

FOURTH SUNDAY after the EPIPHANY

January 30, 2022

Our Mission...

THE LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSOURI SYNOD

To joyfully share the Abundant Life in Jesus' cross with all people today, embracing His hope for tomorrow.

Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church!

Jesus gives new life wherever His Gospel is preached! If you are a visitor, we welcome you in Jesus' name. Please come again to join us in worship and become acquainted with our family in Christ.

Visitors ~ please sign our Guest Book at the back of the church.

Friendship Registers ~ Red Worship folders are in the center aisles of the pews. Please sign in each Sunday.

Sunday school for three-years-old through High School are held at 8:30 am in the lower level.

Adult Bible Class is held in the Stahlecker Room / Library at 8:30 am each Sunday.

Hospital visitations ~ Please let Pastor know if you or a loved one will be in the hospital.

Rest rooms (2) are located on the same floor as the Sanctuary, across from the mailboxes. One is handicapped accessible and has a Baby Changing Station.



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CONCERNING THE LORD'S SUPPER

The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation 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.

Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the Sacrament, are asked first to speak with the pastor or an usher.

For further study, see Matthew 5:23ff; 10:32ff; 18:15–35; 26:26–29; 1 Corinthians 1:28; 11:17–34.

FOR THOSE with YOUNG CHILDREN...

In Matthew 19, Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of heaven." Jesus wants your little ones present with Him during our worship service. So do we.

While children may often fidget and fuss during the service, we consider the noise that they make to be a form of sacred music – the song of God's children learning more and more what it means to be Christians. And it is for this reason that we invite the children to stay with us for the entire service. We also suggest the following steps to help them learn.

- Sit toward the front where it is easier for them to see what is happening.
- Sing the liturgy and hymns, boldly. The more engaged you are, the more quickly they will learn to follow along.
- Explain to them what is happening throughout the service.

If you feel that your children are being too disruptive, please feel free to sit in the Narthex. There are also activity books and "quiet time' bags in the back for your children. Ask an Elder or usher for assistance.

Finally, if your attempt to get through the service today was a disaster, come back next week. The more consistently you show up, the easier it will get. And, whenever you come, just like Christ, we will always be overjoyed to have you and your little ones with us.

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PRELUDE

WELCOME

HYMN of INVOCATION

"Away from Us!" the Demon Cried ~ LSB 541

CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION

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

- In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- **C** Amen. *Matthew* 28:19b; 18-20
- 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.

 Hebrews 10:22
- **P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- who made heaven and earth.

Psalm 124:8

- **P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Psalm 32:5

- Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.
- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
- 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.

- Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

 John 20:19-23
- C Amen.

SERVICE of the WORD

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INTROIT

Psalm 10:16–18; antiphon: v. 12



Arise, O LORD; O God, lift | up your hand;*

forget not the af- | flicted.

The LORD is king forever and | ever;*

the nations perish | from his land.

O LORD, you hear the desire of the af- | flicted;*

you will strength- | en their heart;

you will incline your ear to do justice to the fatherless and | the oppressed,*

so that man who is of the earth may strike ter- | ror no more.

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.

Arise, O LORD; O God, lift | up your hand;*

forget not the af- | flicted.

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HYMN of PRAISE

All Glory Be to God Alone ~ LSB 948



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SALUTATION and COLLECT of the DAY

P The Lord be with you.

2 Timothy 4:22

- **C** And also with you.
- **P** Let us pray.

Almighty God, You know we live in the midst of so many dangers that in our frailty we cannot stand upright. Grant strength and protection to support us in all dangers and carry us through all temptations; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Jeremiah 1:4-10

⁴Now the word of the LORD came to me, saying,

⁵"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations."

⁶Then I said, "Ah, Lord GOD! Behold, I do not know how to speak, for I am only a youth." ⁷But the LORD said to me,

"Do not say, 'I am only a youth'; for to all to whom I send you, you shall go, and whatever I command you, you shall speak.

Bo not be afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, declares the LORD."

⁹Then the LORD put out his hand and touched my mouth. And the LORD said to me,

"Behold, I have put my words in your mouth.

¹⁰See, I have set you this day over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to break down,

to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant."

- **P** This is the Word of the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.

GRADUAL Psalm 117:1–2a; 96:8

Praise the LORD, all nations!

Extol him, all peoples!

For great is his steadfast love toward us,

and the faithfulness of the LORD endures forever.

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name;

bring an offering, and come into his courts!

EPISTLE READING

1 Corinthians 12:31b—13:13

I will show you a still more excellent way.

¹If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. ²And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. ³If I give away all I have, and if I deliver up my body to be burned, but have not love, I gain nothing.

⁴Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant ⁵or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; ⁶it does not rejoice at wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth. ⁷Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

⁸Love never ends. As for prophecies, they will pass away; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will pass away. ⁹For we know in part and we prophesy in part, ¹⁰but when the perfect comes, the partial will pass away. ¹¹When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became a man, I gave up childish ways. ¹²For now we see in a mirror dimly, but then face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I have been fully known.

¹³So now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; but the greatest of these is love.

- **P** This is the Word of the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.

HYMN of the DAY

Son of God, Eternal Savior ~ LSB 842

HOLY GOSPEL READING

Luke 4:31-44

- **P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the fourth chapter.
- Glory to You, O Lord.

³¹[Jesus] went down to Capernaum, a city of Galilee. And he was teaching them on the Sabbath, ³²and they were astonished at his teaching, for his word possessed authority. ³³And in the synagogue there was a man who had the spirit of an unclean demon, and he cried out with a loud voice, ³⁴"Ha! What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God." ³⁵But Jesus rebuked him, saying, "Be silent and come out of him!" And when the demon had thrown him down in their midst, he came out of him, having done him no harm. ³⁶And they were all amazed and said to one another, "What is this word? For with authority and power he commands the unclean spirits, and they come out!" ³⁷And reports about him went out into every place in the surrounding region.

³⁸And he arose and left the synagogue and entered Simon's house. Now Simon's mother-in-law was ill with a high fever, and they appealed to him on her behalf. ³⁹And he stood over her and rebuked the fever, and it left her, and immediately she rose and began to serve them.

⁴⁰Now when the sun was setting, all those who had any who were sick with various diseases brought them to him, and he laid his hands on every one of them and healed them. ⁴¹And demons also came out of many, crying, "You are the Son of God!" But he rebuked them and would not allow them to speak, because they knew that he was the Christ.

⁴²And when it was day, he departed and went into a desolate place. And the people sought him and came to him, and would have kept him from leaving them, ⁴³but he said to them, "I must preach the good news of the kingdom of God to the other towns as well; for I was sent for this purpose." ⁴⁴And he was preaching in the synagogues of Judea.

- **P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.
- Praise to You, O Christ.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

CREEDAL HYMN

We All Believe in One True God ~ LSB 953

SERMON

Reverend Jonathan G. Schultz

PRAYER of the CHURCH

1 Timothy 2:1-4

OFFERING

As the offerings are gathered, worshippers are kindly asked to fill out the red Friendship Folder found along the center aisle and pass it to the others in your pew. Thank you.

SERVICE of the SACRAMENT

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PREFACE

P The Lord be with you.

2 Timothy 4:22

- **C** And also with you.
- **P** Lift up your hearts.
- **C** We lift them to the Lord.

Colossians 3:1

- **P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- **C** It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

Psalm 136

It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord our God, king of all creation, for You have had mercy on us and given Your only-begotten Son that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life. Grant us Your Spirit, gracious Father, that we may give heed to the testament of Your Son in true faith and, above all, firmly take to heart the words with which Christ gives to us His body and blood for our forgiveness. By Your grace, lead us to remember and give thanks for the boundless love which He manifested to us when, by pouring out His precious blood, He saved us from Your righteous wrath and from sin, death, and hell.

Grant that we may receive the bread and wine, that is, His body and blood, as a gift, guarantee, and pledge of His salvation. Graciously receive our prayers; deliver and preserve us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

Matthew 6:9-13

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.

In the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, at His command, and with His own words, we receive His testament:

THE WORDS of OUR LORD

Matthew 26:26-28; Mark 14:22-24; Luke 22:19-20; 1 Corinthians 11:23-25

Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My + body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

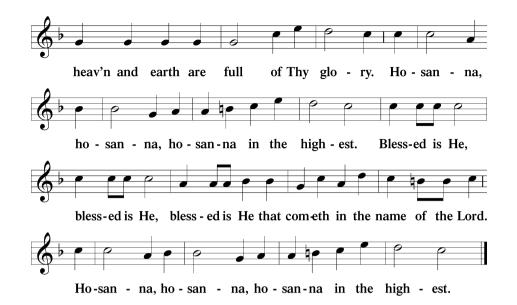
In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My + blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

SANCTUS ~ *Holy*, *Holy*, *Holy*

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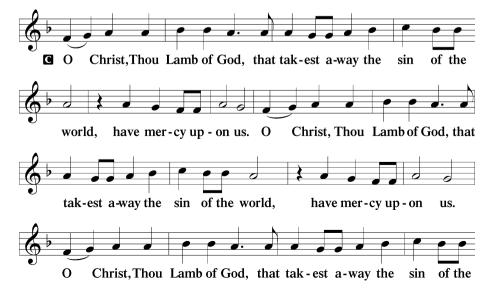
PAX DOMINI ~ The Peace of the Lord

John 20:19

- **P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.
- C Amen.

AGNUS DEI ~ *Lamb of God*

John 1:29





HOLY COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light ~ LSB 411

Praise Be to Christ ~ LSB 538

I Am Trusting Thee, Lord Jesus ~ LSB 729

POST COMMUNION CANTICLE

O Lord, We Praise Thee~ LSB 617 vs 1



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POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

P Let us pray.

O God the Father, the fountain and source of all goodness, who in loving-kindness sent Your only-begotten Son into the flesh, we thank You that for His sake You have given us pardon and peace in this Sacrament, and we ask You not to forsake Your children but always to rule our hearts and minds by Your Holy Spirit that we may be enabled constantly to serve You; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

BENEDICAMUS and BENEDICTION

P Let us bless the Lord.

Psalm 103:1

- **C** Thanks be to God.
- The Lord bless you and keep you.

 The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

 The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

Numbers 6:24-26

C Amen.

HYMN to DEPART

Go, My Children, with My Blessing ~ LSB 922

ANNOUNCEMENTS

POSTLUDE

2021 Contribution Statements ~ Your 2021 Contribution Statements are now in your Narthex mailbox. Please pick them up and help us save on postage. If they are not picked up by January 31st, we are required by law to mail them to you.

<u>February Lamplighter</u> ~ Your February Lamplighter is now either in your inbox, mailbox or Narthex mailbox. Let us know if you have not received it or if you would like to receive it via a different method.

GRACE NOTES

	Sunday – 01/30/2022 ~ 4 th Sunday after the Epiphany
8:30a	Sunday school and Adult Bible study
10:00a	Divine Service
	Duty Elders ~ Roy Arves / Shawn Shaw
	Organist ~ Jeannine Eastley
Monday – 01/31/2022	
	Nothing scheduled.
Tuesday — 02/01/2022	
9:00a	Wee Disciples Chapel
6:00p	Hand Bell choir practice
7:00p	Board of Early Childhood Education
Wednesday - 02/02/2022	
9:30a	Ladies' Bible study
5:30p	Adult choir practice
Thursday – 02/03/2022	
8:30a	Men's Bible study
Friday – 02/04/2022	
	Church office closed
9:00a	Wee Disciples chapel
Saturday – 02/05/2022	
	Nothing scheduled
Sunday – 02/06/2022 ~ 4 th Sunday after the Epiphany	
8:30a	Sunday school and Adult Bible study
10:00a	Divine Service
	Duty Elders ~ Roy Arves / Len Koelbel
	Organist ~ Joy Suek

Be sure and check your Narthex mailbox while you are here. You never know what goodies might be waiting there for you!

New boxes of offering envelopes for **2022** (**PINK** in color) were issued Wednesday December 22, 2021. Please destroy any remaining 2021 GREEN offering envelopes after December 31st! Begin using the PINK offering envelopes SUNDAY, January 2, 2022. You are encouraged to use your offering envelopes for each church offering. Using your envelopes speeds the money counting process and ensures that you will receive credit for your contribution.

Fuddruckers' *Burgers for Benefits* fundraiser for Wee Disciples is the **third Tuesday of each month** from 5:00 to 9:00 pm. (The next fundraising evening is on February 15th.) You must present a coupon ticket (or have a picture of the coupon ticket on your phone to show them) at the time you place your order. Wee Disciples receives 20% of the total ticket values on our fundraiser night. **You can use dine-in or takeout.** Thank you for supporting Wee Disciples!



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The next generation of giving

Please visit our website **www.trinity-mt.org**, go to the "Fellowship" tab and sign up for online giving. You can also download the Vanco mobile app to your smart phone for even more convenience.

The Lutheran Hour~ February 6th

"How Christians Can Admire the Jewish Sabbath"

Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler ~ (*Luke 6:1-11*)

Tune in on the radio or at www.lutheranhour.org. *The Lutheran Hour* can be heard on KMON, 560 AM Sundays at 7:00 am; or on SiriusXM Family Talk Channel 131at 10:00 am (EST). Also available on SENTRadio 24/7 @ lhm.org/sentradio.

<u>Lutherans for Life</u> ~ January 30th ~ "Because of Christ's life, death, and resurrection, our Father now holds His hand out to each and every human being: perfect inclusion, perfection belonging—no exceptions! You are chosen! You are a branch who has received the Life of the Vine!" *Marie MacPherson, author – A Life Quote from Lutherans for Life* • *lutherans for life.org*