

**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 Twenty-Second Sunday after Trinity Sunday  
November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023

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*“Lord, have patience with me, and I will pay thee  
all.” St. Matthew 18:26*

## The Order of Divine Service

<b>The Prelude</b>	<i>“Aus tiefer Not”</i>	Friedrich Zachow
<b>The Ringing of the Bell</b>		
<i>Stand</i>		
<b>The Hymn</b>	<i>“Alas, My God, My Sins Are Great”</i>	TLH 317
<b>Silent Prayer</b>	<i>(Prayers are located on back cover)</i>	ASBH p. 7
<b>The Invocation</b>		ASBH p. 7
<b>The Confession of Sins</b>		ASBH p. 8
<b>Versicles</b>	<i>(All may kneel)</i>	ASBH p. 8
<b>Confession and Absolution</b>		ASBH p. 8-9
<i>Stand (if kneeling)</i>		
<b>The Introit</b>	<i>(Congregation joins Pastor on Gloria Patri)</i>	ASBH p. 119
<b>The Kyrie</b>		ASBH p. 10
<b>The Gloria in Excelsis</b>		ASBH p. 10-13
<b>The Salutation</b>		ASBH p. 13
<b>The Collect for the Day</b>		ASBH p. 119
<b>Collect Amen</b>		ASBH p. 14
<i>Sit</i>		
<b>The Epistle</b>		Philippians 1:3-11
<b>The Gradual</b>		ASBH p. 119
<b>The Triple Hallelujah</b>	<i>(First Setting)</i>	ASBH p. 14
<i>Stand</i>		
<b>The Holy Gospel</b>		St. Matthew 18:23-35
<b>The Creed</b>	<i>(All may bow at the words “And was made man.”)</i>	ASBH p. 17
<i>Sit</i>		
<b>The Hymn</b>	<i>“From Depths of Woe I Cry to Thee”</i>	ASBH 60
<b>The Sermon</b>	<i>Have Patience with Me</i>	
<i>Stand</i>		
<b>The Offertory</b>		ASBH p. 18-19
	<i>(An Alms Basin is located next to the bulletins for any Offerings)</i>	
<b>The General Prayer</b>		ASBH p. 19-20
<b>The Lord’s Prayer</b>		ASBH p. 20
<i>Sit</i>		
<b>The Hymn</b>	<i>“In Thee Alone, O Christ, My Lord”</i>	ASBH 41
<i>Stand</i>		
<b>The Exhortation</b>		ASBH p. 21
<b>The Lavabo</b>		ASBH p. 21
<b>Silent Prayer</b>	<i>(Prayers are located on back cover)</i>	ASBH p. 21
<b>The Preface</b>		ASBH p. 22
<b>The Proper Preface</b>		ASBH p. 23-27
<b>The Sanctus and Benedictus</b>		ASBH p. 27-28
<b>The Lord’s Prayer</b>		ASBH p. 29
<b>The Verba Domini</b>	<i>(All may bow when the Pastor genuflects)</i>	ASBH p. 30

<b>The Pax Domini</b>	<i>(All may bow and cross themselves)</i>	ASBH p. 31
<b>The Agnus Dei</b>	<i>(All may kneel)</i>	ASBH p. 31-32
<i>Sit</i>		
<b>The Distribution</b>	<i>(Prayers are located on back cover)</i>	
<b>The Hymn</b>	<i>“That Man a Godly Life Might Live”</i>	ASBH 44
<i>Stand</i>		
<b>The Nunc Dimittis</b>		ASBH p. 33-35
<b>The Thanksgiving and Collect</b>		ASBH p. 35-36
<b>The Hymn</b>	<i>“Lord Thee I Love with All My Heart”</i>	TLH 429
<b>The Salutation</b>		ASBH p. 36
<b>The Benedicamus</b>		ASBH p. 37
<b>The Benediction</b>		ASBH p. 37
<b>The Triple Amen</b>	<i>(First Setting)</i>	ASBH p. 38
<i>Sit</i>		
<b>The Postlude</b>	<i>“Herzlich lieb hab’ ich dich, o Herr”</i>	James Engel

### Recitation of the Catechism

The Office of the Keys and Confession (pages 21-25) & Questions 109-115 (Part II, The Creed, The First Article. Of Creation, pages 72-75).

### Announcements

*ASBH = Augustana Service Book and Hymnal: 2022 Supplement.*  
*TLH = The Lutheran Hymnal*

## In Our Prayers:

- For all those who are sick or infirmed, especially, *Peggy Holder, Betty Ramsey, Brandon Dennie, Katie, Dan, Angelo, Kelly, Judy Horn, Mike Miller, Barbara Miller, Rev. Mark Mueller, Rev. Eric Stefanski, Paul Meadows, Vince Bost, Barb Eisold, Becky Phillips, Bill Kope, Martin Kope, Sally Kope, John Burton, Carol Laflay, Bruce Carter, and Vito Gerardi.*
- 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 the moral and spiritual support of those involved with our mission in Knoxville, TN, *Nikolas and Ana Likourentzos; Deacon and Sherrill Smitley;* and *Bobby, Barb, and Bob Eisold.*
- For those struggling with addiction, especially, *Thomas Allred, Brennan David, and John Monahan.*
- For all those who serve in the military, especially, *Nicholas Silva.*
- 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 Twenty-Second Sunday after Trinity

	Morning	Evening
<b>Today</b>	Ezek. 17-18; Matt. 18:1-20	Ezekiel 19-20; Ephesians 4:30-32
<b>Monday:</b>	Ezek. 21-22; Matt. 18:1-22	Ezekiel 23-24; Micah 4:9—5:1
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Ezek. 25-26; Mark 9:33-50	Ezekiel 27-28; Isaiah 49:14-21
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Ezek. 29-30; Luke 17:20-37	Ezekiel 31-32; Isaiah 2:10-21
<b>Thursday:</b>	Ezek. 33-34; Rom. 8:24-39	Ezekiel 35-36; Isaiah 63:1-6
<b>Friday:</b>	Ezek. 37-38; Mark 12:1-12	Ezekiel 39-40; Joel 2:1-11
<b>Saturday:</b>	Ezek. 41-42; Matt. 25:14-30	Ezekiel 43-44; Joel 2:12-27

### Praying the Psalter Daily in Matins and Vespers:

	Morning	Evening
<b>Today:</b>	Psalms 119, Part XXII, 31-32	Psalms 36, 33-34
<b>Monday:</b>	Psalms 119, Part XXII, 35	Psalms 36-37
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Psalms 119, Part XXII, 38	Psalms 36, 39-41
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Psalms 119, Part XXII, 42-44	Psalms 36, 45-48
<b>Thursday:</b>	Psalms 119, Part XXII, 49	Psalms 36, 50-51
<b>Friday:</b>	Psalms 119, Part XXII, 52-54	Psalms 36, 55-57
<b>Saturday:</b>	Psalms 119, Part XXII, 58-59	Psalms 18:20-31, 60-63

### Book of Concord Readings for the Week:

**Monday:** The Formula of Concord, Solid Declaration, VIII.20-30  
**Tuesday:** The Formula of Concord, Solid Declaration, VIII.31-43  
**Wednesday:** The Formula of Concord, Solid Declaration, VIII.44-53  
**Thursday:** Formula of Concord, Solid Declaration, VIII.54-63  
**Friday:** The Formula of Concord, Solid Declaration, VIII.64-75

### 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:** How One Should Be Taught to Pray  
**Friday:** The Table of Duties  
**Saturday:** Christian Questions with Their Answers

**Hymns for the Week:**

**Morning:** ASBH 60—"From Depths of Woe I Cry to Thee"

**Evening:** ASBH 41—"In Thee Alone, O Christ, My Lord"

**Calendar for the Week after the Twenty-Second Sunday after Trinity**

**Today: The Twenty-Second Sunday after Trinity Sunday—Green**

*Daylight Saving Time Ends*

10:00 a.m. Divine Service and Bible Class in  
Simpsonville, SC and Knoxville, TN (Deacon Smithey)

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

**Monday:** No Events Scheduled

**Tuesday:** *Election Day*

**Wednesday:** No Events Scheduled

**Thursday:** No Events Scheduled

**Friday:** No Events Scheduled

**Saturday: The Festival of St. Martin of Tours, Bishop and Confessor—White**

*Veterans' Day*

**Next Sunday: The Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Trinity Sunday—Green**

10:00 a.m. Divine Service in Simpsonville, SC

11:15 a.m. Budget Planning Meeting

**Annual Budget Planning Meeting**

The annual budget planning meeting is scheduled for next Sunday, November 12<sup>th</sup>, after the Divine Service. The budget planning committee is made up of the Pastor, Deacon, Trustee, Treasurer, Financial Secretary and Assistants, and Recording Secretary. The proposed budget will be made available to the rest of the parish for approval at our next parish meeting on December 10<sup>th</sup>.

**An Excerpt from Luther's Writings**

"The aim of this Gospel is to describe to us forgiveness for both parties. First the lord forgives the servant all his debt. Then he demands of him that he also in like manner forgive his fellow-servant and pardon his debt. This God demands, and thus His kingdom shall stand. Hence no one should be so wicked and allow himself to be so angry, as to be

unable to forgive his neighbour. And, as is written, if he would even offend you seventy times seven times, that is, as often as he is able to offend you, you are to let your right and claim go, and freely give him everything. Why so? Because Christ has also done the same for you, in that He began and, established a kingdom in which there is nothing but grace, that is to endure forever, that every thing, as often as you sin, may be forgiven; because He has sent forth His Gospel, not to proclaim punishment, but grace alone. Now, because this government stands, you can at all times rise again, however deep and often you fall. For even if you fall, yet this Gospel and mercy-seat remain and stand forever; therefore as soon as you come and rise again, you again have grace. But He requires of you to forgive your neighbour whatever he has done against you, else you will neither be in this gracious kingdom nor enjoy the Gospel, that your sins may be forgiven. This in short is the idea and sense of this Gospel." *From the Church Postil for the Twenty-Second Sunday after Trinity Sunday.*

**The Lutheran Herald**

The November 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](http://eldona.org). There are also printed copies in the back of the nave for your use and distribution.

**To Read in Preparation for this week's Festivals:**

**Today—The Twenty-Second Sunday after Trinity Sunday**

**Epistle:** Philippians 1:3-11

**Gospel:** St. Matthew 18:23-35

**November 11<sup>th</sup>—The Festival of St. Martin of Tours, Bishop and Confessor**

**Epistle:** Hebrews 7:23-27

**Gospel:** St. Luke 11:33-36

**November 12<sup>th</sup>—The Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Trinity Sunday**

**Epistle:** 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

**Gospel:** St. Matthew 24:15-28