Communion Practice: 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.

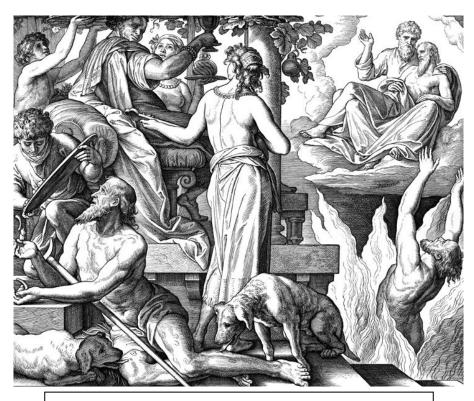
A Prayer after Communion

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.

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The First Sunday after Trinity Sunday June 6th, 2021

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"If they do not hear Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded though one rise from the dead." St. Luke 16:31

The Order of Divine Service

The Prelude '	'O dass ich tausend (Dretzel)''	Hans Arnold Metzger
The Ringing of the		24119 1 2111014 1/10/2801
The Hymn	"All Glory Be to God Alone"	TLH 238
Silent Prayer		
Stand	(Fy Fy	/
	ation and Address	TLH p. 15
Versicles	(All may kneel)	TLH p. 15
	and Absolution	TLH p. 16
Stand (if kneeling)		
The Introit	(Tone 8)	INSERT
The Kyrie		TLH p. 17
The Gloria in Exce	elsis	TLH p. 17-19
The Salutation		TLH p. 19
The Collect for the	Feast of the Holy Trinity	•
The Collect for the	e Day	INSERT
Sit		
The Epistle		1 John 4:16b-21
The Gradual		INSERT
Stand		
The Sequence Hyn	in "Holy Spirit, Come, We Pra	y" INSERT
The Holy Gospel		St. Luke 16:19-31
The Nicene Creed	(Bow at the words "And was made	<i>e man.</i>) TLH p. 22
Sit		
The Hymn	"From God Shall Naught Divide	
The Sermon	Though One Rise from the Dea	d
Stand		
The Offertory		TLH p. 22-23
The General Praye		LSBH p. 115-116
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The Hymn	"Oh, that I Had a Thousand Voice	es" TLH 243
Stand		
The Exhortation		
· ·	Pastor washes his hands while silent	
The Preface		TLH p. 24
The Proper Prefac		TLH p. 25
The Sanctus and B		TLH p. 26
The Lord's Prayer		TLH p. 27
The Verba Domini	, ,	
The Pax Domini	(All may bow and cross themselve	-
The Agnus Dei	(All may kneel)	TLH p. 28
Sit		
The Distribution		

The Hymn	"Come, Holy Ghost, in Love"	TLH 227
Stand		
The Post-Comm	union Canticle	TLH p. 29-30
The Thanksgivir	ng	TLH p. 30
The Post-Comm	union Collect	TLH p. 31
The Hymn	"Lord, Thee I Love with All My Heart"	TLH 429
The Salutation		TLH p. 31
The Benedicamu	ıs	TLH p. 31
The Benediction		TLH p. 31
Sit		-
The Postlude	"Herzlich lieb hab' ich dich, o Herr"	James Engel
The Recitation of	f the Catechism Christian Questions wit	h Their Answers
Announcements		

In Our Prayers:

- For all those who are sick or infirmed, especially, *Emily Benson*, *Peggy Holder*, *Jo Kope*, *Betty Ramsey*, *Brandon Dennie*, *Nellie Noegel*, *Katie*, *Dan*, *Judy Horn*, *Patricia Bachand*, *Tamara Jack*, *Mike Miller*, *Barbara Miller*, *Matthew Scholten*, *Vince Bost*, *Janice Heitener*, *Ray Heitener*, *Martin Kope*, *Sally Kope*, *William Noegel*, *Bruce Carter*, *Dale Heimbigner*, *Ed Payne*, *James Hagen*, *Dcn. Smithey*, and *Rev. Mark Mueller*.
- For our bishop, the *Rt. Rev. James D. Heiser*.
- For the parishes served by our diocese, and those in our international fellowship, especially, *St. Luke Ev. Lutheran Church, Kenai, AK*; and *Homer Ev. Lutheran Mission, Homer, AK*; and their pastor, the *Rev. Tim Tolar*.
- For our seminary, St. Ignatius Lutheran Theological Seminary.
- For our seminarians, Ben Henson, Jacob Henson, and John Heiser.
- 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 the moral and spiritual support of those involved with our mission in Knoxville, TN, especially, *Ana Heiser*, *Sherrill Smithey*, *Bobby Eisold*, *Barb Eisold*, and *Bob Eisold*.
- 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.
- For thanks for the 15 years of faithful fellowship granted to the Evangelical Diocese of North America (ELDoNA).
- For thanks for 135 years of faithful ministry granted to Salem Ev. Lutheran Church, Malone, TX.

Announcements

Daily Readings for the Week after the First Sunday after Trinity				
	Morning	Evening		
Today	1 Samuel 29; Luke 12:13-21	1 Samuel 30;		
		1 Timothy 6:6-19		
Monday:	1 Samuel 31; Acts 9:1-43	2 Samuel 1;		
		Joshua 10:1-15		
Tuesday:	2 Samuel 2; Acts 10:1-33	2 Samuel 3;		
		Joshua 11:1-23		
Wednesday:	2 Samuel 4; Acts 11:1-30	2 Samuel 5;		
		Joshua 23:1-16		
Thursday:	2 Samuel 6; Acts 12:1-25	2 Samuel 7;		
		Joshua 24:1-31		
Friday:	2 Samuel 8; Acts 13:1-52	2 Samuel 9;		
		Judges 2:1-23		
Saturday:	2 Samuel 10; Acts 14:1-28	2 Samuel 11;		
		Judges 6:1-40		

Praying the Psalter Daily in Matins and Vespers:

	Morning	Evening
Today:	Psalms 119, Part I, 35	Psalms 34, 36-37
Monday:	Psalms 119, Part I, 38	Psalms 34, 39-41
Tuesday:	Psalms 119, Part I, 42-44	Psalms 34, 45-48
Wednesday:	Psalms 119, Part I, 49	Psalms 34, 50-51
Thursday:	Psalms 119, Part I, 52-54	Psalms 34, 55-57
Friday:	Psalms 119, Part I, 58-59	Psalms 34, 60-63
Saturday:	Psalms 119, Part I, 64-65	Psalms 28, 66-68

Book of Concord Readings for the Week:

Monday: The Apology of the Augsburg Confession, XXIV.34-43 Tuesday: The Apology of the Augsburg Confession, XXIV.44-57 Wednesday: The Apology of the Augsburg Confession, XXIV.58-70 Thursday: The Apology of the Augsburg Confession, XXIV.71-83 Friday: The Apology of the Augsburg Confession, XXIV.84-92

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 393—"From God Shall Naught Divide Me" **Evening:** TLH 243—"Oh, that I Had a Thousand Voices"

Calendar for the Week after the First Sunday after Trinity

Today: The First Sunday after Trinity Sunday/The Octave of the Feast of the Holy Trinity (Commemorated)—Green

D-Day

15th Anniversary of ELDoNA

135th Anniversary of Salem Ev. Lutheran Church,

Malone, TX

10:00 a.m. Divine Service 11:15 a.m. Parish Assembly

3:00 p.m. Divine Service in Augusta, GA

Monday: Seminary Summer Intensives Week 1 Begins

Tuesday: No Events Scheduled
 Wednesday: No Events Scheduled
 Thursday: No Events Scheduled
 Friday: No Events Scheduled

Saturday: Seminary Summer Intensives Week 1 Ends

Next Sunday: The Second Sunday after Trinity Sunday—Green

10:00 a.m. Divine Service 11:15 a.m. Bible class

The Lutheran Herald

The June 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 and on the diocesan website: eldona.org. There are also printed copies in the back of the nave for your use and distribution.

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.

Parish Assembly Meeting

Our next parish assembly meeting is TODAY during the Bible class hour. We will begin to discuss plans to set aside funds for purchasing copies of the new ELDoNA hymnal when it comes out in a few years. Non-members may attend, but only as observers.

To Read in Preparation for this week's Festivals:

Today—The First Sunday after Trinity Sunday/The Octave of the Feast of the Holy Trinity (Commemorated)

Epistle: 1 John 4:16b-21 **Gospel:** St. Luke 16:19-31

June 13th—The Second Sunday after Trinity Sunday

Epistle: 1 John 3:13-18 **Gospel:** St. Luke 14:16-24

An Excerpt from Martin Luther's Sermons

"Thus we must look into the heart of Lazarus also, and seek the treasure which made his sores so precious. That was surely his faith and love; for without faith it is impossible to please God, as the author of the Epistle to the Hebrews says, 11:6. Therefore his heart also must have confessed that he even in the midst of such poverty and misery expected all good from God, and comfortably relied upon Him; with Whose blessings and grace he was so richly satisfied, and had such pleasure in them, that he would have heartily and willingly suffered even more misery, if the will of his gracious God had so determined. See, that is a true, living faith, which softened his heart by the knowledge of the divine goodness; so that nothing was too heavy or too much to suffer and to do. So clever and skillful does faith make the heart, when it experiences the grace of God." From Martin Luther's Sermon in the Church Postil for the First Sunday after Trinity Sunday.

THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY SUNDAY

June 6th, 2021



Introit (Chanted by Pastor)

P: O LORD, - || I have trusted in Your | mer- | cy; *

My heart shall rejoice in | Your | sal- | va- | tion.

P: || I will sing to the | Lord, | - *

Because He has dealt bounty- | ful- | ly | with | me.

P: || How long, O Lord? Will You forget me for- | ev- | er? *

How long will You hide | Your | face | from | me? (Psalm 13:5-6, 1)

C: GLORIA PATRI (From Hymnal; Sung by Congregation)

P: || O Lord, I have trusted | in | Your | mer- | cy; *

My heart shall rejoice in Your sal- | va- | tion.

P: \parallel I will sing \mid to \mid the \mid Lord, \mid - *

Because He has dealt bountifully | with | me. (Psalm 13:5-6)

Collect

O God, the Strength of all them that put their trust in Thee: Mercifully accept our prayers; and because through the weakness of our mortal nature we can do no good thing without Thee, grant us the help of Thy grace, that in keeping Thy commandments we may please Thee, both in will and deed; through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee, and the Holy Ghost, ever One God, world without end.



Gradual (Chanted by Pastor)

P: || I said, "Lord, be merciful to | me; | - *

Heal my soul, for I have | sinned | a- | gainst | You."

P: || Blessèd is he who considers the | poor; | - *

The Lord will deliver him in | time | of | trou- | ble.

P: || Alleluia! Alleluia! O Lord my God, in You I put my | trust; | - * Save me from all those who persecute me; And deliver me, | Al- | le- | lu- | ia! (Psalm 41:4, 1; 7:1)

1 John 4:16b-21

^{16b} God is love, and he who abides in love abides in God, and God in him. 17 Love has been perfected among us in this: that we may have boldness in the day of judgment; Because as He is, so are we in this world. ¹⁸ There is no fear in love; but perfect love casts out fear, because fear involves torment. But he who fears has not been made perfect in love. 19 We love Him because He first loved us. 20 If someone says, "I love God," and hates his brother, he is a liar; for he who does not love his brother whom he has seen, how can he love God whom he has not seen? ²¹ And this commandment we have from Him: that he who loves God must love his brother also.

St. Luke 16:19-31

¹⁹ "There was a certain rich man who was clothed in purple and fine linen and fared sumptuously every day. 20 But there was a certain beggar named Lazarus, full of sores, who was laid at his gate, ²¹ desiring to be fed with the crumbs which fell from the rich man's table. Moreover the dogs came and licked his sores. ²² So it was that the beggar died, and was carried by the angels to Abraham's bosom. The rich man also died and was buried. ²³ And being in torments in Hades, he lifted up his eyes and saw Abraham afar off, and Lazarus in his bosom. 24 Then he cried and said, 'Father Abraham, have mercy

on me, and send Lazarus that he may dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am tormented in this flame.' 25 But Abraham said, 'Son, remember that in your lifetime you received your good things, and likewise Lazarus evil things; but now he is comforted and you are tormented. ²⁶ And besides all this, between us and you there is a great gulf fixed, so that those who want to pass from here to you cannot, nor can those from there pass to us.' 27 Then he said, 'I beg you therefore, father, that you would send him to my father's house, ²⁸ for I have five brothers, that he may testify to them, lest they also come to this place of torment.' 29 Abraham said to him, 'They have Moses and the prophets; let them hear them.' 30 And he said, 'No, father Abraham; but if one goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' 31 But he said to him, 'If they do not hear Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded though one rise from the dead.""

Holy Spirit, Come, We Pray



2021 ELDONA FAMILY CAMP

Family Camp did not happen last year due to Covid, but that is not stopping us this year. Summer Camp is a great opportunity to meet other people from diocesan congregations, learn God's Word and the Church's confession. Here is the information you need to know about this year's Family Camp:

When: Monday, July 19—Friday, July 23, 2021 Camp begins Monday evening with Supper and Vespers. Camp concludes with Matins on Friday morning.

Who: All youth, young adults, and families of the diocese (and friends).

Where: Holy Cross Lutheran Church, Kerrville, Texas. Daily activities, classes, games, and meals will take place at the church, located at 204 Spence St. in Kerrville.

Accommodations: La Quinta is offering us a group rate of \$89/night, which is a significant discount from its usual rate. When you call to make reservations tell them that you are with the ELDONA Family Camp. Telephone Number (830) 896-9200.

If you are the only one coming from your parish, speak with your Pastor or Pastor Sullivan to find a room to share with other participants.

Travel: San Antonio International Airport is 1 hour from Kerrville. Austin-Bergstrom International Airport is 2 hours from Kerrville.

Theme: *The Church's Year.* The pastors of the diocese will take us through the Church calendar, its feasts and festivals, saints and martyrs, to show why the Church marks time the way she does.

Special Event: This year we will be travelling to Enchanted Rock State Park for the final day of Camp. Entrance fees for the Park are \$8 for persons 13 years of age and up. Children 12 and under are free.

Cost: Besides travel and hotel, the only cost is \$20 to cover meals. Please let your pastor know ASAP if you plan on attending Camp!

TLH 238 "All Glory Be to God Alone" Unknown, 1543

- 1. All glory be to God alone, Forevermore the Highest One, Who doth our sinful race befriend And grace and peace to us extend. Among mankind may His good will All hearts with deep thanksgiving fill.
- 2. We praise Thee, God, and Thee we bless; We worship Thee in humbleness; From day to day we glorify Thee, everlasting God on high. Of Thy great glory do we sing, And e'er to Thee our thanks we bring.
- 3. Lord God, our King on Heaven's throne, Our Father, the Almighty One.
 O Lord, the Sole-Begotten One,
 Lord Jesus Christ, the Father's Son,
 True God from all eternity,
 O Lamb of God, to Thee we flee.
- 4. Thou dost the world's sins take away; Have mercy on us, Lord, we pray. Thou dost the world's sins take away; Give ear unto the prayer we say. Thou sitt'st at God's right hand for aye; Have mercy on us, Lord, we pray.
- 5. Thou only art the Holy One; Thou art o'er all things Lord alone. O Jesus Christ, we glorify Thee only as the Lord Most High; Thou art, the Holy Ghost with Thee, One in the Father's majesty.
- 6. Amen, this ever true shall be,As angels sing adoringly.By all creation, far and wide,Thou, Lord, art ever glorified;And Thee all Christendom doth praiseNow and through everlasting days. Amen.

Sequence Hymn "Holy Spirit, Come, We Pray" Unknown, 13th c. Plainsong

- 1. Holy Spirit, come, we pray, From above Thy light display. Send into our hearts its ray.
- 2. Father of the poor, attend. Giver of rich gifts, descend.

Light of souls, dark souls befriend.

- 3. Of sad hearts Consoler best, Of lone souls most cheering Guest, Grant to all Thy soothing rest.
- 4. Strength to all Thou dost impart, Shade to cool the burning heart, In our weeping comfort art.
- 5. O Thou Light all lights above, Richly fill with sacred love Hearts that Christ as Lord approve.
- 6. He who is not cleansed by Thee Must with sin still tainted be, Doomed to endless misery.
- 7. Mercifully cleanse sin's stain, Grant parched souls refreshing rain, Heal bruised hearts from wound and pain.
- 8. Wills preserve turn Thou to right, Warm cold hearts by Thy love's might, Darkling steps bring to Thy light.
- 9. All Thy sev'nfold grace bestow On Thy people here below, Christ, their Lord, in all to know.
- 10. In us saving faith sustainThat eternal joy we gainAnd with Christ in glory reign. Amen. Alleluia!

TLH 393 "From God Shall Naught Divide Me" Ludwig Helmbold, 1563

- 1. From God shall naught divide me, For He is true for aye
 And on my path will guide me,
 Who else should often stray.
 His right hand holdeth me;
 For me He truly careth,
 My burdens ever beareth
 Wherever I may be.
- 2. When man's help and affection Shall unavailing prove, God grants me His protection And shows His pow'r and love. He helps in ev'ry need, From sin and shame redeems me, From chains and bonds reclaims me, Yea, e'en from death I'm freed.

- 3. God shall be my Reliance In sorrow's darkest night; Its dread I bid defiance When He is at my right. I unto Him commend My body, soul, and spirit,— They are His own by merit,— All's well then at the end.
- 4. Oh, praise Him, for He never Forgets our daily need; Oh, blest the hour whenever To Him our thoughts can speed; Yea, all the time we spend Without Him is but wasted, Till we His joy have tasted, The joy that hath no end.
- 5. Yea, when the world shall perish With all its pride and power, Whatever worldlings cherish Shall vanish in that hour. But though in death they make The deepest grave our cover, When there our sleep is over, Our God will us awake.
- 6. What though I here must suffer Distress and trials sore, I merit ways still rougher; And yet there is in store For me eternal bliss, Yea, pleasures without measure, Since Christ is now my Treasure And shall be evermore. Amen.

TLH 243 "Oh, that I Had a Thousand Voices" Johann Mentzer. 1704

- 1. Oh, that I had a thousand voices
 To praise my God with thousand tongues!
 My heart, which in the Lord rejoices,
 Would then proclaim in grateful songs
 To all, wherever I might be,
 What great things God hath done for me.
- 2. Dear Father, endless praise I render For soul and body, strangely joined; I praise Thee, Guardian kind and tender, For all the noble joys I find So richly spread on ev'ry side And freely for my use supplied.

- 3. I praise Thee, Savior, Whose compassion Did bring Thee down to ransom me; Thy pitying heart sought my salvation Though keenest woes were heaped on Thee, Bro't me from bondage full release, Made me Thine own, and gave me peace.
- 4. Glory and praise, still onward reaching, Be Thine, O Spirit of all grace, Whose holy pow'r and faithful teaching Give me among Thy saints a place. Whate'er of good by me is done Is wrought by grace divine alone.
- 5. Shall I not, then, be filled with gladness? Shall I not praise Thee evermore And triumph over fear and sadness, E'en when my cup of woe runs o'er? Though Heaven and Earth shall pass away, Thy loving-kindness stands for aye. Amen.

TLH 227 "Come, Holy Ghost, in Love" Unknown Latin Author, about 1200

- 1. Come Holy Ghost, in love Shed on us from above Thine own bright ray. Divinely good Thou art; The sacred gifts impart To gladden each sad heart. Oh, come today!
- 2. Come, tend'rest Friend and best, Our most delightful Guest, With soothing pow'r. Rest which the weary know, Shade mid the noon-tide glow, Peace when deep griefs o'erflow, Cheer us this hour.
- 3. Come, Light serene and still, Our inmost bosoms fill, Dwell in each breast. We know no dawn but Thine: Send forth Thy beams divine On our dark souls to shine And make us blest.
- 4. Exalt our low desires, Extinguish passion's fires, Heal every wound. Our stubborn spirits bend, Our icy coldness end,

Our devious steps attend While heavenward bound.

My prayer attend, my prayer attend, And I will praise Thee without end. Amen.

5. Come, all the faithful bless; Let all who Christ confess His praise employ. Give virtue's rich reward, Victorious death accord And, with our glorious Lord, Eternal joy. Amen.

TLH 429 "Lord, Thee I Love with All My Heart"

Martin Schalling, about 1567

1. Lord, Thee I love with all my heart; I pray Thee, ne'er from me depart, With tender mercies cheer me.
Earth has no pleasure I would share, Yea, Heav'n itself were void and bare If Thou, Lord, wert not near me.
And should my heart for sorrow break, My trust in Thee no one could shake.
Thou art the Portion I have sought; Thy precious Blood my soul has bought. Lord Jesus Christ, My God and Lord, my God and Lord, Forsake me not! I trust Thy Word.

2. Yea, Lord, 'twas Thy rich bounty gave My body, soul, and all I have In this poor life of labor.
Lord, grant that I in ev'ry place May glorify Thy lavish grace And serve and help my neighbor.
Let no false doctrine me beguile,
Let Satan not my soul defile.
Give strength and patience unto me
To bear my cross and follow Thee.
Lord Jesus Christ,
My God and Lord, my God and Lord,
In death Thy comfort still afford.

3. Lord, let at last Thine angels come, To Abram's bosom bear me home, That I may die unfearing; And in its narrow chamber keep My body safe in peaceful sleep Until Thy reappearing. And then from death awaken me That these mine eyes with joy may see, O Son of God, Thy glorious face, My Savior and my Fount of grace. Lord Jesus Christ,