

WELCOME TO TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Sunday, July 17, 2022

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Divine Service 10:15 AM

**THE ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR
THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
DIVINE SERVICE SETTING FOUR**

† INDICATES TO STAND

OPENING HYMN PAGE 536

“ONE THING’S NEEDFUL”

† CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION PAGE 203

† SERVICE OF THE WORD PAGE 204

† PSALM 27:7-14

Pastor: ⁷Hear, O LORD, when I cry aloud;

People: **be gracious to me and answer me!**

Pastor: ⁸You have said, “Seek My face.”

People: **My heart says to you, “Your face, LORD, do I seek.”**

Pastor: ⁹Hide not Your face from me. Turn not Your servant away in anger,

People: **O You Who have been my help. Cast me not off; forsake me not, O God of my salvation!**

Pastor: ¹⁰For my father and my mother have forsaken me,

People: **but the LORD will take me in.**

Pastor: ¹¹Teach me Your way, O LORD,

People: **and lead me on a level path because of my enemies.**

Pastor: ¹²Give me not up to the will of my adversaries;

People: **for false witnesses have risen against me, and they breathe out violence.**

Pastor: ¹³I believe that I shall look upon the goodness of the LORD

People: **in the land of the living!**

Pastor: ¹⁴Wait for the LORD;

People: **be strong, and let your heart take courage; wait for the LORD!**

† KYRIE PAGE 204

† GLORIA IN EXCELSIS PAGE 204

† SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Pastor: Let us pray.

ALL: O Lord, grant us the Spirit to hear Your Word and know the one thing needful that by Your Word and Spirit we may live according to Your will; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING - GENESIS 18:1-10A

Reader: The Old Testament reading for the 6th Sunday after Pentecost is from the eighteenth chapter of Genesis.

¹ The LORD appeared to [Abraham] by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the door of his tent in the heat of the day. ²He lifted up his eyes and looked, and behold, three men were standing in front of him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent door to meet them and bowed himself to the earth ³and said, "O Lord, if I have found favor in Your sight, do not pass by Your servant. ⁴Let a little water be brought, and wash Your feet, and rest Yourselves under the tree, ⁵while I bring a morsel of bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on—since you have come to your servant." So they said, "Do as you have said." ⁶And Abraham went quickly into the tent to Sarah and said, "Quick! Three seahs of fine flour! Knead it and make cakes." ⁷And Abraham ran to the herd and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to a young man, who prepared it quickly. ⁸Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared and set it before them. And he stood by them under the tree while they ate. ⁹They said to him, "Where is Sarah your wife?" And he said, "She is in the tent." ¹⁰The LORD said, "I will surely return to you about this time next year, and Sarah your wife shall have a son." And Sarah was listening at the tent door behind him.

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE GRADUAL *Rom. 10:15b, 18b; Is. 52:7b, alt*

Pastor: How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news,

People: who publish peace and bring good news of salvation.

Pastor: Their voice has gone out to all the earth,

People: and their words to the ends of the world.

THE EPISTLE -- COLOSSIANS 1:21-29

Reader: The Epistle reading is from the first chapter of Colossians.

²¹ You, who once were alienated and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, ²²He has now reconciled in His body of flesh by His death, in order to present you holy and blameless and above reproach before Him, ²³if indeed you continue in the faith, stable and steadfast, not shifting from the hope of the gospel that you heard, which has been proclaimed in all creation under heaven, and of which I, Paul, became a minister. ²⁴Now I rejoice in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am filling up what is lacking in Christ's afflictions for the sake of His body, that is, the church, ²⁵of which I became a minister according to the stewardship from God that was given to me for you, to make the word of God fully known, ²⁶the mystery hidden for ages and generations but now revealed to His saints. ²⁷To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory. ²⁸Him we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ. ²⁹For this I toil, struggling with all His energy that He powerfully works within me.

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

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✠ THE HOLY GOSPEL -- LUKE 10:38-42

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke the tenth chapter.

People: **Glory be to You, O Lord.**

³⁸Now as they went on their way, Jesus entered a village. And a woman named Martha welcomed Him into her house. ³⁹And she had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord’s feet and listened to His teaching. ⁴⁰But Martha was distracted with much serving. And she went up to Him and said, “Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to serve alone? Tell her then to help me.” ⁴¹But the Lord answered her, “Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things, ⁴²but one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen the good portion, which will not be taken away from her.”

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord

People: **Praise be to You, O Christ.**

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“LET US EVER WALK WITH JESUS”

THE SERMON “BEAUTIFUL FEET”

✠ THE PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

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COMMUNION STATEMENT

The Lord’s Supper is celebrated by this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites us to His table as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth His death until He comes.

Because those who eat and drink our Lord’s body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm (1 Corinthians 11:29-30) and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the sacrament, you are asked to **refrain until you** first speak with the Pastor or an elder.

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

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DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

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“MY SOUL REJOICES”

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NEXT WEEK'S TEXTS: Psalm 27 (1-6) 7-14; Genesis 18:1-10a (10b-14); Colossians 1:21-29; Luke:10:38-42

NEXT WEEK: What sort of prayers does the Lord herr?

TODAY'S LIGHT READERS

TODAY'S LIGHT: 2 Samuel 24; 1 Kings 1--9

1. Reread Solomon’s prayer in 1 Kings 3:4–15. What especially strikes you about this prayer? Have you prayed, as Solomon did, for an “understanding mind”? What blessings would come to you and others from the gift of an understanding mind?

LCMS STEWARDSHIP MINISTRY

July 17 – Trinity 5 - 1 Kings 19:18 – “Yet I will leave seven thousand in Israel, all the knees that have not bowed to Baal, and every mouth that has not kissed him.” Elijah was so sure that he was right – that he was the only one left who had not gone after Baal. But he was too pessimistic; his faith in God was off-center. We can’t go by our own wisdom. We must trust the Lord and what He has revealed to us in His Word. Think about how this applies to our support of God’s work in the Church with our offering. Take a look in Luther’s Small Catechism’s Table of Duties to see what the Bible has to say about our giving.

LIFE QUOTES FROM LUTHERANS FOR LIFE

July 17 “Abortion advocates have no fear asserting what they imagine the Scriptures say or don’t say about the sanctity of life. Why shouldn’t our enthusiasm overshadow theirs? If Satan’s grown comfortable convoluting our truth, doesn’t the certainty and sensitivity our Savior has given welcome and even compel us eagerly to call out the devil’s lies?” Pastor Michael Salemkink – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • lutheransforlife.org

LIFE THOUGHTS IN THE CHURCH YEAR

July 17 – Pentecost VI (Proper 11) – Abortion means abandonment. Parents desert their little ones to death because they themselves feel forsaken. Today's appointed Psalm describes how God wants all those whom others disregard: "Though father and mother have forsaken me, the Lord will take me in" (Psalm 27:10). In the Body of Christ, no one goes unwanted, even during surprise pregnancy. We share Father Abraham's delight (Genesis 18:10) in abundance!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

RECEPTION: You are invited to a reception following the worship service today to celebrate the 50th anniversary of Allen and Belinda Burmeister.

MISSION SUNDAY: Today is Mission Sunday. Our Mission for this month is BOLM. See below more details.

THE MISSION FOR JULY & AUGUST is (BOLM) Biblical Orthodox Lutheran Mission: This mission shares Christ's love with Arabic speaking people, Muslims, and others nationally and internationally. They established a temporary shelter for persecuted Iraqi Christians. BOLM goes where the need is, without saying "No" to any fellow Christian in severe need. LCMS Pastor George Naeem is ready to go to any church, anywhere in the USA, to preach the Gospel and proclaim how our loving Lord is reaching Muslims and other non-Christians through the BOLM ministry.

LWML ROCKY MOUNTAIN DISTRICT TIDINGS MAGAZINE: For those of you that have internet access, the July/August 2022 Rocky Mountain District Tidings is available online. Go to LWMLRMD.org and click on Tidings on the home page.

CHRIST FOR YOU this week on KFUE.org: Study a variety of Psalms on Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT), study Genesis 35-39 on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11:00 a.m. CT), and join us for Daily Chapel from the LCMS International Center weekdays at 10:00 a.m. CT. Find your favorite programs on demand at kfue.org or on the KFUE Radio app!

ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE: Hosted by LWML, the Annual Rummage Sale will be on Saturday, August 14. Now's the time to start cleaning out those closets, drawers, garages & sheds!! PLEASE don't bring any items until August 1st. We need all the rooms for Vacation Bible School. Things will be cleared out after VBS to make room for everyone's donations. Funds raised go to support six missions chosen by the Trinity LWML society. Questions contact Yvonne Steeby or Vicki Leonard.

TRACT OF THE MONTH: The Tract of the Month for July is "An Ingrate's Guide to Contentment: Five Practices for a More Content Life – No Matter Who You Are." Do you feel that you are not content with yourself and with your life? "Contentment in this world is an elusive thing. Even with our necessities met and a few perks thrown in for good measure, it can still feel like something's missing. The truth of the matter is there will always be a void if we tie our sense of inner peace to the fleeting things of this world. Offering insight on some key 'practices' to implement concerning contentment, the author shows how being truly satisfied is very much tied to our perspective. Citing the apostle Paul's illuminating view on contentment as found in the book of Philippians, the author drills down to the Source of true peace and satisfaction in this life." Check it out!

WORSHIP ANEW is a National Lutheran TV program sponsored by Terry Marquardt and Trinity Lutheran Church of Alamogordo. It's on KVBA Vision Broadcasting, on Sunday at 12:30 p.m. or Wednesdays at 11:30 a.m. It's streaming on KVBATV.org or 14.1 Digital, 19 Analog, 22 Cable. (times listed below)

Sunday	5:30 AM	Sunday 12:30 PM
Wed.	11:30 AM	Friday 8:00 AM
Friday	2:00 PM	Friday 6:30 PM

T H I S W E E K

SUNDAY, JULY 17 THROUGH SUNDAY, JULY 24, 2022

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>EVENT</u>
SUNDAY	9:00 A.M. 10:15 A.M. <i>After church</i>	Christian Education Hour Divine Worship/Communion <i>50th Anniversary reception for Allen & Belinda Burmeister</i>
MONDAY	1:00 PM	<i>Summer Youth group</i>
TUESDAY	9:30 AM 1:00 PM	<i>Ruth Bible Study</i> <i>Summer Youth Group</i>
WEDNESDAY	9:0 AM 10:30 A.M. 5:00 P.M.	<i>Men's Bible Study</i> TOPS TOPS
THURSDAY	1:00 PM 7:00 PM	<i>Summer Youth group</i> <i>Board of Directors meeting</i>
SUNDAY	9:00 A.M. 10:15 A.M.	Christian Education Hour Divine Worship

ALTAR FLOWERS

*The flowers adorning the chancel area this morning have been placed to the glory of God by
Bob and Jan Thede in honor of their 54th wedding anniversary.*

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S GRACE

SUNDAY, JULY 10, 2022: WORSHIPPED: 76
SUNDAY, JULY 10, 2022: GENERAL FUND: \$3,431.00
Estimated Weekly Budget Requirement: \$4,137.00
DOLLAR PROJECT: \$12.00
FLOWERS: \$54.00

ASSISTING IN OUR WORSHIP TODAY

HOSTS:	Bob & Jan Thede	ELDER:	Matt Anderson
		ACOLYTE:	Dylan Sebring
ALTAR GUILD:	Belinda Burmeister Cheryl Richey	TELLERS:	Susan Kelly Sandy Klose
ATTENDANCE:	Lisa Collins	SOUND TECH:	Matt Anderson
USHERS:	Robert Johnson, Trey Johnson Ray Krueger, Bob Thede		
1ST LESSON:	Lola Ableidinger	2ND LESSON:	Susan Kelly

ASSISTING IN OUR WORSHIP SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY, JULY 17TH

HOSTS:	Tammy Thede Irvin Torres	ELDER:	Jim Wilkes
		ACOLYTE:	Reilly Quinn
ALTAR GUILD:	Belinda Burmeister Cheryl Richey	TELLERS:	Bob Klose Joyce Macon
ATTENDANCE:	Lisa Collins	SOUND TECH:	Bob Klose
USHERS:	Bob & Sandy Klose Gerald Moore, David Teller		
1ST LESSON:	Cheryl Sandenaw	2ND LESSON:	Lisa Collins

ACOLYTE SCHEDULE FOR JULY

JULY 3	ZAC SANCHEZ
JULY 10	DYLAN SEBRING
JULY 17	REILLY QUINN
JULY 24	MACEY SEBRING
JULY 31	DYLAN SEBRING

**HEAVENLY FATHER, WE COME TO YOU IN
PRAISE AND PRAYER**

FOR COURAGE, GRACE, FAITH, AND HEALING WITHIN YOUR WILL

Lois Babcock, Hunter Bednorz, Arlene Calixto, Carol Collins, Rob Davis, **Laurie Di Paolo**, Harriett Douglas, Zac Epps, Owen Frantz, Winnie Hardson, **Cyndi Heithold**, Greg Hodgdon, Wayne Holmes, Marilyn Hughes, Scout Hughes, Ronda Jones, Shannon Jones, **Sandy Klose**, Jake Koller, Janet Landt, Ty Landt, Ron Linn, Jordon Manzanares, Janet Marsh, Jerry Miller, Melissa Miller, **Darlene Oberling**, Chad Parks, Logan Radford, **Susan Rentschler**, Connie Rogers, Jessica Schroeder, Crystal Sean, Lynn Skinner, **Nora Sotak**, Christine Vertain, Ron Wilkes, **Lee Wood**, Martyrs for the faith, Our Nation's Leaders,

We also pray for those who are on the long-term prayers in the Trinitarian.

FOR FRIENDS AND FAMILY IN THE MILITARY

Tom Bass, Shannon Bowmar, **Zac Collins**, Matthew Dommers, Brendan Guaritanno, Caleb Jaecks, Jason Lee, **Natasha Thomas**, Tanner Wedd, and all troops serving in harms way

LEST WE FORGET

PRAISES AND THANKSGIVING

Allen & Belinda Burmeister (50th wedding anniversary celebration)

Laura Klose (good test results)

Sunny Kate Strong (new daughter of Faith & Reed Strong and great-granddaughter of Ray & Sandra Krueger)

FOR OUR HOMEBOUND

Kay Burger, Lothar Butzkies, Rodney Greer, Denise Griffiths, Shirley Hill, Clarence Hust, Connie Johnson

AMEN

PRAYER REQUEST CARDS

If you wish to place a name on the prayer list, you must complete a **blue prayer request card**. The cards are located on the credenza to the right as you leave the sanctuary. If the individual needs to remain on the prayer list, the requester will have to update the request card every two weeks by calling the church office or completing a new card. If not updated after two weeks on the weekly prayer list, each name will be transferred to the extended prayer list which will be published in the Trinitarian.