴ “Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God, the LORD is one! ⁵ You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your strength. ⁶ And these words which I command you today shall be in your heart. ⁷ You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, when you walk by the way, when you lie down, and when you rise up.”

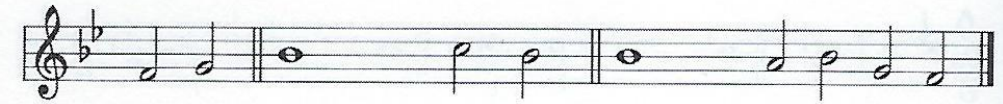
Galatians 5:25—6:10

²⁵ If we live in the Spirit, let us also walk in the Spirit. ²⁶ Let us not become conceited, provoking one another, envying one another. ^{6:1} Brethren, if a man is overtaken in any trespass, you who are spiritual restore such a one in a spirit of gentleness, considering yourself lest you also be tempted. ² Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ. ³ For if anyone thinks himself to be something, when he is nothing, he deceives himself. ⁴ But let each one examine his own work, and then he will have rejoicing in himself alone, and not in another. ⁵ For each one shall bear his own load. ⁶ Let him who is taught the word share in all good things with him who teaches. ⁷ Do not be deceived, God is not mocked; for whatever a man sows, that he will also reap. ⁸ For he who sows to his flesh will of the flesh reap corruption, but he who sows to the Spirit will of the Spirit reap everlasting life. ⁹ And let us not grow weary while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart. ¹⁰ Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all, especially to those who are of the household of faith.

St. Matthew 6:24-34

²⁴ “No one can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or else he will be loyal to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon. ²⁵ Therefore I say to you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink; nor about your body, what you will put on. Is not life more than food and the body more than clothing? ²⁶ Look at the birds of the air, for they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns; yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? ²⁷ Which of you by worrying can add one cubit to his stature? ²⁸ So why do you worry about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow: they neither toil nor spin; ²⁹ and yet I say to you that even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. ³⁰ Now if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is, and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will He not much more clothe you, O you of little faith? ³¹ Therefore do not worry, saying, ‘What shall we eat?’ or ‘What shall we drink?’ or ‘What shall we wear?’ ³² For after all these things the Gentiles seek. For your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. ³³ But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you. ³⁴ Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about its own things. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble.”

Communion Psalm: *Ant.* Seek first of all the kingdom of God, and all these things shall be added unto you, says the Lord. (Mt 6:33). **Psalm 78:1-4, 24-28.**



Introit.

Ant. BOW DOWN || Thine ear, O LORD, | hear | me:

O Thou, my God, save Thy servant that | trust- | eth | in | Thee.

|| Be merciful to me, O | LORD | - :

for I cry un- | to | Thee | dai- | ly.

Psalm. || Rejoice the soul of Thy | serv- | ant:

for unto Thee, O LORD, do I | lift | up | my | soul.

GLO-RY || be to the Father and to the | Son | - :

and to | the | Ho- | ly | Ghost.

AS IT || was in the beginning; is now, and ever | shall | be:

world with- | out | end. | A- | men. (*Ant. Repeated.*)

Collect.

O Lord, we beseech Thee, let Thy continual pity cleanse and defend Thy Church; and because it cannot continue in safety without Thy succor, preserve it evermore by Thy help and goodness; through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever One God, world without end. *Amen.*

Epistle. Galatians 5:25—6:10

Gospel. Matthew 6:24—34

Additional reading: Deuteronomy 6:4—7

Gradual.

|| It is a good thing to give thanks unto | the | Lord:

and to sing praises unto Thy | Name, | O | Most | High.

|| To show forth Thy lovingkindness in the | morn- | ing:

and Thy faithful- | ness | eve- | ry | night.

|| Hallelujah. Hallelujah. O God, my heart | is | fixed:

I will sing and give praise, ever with my glory. | Hal- | le- | lu- | jah.

15th Sunday after Trinity

53. Why Art Thou Thus Cast Down, My Heart?

Tr. C. Winkworth

Composer

1. Why art thou thus cast down, my heart?
2. Dost think thy prayers He doth not heed?
3. Since Thou my God and Fa - ther art,

Why trou - bled, why dost mourn a - part,
He knows full well what thou dost need,
I know Thy faith - ful lov - ing heart

O'er nought but earth - ly wealth?
And heav'n and earth are His;
Will ne'er for - get Thy child;

Trust in thy God, be not a - fraid;
My Fa - ther and my God, who still
See I am poor, I am but dust,

He is thy Friend who all things made.
Is with my soul in ev - 'ry ill.
On earth is none who I can trust. A - men.

4. The rich man in his wealth confides,
But in my God my trust abides;
Then laugh ye as ye will,
I hold this fast that He hath taught, -
Who trusts in God shall want for nought.

7. All wealth, all glories, here below,
The best that this world can bestow,
Silver or gold or lands,
But for a little time is giv'n,
And helps us not to enter heav'n.

5. Yes, Lord, Thou art as rich today
As Thou hast been and shalt be aye,
I rest on Thee alone;
Thy riches to my soul be giv'n,
And 'tis enough for earth and heav'n.

8. I thank Thee, Christ, Eternal Lord,
That Thou hast taught me
by Thy Word
To know this truth and Thee;
O grant me also steadfastness
Thy heav'nly kingdom not to miss.

6. What here may shine I all resign,
If the eternal crown be mine,
That through Thy bitter death
Thou gain'dst, O Lord Christ, for me -
For this, for this, I cry to Thee!

9. Praise, honour, thanks,
to Thee be brought,
For all things in and for me wrought
By Thy great mercy, Christ.
This one thing only still I pray,
Oh cast me ne'er from Thee away.

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designed by the partnership of churches in the Herrin area to give people a boost in fighting poverty and overcoming times of hardship.

The House of Hope is currently providing meals Monday-Friday, each-and-every week, for between 150-200 people a day or around 750-1000 meals per week. During the height of the Covid shutdown, we saw demands dramatically increase to nearly 300-500 meals a day, to as many as 2818 per week at the height. Through the crisis, the House of Hope has been there every day, as an essential emergency feeding center for the last 12 years providing some 400,000 meals. Everyone that needs a meal—receives one at the House of Hope thanks to incredible community support!

The Herrin House of Hope will host the 13th annual Family Fun Day on Sunday, September 8 from 12:30-6:00pm to benefit and celebrate our amazing 12 years of operation and service to the Herrin Community on the grounds of Community of Faith Church and also via a VIRTUAL platform this year.

All the proceeds of the day will go to help support the ministry of the Herrin House of Hope through its' Hot lunch program, thrift store, auxiliary food pantry, GED Classes, and Children's Free Summer Meals Program, all a part of our broad-based ministry which was

- In summary during our 12 years of operation from 2013-2024:**
- Served some 400,000 meals for needy adults and children.
 - Served over 35,000 persons through our auxiliary emergency food pantry & commodities distribution programs since it opened in July 2014, 10 years ago.
 - Served over 20,000 people in our Thrift Store, since it opened in October 2014.
 - Seen over 500+ students go through our on-site GED Program led by John A. Logan Jr. College, since it began in 2014.
 - Now in our 8th Summer (May 30 to August 31) offering our Children's Free Summer Meals Program. We have fed over 25,000 meals to children 0-18.
 - Blessed with over 18,000 volunteer days served by those saints who have come in and out of our doors, just this year, to share the Hope and Love of Christ with those that need a hand of Hope in the Herrin Community, through a day of service.
- This year's Family Fun Day has a goal of raising some \$75,000 during the event day through the proceeds from food, children's rides, adult activities, sponsorships, and donations, all of which will be used to run our operations in the year ahead.



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