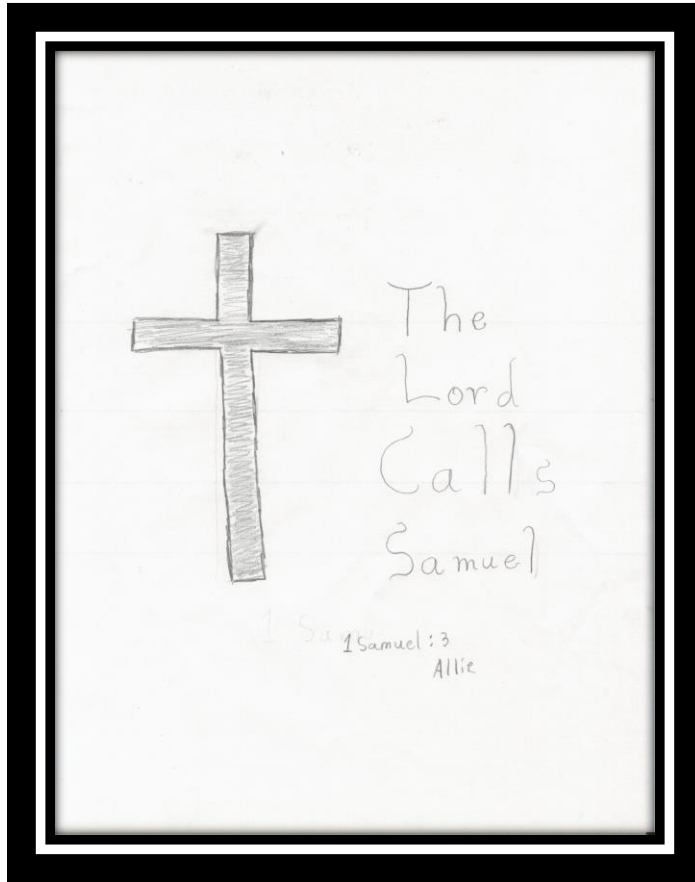


TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH



January 14, 2018 8:00 am

2163 MAYHEW LAKE RD. NE

SAUK RAPIDS, MN 56379

Welcome

Those Serving Today

Officiating Today	8:00am	10:30am	Rev. David Hinz
Organist	8:00am		Daniel Reineke
Musician		10:30am	Ruth Immerfall
Screen Team	8:00am		Mark Voitalla
		10:30am	Creighton Clark
Lector	8:00am		Seth Brashear
		10:30am	Christine Miller
Acolyte	8:00am		Daniel Dusing, Tyler Voitalla
		10:30am	Zachary Duchene, Richelle Peacock
Visuals	8:00am		Daniel Reineke
Altar Guild			Connie Mooney
Information Desk	8:00am	Zone – 4	Sandy Austin
	10:30am	Zone – 5	Marie Mendel
Greeters	8:00am	Zone – 4	Karen Petron-Broda
	10:30am	Zone – 5	Diane Haffner, Marie Mendel, Amy Schaefer
Ushers	8:00am	Zone – 4	Luke Wendt, Jim & Kathy Stueve, Trevor Jevne
	10:30am	Zone – 5	Marvin Neubert, Karen Petron-Broda, Wayne & Sue Kulzer, Janet Renn
Lay Minister	8:00am		Jeff Snyder
	10:30am		Justin Hackett, Clint Wenger

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The Second Sunday after the Epiphany

Divine Service Setting 3 (LSB pg 184)

January 14, 2018

8:00 a.m.

AS WE GATHER “Speak, Lord, for Your servant hears.” With this invitation, the prophet Samuel opens himself to receive God’s Word for His people. In the Epistle, Paul reminds us that we are not our own. Rather, we belong to the Lord because we have been bought with the price of Jesus’ precious body and blood given and shed for the forgiveness of sins. This Jesus is God’s first and final Word to all humanity—the Logos incarnate. Born in Bethlehem and heading for Golgotha, Jesus invites people to follow Him. From one disciple to another, the invitation is to come and see the One whom Moses and the prophets foretold—Israel’s Messiah, Jesus of Nazareth, our Lord and our God.

PRESERVICE MUSIC

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING HYMN: “Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty” LSB 901

INVOCATION, CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

P: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

P: Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

P: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C: who made heaven and earth.

P: I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

C: and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

P: O almighty God, merciful Father,

C: I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and

I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

P: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To those who believe on His name He gives power to become the children of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He that believes and is baptized shall be saved. Grant this Lord, unto us all.

C: Amen.

INTROIT

P: I have not hidden your deliverance within my heart;

C: I have spoken of your faithfulness and your salvation;

P: I waited patiently for the Lord;

C: he inclined to me and heard my cry.

P: He drew me up from the pit of destruction, out of the miry bog,

C: and set my feet upon a rock, making my steps secure.

P: He put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God.

C: Many will see and fear, and put their trust in the Lord.

P: Blessèd is the man who makes the Lord his trust,

C: who does not turn to the proud, to those who go astray after a lie!

P: You have multiplied, O Lord my God, your wondrous deeds and your thoughts toward us; none can compare with you!

C: I will proclaim and tell of them, yet they are more than can be told.

**ALL: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

P: I have not hidden your deliverance within my heart;

C: I have spoken of your faithfulness and your salvation;

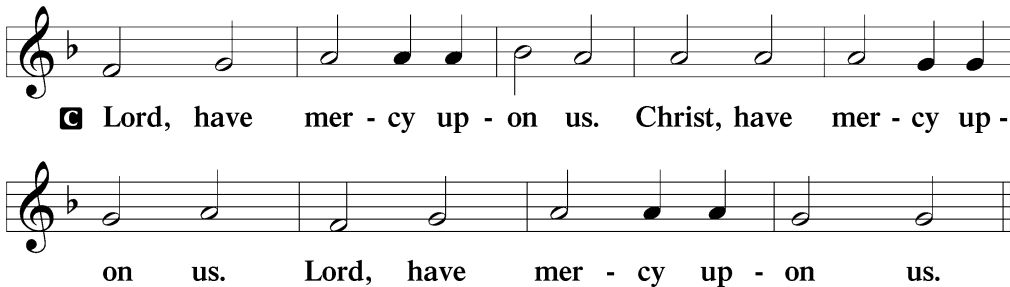
GLORIA PATRI





as it was in the be-gin-ning, is now, and ev-er shall be, world with-out end. A-men.

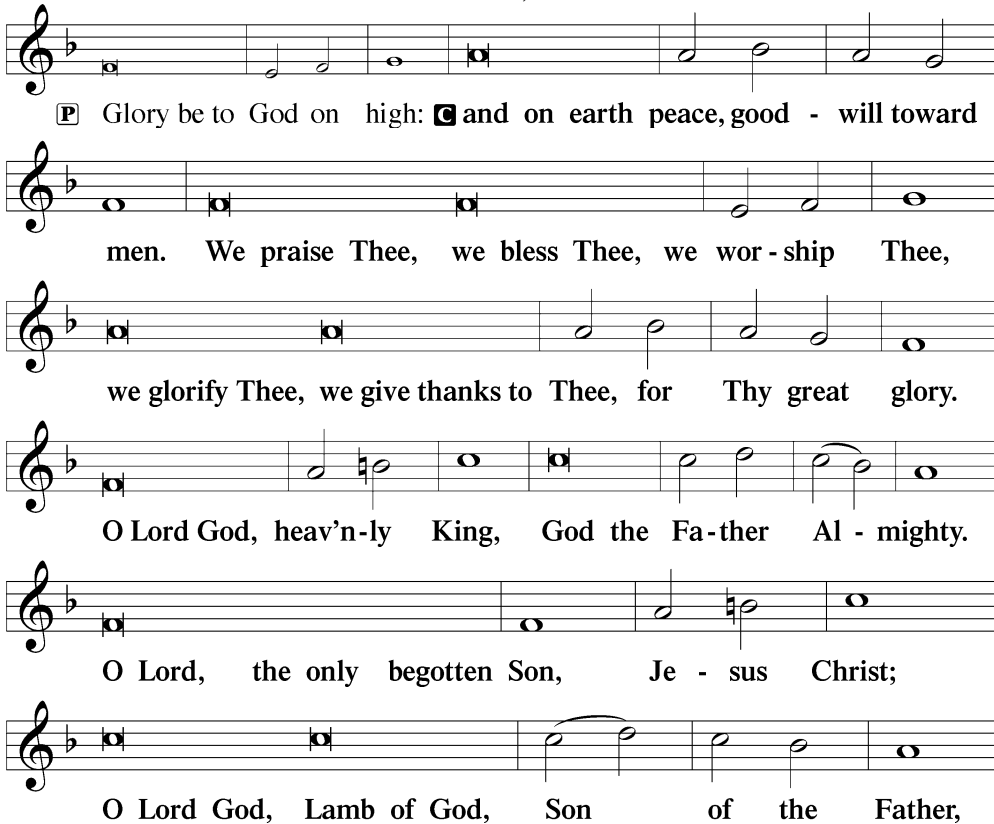
KYRIE



Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -

on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS Luke 2:14; John 1:29



Glory be to God on high: and on earth peace, good - will toward

men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,

we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.

O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther Al - mighty.

O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;

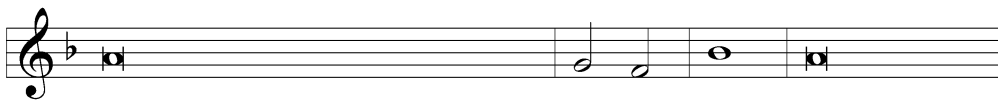
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,



that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.



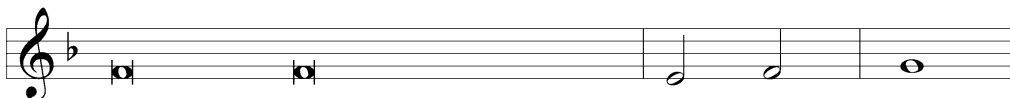
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.



Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-



on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on-ly art the Lord.



Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho-ly Ghost,



art most high in the glory of God the Father. A-men.

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY



P The Lord be with you.



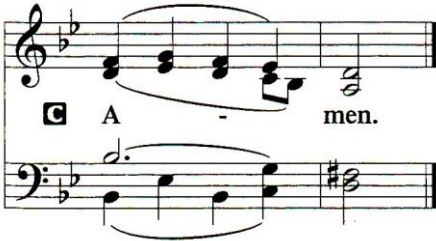
C And with thy spir-it.





P Let us pray.

P: Almighty and everlasting God, who governs all things in heaven and on earth, mercifully hear the prayers of Your people and grant us Your peace through all our days; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Sit

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: 1 Sam. 3:1-20

Now the boy Samuel was ministering to the Lord in the presence of Eli. And the word of the Lord was rare in those days; there was no frequent vision.² At that time Eli, whose eyesight had begun to grow dim so that he could not see, was lying down in his own place.³ The lamp of God had not yet gone out, and Samuel was lying down in the temple of the Lord, where the ark of God was.⁴ Then the Lord called Samuel, and he said, “Here I am!”⁵ and ran to Eli and said, “Here I am, for you called me.” But he said, “I did not call; lie down again.” So he went and lay down.⁶ And the Lord called again, “Samuel!” and Samuel arose and went to Eli and said, “Here I am, for you called me.” But he said, “I did not call, my son; lie down again.”⁷ Now Samuel did not yet know the Lord, and the word of the Lord had not yet been revealed to him.⁸ And the Lord called Samuel again the third time. And he arose and went to Eli and said, “Here I am, for you called me.” Then Eli perceived that the Lord was calling the boy.⁹ Therefore Eli said to Samuel, “Go, lie down, and if he calls you, you shall say, ‘Speak, Lord, for your servant hears.’” So Samuel went and lay down in his place.¹⁰ And the Lord came and stood, calling as at other times, “Samuel! Samuel!” And Samuel said, “Speak, for your servant hears.”¹¹ Then the Lord said to Samuel, “Behold, I am about to do a thing in Israel at which the two ears of everyone who hears it will tingle.¹² On that day I will fulfill against Eli all that I have spoken concerning his house, from beginning to end.¹³ And I declare

to him that I am about to punish his house forever, for the iniquity that he knew, because his sons were blaspheming God, and he did not restrain them. ¹⁴ Therefore I swear to the house of Eli that the iniquity of Eli's house shall not be atoned for by sacrifice or offering forever.”¹⁵ Samuel lay until morning; then he opened the doors of the house of the Lord. And Samuel was afraid to tell the vision to Eli. ¹⁶ But Eli called Samuel and said, “Samuel, my son.” And he said, “Here I am.” ¹⁷ And Eli said, “What was it that he told you? Do not hide it from me. May God do so to you and more also if you hide anything from me of all that he told you.” ¹⁸ So Samuel told him everything and hid nothing from him. And he said, “It is the Lord. Let him do what seems good to him.”¹⁹ And Samuel grew, and the Lord was with him and let none of his words fall to the ground. ²⁰ And all Israel from Dan to Beersheba knew that Samuel was established as a prophet of the Lord.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

HYMN: “Speak, O Lord Your Servant Listens” LSB 589

EPISTLE: 1 Cor. 6:12-20

¹² “All things are lawful for me,” but not all things are helpful. “All things are lawful for me,” but I will not be dominated by anything. ¹³ “Food is meant for the stomach and the stomach for food”—and God will destroy both one and the other. The body is not meant for sexual immorality, but for the Lord, and the Lord for the body. ¹⁴ And God raised the Lord and will also raise us up by his power. ¹⁵ Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ? Shall I then take the members of Christ and make them members of a prostitute? Never! ¹⁶ Or do you not know that he who is joined to a prostitute becomes one body with her? For, as it is written, “The two will become one flesh.” ¹⁷ But he who is joined to the Lord becomes one spirit with him. ¹⁸ Flee from sexual immorality. Every other sin a person commits is outside the body, but the sexually immoral person sins against his own body. ¹⁹ Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, whom you have from God? You are not your own, ²⁰ for you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Stand

ALLELUIA



Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

HOLY GOSPEL: John 1:43-51

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the first chapter.



Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

⁴³The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, "Follow me." ⁴⁴Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. ⁴⁵Philip found Nathanael and said to him, "We have found him of whom Moses in the Law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph." ⁴⁶Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." ⁴⁷Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him and said of him, "Behold, an Israelite indeed, in whom there is no deceit!" ⁴⁸Nathanael said to him, "How do you know me?" Jesus answered him, "Before Philip called you, when you were under the fig tree, I saw you." ⁴⁹Nathanael answered him, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" ⁵⁰Jesus answered him, "Because I said to you, 'I saw you under the fig tree,' do you believe? You will see greater things than these." ⁵¹And he said to him, "Truly, truly, I say to you, you will see heaven opened, and the angels of God ascending and descending on the Son of Man."

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.



Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

APOSTLE'S CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he will

come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

Sit

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

HYMN OF THE DAY: "I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light" LSB 411

THE MESSAGE

OFFERTORY



Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -
way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it
from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -
tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir - it. A - men.

OFFERING *(Please sign and date the Rite of Friendship pad located in the pew. The children are invited to bring their offerings to the front at this time.)*

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

LORD'S PRAYER

ALL: Our Father Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

COLLECT

P: Blessed Lord, You have caused all Holy Scriptures to be written for our learning. Grant that we may so hear them, read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them that, by patience and comfort of your Holy Word, we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

SALUTATION AND BENEDICAMUS



P The Lord be with you.



C And with thy spir - it.

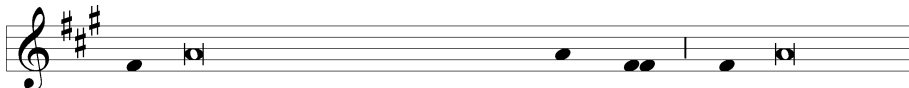


A Bless we the Lord.

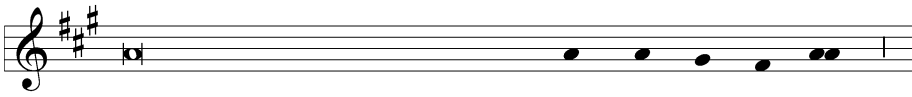


C Thanks be to God.

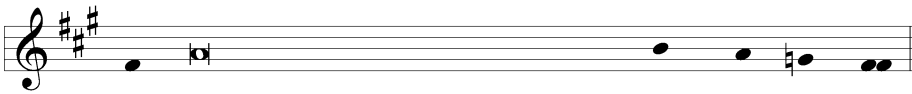
BENEDICTION



P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make



His face shine upon you and be gra - cious un - to you.



The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and ✠ give you peace.



■ A-men, a-men, a - men.

CLOSING HYMN: “Spread the Reign of God the Lord” LSB 830

WE WELCOME FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN

We are glad you are here! If there is a time during the Worship Service that you feel your child (or you) needs a “time out,” please feel free to leave the service. If you leave the service, you can go to the **lobby** or use the **large conference room** across from the church office. The

conference room has speakers and one-way glass so you can still participate in Worship. During the Sunday school hour, (9:15am – 10:15am) and during the 10:30am worship service the **nursery** is staffed for children 0-3 years old. The nursery is in the preschool on the north end of the building. It is the first classroom on the left as you enter the preschool parent lounge area. There are also speakers in the nursery so you can listen to the service.

Activity bags for young children to use are in the plastic tub outside the church office.



Today’s Radio Broadcast is sponsored by Lee & Jan Gratke in memory of Dwight Roesch. We thank them for their generosity. We have openings in February and March. If you would like to sponsor a broadcast please complete a form and turn it in. Forms are available in the church office. The radio transmission enables our shut-ins, as well as others in our community to hear and participate in our worship. The service airs on WVAL 800 on the AM dial, at 8:00am, and live on the internet at www.800wval.com.

Calendar for the Week

Second Sunday after the Epiphany

TODAY 8:00am Worship Z4

9:15am Sunday School & Bible Classes

10:30am Worship Z5 (HC)

12:00pm Anyuak Worship

4:00pm 4H Meeting

6:00pm Good News Bible Study

MONDAY Martin Luther King Jr. Day

TUESDAY 7:00pm Friends in Harmony

WEDNESDAY 7:00am Men's Bible Study@GS

5:00pm God's Grub

6:00pm Confirmation Classes

6:00pm Celebration Ringers

7:00pm Adult Choir

THURSDAY

6:00pm Worship Team Rehearsal

6:30pm Kindergarten Info. Night at POP

FRIDAY 9:00am Parish Workers

6:00pm Narcotics Anon.

SATURDAY 9:00am Altar Guild

6:45pm Traditional Worship Practice

Third Sunday after the Epiphany

8:00am Worship Z1(HC)

9:00am Pancake Breakfast

9:15am Sunday School & Bible Classes

10:30am Worship Z2

12:00pm Anyuak Worship

4:00pm Creative Crafts

6:00pm Green Team

Our Response in Faith

WEEK OF	TIME	ATTENDANCE
1/7/2018	8:00am	117
1/7/2018	10:30am	161
	Total	278
	OFFERINGS	
General Fund Offerings		\$7,213.70
Building Debt Offerings		\$1,145.00
Total		\$8,358.70
Weekly Need:		\$11,745.05
Missions		\$500.00
Rec'd to-date		\$500.00
Annual Funds Promised		\$23,000.00

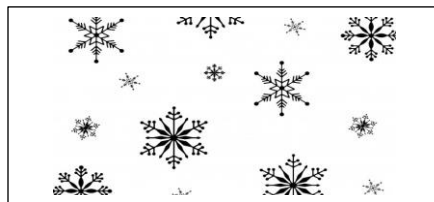
Readings for next Sunday:

Jonah 3:1-5, 10

1 Cor. 7:29-35

Mark 1:14-20

Let's Be in the Word!



Church Office Hours:

M-F 8:30am-2:30pm

Open during the noon hour.

Church Office Phone 252-3670

The Lord Jesus calls Philip and Nathanael to *“come and see”* that He is *“the Son of God”* and *“the King of Israel”* (John 1:43–49). And they shall see even *“greater things than these”* (John 1:50). For His body is the temple of God on earth, and by His priestly sacrifice the heavens will be opened to all who believe and are baptized into Him. Therefore, He calls Philip and Nathanael, first to hear His Word and then to speak as apostles, even as He once called Samuel and established him *“as a prophet of the Lord”* (1 Sam. 3:20). As the Lord was with Samuel *“and let none of his words fall to the ground”* (1 Sam. 3:19), He also accompanies and upholds the preachers of His Word in our day. Thus, by the Gospel that is preached to you, *“your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you”* (1 Cor. 6:19). Since your body thus belongs to the Body of Christ, is meant *“for the Lord”* and shall be raised up like Him, now *“glorify God in your body”* (1 Cor. 6:13–20).



Sunday Morning Fellowship

In January our hosts are Terry and Jo Duea. Members who have last names beginning with the letters “A & B” are asked to bring treats for our fellowship time. If you can help, please sign up on the bulletin board.

Prayer Shawl Ministry If anyone is interested in crocheting or knitting prayer shawls to be given to shut-ins, the ill, or anyone who needs comforting, please feel free to call the office 252-3670. You can then get information on a few that meet to do this, generally on the second Tuesday of

each month at 10:00am. or just donate a shawl to be given. You may also give a monetary donation which will go toward purchasing yarns to make shawls. It is a great blessing to you and the receiver!

NEW MEMBER CLASS If you are considering membership here at Trinity and you have not been confirmed in the Lutheran Church this is the “Adult Confirmation Class” required for membership. Members are also invited to take the class as a confirmation refresher. If you are transferring here from another Lutheran Church I encourage you to take the class because Bible study is always an opportunity to learn and it helps me to get to know you so that I may assist you in becoming an active member. For those that finish this nine-week class and want to pursue membership here at Trinity there is three-week Spiritual Gift discovery process and then a new member reception on Sunday April 22nd, 2018. **The first class is Sunday, January 21st at 9:15am in the Large classroom.** If you have children between the ages of 3 years to 4th Grade they can be in their Sunday School class at the same time. Also, if you have need for the nursey from younger children it too will be available.

Church Of The Week Homeless Ministry Hosted by Trinity- Feb. 12 – Feb. 18 This annual community outreach provides overnight shelter and meals for the homeless. In addition to providing overnight shelter in our Fellowship Hall for 25-35 people each night, we will be preparing and serving a community meal

for 100 people at Place of Hope every night at 5:00pm. Many volunteers are needed; to drive the bus, prepare & serve meals and snacks. Some of the meals are prepared by groups but individuals are also needed. Host/hostesses are needed to serve 5 hour shifts for overnight supervision/security. This is a labor of love as our "Social Ministry" fund will be used to purchase all the food. If you would like to donate to that fund, checks can be made payable to "Trinity Lutheran Church" and in the memo please note: "Social Ministry." **On January 21st we will receive a door offering after both services for Church of the Week.**

"For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in, I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me." - Matthew 25:35-36

Sign up on the poster in the narthex. See the Church of the Week Job Descriptions hand-outs for all the details and contact Craig Cooper, 252-3670, with any questions.

ENGAGING YOUR COMMUNITY January 21, 2018 at Shepherd of the Pines Lutheran Church, Rice, MN 8:00am – 3:00pm. Presenter: Jeffrey Lee, Mission and Ministry Facilitator MN N District LCMS. What? Bible Study, Identifying Congregational Strengths, community Demographics, Outreach Ideas, Table Discussions, and Fellowship. Contact DCO Craig Cooper at 252-3670 to register. Cost is \$25 per participant. Registration deadline is Jan. 20th. (Lunch and Light refreshments included.)

Please remember in your prayers this week: Pastor Harvey Ehlers, Betty Winczewski, Pam Hadley & Darlene Gronau undergoing medical care. Jim Bump, Diane Haffner, Sandy Duffy and Sandra VanVickle as they continue their cancer treatment and care. The families of Louise Botzek, Mike Winczewski, Leatrice Ewers, and Vivian Kelm at their deaths.

God's Grub this week: Taco in a Bag

Yum! Yum! Join us on Sun, Jan 21st between services for a pancake breakfast with all the fixins'. Free will offering will benefit Prince of Peace Lutheran School. Come join us for food and fellowship and celebrate the start of National Lutheran Schools Week held Jan 22-28, 2018. See you there!

Lenten Project Pastor Hinz would like to meet with all the volunteers who so generously offering to help with this project. Please meet with him on Wednesday at 5:00pm at God's Grub to discuss more details.

Prince of Peace News:

We will begin the re-enrollment process for our current students in February and begin taking new enrollments for new students to Prince of Peace starting March 1st.

"Shine Like Stars!" is the theme for the Prince of Peace Lutheran School annual Legacy Dinner and Auction which will be

held Sunday, April 22nd at the school. Mark your calendar now and save the date to come out and provide support for our school. Tickets will again be \$14 to cover the cost of the catered noon meal – look for them to be available in March.

February 1st, at POP, Feb. 5th at Trinity, and Feb. 6th at Holy Cross, are the evenings to check out the Prince of Peace Preschools!! From 6:30 to 7:30pm you can meet the teachers and see the classrooms. Plan now to attend.

The Scholastic Book Fair is coming to Prince of Peace Lutheran School with Sales on Jan 25th and 26th from 8:00 to 4:00 pm. Come join us for the Art and Social Fair from 6:00-7:00 pm on January 25th.

January 22 March for Life Concordia University St Paul will host a Chapel service on Monday, Jan. 22, beginning at 10:30am, at Graebner Memorial Chapel. Come to worship the Author and Perfecter of Life and pray that people everywhere will uphold the sanctity of human life from conception to natural death, and turn their hearts toward the children.

After chapel, we will then travel to the Capitol Mall for the Minnesota Citizens Concerned for Life (MCCL) March For Life which begins at 12:00pm south of the Capitol building. It will be followed by a brief program on the Capitol steps at 12:30.

MCCL will introduce its legislative agenda for the upcoming session during the program. Many pro-life elected officials are expected to attend the March and will be introduced to the crowd. For further information on the MCCL March For Life or to download the March flyer visit: <https://www.mccl.org/march> or contact Pastor James Kroonblawd, MNS District Life Coordinator, at 651-454-7235.

LUTHERAN HOUR MINISTRIES is a Christian outreach ministry affiliated with the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod, Lutheran Church-Canada and Lutheran Women in Mission. It's mission is "Bringing Christ to the Naitons-and the Nations to the church." The Lutheran Hour Radio broadcast is on WJON AM1240 at 6:15am Sunday mornings.

Poinsettias If you provided any poinsettias for the sanctuary, please take them home today.

Scholarship LCEF is offering a \$1000 scholarship to a qualifying individual. Check the kiosk for more information or go online to <http://lcefuppermidwest.org/scholarships>

Adult Choir will resume rehearsals this Wednesday, January 17th at 7:00pm. Please join us!

“Serve the Lord with Gladness!”