

# TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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**WELCOME TO TRINITY** We are glad to have you worship with us today!  
We ask visitors who wish to participate in Holy Communion to visit with the Pastor or an Elder before the service. Thank you.

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**SUNDAY DIVINE SERVICE 9:00 A.M.**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL & BIBLE STUDY 10:20 A.M.**

**SERMON:** "What Are You Seeking?"

**SERMON TEXT:** Amos 5:6-7, 10-15

**SERMON HYMN:** 557 "Seek Where You May Find A Way"

**SERVING TODAY:** Elder: Merlyn Hartz

Altar Guild: Rita Martens

Schedule: **Wednesday October 13<sup>th</sup>**, All ladies Bible study hosted by Mary & Martha  
**Sunday October 17<sup>th</sup>**, Mission Sunday

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**Altar Flowers:** Are provided, to the glory of God, by Kevin and Robin Holcombe

**Our Prayer Requests:**

- † Bruce Rutz, brother of Sue Coon, receiving treatment for cancer.
- † Jodi Smith, niece of Gary Smith
- † Mary Haglaud, treatment for cancer, friend of Dennis Smith.
- † Adeline Ory, for continued healing.
- † Linda Marquardt for the trials and tribulations she faces with her MS.
- † Barbara Marquardt, rehabilitating from a stroke.
- † Lance Durand, Pastor's brother, recovering from kidney disease.
- † Kathryn Sprecher, President, LWML DSM West Zone, long term illness.
- † Thelmar Jansma, Patty Durand's father, suffering with illness.

**If you have Thrivent, remember to designate your Thrivent Choice Dollars.**

The flowers in the narthex were given to Trinity by the family of Gordon and Jill Martens.

**Did You Know:** Today is World Mental Health Day. Trauma, emotional distress, or mental illness negatively impact many people, including those within our church fellowship. When it does, we are often left searching for answers without knowing where to find help. Lutheran Family Service offers professional mental health counseling from master's prepared and licensed therapists, now available to all regardless of location through telehealth. **Lutheran Family Service** - [www.LutheranFamilyService.org](http://www.LutheranFamilyService.org).

**Life Thought in the Church Year for October 10 – Pentecost XX (Proper 23B):** "I would never choose it for myself, but I'm not comfortable telling anyone else how to act." Our neighbors need more from us than lukewarm. The Lord God invites the same courage and compassion His salvation has shown us. "Hate evil, and love good" (Amos 5:15). Real love proclaims both the Law and the Gospel directly (Mark 10:19-21). Jesus makes us nothing less than gentle but relentless!

**CHRIST FOR YOU this week on KFUE AM850 & kfuo.org:** Study Ezekiel 19-21 on Sharper Iron's "The Faithful Watchman (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT), hear Mental Health Monday on The Coffee Hour (10/11 at 9:00 a.m. CT), finish studying Leviticus on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11:00 a.m. CT), and worship with us in Daily Chapel at 10:00 a.m. CT. Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org or on the KFUE Radio App.

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**CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS:** Mike Ory, Frederick Martens, & Diane Cross

**CELEBRATING ANNIVERSARIES:** Lucas & Chelsea Hoffman, Darrell & Joyce Jamison, Eric & Lindsey Brown

**We don't really know what we're seeking,  
but God has sought and found us in Jesus  
so that we might seek and know him.**

## Divine Service

*(Setting One)*

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### Confession & Absolution

Confession.....p. 151

Absolution

### Service of the Word

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Collect.....Insert

OT Reading.....Insert

Gradual.....Insert

Epistle.....Insert

Alleluia.....p. 156

Holy Gospel.....Insert

Nicene Creed .....p. 158

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Offering

Prayer of the Church

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