Welcome to Trinity

#67 Art. IV "Justification" of the Apology of the Augsburg Confession.

Therefore, those are perfectly blind who maintain that the evil desires in the flesh are not sins. Paul says of them, Gal. 5:17: "The flesh lusteth against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh;" for the flesh places no confidence in God, relies on the world and temporal goods, seeks man's consolation and aid in afflictions, even against God's will, doubts his mercy and assistance, and murmurs against him in crosses and temptations; all this is against the commandments of God. The Holy Ghost contends and strives in hearts of the saints, against the sin inherited from Adam, in order to remove and destroy the poison of the old Adamic nature,—the evil, desperate character of the heart,—and to produce in us another mind and disposition.

Augustine also says, "We keep all the commandments of God, when all is forgiven us that we do not keep." Hence he asserts that even the good works wrought in us by the Holy Spirit, are pleasing to God, only when we believe that he accepts us for Christ's sake, and not because they are in themselves worthy of his acceptance. (Henkel Translation, p. 189).

Trinity News

Voters' Assembly & Potluck.—November 15, following the Divine Service

Thanksgiving Day Service.—Matins at 9:00 AM on Nov. 26.

Decorating for the Holidays.—Saturday, Nov. 28 at 5:00 PM, Vespers at 7:00 PM

Class #6 on The Basics of Lutheran Teachings.—continues today(11/8) at 12:30 PM. If you might be interested in joining Trinity Lutheran Church, this is the course for you! Come and find out with the next few classes held on November 22, 29 and December 6,13, and 20.

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
-Council Meeting, after Service
-Basics of Lutheran Teaching, Class #6, 12:30 PM

MONDAY – Martin Chemnitz, Confessor

TUESDAY-THURSDAY -Florida Mission

WEDNESDAY -*Veteran's Day*
-St. Martin of Tours, no service
-No Learn-by-Heart / Catechesis Service

NEXT SUNDAY
-*SECOND-LAST SUNDAY IN THE CHURCH YEAR*
-Adult and Child Bible Studies, 9:00 AM
-Divine Service-Lord's Supper, 10:15 AM
-Voters' Assembly, following service
-*Potluck*

Assistants

Elder – Dan Byrne (922-3556)
Organist – LeeAnn Byrne
Altar Guild – Kim Miller

Church Cleaning – Nov 8/15 Byrne, Nov 22/29 Brieschke

Divine Service

Hymn …….. LW #455

Augustana Service Book & Hymnal

+ Invocation.....……. p.7
+ Confession/Absolution p.8-9
+ Introit..... (insert)
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+ Kyrie... p.10
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+ Exhortation p.21

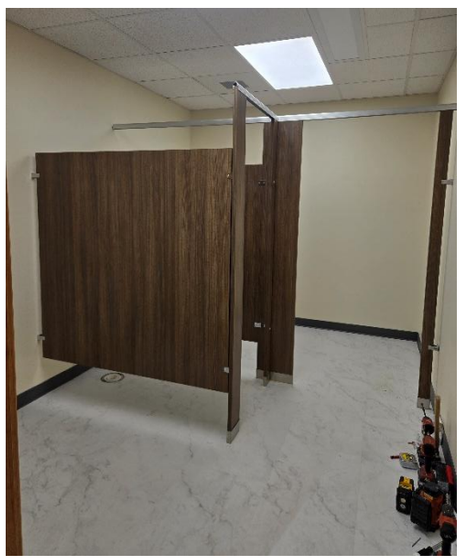
Lutheran Worship Hymnal

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Communion Psalm (by cantor)
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Announcements

Church & Parish Hall Cleaning

In order that God's Services may be held, many things need to be done--including church cleaning. Each member shares in the duty to see that God's work is done. Each member's family appears on the list only once every year. Please have the church cleaned for the Sundays assigned. A check list for cleaning the church/education building is posted. You may hire the cleaning done for a cost of $100 for 2 weeks. Note: If you are not financially or physically able to clean the church, please discreetly let Pastor Henson know and he will take you off of the cleaning list.

Please let Patty Kenner know if you will do it yourself or wish to pay someone to do it. It is important that you do so. Designate the $100 as "church cleaning," and give to Patty or place in the plate. Any questions please call Patty Kenner at 201-5875 or Pastor Henson 942-3401.



Trinity Lutheran Church Addition

General Prayer p.18-19

Special Prayers

--Pastoral Office: Bishop, James Heiser, Pastor Michael D. Henson, Deacon Gary K. Harroun

--Eldona Congregations: St. Patrick Lutheran Church (Chipley, FL), Pastor Brandon Warr

--Armed forces: Jason Melvin, Blake Darnstaedt.

--Police officers: Daniel Byrne, Alex Byrne.

--Shut-ins: Patty Rametta, Violet Kemp, Tom Smith, Chuck & Joyce Mann

-- **Students:** Tom Weber (Florida State University), Luke Phillips (Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX), Liam Phillips, Colton Weber (John A. Logan), Jessica Gordon (SIU-C, Oletha's granddaughter), and Jennifer Mateycak(WGU)

-Pregnant: Jacob & Heidi Henson (Nov 26)

--Various Needs: Stacy Tolar (wife of Pr. Tim Tolar-Alaska), Maddie (seizures, niece of Renee Darnstaedt), Danny Fletcher (friend of Pet Wertz, stage 4 lung cancer), and Anita Prochaska (broken collar bone), Karen Melvin (broken wrist)

--For our country's veterans, that God would lead us to show them honor and gratitude for their sacrifice, and that God would free their minds from any haunting memories and, according to the His good will, restore their health and station in life.

--give thanks that our God has provided us with everything that has to do with the support and needs of the body.

The 3rd Last Sunday in the Church Year



Illustrated German Bible of 1483 (I:331 1 Kings 15)
Battles in Israel

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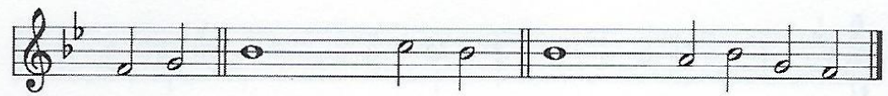
Isaiah 49:12-17
12 Surely these shall come from afar; Look! Those from the north and the west, and these from the land of Sinim. 13 Sing, O heavens! Be joyful, O earth! And break out in singing, O mountains! For the LORD has comforted His people, and will have mercy on His afflicted. 14 But Zion said, "The LORD has forsaken me, and my Lord has forgotten me." 15 Can a woman forget her nursing child, and not have compassion on the son of her womb? Surely they may forget, yet I will not forget you. 16 See, I have inscribed you on the palms of My hands; Your walls are continually before Me. 17 Your sons shall make haste; Your destroyers and those who laid you waste shall go away from you.

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18
13 But I do not want you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning those who have fallen asleep, lest you sorrow as others who have no hope. 14 For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so God will bring with Him those who sleep in Jesus. 15 For this we say to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive and remain until the coming of the Lord will by no means precede those who are asleep. 16 For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of an archangel, and with the trumpet of God. And the dead in Christ will rise first. 17 Then we who are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And thus we shall always be with the Lord. 18 Therefore comfort one another with these words.

St. Matthew 24:15-28
15 "Therefore when you see the 'abomination of desolation,' spoken of by Daniel the prophet, standing in the holy place" (whoever reads, let him understand), 16 "then let those who are in Judea flee to the mountains. 17 Let him who is on the housetop not go down to take anything out of his house. 18 And let him who is in the field not go back to get his clothes. 19 But woe to those who are pregnant and to those who are nursing babies in those days! 20 And pray that your flight may not be in winter or on the Sabbath. 21 For then there will be great tribulation, such as has not been since the beginning of the world until this time, no, nor ever shall be. 22 And unless those days were shortened, no flesh would be saved; but for the elect's sake those days will be shortened. 23 Then if anyone says to you, 'Look, here is the Christ!' or 'There!' do not believe it. 24 For false christs and false prophets will rise and show great signs and wonders to deceive, if possible, even the elect. 25 See, I have told you beforehand. 26 Therefore if they say to you, 'Look, He is in the desert!' do not go out; or 'Look, He is in the inner rooms!' do not believe it. 27 For as the lightning comes from the east and flashes to the west, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be. 28 For wherever the carcass is, there the eagles will be gathered together

Communion Psalm: *Ant.* You shall show me the path of life: in your presence, O Lord is the fullness of joy. (Psalm 16:11).
Psalm 16:1-3, 6-11.

THE TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY. (GREEN) PSALM 116/18, VV. 20–31



Introit.
Ant. HAVE MER- || cy upon me, O LORD, for I am in | trou- | ble:
deliver me from the hand of mine enemies, and from them that | per- | se- | cute | me.
|| Let me not be ashamed, O | LORD | - :
for I have call- | ed | up- | on | Thee.
Psalm. || In Thee, O LORD, do I put my | trust | - :
let me never | be | a- | sham- | ed.
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.
Almighty God, we beseech Thee, show Thy mercy unto Thy humble servants, that we who put no trust in our own merits may not be dealt with after the severity of Thy judgment, but according to Thy mercy; 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. 1 Thessalonians 4:13–18 **Gospel. Matthew 24:15–28**
Additional reading: Isaiah 49:12–17

Gradual.
|| I will say of the Lord, He is my refuge and my | for- | tress:
my God, in | Him | will | I | trust.
|| His | truth | - :
shall be thy | shield | and | buck- | ler.
|| Hallelujah. Hallelujah. He that dwelleth in the secret place of the Most | High | - :
shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty. | Hal- | le- | lu- | jah.

Communion Hymn

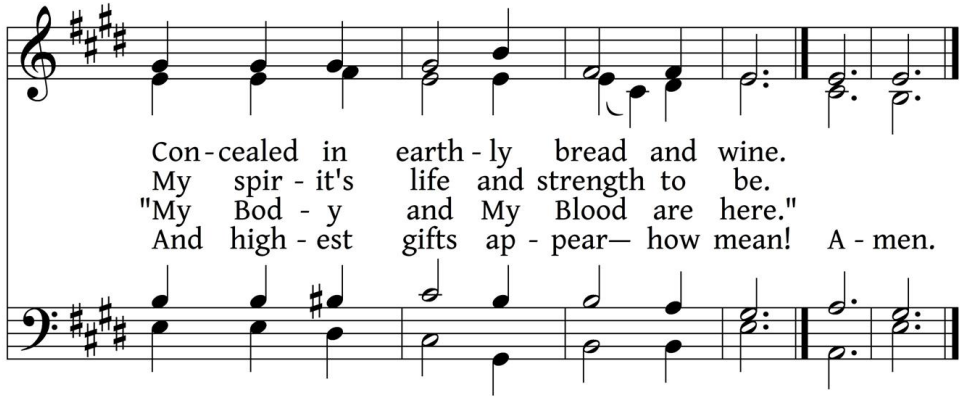
Season

##. An Awe-full Mystery Is Here

Matthias Loy, 1880

St. Crispin
George J. Elvey, 1862





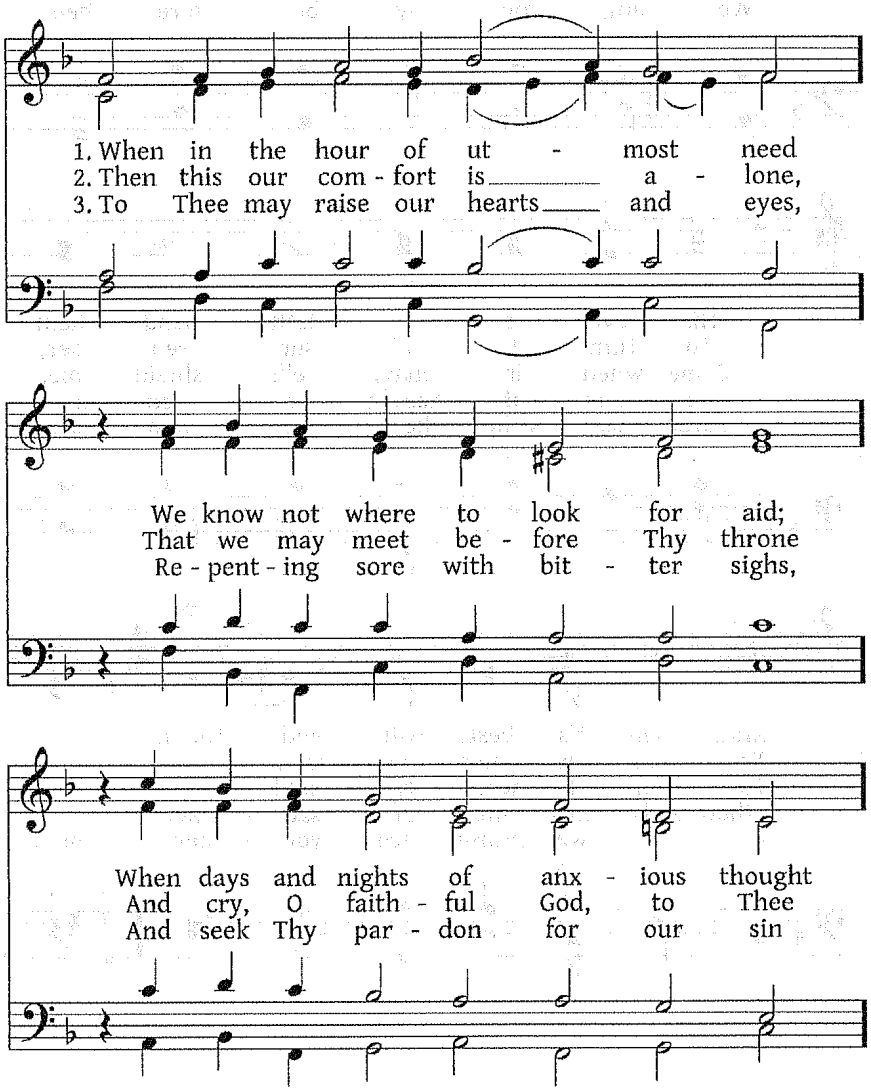
5. But here we have no boon of earth,
And faith alone discerns its worth.
The Word, not sense, must be our guide,
And faith assure since sight's denied.

6. Lord, show us still that Thou art good
And grant us evermore this food.
Give faith to every wavering soul
And make each wounded spirit whole.

25th Sunday after Trinity

63. When in the Hour of Utmost Need

Paul Eber, 1560 "Genevan Psalter," 1547
Tr., Catherine Winkworth, 1858, alt.





4. For Thou hast promised graciously
To hear all those who cry to Thee
Through Him whose name alone is great,
Our Savior and our Advocate.

5. And thus we come, O God, today
And all our woes before Thee lay;
For sorely tried, cast down, we stand,
Perplexed by fears on ev'ry hand.

6. Ah! hide not for our sins Thy face,
Absolve us through Thy boundless grace,
Be with us in our anguish still,
Free us at last from ev'ry ill,

7. That so with all our hearts we may
To Thee our glad thanksgiving pay,
Then walk obedient to Thy Word
And now and ever praise Thee, Lord.

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ALASKA - St. Luke Lutheran Church (Kenai/Nikiski, AK) and Homer Ev. Lutheran Mission (Homer, AK), Pr. Tim H. Tolar

TEXAS – Charity Lutheran Church (Burleson, TX), Pr. Kent Heimbigner

WISCONSIN – Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, (Tony, WI), Pure Blessings Lutheran Church (Brandon, WI), Pr. Jeffrey Ahonen

WISCONSIN –Apologia Lutheran Church (Deer Park, WI) Pr. Jacob Henson

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Pastors Emeriti or without parishes – P. Emeritus Douglas Handrich, Rev. Daniel Mensing

TEXAS - Salem Lutheran Church (Malone, TX), Pr. James D. Heiser* and Bishop of ELDoNA, Dcn. Anthony Oncken

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ARKANSAS – Lamb of God Ev. (Rogers, AR), Pr. Martin Jackson

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Home Missions – Needs of Current Missions, Prayer for and Planning of Future Missions, Remembrance of Previous Missions (that have ended or have become churches)

TENNESSEE – St. James the Elder Ev. Lutheran Mission (Knoxville, TN), Deacon Floyd Smithey

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