



Trinity Lutheran Church
Saturday, November 2, 2024
All Saints' Weekend

*Indicates please stand as you are able

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

"For All the Saints"

Ralph Vaughn Williams

arr. Mark Hayes

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ALL SAINTS LITANY

P: Gracious God, you are to be praised for the people whose faithful witness to your love inspires each generation of your people:

C: Sarah, Abraham and Isaac, who trusted your provision, even when faced with sacrificial, faithful decisions.

P: Jacob, the father of the nation Israel who gets a blessing by trickery, runs away, and still receives your promise.

C: Moses, who was reluctant, and still heard your holy name, I AM, leading your people out of slavery.

P: Israelites, complaining and whining to go home, back into slavery, but you fed them with manna, meat, and water in barren wilderness.

C: Elijah who you showed up to in the silence.

P: Paul of Tarsus, who was beaten and shipwrecked while carrying the Gospel to us, the Gentiles;

C: Mary Magdalene, the first apostle, who ran from the tomb crying out that Jesus was alive;

P: Katie Luther, Who fed, nourished, educated, counseled, and comforted her household and the community of Wittenberg.

C: St. Julian of Norwich, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Saint Claire of Assis, and Saint Dorothy Day, who carried your mission throughout the world and benevolence throughout the nation.

P: All the saints of this congregation whom we name before you today and light a candle in their memory.

Esther Johnson

Edna Schaefer

Rick Walberg

Thomas Sersen

Henrietta Richardson

Lila Schilling

Chris Fendler

Sonia Nornes

Faye Huddleston

Charlene Mulnix

P: We invite you to come and light a candle for family or friends who you remember especially today. We remember together and entrust them to God's sacred care. If you cannot make it forward and would like to light a candle, please motion, and one of the clergy will bring a candle to you.

(Pause)

P: Let us pray.

C: **God of all people, we recall the names of these witnesses, we pray they will inspire us with their extravagance: excessive love, flagrant mercy, radical affection, exorbitant charity, immoderate faith, and intemperate hope as in the way of Jesus Christ. Amen.**

"Celebrating All Saints Day: Resources for Congregational Ministry and Worship,"
Rev. Richard J. Hull II, Contributing Author.

GATHERING SONG

"Agnus Dei"

Michael W Smith

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Verse

Alleluia alleluia

For the Lord God Almighty reigns

Alleluia alleluia

For the Lord God Almighty reigns

Alleluia

Chorus

(You are) Holy holy

Are You Lord God Almighty

Worthy is the Lamb

Worthy is the Lamb

You are holy holy

Are You Lord God Almighty

Worthy is the Lamb

Worthy is the Lamb

Amen

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Almighty God, you have knit your people together in one communion in the mystical body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

KID'S SERMON

GOSPEL READING

JOHN 11:32-44

L: The Gospel according to John chapter 11

³²When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." ³³When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. ³⁴He said, "Where have you laid him?" They said to him, "Lord, come and see." ³⁵Jesus began to weep. ³⁶So the Jews said, "See how he loved him!" ³⁷But some of them said, "Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?" ³⁸Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. ³⁹Jesus said, "Take away the stone." Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, "Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days." ⁴⁰Jesus said to her, "Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?" ⁴¹So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, "Father, I thank you for having heard me. ⁴²I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me." ⁴³When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" ⁴⁴The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, "Unbind him, and let him go."

L: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON

Pastor Rick

PRAISE SONG

"For All the Saints"
vs. 1 3 6

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Ralph Vaughan Williams Public Domain

1 For all the saints who from their labors rest,
who thee by faith before the world confessed,
thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest.

Alleluia! Alleluia!

3 Oh, blest communion, fellowship divine,
we feebly struggle, they in glory shine;
yet all are one in thee, for all are thine.

Alleluia! Alleluia!

6 But then there breaks a yet more glorious day:
the saints triumphant rise in bright array;
the King of glory passes on his way.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

We believe in the God of life,

who creates and loves people,

who acts in history

and who promises never to leave us alone.

We believe in Jesus of Nazareth,

who is our brother,

who wants not to be idolized but to be followed.

We believe that we dwell in the presence of the Holy Spirit;

without her we are nothing;

filled with her we are able to become creative, lively and free.

We believe in the Church of Jesus Christ,

a community where we find companions and courage for the struggles of life,

where we grow in our understanding of the faith,

through worship, prayer, nurture and service.

We believe God has a use for us in this time and place,

that though we walk through the valley of the shadow of death,

we are called to be instruments of God's peace.

We believe in living, hoping, laughing, and enjoying the good of the earth;

We believe that people can change, and God keeps pulling us

to life and to a new world of joy and peace.

-- The Reverend Dr. Constance M. Baugh

I am a Presbyterian minister who wrote this affirmation for a prison ministry. It was used in the service of Holy Communion to celebrate the Twenty-Fifth Anniversary of the Ordination of Women to the Priesthood in the Episcopal Church

PRAYERS

P: Merciful god,

C: receive our prayer.

PEACE

P: The peace of Christ be with you all.

C: **And also with you.**

OFFERING

MISSION MOMENT

Thank you for your offerings that support our funeral ministry. Funerals take time and resources from our volunteers and staff - and your gifts allow us the opportunity to care for families during these times of grief.

*If you have a monetary offering, please place in the plate as you leave worship today,
or use this code to give electronically:*



OFFERTORY PRAYER

P: Lord Jesus, our portion and our cup, you offered yourself in love for the world, and in this meal you nourish us with your life. Fill us with your abundance, that we may feed the hungry and welcome the stranger, trusting in your name.

C: **Amen.**

GREAT THANKSGIVING

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts

C: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

P: In the night...

...gave it to the disciples, saying:

C: **Take and eat, this is my body given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.**

P: ...gave it for all to drink, saying:

C: **This cup is the new promise in my blood, shed for you and for all people, for the forgiveness of sin. Do this in remembrance of me.**

LORD'S PRAYER

ELW pg. 112

Our Father in heaven, holy be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

COMMUNION

COMMUNION BLESSING

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in God's grace.

C: Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Faithful God, you have spread before us a feast of rich food and drink in the body and blood of your Son. Now send us out to labor with you, in service to the world you have made, and among the people you have made your home, in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

BLESSING

P: The Ancient One, enthroned, the Crucified One, now risen, the Indwelling One, poured out, † bless you now and forever.

C: Amen.

SENDING SONG

"The Blessing"

Chris Brown, Cody Carnes,

Kari Jobe & Steven Furtick

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Verse

The Lord bless you
And keep you
Make his face shine upon you
And be gracious to you
The Lord turn his
Face toward you
And give you peace

Chorus

Amen

Amen

Amen

Verse
The Lord bless you
And keep you
Make his face shine upon you
And be gracious to you
The Lord turn his
Face toward you
And give you peace

Chorus
Amen
Amen
Amen

Bridge
May his favor
Be upon you
And a thousand generations
And your family
And your children
And their children
And their children

Bridge
May his presence
Go before you
And behind you
And beside you
All around you
And within you
He is with you
He is with you

Bridge
In the morning
In the evening
In your coming
And your going
In your weeping
And rejoicing
He is for you
He is for you

Tag
He is for you
He is for you

Chorus
Amen
Amen
Amen

Verse
The Lord bless you
And keep you
Make his face shine upon you
And be gracious to you
The Lord turn his
Face toward you
And give you peace

SENDING

P: Go in peace. Encourage one another in Christ.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

"The Blessing"
(reprised)

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Kari Jobe & Steven Furtick
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Arr. Clinton Ellerbe

Prayer List

Members

Mourning for Charlene Mulnix
Mourning for Faye Huddleston
Carol Arnold
Mourning for Sonia Nornes
Eileen Ackerson
Steve Cobb
Polly Sersen
Jessica Peterson-Vecchio
Kent Garvin
Carol Hemken
Mary Alice Spelts
Shirley Garvin
Barb Klamann
Howard Smith
Cooper Hopkins
Mary Ann Armstrong
Madyson Hopkins

Friends & Family

Teresita Neilsen & Jeff Neilsen, family of Pat Wiedower
Mourning for Martin, friend/co-worker of Chris Mize
Tony & family, brother/family of Martin
Eleanor & Ron Christopher & Baby, daughter of
Margaret & Jim Frye
Hattie Sears, friend of Dan Merz
Amy Goodhart, owner of Magpies Boutique & friend of
Ronda Simmons
Those impacted by Hurricanes Helene & Milton
Greta, sister of Ronda Simmons
Joe, cousin of Scott Simmons
Laura LePage, friend of Don & Jan Garman
Mary Ellerbe, mother of Clinton Ellerbe
Ami Watson, niece of Melanie Eber
Mort Larsen, uncle of Cheryl Dolan
Micah Goeglein, grandson of Howard & Lois Smith
Mother Rosean Amaral
James Neil Borkowski, nephew of Clint Borkowski
Beth Green, friend of Jo Anne & James Gearhart
Ailis McVearyy, grand-daughter of Carol Hemken
Helen Ohail, friend of Howard & Lois Smith
Beth Barnett, daughter of Carolyn & Eric Biedermann
Erin Slocum, daughter of Patty & Don Heyse

Guests and Visitors: A special welcome to you from Trinity's clergy and congregation members. We pray that this worship will bring you comfort, joy and renewal. All are invited to receive the bread and wine of Holy Communion (gluten free wafers and juice are available). ELW page numbers can be found in the front 1/3rd of the red hymnal, and song numbers are in the back. If you have any questions about the worship service or Trinity, our clergy or welcome table hosts are happy to help.

Your offering is your presence with us in community. We encourage you to fill out a welcome card and place it in the offering plate at the table as you enter or exit. Please pick up a 'Sweet Treat' welcome plate from the welcome desk as you leave, and join us again!

Parents and Caregivers: Please know that God's children of all ages are welcome in worship. Children are invited to bring one of our specially prepared "worship activity bags" into the worship service. They are available in the narthex as you enter the sanctuary. If you wish to step out with your child, the Family Break Room is just outside the worship space, where you can still view and hear the service. On Sunday, if you prefer, we also offer a fully trained Nursery staffed by Tiffany K. and Zoe K.

Special needs: Hearing-assistance devices are available during our services. Holy Communion can also be brought to the seats of those who are unable to come forward. Our Welcome Table Hosts can help with any of these special needs

In Ministry Today

Worship Assistant: Sherry Albertson-Clark
Communion Prep: Sherry Albertson-Clark
Prayer Writer: Sara Mullarkey
Welcome Table Host: Ron Bend
Fellowship Host: Ron Bend
Bread Baker: Dan Merz
Flower Arrangement: Volunteers from
St Paul's Episcopal

Trinity's Clergy Leaders:

Deacon Katie Kline & Pastor Rick Reiten

Trinity's Staff:

Carrie Hansen	Music Coord. & Organist
Tessa Espinosa	Chancel Choir Director
Clinton Ellerbe	Saturday Worship Leader
Jill Hunt	Bells of Trinity Director
Brenda Harju	TLC Preschool Director
Brenda Moore	Financial Manager
Deana Andrist	Office Administrator
Amanda Backsen	Director of Communications & Volunteer Coord.
Claire Pickerel	AV Technician
Jennifer Reeve	Shared Children's Minister
Tiffany Klijewski	Nursery Coord.
Zoe Klaman	Shared Nursery Attendant

Staff Emails are available on our website

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR:

Monday (Nov 4)

9:30 am Trinity Readers-Room 2/Zoom
12 pm Sermon Discussion-Fireside
6 pm Property-Fireside

Tuesday (Nov 5)

7:30 am Men's Breakfast @ Breakfast Club
5:30 pm Soc/Eco Justice-Room 2/Zoom
6:15 pm FP Soc/Eco Justice-Room 2/Zoom

Wednesday (Nov 6)

Volunteer @ Irish Elementary
5:15 pm Bells of Trinity-Room 1
6:30 pm Chancel Choir

Thursday (Nov 7)

9:30 am Bible Study-Room 2/Zoom
10 am Making Lefse-Kitchen

Friday (Nov 8)

10 am Quilting Group-Room 2
1 pm Charlene Mulnix Funeral
6:30 pm TGIF @ Liz & Paul Johnson's

Saturday (Nov 9)

11 am Funeral-Sonia Nornes
5 pm Praise Service

Sunday (Nov 10)

9 am Adult Forum-Room 2
9 am Confirmation-Room 8
9 am Sunday School-Room 3
10:30 am Worship
11:30 am Fellowship

Coming Up:

Saturday, November 16 from 9-12

Fall Clean Up

Sunday, November 17 @ 1130am

Congregational Meeting

To watch a recorded service, go to <https://www.youtube.com/@trinitylutheranFC>
Or visit our website and click on "To view recorded services click HERE!"

Trinity Lutheran Church is a Reconciling in Christ congregation.

Trinity Lutheran – ELCA is a welcoming and inclusive faith community.

We are Reconciling in Christ, which means we strive to ensure the welcome, inclusion, celebration, and advocacy for people of all sexual orientations, gender identities, and gender expressions; and to work for racial equity and to commit to anti-racist work.

We welcome believers, seekers, and the curious, regardless of religious background. God makes no distinction based on race; ethnicity; immigration status; economic status; physical, mental, or developmental circumstances; or other life circumstances. God loves and welcomes all people.

Therefore, we welcome all people to the life of Christ at Trinity.

So, how can you learn more about Trinity?

Visit our website at www.trinitylutheranfc.org

Consider joining us for worship or one of our ministry events.

Contact one of our clergy for a chat.

We believe we are not a complete community, and that God is calling new people to join us and to find their place at Trinity.

We invite you join us on the journey of faith!

Saturdays at 5p.m. (Livestreamed & Recorded for Viewing)

Sundays 10:30 a.m. (Livestreamed & Recorded for Viewing)

Trinity is a welcoming faith community living together in God's love to share the joy of Jesus Christ.

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