<u>Communion Practice</u>: We believe that Christ is truly present in Holy Communion and, as we try to be faithful to Christ in the serving of this Sacrament, we ask that everyone be examined and instructed by the Pastor before receiving Holy Communion. All confirmed members of this parish, who have been regularly examined by the Pastor, are welcome to partake of the Holy Eucharist today. We also welcome the members who are in good standing of any of the parishes served by the Bishop, Pastors, and Deacons of The Evangelical Lutheran Diocese of North America (ELDoNA), and who have spoken to the Pastor prior to the service. Members of other Lutheran parishes or other denominations are kindly asked to refrain from communing today. The Pastor would be glad to make an appointment with anyone to discuss our teachings and/or our parish.

A Prayer upon Entering Church

Almighty, Ever-Living God, grant that I may gladly hear Thy Word and that all my worship may be acceptable unto Thee; through Jesus Christ, my Lord. Amen.

A Prayer before Communion

Dear Savior, upon Thy gracious invitation I come to Thine Altar. Let me find favor in Thine eyes that I may approach Thy Table in true faith and receive the Sacrament to the salvation of my soul. Amen.

A Prayer after Communion

O Thou blessed Savior Jesus Christ, Who hast given Thyself to me in this holy Sacrament, keep me in Thy faith and favor; as Thou livest in me, let me also live in Thee. May Thy holy Body and Blood preserve me in the true faith unto everlasting life. Amen.

A Prayer at the Close of the Service

Grant, I beseech Thee, Almighty God, that the Word which I have heard this day may through Thy grace be so engrafted in my heart that I may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit; through Jesus Christ, my Lord. Amen.



The Tenth Sunday after Trinity Sunday August 16th, 2020

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"It is written, 'My house is a house of prayer,' but you have made it a 'den of thieves.'" St. Luke 19:4

The Order of Divine Service

The Prelude	"Freu dich sehr"	Ralph C. Schultz		
The Ringing of t	he Bell			
Silent Prayer				
The Hymn	"Lord, to Thee I Make Confession"	TLH 326		
Stand				
The Confiteor				
The Invo	ocation and Address	TLH p. 15		
Versicles		TLH p. 15		
Confessi	on and Absolution	TLH p. 16		
The Introit	<i>(Tone 2)</i>	INSERT		
The Kyrie		TLH p. 17		
The Gloria in Ex	ccelsis	TLH p. 17-19		
The Salutation		TLH p. 19		
The Collect for t	he Day	INSERT		
Sit				
The Lesson		Jeremiah 7:1-7		
After each Lesson: V: This is the Word of the Lord.				
	R: Thanks be to God.			
The Epistle	1 Co	printhians 12:1-11		
The Gradual		INSERT		
The Verse		INSERT		
Stand				
The Triple Halle	elujah (First Setting)	TLH p. 20		
The Holy Gospe	1	St. Luke 19:41-48		
The Nicene Cree	ed	TLH p. 22		
Sit				
The Hymn	"My Jesus, as Thou Wilt"	TLH 420		
The Sermon	You Did Not Know the Time of Your Vis	itation		
Stand				
The Offertory	"Create in Me A Clean Heart, O God"	TLH p. 22-23		
Sit				
The Recitation o	f the Catechism The Office of the Ke	ys and Confession		
Stand				
The General Pra	nyer	TLH p. 23		
Sit *				
Hymn	"O'er Jerusalem Thou Weepest"	TLH 419		
Stand				
The Preface		TLH p. 24		
The Proper Preface		TLH p. 25		
The Sanctus and Benedictus		TLH p. 26		
The Lord's Prayer		TLH p. 27		
The Verba Domini		TLH p. 27		

The Pax Domini	TLH p. 27	
The Agnus Dei Sit	TLH p. 28	
The Distribution		
Stand		
The Post-Communion Canticle <i>"The Nunc Dimittis"</i>	TLH p. 29-30	
The Thanksgiving ("And His mercy endureth forev	•	
The Post-Communion Collect TLH p. 3		
Sit		
The Hymn"Our Father, Thou in Heaven Above"	, TLH 458	
Stand		
The Salutation	TLH p. 31	
The Benedicamus	TLH p. 31	
The Benediction	TLH p. 31	
Silent Prayer		
Sit		
The Postlude"Vater Unser"	Michael Praetorius	
Announcements		

*—An Alms Basin is located next to the bulletins for any Offerings.

full of the dead, who perished from starvation, and yet the Jews were so raging that they defied God and refused to yield, until the emperor was compelled to use force and capture the city, when they could no longer maintain their ground." *This sermon appeared first in the year* 1525, after the Peasant's Revolt, and was issued in pamphlet form in nearly a dozen separate editions. It bore the title: "A sermon on destruction of Jerusalem. In like manner will Germany also be destroyed, if she will not recognize the time of her visitation. What the temple of God is. Martin Luther. Wittenberg, 1525."

In Our Prayers:

- For all those who are sick or infirmed, especially, *Emily* Benson, Peggy Holder, Jo Kope, Betty Ramsey, Brandon Dennie, Nellie Noegel, Judy Horn, Richard Noegel, Patricia Bachand, Tamara Jack, Mike Miller, Barbara Miller, Matthew Scholten, Vince Bost, Janice Heitener, Ray Heitener, Pat Stefanski, Sherrill Smithey, Deacon Smithey, Martin Kope, Bill Kope, Sally Kope, David Heiser, Rev. Eric Stefanski, and Rev. Mark Mueller.
- For our bishop, the *Rt. Rev. James D. Heiser*.
- For the parishes served by our diocese, especially, *Holy Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church, Harrison, AR*; and, *Emmanuel Ev. Lutheran Mission, Conway, AR*; and their pastor, the *Rev. Eric Stefanski*.
- For our seminary, St. Ignatius Evangelical Theological Lutheran Seminary.
- For all those who serve in the military, especially, *Nicholas Silva*.
- For those struggling with addiction, especially, *Thomas Allred* and *John Monahan*.
- For *Silvia diGregorio* that her faith may by strengthened.
- For those affected by the coronavirus.
- For those who are suffering unemployment.
- For those near death.
- For those celebrating a birthday this week.
- For those celebrating an anniversary this week.
- For those traveling this week.

Announcements

Daily Readings for the Week after the Tenth Sunday after Trinity Morning Evening Wis. 9-10; Matt. 11:16-24 Today Wisdom 11-12; Hebrews 3:7-15 Monday: Wis. 13-14; Gal. 2:1-21 Wisdom 15-16; 1 Kings 9:1-28 Wis. 17-18; Gal. 3:1-14 Wisdom 19; **Tuesday:** 1 Kings 10:1-29 Wednesday: Sir. Prologue-1; Gal. 4:8-20 Sirach 2-3: 1 Kings 11:1-43 Thursday: Sir. 4-5; Gal. 5:1-15 Sirach 6-7: 1 Kings 12:1-33 Sirach 10-11; Friday: Sir. 8-9; Gal. 6:11-18 1 Kings 13:1-34 Sirach 14-15; Saturday: Sir. 12-13; Eph. 6:1-9 1 Kings 14:1-31

Praying the Psalter Daily in Matins and Vespers:

10	Morning	Evening
Today:	Psalms 119, Part X, 79-80	Psalms 143, 81-83
Monday:	Psalms 119, Part X, 84-85	Psalms 143, 86-88
Tuesday:	Psalms 119, Part X, 89	Psalms 143, 90-92
Wednesday:	Psalms 119, Part X, 93-95	Psalms 143, 96-100
Thursday:	Psalms 119, Part X, 101-102	Psalms 143, 103-104
Friday:	Psalms 119, Part X, 105	Psalms 143, 106
Saturday:	Psalms 119, Part X, 107	Psalms 147, 108-111

Book of Concord Readings for the Week:

Monday: The Epitome of the Formula of Concord.VIII.1-15 **Tuesday:** The Epitome of the Formula of Concord.VIII.16-32 **Wednesday:** The Epitome of the Formula of Concord.VIII.33—X.2 **Thursday:** The Epitome of the Formula of Concord.X.3—XI.3 **Friday:** The Epitome of the Formula of Concord.XI.4-15

Reciting the Catechism Daily:

Sunday: The Ten Commandments Monday: The Apostles' Creed, The Lord's Prayer Tuesday: Holy Baptism, The Office of the Keys and Confession Wednesday: The Sacrament of the Altar Thursday: The Prayers Friday: The Table of Duties Saturday: Christian Questions with Their Answers

Hymns for the Week:

Morning: TLH 419—"O'er Jerusalem Thou Weepest" **Evening:** TLH 458—"Our Father, Thou in Heaven Above"

Calendar for the Week after the Tenth Sunday after Trinity Sunday Today: The Tenth Sunday after Trinity Sunday—Green

10:00 a.m. Divine 11:15 a.m. Bible Class 3:00 p.m. Divine Service in Augusta, GA 4:15 p.m. Bible Class in Augusta, GA No Events Scheduled Monday: No Events Scheduled **Tuesday:** Wednesday: No Events Scheduled **Thursday:** No Events Scheduled Friday: No Events Scheduled Saturday: No Events Scheduled Next Sunday: The Eleventh Sunday after Trinity Sunday—Green 10:00 a.m. Divine Service 11:15 a.m. Bible Class

The Lutheran Herald

The August issue of "The Lutheran Herald," the devotional booklet of the ELDoNA, is now available. It can be found on Facebook at: http://tinyurl.com/LutheranHerald. There are also printed copies in the back of the nave.

Needs for the McCall Hospice House

There is need at the hospice house for the following items: Hard Candy (individually wrapped) any kind, mints included; Chips, individual size, any kind; Ponytail Holders; Notebooks and notepads; Men's deodorant; Hair brushes; Q-Tips; Toothpaste, in regular and travel size; and Individual teeth flossers.

Other needs for in-home patients: XL Twin Sheet Sets; Ensure, any kind; and Baby wipes and adult wipes. Please give all collected items to Mike Miller.

Ask the Pastor

The Rev. Joshua Sullivan of Holy Cross Ev. Luth. Church, Kerrville, TX puts out weekly videos dealing with a wide range of theological topics. Please check them out and subscribe to be notified when a new one is published at http://www.youtube.com/user/ATPHolyCross.

To Read in Preparation for this week's Festivals:

Today—The Tenth Sunday after Trinity Sunday		
Old Testament Lesson:	Jeremiah 7:1-7	
Epistle:	1 Corinthians 12:1-11	
Gospel:	St. Luke 19:41-48	

August 23 rd —The Eleventh Sunday after Trinity Sunday		
Lesson:	2 Samuel 22:21-29	
Epistle:	1 Corinthians 15:1-10	
Holy Gospel:	St. Luke 18:9-14	

An Excerpt from Luther's Writings

"God caused His threats to be executed even thus, that the city was besieged at the time of the Easter festival, when the Jews were assembled within the walls of Jerusalem from every land, and as the historian Josephus writes, there were together at that time about three million people. This was an enormous multitude. Only one hundred thousand people would have been enough to crowd the city. But all this great multitude God in His wrath intended to bake, melt and weld together into one mass of ruin. Yet, the Apostles and Christians were all out of the city, they had withdrawn into the land of Herod, Samaria, Galilee, and were scattered among the heathen. Thus, God separated and saved the good grain and poured the chaff into one place. There was such an immense multitude of Jews present., that they were sufficient to devour a whole kingdom, to say nothing of only one city. They also fell into such distress and famine, that they devoured everything and had nothing left, until they were at last compelled to eat their leather bow-strings, shoe latchets and shoe leather; and finally, mothers moved by their distress butchered their own children, which the soldiers snatched from them, for they smelt the odor of the boiling meat through the squares of the city. They used dove's dung for salt, which commanded a high price. In short, there was distress and bloodshed enough to melt a rock to tears; so that no one could have believed that God's wrath could be so horrible and that He would so unmercifully martyr a people. The buildings and the streets were piled

THE TENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY SUNDAY

August 16th, 2020



Introit

- P: AS FOR || me, I will call upon God, and He shall hear my | voice. | *
 C: He has redeemed my soul in peace from the battle that was | a- | gainst | me.
- P: || God will hear, and afflict them, even He who abides from of | old. | * C: Cast your burden on the Lord, and He shall | sus- | tain | you. (*Psalm* 55:16a, 17b, 18b, 19a, 22a)
- P: || Give ear to my prayer, O | God, | *
 - C: And do not hide Yourself from my sup- | pli- | ca- | tion.
- P: \parallel My heart is severely pained with- \mid in \mid me, *

C: And the terrors of death have fallen | up- | on | me.

- P: || Fearfulness and trembling have come up- | on | me, * C: And horror has ov- | er- | whelmed | me.
- P: || I will pray, and cry a- | loud, | *

C: And the Lord | shall | save | me. (Psalm 55:1, 4-5, 17b, and 16b)

GLORIA PATRI (From Hymnal)

- P: || As for me, I will call upon God, and He shall hear my | voice. | *
 C: He has redeemed my soul in peace from the battle that was | a- | gainst | me.
- P: || God will hear, and afflict them, even He who abides from of | old. | * C: Cast your burden on the Lord, and He shall | sus- | tain | you. (Psalm 55:16a, 17b, 18b, 19a, 22a)

Collect

O God, Who declarest Thine almighty power chiefly in showing mercy and pity, mercifully grant unto us such a measure of Thy grace that we, running the way of Thy Commandments, may obtain Thy gracious promises and be made partakers of Thy heavenly treasure; through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end.



Gradual

P: || Keep me, O Lord, as the apple of Your | eye; | - *

C: Hide me under the shadow | of | Your | wings.

P: || Let my vindication come from Your | pre- | sence; *

C: Let Your eyes look on the things that | are | up- | right. (Ps. 17:8, 2)

Verse

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P: || Alle- | lu- | ia! *
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C: Al- | le- | lu- | ia! P: || O Lord, God of my sal- | va- | tion, *

C: I have cried out day and night before You. Al- | le- | lu- | ia! (*Psalm* 88:1)

Jeremiah 7:1-7

¹The word that came to Jeremiah from the LORD, saying, ² "Stand in the gate of the LORD's house, and proclaim there this word, and say, 'Hear the word of the LORD, all you of Judah who enter in at these gates to worship the LORD! ³ Thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel: "Amend your ways and your doings, and I will cause you to dwell in this place. ⁴ Do not trust in these lying words, saying, 'The temple of the LORD, the temple of the LORD, the temple of the LORD are these.' ⁵ For if you thoroughly amend vour ways and your doings, if you thoroughly execute judgment between a man and his neighbor, ⁶ if you do not oppress the stranger, the fatherless, and the widow, and do not shed innocent blood in this place, or walk after other gods to your hurt, ⁷ then I will cause you to dwell in this place, in the land that I gave to your fathers forever and ever."""

1 Corinthians 12:1-11

¹ Now concerning spiritual gifts, brethren, I do not want you to be ignorant: ² You know that you were Gentiles, carried away to these dumb idols, however you were led.³ Therefore I make known to you that no one speaking by the Spirit of God calls Jesus accursed, and no one can say that Jesus is Lord except by the Holy Spirit. ⁴ There are diversities of gifts, but the same Spirit. ⁵ There are differences of ministries, but the same Lord. ⁶ And there are diversities of activities, but it is the same God who works all in all. ⁷But the manifestation of the Spirit is given to each one for the profit of all: ⁸ for to one is given the word of wisdom through the Spirit,

to another the word of knowledge through the same Spirit, ⁹ to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healings by the same Spirit, ¹⁰ to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another discerning of spirits, to another different kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. ¹¹ But one and the same Spirit works all these things, distributing to each one individually as He wills.

St. Luke 19:41-48

⁴¹ Now as He drew near, He saw the city and wept over it, ⁴² saying, "If you had known, even you, especially in this your day, the things that make for your peace! But now they are hidden from your eyes. ⁴³ For days will come upon you when your enemies will build an embankment around you, surround you and close you in on every side, 44 and level you, and your children within you, to the ground; and they will not leave in you one stone upon another, because you did not know the time of your visitation." ⁴⁵ Then He went into the temple and began to drive out those who bought and sold in it, ⁴⁶ saying to them, "It is written, 'My house is a house of prayer,' but you have made it a 'den of thieves." 47 And He was teaching daily in the temple. But the chief priests, the scribes, and the leaders of the people sought to destroy Him, ⁴⁸ and were unable to do anything; for all the people were very attentive to hear Him.

TLH 326 "Lord, to Thee I Make Confession"

Johann Franck, 1649

1. Lord, to Thee I make confession; I have sinned and gone astray, I have multiplied transgression, Chosen for myself my way. Led by Thee to see my errors, Lord, I tremble at Thy terrors.

2. Yet, though conscience' voice appal me, Father, I will seek Thy face;Tho' Thy child I dare not call me, Yet receive me to Thy grace.Do not for my sins forsake me;Do not let Thy wrath o'ertake me.

3. For Thy Son did suffer for me,Gave Himself to rescue me,Died to heal me and restore me,Reconciled me unto Thee.'Tis alone His cross can vanquishThese dark fears and soothe this anguish.

4. Then on Him I cast my burden,Sink it in the depths below.Let me know Thy gracious pardon,Wash me, make me white as snow.Let Thy Spirit leave me never;Make me only Thine forever. Amen.

TLH 420 "My Jesus, as Thou Wilt"

Benjamin Schmolck, 1704

My Jesus, as Thou wilt;
 Oh, may Thy will be mine!
 Into Thy hand of love
 I would my all resign.
 Thro' sorrow or thro' joy
 Conduct me as Thine own
 And help me still to say,
 My Lord, Thy will be done.

 My Jesus, as Thou wilt, If needy here and poor, Give me Thy people's bread, Thy Word, so rich and sure. This manna from above Let my soul feed upon; And if all else should fail, My Lord, Thy will be done.

3. My Jesus, as Thou wilt, Tho' seen thro' many a tear, Let not my star of hope Grow dim or disappear. Since Thou on Earth hast wept And sorrowed oft alone, If I must weep with Thee, My Lord, Thy will be done.

4. My Jesus, as Thou wilt.When death itself draws nigh,Unto Thy wounded sideFor refuge I would flyAnd, clinging to Thee, goWhere Thou before hast gone.My times are in Thy hand:My Lord, Thy will be done.

5. My Jesus, as Thou wilt.All shall be well for me;Each changing future sceneI gladly trust with Thee.Thus to my home aboveI travel calmly onAnd sing in life or death,My Lord, Thy will be done. Amen.

TLH 419 "O'er Jerusalem Thou Weepest"

Anna Hoppe, 1919, altered

 O'er Jerusalem Thou weepest In compassion, dearest Lord.
 Love divine, of love the deepest, O'er Thine erring Israel poured, Crieth out in bitter moan:
 "O loved city, hadst thou known This thy day of visitation, Thou wouldst not reject salvation."

2. By the love Thy tears are telling,O Thou Lamb for sinners slain,Make my heart Thy temple-dwelling,Purged from ev'ry guilty stain.Oh, forgive, forgive, my sin!Cleanse me, cleanse me, Lord, within!I am Thine since Thou hast sought me,Since Thy precious blood hath bo't me.

3. O Thou Lord of my salvation,Grant my soul Thy blood-bo't peace.By Thy tears of lamentationBid my faith and love increase.Grant me grace to love Thy Word,Grace to keep the message heard,Grace to own Thee as my Treasure,Grace to love Thee without measure. Amen.

TLH 458 "Our Father, Thou in Heaven Above"

Martin Luther, 1539

 Our Father, Thou in Heav'n above, Who biddest us to dwell in love, As brethren of one family, To cry in ev'ry need to Thee, Teach us no thoughtless word to say, But from our inmost heart to pray.

2. Thy Name be hallowed. Help us, Lord, In purity to keep Thy Word, That to the glory of Thy Name We walk before Thee free from blame. Let no false doctrine us pervert; All poor, deluded souls convert.

3. Thy Kingdom come. Thine let it be In time and in eternity.Let Thy good Spirit e'er be nigh Our hearts with graces to supply.Break Satan's pow'r, defeat his rage;Preserve Thy Church from age to age.

4. Thy gracious will on Earth be done As 'tis in Heaven before Thy throne; Obedience in our weal and woe And patience in all grief bestow. Curb flesh and blood and every ill That sets itself against Thy will.

5. Give us this day our daily bread And let us all be clothed and fed. From war and strife be our Defense, From famine and from pestilence, That we may live in godly peace, Free from all care and avarice.

6. Forgive our sins, Lord, we implore, Remove from us their burden sore, As we their trespasses forgiveWho by offenses us do grieve.Thus let us dwell in charityAnd serve our brother willingly.

7. Into temptation lead us not.When evil foes against us plotAnd vex our souls on every hand,Oh, give us strength that we may standFirm in the faith, a well-armed host,Through comfort of the Holy Ghost!

8. From evil, Lord, deliver us; The times and days are perilous. Redeem us from eternal death, And when we yield our dying breath, Console us, grant us calm release, And take our souls to Thee in peace.

9. Amen, that is, So shall it be. Confirm our faith and hope in Thee That we may doubt not, but believe What here we ask we shall receive. Thus in Thy Name and at Thy Word We say: Amen. Oh, hear us, Lord! Amen.