

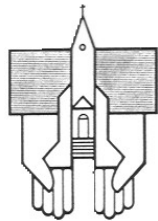
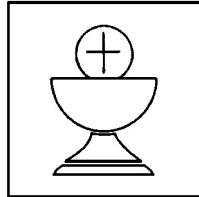
OUR REDEEMER
Lutheran Church Missouri Synod
Worship Bulletin



For 4 October 2020
TRINITY XVII

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Our practice of closed communion 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 are 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 is central to the common reception of this sacrament. **For this reason, guests who desire to commune are asked to speak with the pastor before the service.**



WELCOME! We invite all visitors to sign the guest register in the narthex and worship with us again. If you are not a first time visitor and are not communing, please complete the card located with communion cards in front of the pews. If you have questions about how to join our church or study the Scriptures with us, please speak with one of our Elders or the Pastor.

Each Saturday evening from 6-8PM Pastor Rappe avails himself for private confession and absolution, that which the historical Lutheran Church refers to as the third Sacrament. This is made available to those whose consciences are burdened and whose hearts are troubled. No one is forced to make private confession, as no one is forced to Baptism or the Holy Supper. Rather, this is the means of God's gospel to those who seek Him and the forgiveness of sins in Jesus.



OLD TESTAMENT

And Hannah prayed and said:

"My heart rejoices in the LORD;
My horn is exalted in the LORD.
I smile at my enemies,
Because I rejoice in Your salvation.

"No one is holy like the LORD,
For there is none besides You,
Nor is there any rock like our God.

"Talk no more so very proudly;
Let no arrogance come from your mouth,
For the LORD is the God of knowledge;
And by Him actions are weighed.

"The bows of the mighty men are broken,
And those who stumbled are girded with strength.
Those who were full have hired themselves out for bread,
And the hungry have ceased to hunger.
Even the barren has borne seven,
And she who has many children has become feeble.

"The LORD kills and makes alive;
He brings down to the grave and brings up.
The LORD makes poor and makes rich;
He brings low and lifts up.
He raises the poor from the dust
And lifts the beggar from the ash heap,
To set them among princes
And make them inherit the throne of glory.

"For the pillars of the earth are the LORD's,
And He has set the world upon them.
He will guard the feet of His saints,
But the wicked shall be silent in darkness.
"For by strength no man shall prevail.
The adversaries of the LORD shall be broken in pieces;
From heaven He will thunder against them.

The LORD will judge the ends of the earth.
"He will give strength to His king,
And exalt the horn of His anointed."

1 SAMUEL 2:1-10

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EPISTLE

I, therefore, the prisoner of the Lord, beseech you to walk worthy of the calling with which you were called, with all lowliness and gentleness, with longsuffering, bearing with one another in love, endeavoring to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called in one hope of your calling; one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in you all.

EPHESIANS 4:1-6

HOLY GOSPEL

Now it happened, as He went into the house of one of the rulers of the Pharisees to eat bread on the Sabbath, that they watched Him closely. And behold, there was a certain man before Him who had dropsy. And Jesus, answering, spoke to the lawyers and Pharisees, saying, "Is it lawful to heal on the Sabbath?"

But they kept silent. And He took him and healed him, and let him go. Then He answered them, saying, "Which of you, having a donkey or an ox that has fallen into a pit, will not immediately pull him out on the Sabbath day?" And they could not answer Him regarding these things.

So He told a parable to those who were invited, when He noted how they chose the best places, saying to them: "When you are invited by anyone to a wedding feast, do not sit down in the best place, lest one more honorable than you be invited by him; and he who invited you and him come and say to you, 'Give place to this man,' and then you begin with shame to take the lowest place. But when you are invited, go and sit down in the lowest place, so that when he who invited you comes he may say to you, 'Friend, go up higher.' Then you will have glory in the presence of those who sit at the table with you. For whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted."

LUKE 14: 1-11



Worship Bulletin
For
October 4, 2020
Trinity XVII



To: All the ladies
Please join us for a
Bridal Shower Brunch honoring
Alexandria Rappe

Saturday November 21st
Following Bible Study
Noon – 2:00

Hosted by: LWML
RSVP to Darline @ darsrappe@gmail.com

Alexandria and Ronnie are registered at
Target and Bed Bath & Beyond

Baby Shower for Megan Schmidt will be Saturday, October 17th right after women's bible breakfast, starting at 11:30AM. We will just be serving cake since we will have our breakfast dishes at our bible study at 10:00AM. Megan says instead of bringing a gift for her new bundle of joy, (since she has everything she needs) she would like you to bring diapers and baby wipes to be given to the Agape Pregnancy Support Center. This is a Christian organization that helps mothers who decide to keep their babies instead of choosing abortion. They help pregnant women choose life for their unborn children, and to provide a stable support system where needed. Love is the first thing they hand out. From there they meet the needs of the mother's as they are presented. They are strictly non profit and depend on donations and volunteers.

A MealTrain is set up for our member Lorri Rettig who is recovering from a stroke. This will help her and her husband Dave with meals. If you can help please go to www.MealTrain.com. There you will find a sign up sheet on the website calendar. Thank you for helping.

The Altar Guild is looking for volunteers to serve. Teams will be scheduled every 2 to 3 months to prepare for communion. You may do your duties early Sunday morning if you prefer. Everyone is invited to join — Men Too! Please see Kelly Tucker or Cheryl Snook if you would like to serve..

WEEKLY EVENTS

Today	(4 October)
10:30AM	Divine Service
11:45AM	Youth Confirmation
11:45AM	Coffee Hour
Tues.	(6 October)
10:00AM	Matins & Bible Study
Sat.	(10 October)
9:00AM	Men's Bible Breakfast
6-8PM	Office OF The Keys/Confession
Sun.	(11 October)
9:00AM	Sunday School & Adult Bible Study
10:30AM	Divine Service
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11:45AM	Church Council Meeting
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<u>Serving Today</u>	
Altar Guild:	Karen & Randy Notestine
Acolyte:	Alex Hitt
<u>Serving Next Sunday</u>	
Altar Guild:	Christa & Jim Boileau
Acolyte:	Xavier Hitt

While the psalmist urges us to "make a joyful noise to the Lord", he did NOT mean cell phone ringtones, children's noisy toys or other modern electronic marvels. Rather, these should be SILENT while we lift our voices and hearts in worship through song and prayer to our Lord. Please see that all cell phones, toys and anything else that might disrupt our worship are turned off.

PLEASE COMPLETE A COMMUNION CARD.

Fill in the names of only those who are communing and hand it to the usher as you proceed to the altar.

NURSERY ROOM is available for children under 5 years of age who are having difficulty the service. There is also a rocking chair in the room. The room also has speakers in it to hear the service.

STEWARDSHIP

Attendance September 27.....82
General Fund Income.....\$4544.38
Altar Guild.....\$50.00
Narthex Furnishing Fund.....\$100.00
Pastor Benevolence Fund.....\$35.00
Lutheran Witness.....\$12.94
General Fund weekly difference from Budget\$486.53

The annual budget adopted by the Voters' assembly requires weekly giving of \$4057.85 to sustain it.
Thank you for your Contributions

DAILY LECTIONARY

04 Oct. - Psalm 116 & Jeremiah 41-43
05 Oct. - Psalm 117 & Jeremiah 44-47
06 Oct. - Psalm 118 & Jeremiah 48-50
07 Oct. - Psalm 119:1-8 & Jeremiah 51-52
08 Oct. - Psalm 119:9-16 & Lamentations 1-2
09 Oct. - Psalm 119:17-24 & Lamentations 3-5
10 Oct. - Psalm 119:25-32 & Ezekiel 1-3

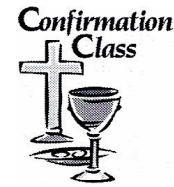
ALTAR FLOWERS today are given to the glory of God by Ray & Gretchen Klingensmith in loving memory of both their mothers, Dorothy and Irene's birthdays.



Altar Flowers

Church Council Meeting next Sunday, October 11th right after worship service. Open to the congregation.

Men's Bible Breakfast next Saturday, October 10th at 9:00am. All men are invited. Please bring a breakfast dish to share.



Confirmation Class **Youth Confirmation Classes** have begun. It's never too late to join. The students will be meeting each Sunday immediately following worship service. If you have a young person in grades 6-8 and would like them to be included, please see Pastor Rappe.



Sunday School Has Started. Parents please fill out enclosed registration form and either give it to Darline Rappe or the church secretary, Cheryl Snook. Thank you.

Narthex Design Plans are posted in the Parish hall. We would like the congregation's input on these designs and also welcome suggestions and ideas. Please see Darline Rappe. Thank you.

2021 Lutheran Witness Subscriptions: If you would like to have home delivery of the Lutheran Witness or if you wish to renew your subscription, please sign up on the sheet in the church hallway next to the church office. The cost is \$12.95. Please write a check to ORLC and note that it is for the Lutheran Witness. **Deadline to sign up is Sunday, October 18th.**



Reformation Day

REFORMATION Potluck Sunday, October 25th right after worship service. Come join us for lots of good food and bring your favorite German dish to share or any dish.

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