

Trinity Lutheran Church

Third Sunday after Pentecost June 26, 2022

### TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

304 E. FERRIS St. GALESBURG, IL 61401

"the welcome place"

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#### **Welcome & Announcements**

#### +++GATHERING+++



## Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

# **Opening Responses**

The word belongs to God,

The earth and all its people.

Throw good is it, how wonderful **To live together in unity.** 

Love and faith come together; Justice and peace join hands.

If Christ's disciples keep silent,
These stones would shout aloud.

Open our lips, O God, And our mouths shall proclaim our peace.

Iona Abby Worship Book (2017)

### **Silence**

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# First Reading: 1 Kings 19:15-16, 19-21

Then the LORD said to [Elijah,] "Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus; when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael as king over Aram. Also you shall anoint Jehu son of Nimshi as king over Israel; and you shall anoint Elisha son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah as prophet in your place.

So he set out from there, and found Elisha son of Shaphat, who was plowing. There were twelve yoke of oxen ahead of him, and he was with the twelfth. Elijah passed by him and threw his mantle over him. He left the oxen, ran after Elijah, and said, "Let me kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow you." Then Elijah said to him, "Go back again; for what have I done to you?" He returned from following him, took the yoke of oxen, and slaughtered them; using the equipment from the oxen, he boiled their flesh, and gave it to the people, and they ate. Then he set out and followed Elijah, and became his servant.

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

### Psalm: Psalm 16

Read responsively by whole verse.

<sup>1</sup>Protect me, O God, for I take refuge in you; I have said to the LORD, "You are my Lord, my good above all other."

<sup>2</sup>All my delight is in the godly that are in the land, upon those who are noble among the people.

<sup>3</sup>But those who run after other gods shall have their troubles multiplied.

<sup>4</sup>I will not pour out drink offerings to such gods, never take their names upon my lips.

<sup>5</sup>O LORD, you are my portion and my cup; it is you who uphold my lot.

<sup>6</sup>My boundaries enclose a pleasant land; indeed, I have a rich inheritance.

<sup>7</sup>I will bless the LORD who gives me counsel; my heart teaches me night after night.

<sup>8</sup>I have set the LORD always before me; because God is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.

<sup>9</sup>My heart, therefore, is glad, and my spirit rejoices; my body also shall rest in hope.

<sup>10</sup>For you will not abandon me to the grave, nor let your holy one see the pit.

<sup>11</sup>You will show me the path of life; in your presence there is fullness of joy, and in your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

# Second Reading: Galatians 5:1, 13-25

For freedom Christ has set us free. Stand firm, therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery.

For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters, only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for self-indulgence, but through love become enslaved to one another. For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." If, however, you bite and devour one another, take care that you are not consumed by one another.

Live by the Spirit, I say, and do not gratify the desires of the flesh. For what the flesh desires is opposed to the Spirit, and what the Spirit desires is opposed to the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to prevent you from doing what you want. But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not subject to the law. Now the works of the flesh are obvious: sexual immorality, impurity, debauchery, idolatry, sorcery, enmities, strife, jealousy, anger, quarrels, dissensions, factions, envy, drunkenness, carousing, and

things like these. I am warning you, as I warned you before: those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God.

By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things. And those who belong to Christ have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. If we live by the Spirit, let us also be guided by the Spirit.

Word of God, word of life. Thanks be to God.

**Gospel: Luke 9:51-62** 

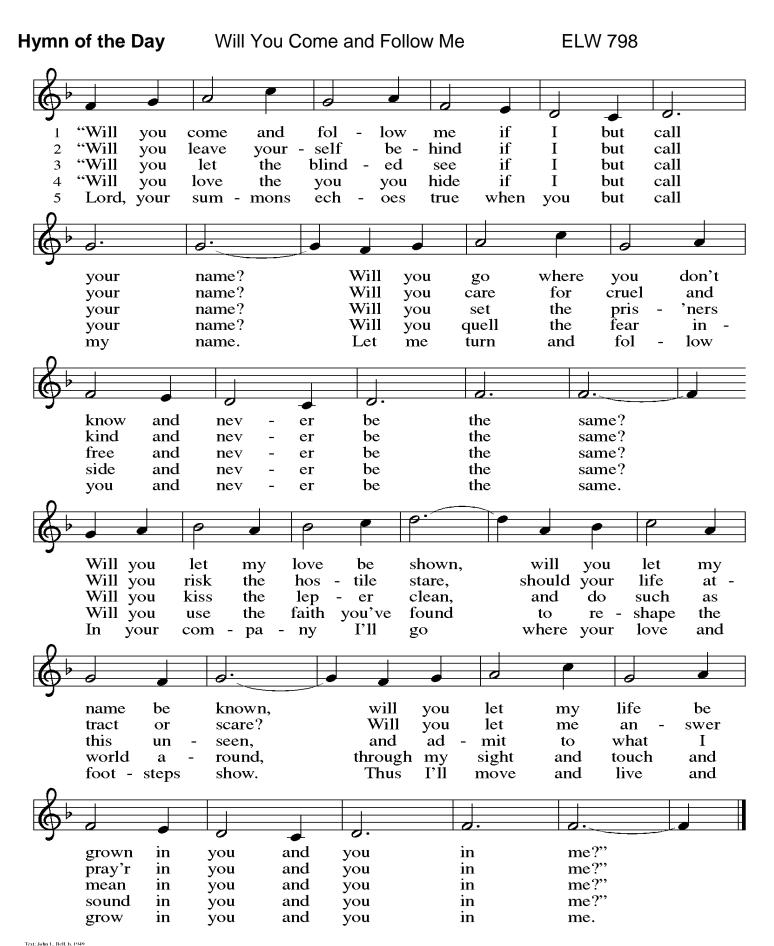
The holy gospel according to Luke Glory to you, O Lord.

When the days drew near for [Jesus] to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem. And he sent messengers ahead of him. On their way they entered a village of the Samaritans to make ready for him; but they did not receive him, because his face was set toward Jerusalem. When his disciples James and John saw it, they said, "Lord, do you want us to command fire to come down from heaven and consume them?" But he turned and rebuked them. Then they went on to another village.

As they were going along the road, someone said to him, "I will follow you wherever you go." And Jesus said to him, "Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests; but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head." To another he said, "Follow me." But he said, "Lord, first let me go and bury my father." But Jesus said to him, "Let the dead bury their own dead; but as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God." Another said, "I will follow you, Lord; but let me first say farewell to those at my home." Jesus said to him, "No one who puts a hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God."

The gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.** 

Sermon Rev. Dr. Carrie Carnes



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## **Apostles' Creed**

Let us confess our faith in the words of the Apostles' Creed.

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead.\* On the third day he rose again: he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church. the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

# **Invitation to Prayer**

Move among us, God; give us life; let your people rejoice in you.

Give us again the joy of your help; with your spirit of freedom sustain us.

God, make our hearts clean, restore us in body, mind, and spirit.

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# **Confession and Forgiveness**

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, whose steadfast love endures forever. Amen.

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another. Silence is kept for reflection.

Merciful God, we confess that we have not followed your path but have chosen our own way.

Instead of putting others before ourselves, we long to take the best seats at the table. When met by those in need, we have too often passed by on the other side. Set us again on the path of life. Save us from ourselves and free us to love our neighbors. Amen.

Hear the good news!
God does not deal with us according to our sins but delights in granting pardon and mercy.
In the name of 

→ Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. You are free to love as God loves.
Amen.

#### **Peace**

The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.** 

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## Offering

Creator of abundance,
With these gifts, O God,
We remember with thanksgiving
The life that we have because of you.
Make us grateful everyday
For the privilege of offering ourselves
For the well-being of all your world. **Amen.** 

Feasting on the Word

# **Prayers of Intercession**

United in Christ and guided by the Spirit, we pray for the church, the creation, and all in need.

A brief silence.

God of faithfulness, set the face of your church firmly on you. Rooted in your selfgiving love, may the church find freedom in loving our neighbors. God of grace, **hear our prayer.** 

Spirit you have filled and re-filled us this month in our hearts, minds, and bodies. The work of justice is endless. As PRIDE month comes to a close, may we find the support and courage needed to continue the celebration of your people and the work

of the LGBTQIA+ justice. Through your grace help us commit to co-creating safe and affirming spaces to live, worship, and thrive. Thank you for showing us how to love YOU and our neighbors this PRIDE month! God of grace, hear our prayer.

God of gentleness, strengthen the earth's ability to heal. Where there are dangerous storms, bring calm. Where there are destructive fires, bring rain. Protect homes, habitats, and livelihoods threatened by climate disasters. God of grace, hear our prayer.

God of peace, guide all who govern, that they place the good of their citizens above self-promotion. Anoint leaders of nations with your Spirit of neighborly love. Protect refugees and all who live under tyranny or conflict Ukraine. God of grace, hear our prayer.

God of kindness, reveal your healing presence to all who are sick or dying. Uphold those who grieve. Support the needs of any who are unemployed, hungry, or have nowhere to lay their heads. God of grace, hear our prayer.

God of love, attend to those struggling with addiction, depression, or uncontrolled anger. Provide support systems and loving companions as they work toward health, that they may rest in hope and know the fullness of joy in your presence. God of grace,

hear our prayer.

By your power, great God, our Lord Jesus healed the sick and gave new hope to the hopeless. Though we cannot command or possess your power, we pray for those who want to be healed including Donald Earnst. Mend their wounds, soothe fevered brows, and make broken people whole again. Help us welcome every healing as a sign that, though death is against us, you are for us, and have promised renewed and risen life in Jesus Christ our Lord. God of grace,

hear our prayer.

God of joy, we give thanks for all who have died and now celebrate the inheritance of life in you. Keep their examples of faithfulness always before us, that we trust your promises in life and in death. God of grace,

hear our prayer.

God of every time and place, in Jesus 'name and filled with your Holy Spirit, we entrust these spoken prayers and those in our hearts into your holy keeping. **Amen**.

## The Lord's Prayer

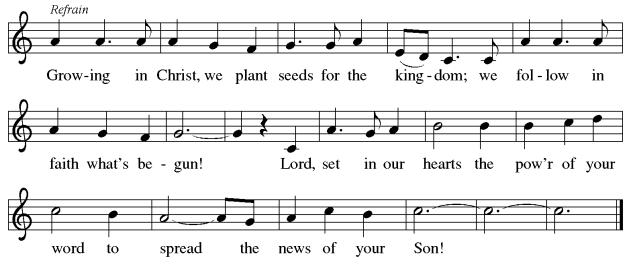
Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

#### + + + SENDING + + +

## **Blessing**

Almighty God, Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit, Bless you now and forever. **Amen**.





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#### **Dismissal**

Go in peace. Serve the Lord

Thanks be to God.

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# **Worship Participants**

Video: Brady Warner Reader: Jen Robinson Organist: Bette Mohr

Pastor: Rev. Dr. Carrie Carnes

# \*\*\*This Week at Trinity\*\*\*

Monday June 27<sup>th</sup> 9:30am-3:30pm

Pastor In Office Hours

Tuesday June 28<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am

The Tie That Binds

Wednesday June 29<sup>th</sup> 1:00 pm- 3:30 pm

Pastor Community Office Hours

Thursday June 30<sup>th</sup> 11:00 am

Funeral for Doris Hanson luncheon to follow

Saturday July 2<sup>nd</sup> 5:00 pm

Worship Service

## Readings for Sunday July 3rd

First Reading: Isaiah 66:10-14 Psalm: Psalm 66:1-9

Second Reading: Galatians 6:[1-6] 7-16 Gospel: Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

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# Vision Statement Developing Disciples – Connecting to Christ

Mission Statement
Led by the Spirit, we receive Christ's love, share God's forgiving grace, and reach
out to welcome, encourage and serve all.

#### **Welcome Statement**

Members of Trinity Lutheran Church are freed by the Gospel to seek reconciliation and wholeness in a world that is frequently an unloving place. We extend welcome to all sexual orientations, gender identities, and gender expressions, whether believer, doubter, or seeker. In Christ's love we invite you, so that led by the power of the Holy Spirit we will join together to strive for racial equity, justice, peace and love in all the earth.

# **Our Guiding Principles**

- 1. Jesus Christ is Lord and Savior.
- 2. We faithfully worship through Word and Sacrament.
  - 3. We invite and welcome everyone.
- 4. We engage all generations in education and ministry.
  - 5. We serve local and global communities.