

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.



The Fifth Sunday after Trinity Sunday
July 4th, 2021

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“Do not be afraid. From now on you will catch men.” St. Luke 5:10

The Order of Divine Service

The Prelude	<i>“Lasset uns mit Jesu ziehen”</i>	Paul Kretzschmar
The Ringing of the Bell		
The Hymn	<i>“Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus”</i>	TLH 409
Silent Prayer	<i>(The Pastor silently prays Psalm 24)</i>	
<i>Stand</i>		
The Invocation and Address		TLH p. 15
Versicles	<i>(All may kneel)</i>	TLH p. 15
Confession and Absolution		TLH p. 16
<i>Stand (if kneeling)</i>		
The Introit	<i>(Tone 8)</i>	INSERT
The Kyrie		TLH p. 17
The Gloria in Excelsis		TLH p. 17-19
The Salutation		TLH p. 19
The Collect for the Day		INSERT
<i>Sit</i>		
The Epistle		1 Peter 3:8-15a
The Gradual		INSERT
The Triple Hallelujah	<i>(First Setting)</i>	TLH p. 20
<i>Stand</i>		
The Holy Gospel		St. Luke 5:1-11
The Nicene Creed	<i>(Bow at the words “And was made man.”)</i>	TLH p. 22
<i>Sit</i>		
The Hymn	<i>“My Inmost Heart Now Rejoices”</i>	TLH 548
The Sermon	<i>I Am a Sinful Man, O Lord?</i>	
<i>Stand</i>		
The Offertory		TLH p. 22-23
The General Prayer		LSBH p. 115-116
<i>Sit (An Alms Basin is located next to the bulletins for any Offerings)</i>		
The Hymn	<i>“Lord, Thee I Love with All My Heart”</i>	TLH 429
<i>Stand</i>		
The Exhortation		
The Lavabo	<i>(The Pastor washes his hands while silently praying Psalm 26)</i>	
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	<i>(All may bow when the Pastor genuflects)</i>	TLH p. 27
The Pax Domini	<i>(All may bow and cross themselves)</i>	TLH p. 27
The Agnus Dei	<i>(All may kneel)</i>	TLH p. 28
<i>Sit</i>		
The Distribution		
The Hymn	<i>“Draw Near and Take the Body of the Lord”</i>	TLH 307

Stand

The Post-Communion Canticle	TLH p. 29-30
The Thanksgiving	TLH p. 30
The Post-Communion Collect	TLH p. 31
The Hymn	<i>“How Can I Thank Thee, Lord?”</i> TLH 417
The Salutation	TLH p. 31
The Benedicamus	TLH p. 31
The Benediction	TLH p. 31
<i>Sit</i>	
The Postlude	<i>“O Gott, du frommer Gott”</i> Johann Gottfried Walther
The Recitation of the Catechism	How One Should Be Taught to Pray
Announcements	

In Our Prayers:

- For all those who are sick or infirmed, especially, *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, 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, *Salem Ev. Lutheran Church, Malone, TX;* and her pastors, the *Rt. Rev. James D. Heiser* and the *Rev. Dcn. Anthony Oncken.*
- 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 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 near death.
- For those celebrating a birthday this week.
- For those celebrating an anniversary this week, especially *Pastor and Tanya Dulas.*
- For those traveling this week.

Announcements

Daily Readings for the Week after the Fifth Sunday after Trinity

	Morning	Evening
Today	2 Kings 8; Matt. 16:13-26	2 Kings 9; 1 Peter 2:4-10
Monday:	2 Kings 10-11; Rom. 4:1-25	2 Kings 12-13; 1 Samuel 17:1-58
Tuesday:	2 Kgs. 14-15; Rom. 5:1—6:2	2 Kings 16-17; 1 Samuel 18:1-21
Wednesday:	2 Kgs. 18-19; Rom. 6:12-18	2 Kings 20-21; 1 Samuel 19:1-24
Thursday:	2 Kings 22-23; Rom. 7:1-25	2 Kings 24-25; 1 Samuel 20:1-42
Friday:	1 Chron. 1-2; Rom. 8:1-11	1 Chronicles 3-4; 1 Samuel 22:1-23
Saturday:	1 Chron. 5-6; Rom. 13:1-7	1 Chronicles 7-8; 1 Samuel 24:1-22

Praying the Psalter Daily in Matins and Vespers:

	Morning	Evening
Today:	Psalms 119, Part V, 23-25	Psalms 113, 26-30
Monday:	Psalms 119, Part V, 31-32	Psalms 113, 33-34
Tuesday:	Psalms 119, Part V, 35	Psalms 113, 36-37
Wednesday:	Psalms 119, Part V, 38	Psalms 113, 39-41
Thursday:	Psalms 119, Part V, 42-44	Psalms 113, 45-48
Friday:	Psalms 119, Part V, 49	Psalms 113, 50-51
Saturday:	Psalms 119, Part V, 52-54	Psalms 85, 55-57

Book of Concord Readings for the Week:

Monday: The Smalcald Articles, Part III.Art.III.1-14
Tuesday: The Smalcald Articles, Part III.Art.III.15-26
Wednesday: The Smalcald Articles, Part III.Art.III.27-40
Thursday: The Smalcald Articles, Part III.Art.III.41—Art.VI.5
Friday: The Smalcald Articles, Part III.Art.VII.1—Art.VIII.13

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 548—"My Inmost Heart Now Raises"

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

Calendar for the Week after the Fifth Sunday after Trinity

Today: The Fifth Sunday after Trinity Sunday—Green

Independence Day

10:00 a.m. Divine Service

11:15 a.m. Bible class

Monday: 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Pastor Dulas teaches Liturgics 2 class

Tuesday: Pastor and Tanya Dulas' Anniversary
9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Pastor Dulas teaches Liturgics 2 class

Wednesday: 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Pastor Dulas teaches Liturgics 2 class

Thursday: 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Pastor Dulas teaches Liturgics 2 class

Friday: 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Pastor Dulas teaches Liturgics 2 class

Saturday: No Events Scheduled

Next Sunday: The Sixth Sunday after Trinity Sunday—Green

Pastor Dulas on Vacation

10:00 a.m. Divine Service (Deacon Smithey)

11:15 a.m. Bible class (Deacon Smithey)

The Lutheran Herald

The July 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>.

To Read in Preparation for this week's Festivals:

Today—The Fifth Sunday after Trinity Sunday

Epistle: 1 Peter 3:8-15a

Gospel: St. Luke 5:1-11

July 11th—The Sixth Sunday after Trinity Sunday

Epistle: Romans 6:3-11

Gospel: St. Matthew 5:20-26

An Excerpt from Martin Luther's Sermons

"But what did Christ do, when Peter humbled himself and in the face of great fear and terror he asked the Lord to depart from him? Did He let him stick in his despair? No, but He came to him, comforted him and said, 'Fear not; from henceforth thou shalt catch men.'

"These are evangelical or Gospel words, that comfort weak hearts. And just in this way God makes our work and temptation golden before our eyes. Therefore observe now, how God provides for our bodies, in that a hard and wrathful judge; for they had previously acknowledged themselves to be sinners and in need of His grace. And so they were eyes. Therefore observe now, how God provides for our bodies, in that he here gives Peter a great multitude of fishes, when he would have had enough with two, and in like manner satisfies and enriches him spiritually, so that he could from his fulness impart to others, and thus he made him a natural and a spiritual fisherman; a natural fisherman in that he caught a great multitude of fishes which he could sell; a spiritual fisherman in that he should henceforth catch men; for he had now the Gospel, by which he should gather the people and enlarge the kingdom of Christ." *From Martin Luther's sermon from the Church Postil for the Fifth Sunday after Trinity Sunday, 1522.*

THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY SUNDAY

July 4th, 2021



Introit (Chanted by Pastor)

P: HEAR, O || Lord, when I cry with my | voice! | - *

You | have | been | my | help;

P: || Do not leave me nor for- | sake | me, *

O God of | my | sal- | va- | tion.

P: || The Lord is my light and my Sal- | va- | tion; *

Whom | — | shall | I | fear? (*Psalms 27:7a, 9b; 1a*)

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

P: || Hear, O Lord, when I cry with my | voice! | - *

You | have | been | my | help;

P: || Do not leave me nor for- | sake | me, *

O God of | my | sal- | va- | tion. (*Psalms 27:7a, 9b*)

Collect

O God, Who has prepared for them that love Thee such good things as pass man's understanding: Pour into our hearts such love toward Thee, that we, loving Thee above all things, may obtain Thy promises, which exceed all that we can desire; 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: || O God, behold our | shield, | - *

And look upon the face | of | Your | ser- | vants.

P: || O Lord God of | hosts, | - *

Hear | — | our | — | pray-er. •

P: || Alleluia! Alleluia! In You, O LORD, I put my trust; Let me never be put to | shame. | *

Deliver me in Your righteousness. | Al- | le- | lu- | ia! (*Psalms 84:9, 8a paraphrase; 71:1-2a*)

1 Peter 3:8-15a

⁸ Finally, all of you be of one mind, having compassion for one another; love as brothers, be tenderhearted, be courteous; ⁹ not returning evil for evil or reviling for reviling, but on the contrary blessing, knowing that you were called to this, that you may inherit a blessing. ¹⁰ For He who would love life and see good days, let him refrain his tongue from evil, and his lips from speaking deceit. ¹¹ Let him turn away from evil and do good; Let him seek peace and pursue it. ¹² For the eyes of the LORD are on the righteous, and His ears are open to their prayers; But the face of the LORD is against those who do evil. ¹³ And who is he who will harm you if you become followers of what is good? ¹⁴ But even if you should suffer for righteousness' sake, you are blessed. And do not be afraid of their threats, nor be troubled. ¹⁵ But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts.

St. Luke 5:1-11

¹ So it was, as the multitude pressed about Him to hear the word of God, that He stood by the Lake of Gennesaret, ² and saw two boats standing by the lake; but the fishermen had gone from them and were washing their nets. ³ Then He got into one of the boats, which was Simon's, and asked him to put out a little from the land. And He sat down and taught the multitudes

from the boat. ⁴ When He had stopped speaking, He said to Simon, "Launch out into the deep and let down your nets for a catch." ⁵ But Simon answered and said to Him, "Master, we have toiled all night and caught nothing; nevertheless at Your word I will let down the net." ⁶ And when they had done this, they caught a great number of fish, and their net was breaking. ⁷ So they signaled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both the boats, so that they began to sink. ⁸ When Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord!" ⁹ For he and all who were with him were astonished at the catch of fish which they had taken; ¹⁰ and so also were James and John, the sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. And Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid. From now on you will catch men." ¹¹ So when they had brought their boats to land, they forsook all and followed Him.

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 409 "Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus"

Sigismund von Birken, 1653

1. Let us ever walk with Jesus,
Follow His example pure,
Flee the world, which would deceive us
And to sin our souls allure.
Ever in His footsteps treading,
Body here, yet soul above,
Full of faith and hope and love,
Let us do the Father's bidding.
Faithful Lord, abide with me;
Savior, lead, I follow Thee.

2. Let us suffer here with Jesus,
To His image, e'er conform;
Heaven's glory soon will please us,
Sunshine follow on the storm.
Tho' we sow in tears of sorrow,
We shall reap with heav'nly joy;
And the fears that now annoy
Shall be laughter on the morrow.
Christ, I suffer here with Thee;
There, oh, share Thy joy with me!

3. Let us also die with Jesus.
His death from the second death,
From our soul's destruction, frees us,
Quickens us with life's glad breath.
Let us mortify, while living,
Flesh and blood and die to sin;
And the grave that shuts us in
Shall but prove the gate to Heaven.
Jesus, here I die to Thee
There to live eternally.

4. Let us gladly live with Jesus;
Since He's risen from the dead,
Death and grave must soon release us.
Jesus, Thou art now our Head,
We are truly Thine own members;

Where Thou livest, there live we.
Take and own us constantly,
Faithful Friend, as Thy dear brethren.
Jesus, here I live to Thee,
Also there eternally. Amen.

TLH 548 “My Inmost Heart Now Raises”
Georg Nigidius, died 1588

1. My inmost heart now raises
In this fair morning hour
A song of thankful praises
To Thine almighty pow’r,
O God, upon Thy throne.
To honor and adore Thee,
I bring my praise before Thee
Thro’ Christ, Thine only Son.

2. For Thou from me hast warded
All perils of the night;
From ev’ry harm hast guarded
My soul till morning light.
To Thee I humbly cry,
O Savior, have compassion
And pardon my transgression;
Have mercy, Lord most high!

3. And shield me from all evil,
O gracious God, this day,
From sin, and from the devil,
From shame and from dismay,
From fire’s consuming breath,
From water’s devastation,
From need and consternation,
From evil sudden death.

4. Let not Thine angel leave me
While here on earth I stay
Lest Satan’s arts deceive me
And lead my soul astray.
Then keep Thine angel near
At night and each new morrow
Lest soul and body sorrow
And falt’ring cost me dear.

5. God shall do my advising,
Whose might with wisdom blends;
May He bless rest and rising,
My efforts, means, and ends!
To God, forever blest,
Will I with mine confide me,
And willing let Him guide me
As seemeth to Him best.

6. Amen I say, not fearing
That God rejects my prayer;
I doubt not He is hearing
And granting me His care.
Thus I go on my way
And do not look behind me,
But ply the task assigned me;
God’s help shall be my stay. 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 mercy 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
And 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,
My prayer attend, my prayer attend,
And I will praise Thee without end. Amen.

TLH 307 “Draw Nigh and Take the Body of the Lord”

Unknown Latin Author, about 680

1. Draw nigh and take the Body of the Lord
And drink the holy Blood for you outpoured.
Offered was He for greatest and for least,
Himself the Victim and Himself the Priest.
2. He that His saints in this world rules and shields,
To all believers life eternal yields,
With heav’nly bread makes them that hunger whole,
Gives living waters to the thirsting soul.
3. Approach ye, then, with faithful hearts sincere,
And take the pledges of salvation here.
O Judge of all, our only Savior Thou,
In this Thy feast of love to be with us now. Amen.

TLH 417 “How Can I Thank Thee, Lord”

ascribed to David Denicke, 1648, abridged; St. 6,
Johann Heerman, 1630

1. How can I thank Thee, Lord,
For all Thy loving-kindness,
That Thou hast patiently
Borne with me in my blindness?
When dead in many sins
And trespasses I lay,
I kindled, holy God,
Thine anger ev’ry day.
2. It is Thy work alone
That I am now converted;
O’er Satan’s work in me
Thou hast Thy pow’r asserted.
Thy mercy and Thy grace
That rise afresh each morn
Have turned my stony heart
Into a heart new-born.
3. I could but grieve Thee, Lord,
And with my sins displease Thee;
Yet to atone for sin
My works could not appease Thee.
Though I could fall from grace
And choose the way of sin,
I had no strength to rise,
A new life to begin.
4. But Thou hast raised me up
To joy and exultation
And clearly shown the way
That leads me to salvation.

My sins are washed away,
For this I thank thee, Lord;
And with my heart and soul
All dead works are abhorred.

5. Grant that Thy Spirit’s help
To me be always given
Lest I should fall again
And lose the way to Heaven;
That He may give me strength
In mine infirmity
And e’er renew my heart
To serve Thee willingly.
6. Oh, guide and lead me, Lord,
While here below I wander
That I may follow Thee
Till I shall see Thee yonder.
For if I led myself,
I soon would go astray;
But if Thou leadest me,
I keep the narrow way.
7. O Father, God of Love,
Hear Thou my supplication;
O Savior, Son of God,
Grant me Thy full salvation;
And Thou, O Holy Ghost,
Be Thou my faithful Guide
That I may serve Thee here
And there with Thee abide. Amen.