

Trinity Lutheran Church

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304 E. Ferris Street Galesburg, IL 61401

"the welcome place"

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Of all three years of the lectionary cycle, this year's All Saints readings have the most tears. Isaiah and Revelation look forward to the day when God will wipe away all tears; in John's gospel, Jesus weeps along with Mary and all the gathered mourners before he demonstrates his power over death. On All Saints Day we celebrate the victory won for all the faithful dead, but we grieve for our beloved dead as well, knowing that God honors our tears. We bring our grief to the table and find there a foretaste of Isaiah's feast to come.

+++GATHERING+++

Prelude Shall We Gather at the River John Ferguson

Please Sign Friendship Registry

The red ELW hymnal and the purple ACS hymnal are in the pew racks (Stand)

Remembering Those Who Have Died

When we are baptized in Christ Jesus, we were baptized into his death. We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might live a new life. For if we have been united with him in death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his.

A reading from Hebrews: Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, who for the sake of the joy that was set before him endured the cross, disregarding its shame, and has taken his seat at the right hand of the throne of God.

Let us pray. O God, our help in ages past and our hope for years to come: We give you thanks for all your faithful people who have followed the light of your word throughout the centuries into our time and place.

We especially remember today our beloved congregation members and our family in faith that have died in the past year:

Shirley Adams
Shirley Brouliette
Shirley Brouliette
Diane Carlson
Harry Engholm
Vera Fornander
Dena Garrison
Jean Musolf
Bette Nelson
Beverly Nugent
Kenneth Nyman
Marcia Olsen
Bonnie Winship

So many people have lost their lives to war, violence, and illness this year. While we do not know them all, each had a name, a story, and was beloved by God as well as others. We remember them.

We will also remember those whose names we lift up to you now whether in silence or aloud.

As we remember these people, strengthen us to follow Christ throughout this world until we are carried into the harvest of eternal life, where suffering and death will be no more. Hear our prayer in the name of the good and gracious shepherd, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

Confession and Forgiveness

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, our refuge, our delight, our beginning and our end.

Amen.

Let us come in truth before the one who loves us and has freed us from our sin.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Eternal One, robed in majesty and mercy, we confess that sin has taken hold of us and we are complicit in its power.

We are disturbed in spirit and our hearts cannot rest. Unbind us and set us free.

Lead us again to the waters of rebirth, that we may live just and generous lives for the good of your world and the care of our neighbors, following in the servant way of Jesus.

Amen.

These words are trustworthy and true:
Christ bore our sins once, for all, on the cross, swallowing up death forever.
For his sake, you are

forgiven and God remembers your sin no more.
Let your heart be glad again, and rejoice in your salvation.

Amen.

Processional Hymn ELW (red) # 422

For All the Saints

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.

Kyrie

ELW(red), Setting 8, pg. 184-185 (All sing refrain, cantor will sing verses)





- 1. For peace in the world, for the health of the church, for the unity of all; for this holy house, for all who worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord
- 2. That we may live out your impassioned response to the hungry and the poor; that we may live out truth and justice and grace, let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord
- 3. For peace in our hearts, for peace in our homes, for friends and family; for life and for love, for our work and our play, let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord
- 4. For your Spirit to guide; that you center our lives in the water and the Word; that you nourish our souls with your body and blood, let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord

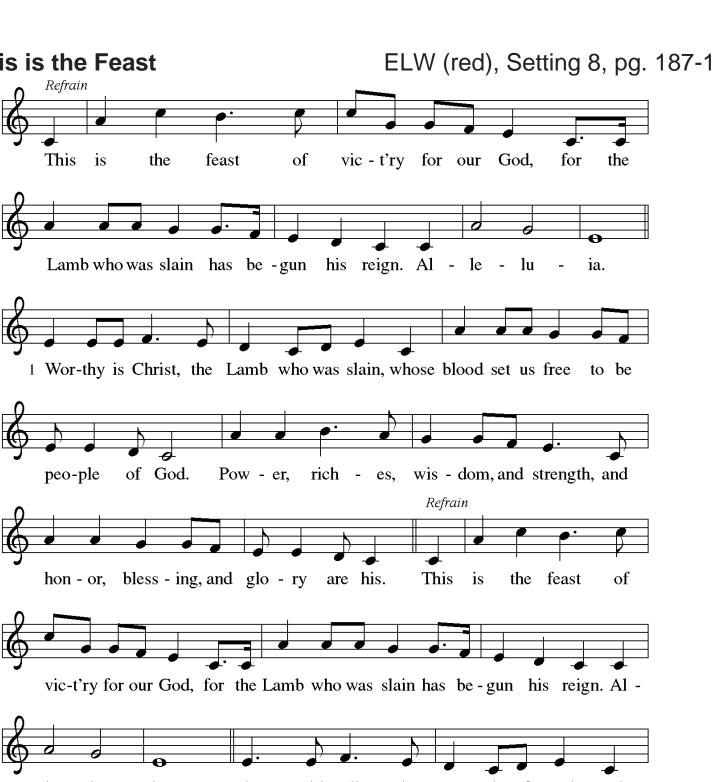
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Final refrain

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Prayer of the Day

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Almighty God, you have knit your people together in one communion in the mystical body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

(Sit)

+++WORD+++

First Reading: Isaiah 25:6-9

⁶On this mountain the Lord of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wines, of rich food filled with marrow, of well-aged wines strained clear.

⁷And he will destroy on this mountain

the shroud that is cast over all peoples,

the sheet that is spread over all nations;

⁸he will swallow up death forever.

Then the Lord God will wipe away the tears from all faces, and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth,

for the Lord has spoken.

⁹It will be said on that day,

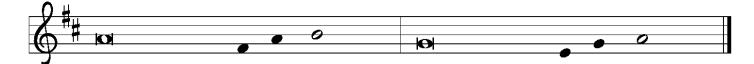
Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us.

This is the Lord for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 91:9 - 16



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¹The earth is the Lord's and all [|] that is in it, the world and those who [|] dwell therein.

²For the Lord has founded it up- | on the seas and established it up- | on the rivers.

³Who may ascend the mountain ¹ of the Lord, and who may stand in God's ¹ holy place?

⁴Those of innocent hands and puri- ¹ ty of heart, who do not swear on God's being, nor do they pledge by ¹ what is false.

⁵They shall receive blessing [|] from the Lord and righteousness from the God of [|] their salvation.

⁶Such is the generation of those who seek | you, O Lord, of those who seek your face, O | God of Jacob.

⁷Lift up your heads, O gates; and be lifted up, O ever- lasting doors,

that the King of glory I may come in.

8Who is this | King of glory?

The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord, might- | y in battle!

⁹Lift up your heads, O gates; and be lifted up, O ever- ¹ lasting doors,

that the King of glory I may come in.

¹⁰Who is this | King of glory?

Truly, the Lord of hosts is the | King of glory.

Second Reading: Revelation 21: 1-6a

¹I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. ²And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. ³And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

"See, the home of God is among mortals.

He will dwell with them;

they will be his peoples,

and God himself will be with them;

⁴he will wipe every tear from their eyes.

Death will be no more;

mourning and crying and pain will be no more,

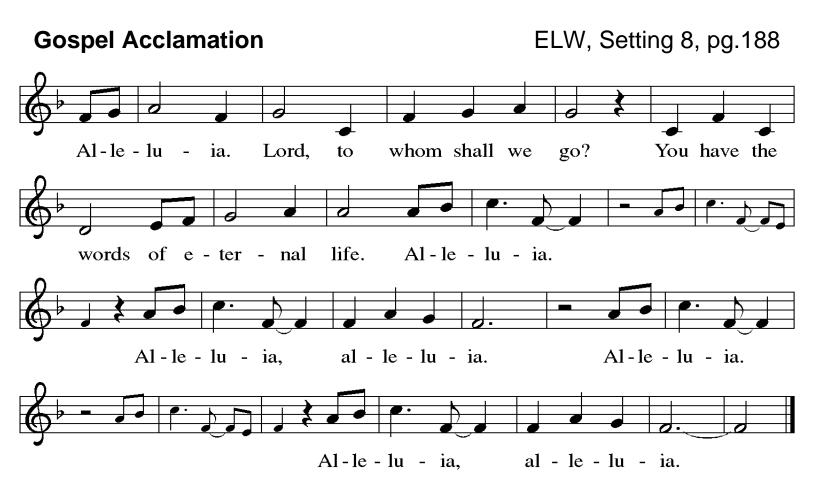
for the first things have passed away."

⁵And the one who was seated on the throne said, "See, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true." ^{6a}Then he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end."

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

(Stand)



Gospel: John 11:32-44

The holy gospel according to John.

Glory to you, O Lord.

³²When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." ³³When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. ³⁴He said, "Where have you laid him?" They said to him, "Lord, come and see." ³⁵Jesus began to weep. ³⁶So the Jews said, "See how he loved him!" ³⁷But some of them said, "Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?"

³⁸Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. ³⁹Jesus said, "Take away the stone." Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, "Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days." ⁴⁰Jesus said to her, "Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?" ⁴¹So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, "Father, I thank you for having heard me. ⁴²I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me." ⁴³When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" ⁴⁴The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, "Unbind him, and let him go." The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

(Sit)

Children's Message

Sermon

Rev. Dr. Carrie Carnes

(Stand)

Hymn of the Day ACS (purple) #977

Look Who Gathers at Christ's Table

Nicene Creed

Let us join together in the confession of our faith.

We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,

of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation

he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary and became truly human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures;

he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,

and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

(Sit)

Prayers of Intercession

Rooted in God's abundant love for the world, let us pray for our neighbors, the church, and all of creation.

A brief silence.

O God of resurrection, you call us by name and raise us to life. Rouse your church from slumber. Where we have held back in fear or shame, unbind us. Embolden us in our proclamation of your good news, that all may know abundant life. Merciful God, receive our prayer.

O God of creation, you have founded your world on rivers and seas. Preserve fresh water sources, especially Henderson Creek and Lake Storey, and the creatures who call them home. Heal places of pollution and nourish places of drought. Merciful God, receive our prayer.

O God of the earth, you reign over all nations and peoples. Inspire us with wisdom and discernment as we elect legislators and leaders. May they govern with justice and uphold the dignity of all people. Merciful God,

receive our prayer.

O God of heaven, you make your home among mortals. Come alongside those who weep this day. Befriend all who are lonely, encourage those in despair, and heal any who are suffering, especially Bruce, Lester, Sally and Kate. Abide with your faithful ones in love. Merciful God,

receive our prayer.

O God who serves, you set before us a feast of rich food. Sustain our ministries of fellowship and hospitality, such as our coffee fellowship, potlucks, and funeral dinners. Strengthen the hands and hearts of all who prepare and serve food for our nourishment. Merciful God,

receive our prayer.

O God, Alpha and Omega, we give thanks for your faithful ones who are now at peace with you, especially:

Shirley Adams
Shirley Brouliette
Shirley Brouliette
Diane Carlson
Harry Engholm
Vera Fornander
Dena Garrison
Jean Musolf
Bette Nelson
Beverly Nugent
Kenneth Nyman
Marcia Olsen
Bonnie Winship

With *Martín de Porres and* all your saints, we praise you, for you have swallowed up death forever. Merciful God, **receive our prayer.**

We offer to you these prayers as well as those we now name to you either aloud or in our hearts

We offer our prayers to you, gracious God, trusting in your boundless love for all that you have made, through Jesus Christ our Savior.

Amen.

Peace

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

+++MEAL+++

Offering Music

Aria on For All the Saints

David Cherwien

(Stand)

Offering Prayer

Lord Jesus, our portion and our cup, you offered yourself in love for the world, and in this meal you nourish us with your life. Fill us with your abundance, that we may feed the hungry and welcome the stranger, trusting in your name.

Amen.

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ.

By the witness of your saints you show us the hope of our calling and strengthen us to run the race set before us, that we may delight in your mercy and rejoice with them in glory. And so, with Shirley A., Shirley B., Diane, Harry, Vera, Dena, Jean, Bette, Beverly, Kenneth, Marcia, Bonnie, and all the saints, with the choirs of angels and all the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Sanctus, ELW (red) #525

You are Holy



Blessed are you, O God of the universe.

Your mercy is everlasting

and your faithfulness endures from age to age.

All creation sings your praise.

Sun, moon, and stars reflect your glory.

Mountains, lakes, and forests declare your wonders.

With Sarah and Abraham we go out in faith, trusting your promise.

With Miriam and Moses we celebrate our deliverance from bondage.

With Naomi and Ruth we bind ourselves together in covenant love.

With Jonathan and David we delight in the gift of deep and abiding friendship.

With Mary and Elizabeth we welcome your presence in the birth of Jesus,

the Holy One.

With Lazarus, Martha, and Mary we give thanks for the blessings of family.

With disciples and followers we marvel at the reign of God come near.

With saints through the ages we ponder the mystery of Christ's dying and rising.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

With hearts full of memories and hopes, we break this bread and share this cup, remembering the death and resurrection of Christ, and his promise to be with us always as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

O Divine Lover, you are the breath within us.

You are our heart's desire.

You are our priceless treasure.

You are the garden of paradise.

Come down, O Love divine.
Come among us, O passionate Fire.
Come within us, O Spirit of unity.

Come, Holy Spirit.

Come, Holy Spirit.

Bless us, O Lord, and these your gifts, which we are about to receive from your bounty. Bless our table and the feast we share. Bless us with gladness of heart. Come, Holy Spirit.

Come, Holy Spirit.

At this table make us your body.
Form us to be people of justice and peace.
Fill us with gratitude and generosity
that we may bear the fruit of love in word and deed.
Come, Holy Spirit.
Come, Holy Spirit.

Praise to you, Author of creation.
Praise to you, O Beloved One.
Praise to you, O Giver of all good things.
Praise to you, blessed and holy Trinity,
one God, now and forever.

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.

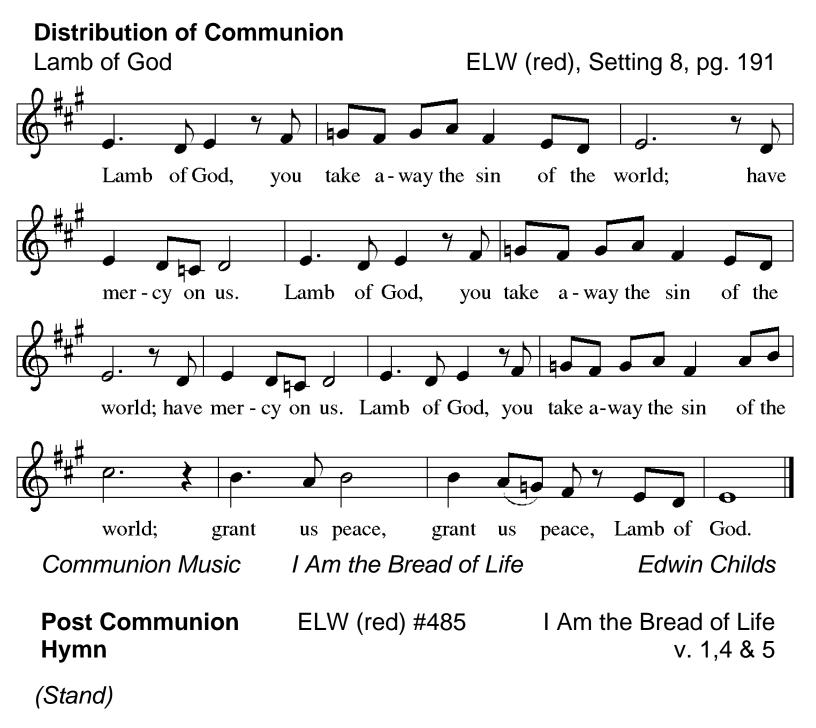
Invitation to Communion

Behold, God is making all things new.

Take your place in the new creation.

All are welcome to receive communion at Trinity Lutheran Church. If you wish to receive you may come forward as dismissed by the usher and come to the altar rail and kneel or stand. Receive the bread. Then you may take a small cup from the tray. Red wine is along the outside and white grape juice is located in the center of the tray. Gluten-free wafers are also available. Place empty cups in the bowls carried by the acolyte. If you prefer to receive a blessing rather than communion, you may indicate that by crossing your arms over your chest at the altar rail. Return to your pew by the side aisles.

(Sit)



Prayer After Communion

Faithful God,

you have spread before us a feast of rich food and drink in the body and blood of your Son.

Now send us out to labor with you,

in service to the world you have made, and among the people you have made your home, in lesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

Announcements & Greeting from Rev. Julie Monnrad, assistant to the Bishop

+++SENDING+++

Blessing

Sending Hymn ELW (red) #423

Shall We Gather at the River

Dismissal

Go in peace. Follow Jesus. Thanks be to God.

Postlude For All the Saints Michael Burkhardt

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As you leave, please take a moment to greet one another.

Today's Altar Flowers were provided by JoAnn Lakis

In honor of the birthday of Louis Lakis

Today's Radio Broadcast was provided by Brenda Patterson

Worship Participants

Audio: Sarah Brakenbury Video: Sarah Brakenbury

Ushers: Cecilia Crawford, Erin Crawford, Kieth Majors

Communion Setup: Jennifer Robinson Assisting Minister: Jennifer Robinson

Reader: Pam Killinger

Wine Servers: Nick Elders, Hillary Hoffman, Marilyn Gehring (tower)

Coffee Fellowship: Marilyn Gehring & Erin Crawford

Acolyte: Lucia Crawford, Emma Helvey

Closing Duties: Nick Elders

Announcements

Wilbur is back in the Narthex this week and he's hungry for donations.

Coffee Fellowship will be after the Congregational Meeting

A Draft of the New Constitution is available in the Narthex. There are a limited number of physical copies. There is a digital version available for download on the Trinity Facebook page. There will be a congregational vote on the constitution on today immediately after service.

There is no Sunday School today.

Guest Pastor on Nov. 10th

Trinity would like to thank Pastor Keith Killinger for serving this coming Sunday.

Martín de Porres, renewer of society, died 1639

Martín was the son of a Spanish knight and Ana Velázquez, a freed Black woman from Panama. Martin apprenticed himself to a barber-surgeon in Lima, Peru, and was known for his work as a healer. Martín was a lay brother of the Order of Preachers (Dominicans) and engaged in many charitable works. He was a gardener as well as a counselor to those who sought him out. He was noted for his care of all the poor, regardless of race. His own religious community described him as the "father of charity." His work included the founding of an orphanage, a hospital, and a clinic for dogs and cats. He is recognized as an advocate for Christian charity and interracial justice.

Make Your Own Nativity with Art Defined: Join us at 6pm on Wednesday, December 4th, for a special "Make Your Own Nativity" event with Art Defined! You can create a starter set (Mary, Joseph,

and baby Jesus) or, if you participated last year, add the 3 Wise Men to your collection. We'll glaze the figurines together, and Art Defined will fire them for you. Each set is \$45, and it's the perfect opportunity to invite a friend! Sign up by Sunday, November 10th.

Use the QR code in this bulletin to sign

up!



<u>Prayer List:</u> If you or loved ones need prayers, please fill out the salmon-colored form located on the bulletin table in the Narthex, and return it to the Office mailbox or drop it in the offering plate.

<u>Name</u> <u>Prayer</u>

Lester C. Johnson Sr.

Bruce Hebb

Kate

Sally

Prayers for Health

Prayers for Healing

Prayers for Recovery

Prayers for Health

This Week at Trinity

Sunday, Nov. 3 rd	10:30 am	Congregational Meeting
	Following	Coffee Fellowship
	meeting	
	5:30 pm	PRISMS
Monday, Nov. 4 th	10:00 am	Brews & Views
Tuesday, Nov. 5 th	6:00 pm	Executive Meeting
Saturday, Nov. 9th	5:00 pm	Saturday Worship w Grace

Rev. Dr. Carrie Carnes, Pastor, Out-of-office: Friday
Cell phone: 618-803-8778
Church Office: Phone 309-343-4191
Hours 8:30 am – 12:30 pm, Monday-Friday
1st & 3rd Saturdays; Worship 5:00 pm; Holy Communion
Sunday Worship at 9:30 am; Holy Communion
Sunday Radio Ministry at 9:30 am on WRAM – 1330 AM, Facebook

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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

At Trinity Lutheran Church, we believe God's grace is extended to everyone. Members of Trinity Lutheran Church are freed by the Gospel to seek reconciliation and wholeness. We welcome people of 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.