

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod

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Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

July 20, 2025

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.

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

SERMON: *God's Word Gets the Last Laugh*

SERMON TEXT: Genesis 18:1-14

SERMON HYMN: 728 *How Firm a Foundation*

SERVING TODAY: Elder: Jeff Koch

Altar Guild: Robin Holcombe

Schedule: **Sunday, July 27**, Voters' Meeting, at 10:20 a.m.

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Altar Flowers: Are given by the Bill Martens family, to the glory of God and in
memory of Lorraine Martens 99th birthday.

Our Prayer Requests:

- † Lori Hill, cousin of Sharon Tyler receiving treatment for breast cancer.
- † Gary Smith, in hospice care.
- † Steve Rutz & Bruce Rutz, brothers of Sue Coon, undergoing cancer treatments.
- † Clark Brittain, has cancer and receiving treatment.
- † Marilyn Van Zee, sister of Dennis Smith & Gary Smith, for healing.
- † Mary Haglaud, cancer, friend of Dennis Smith.
- † Linda Marquardt for the trials and tribulations she faces with her MS.

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

Card shower -For Vera Fletcher whose birthday is Friday, July 18th.
She would love to hear from you!

Address: 550 NE 6th Street - Earlham, IA 50072-1085

Iowa Cubs Night August 1st, meet at 5:30 pm at our normal spot for tailgating.
Hot dogs, buns, water, and lemonade will be provided. Please bring a side dish
or dessert and lawn chairs. Sign up sheet on the table in the Narthex,

You are invited to donate spare change to support Mary and Martha/LWML's
MITE box collection for mission grants, with the deadline approaching on
August 3rd.

Note: Drop off spare change in the MITE box.

Building Healthy Families: It's been said that children may not always be
good at listening to adults, but they never fail to imitate them. Consider this: the
words you speak are less important than the everyday life you lead. Your
children (and grandchildren) are constantly learning about life by watching you.
What an immense responsibility. What an incredible privilege! Pray that God
will help you to be the kind of adult you want your child (or grandchild) to
become. Find inspiration from the One whose love, humility, obedience,
honesty, and faithfulness we're encouraged to imitate. (Ephesians 5:1-2;
Philippians 2:5-11; and 1 John 2:6) **Lutheran Family Service**

www.LutheranFamilyService.org

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WE ARE COLLECTING FOOD PANTRY ITEMS . . .

CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS: Andrew Tyler

CELEBRATING ANNIVERSARIES:

Giving Report 06/29/2025: General \$3365.00, Missions \$25.00, 5Th Sunday
Service Opportunity \$117.00

Giving Report 07/07/2025: General \$1755.00, Missions \$50.00, 5Th Sunday
Service Opportunity \$25.00

Giving Report 07/13/2025: General \$2366.00

Attendance 07/13/2025: 38

Divine Service

(Setting Four)

Hymn.....p. **933**

Confession & Absolution

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Absolution

Service of the Word

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Gradual.....Insert

Epistle.....Insert

Alleluia.....p. 205

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Children's Message

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Offering

Prayer of the Church

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The Words of Our Lord

Pax Domini.....p. 209

Agnus Dei

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Benediction

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