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TO MAKE THE SAINTS - "WISE UNTO SALVATION" AND TO "EQUIP FOR SERVING"

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Welcome to Trinity!

September 22, 2024

18th Sunday after Pentecost

Divine Service, Setting 4

Worship:

Sundays at 8:00am and 10:30am

Sunday School/Bible Class:

Sundays at 9:15am

**DRAW NEAR
TO GOD,
AND HE WILL
DRAW NEAR
TO YOU.**

J A M E S 4 : 8

+ CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION +

611 CHIEF OF SINNERS THOUGH I BE



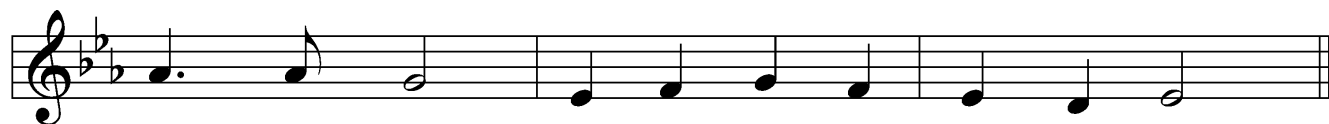
1 Chief of sin - ners though I be, Je - sus shed His
2 Oh, the height of Je - sus' love, High - er than the
3 On - ly Je - sus can im - part Balm to heal the
4 Chief of sin - ners though I be, Christ is all in
5 O my Sav - ior, help af - ford By Your Spir - it



blood for me, Died that I might live on high,
heav'ns a - bove, Deep - er than the depths of sea,
wound - ed heart, Peace that flows from sin for - giv'n,
all to me; All my wants to Him are known,
and Your Word! When my way - ward heart would stray,



Lives that I might nev - er die. As the branch is
Last - ing as e - ter - ni - ty! Love that found me—
Joy that lifts the soul to heav'n, Faith and hope to
All my sor - rows are His own. He sus - tains the
Keep me in the nar - row way; Grace in time of



to the vine, I am His, and He is mine.
won - drous thought! Found me when I sought Him not.
walk with God In the way that E - noch trod.
hid - den life Safe with Him from earth - ly strife.
need sup - ply While I live and when I die.

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Tune: Richard Redhead, 1820–1901

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(Stand)

(The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.)

P In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C who made heaven and earth.

P If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

C But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.

P Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

(Kneel/Sit)

C Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.

P Almighty God, merciful Father, in Holy
Baptism You declared us to be Your children and
gathered us into Your one, holy Church, in which
You daily and richly forgive us our sins and grant
us new life through Your Spirit. Be in our midst,
enliven our faith, and graciously
receive our prayer and praise; through Your Son,
Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C Amen.

(Stand)

+ SERVICE OF THE WORD +

INTROIT Psalm 37:5–7; antiphon: v. 4

P Delight yourself in the LORD,

C and he will give you the desires of your heart.

P Commit your way to the LORD;

C trust in him, and he will act.

P He will bring forth your righteousness as the light,

C and your justice as the noonday.

P Be still before the LORD and wait patiently for him;

C fret not yourself over the one who prospers in
his way, over the man who carries out evil
devices!

ALL: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to

the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

P Delight yourself in the LORD,

C and he will give you the desires of your heart.

KYRIE

LSB 204



C Lord, have mer - cy; Christ, have mer - cy; Lord, have mer - cy.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

LSB 204



C 1 To God on high be glo - ry And peace to all the earth;
2 To You, O sole - be - got - ten, The Fa - ther's Son, we pray;
3 For You a - lone are ho - ly; You on - ly are the Lord.



Good-will from God in heav - en Pro - claimed at Je - sus' birth!
O Lamb of God, our Sav - ior, You take our sins a - way.
For - ev - er and for - ev - er, Be wor - shiped and a - dored;



We praise and bless You, Fa - ther; Your ho - ly name, we sing—
Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus; Re - ceive our heart - felt cry,
You with the Ho - ly Spir - it A - lone are Lord Most High,



Our thanks for Your great glo - ry, Lord God, our heav'n-ly King.
Where You in pow'r are seat - ed At God's right hand on high—
In God the Fa - ther's glo - ry. "A - men!" our glad re - ply.

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Let us pray. O God, whose strength is made perfect in weakness, grant us humility and childlike faith that we may please You in both will and deed; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

(Sit)

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Jeremiah 11:18–20

¹⁸The LORD made it known to me and I knew;
then you showed me their deeds.

¹⁹But I was like a gentle lamb
led to the slaughter.

I did not know it was against me
they devised schemes, saying,

“Let us destroy the tree with its fruit,
let us cut him off from the land of the living,
that his name be remembered no more.”

²⁰But, O LORD of hosts, who judges righteously,

who tests the heart and the mind,
let me see your vengeance upon them,
for to you have I committed my cause.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

EPISTLE

James 3:13—4:10

¹³Who is wise and understanding among you? By his good conduct let him show his works in the meekness of wisdom. ¹⁴But if you have bitter jealousy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not boast and be false to the truth. ¹⁵This is not the wisdom that comes down from above, but is earthly, unspiritual, demonic. ¹⁶For where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there will be disorder and every vile practice. ¹⁷But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere. ¹⁸And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace.

¹What causes quarrels and what causes fights among you? Is it not this, that your passions are at war within you? ²You desire and do not have, so you murder. You covet and cannot obtain, so you fight and quarrel. You do not have, because you do not

ask. ³You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, to spend it on your passions. ⁴You adulterous people! Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity with God? Therefore whoever wishes to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God. ⁵Or do you suppose it is to no purpose that the Scripture says, “He yearns jealously over the spirit that he has made to dwell in us”? ⁶But he gives more grace. Therefore it says, “God opposes the proud, but gives grace to the humble.” ⁷Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. ⁸Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded. ⁹Be wretched and mourn and weep. Let your laughter be turned to mourning and your joy to gloom. ¹⁰Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will exalt you.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

(Stand)

ALLELUIA AND VERSE



C Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.



C These things are writ - ten that you may be - lieve that



Je - sus is the Christ, the Son of God.



C Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

HOLY GOSPEL

Mark 9:30–37

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the ninth chapter.

C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

³⁰[The disciples] went on from there and passed through Galilee. And [Jesus] did not want anyone to know, ³¹for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, “The Son of Man is going to be delivered into the hands of men, and they will kill him. And when he is killed, after three days he will rise.” ³²But they did not understand the saying, and were afraid to ask him.

³³And they came to Capernaum. And when he was in the house he asked them, “What were you discussing on the way?” ³⁴But they kept silent, for on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. ³⁵And he sat down and called the twelve. And he said to them, “If anyone would be first, he must be last of all and servant of all.” ³⁶And he took a child and put him in the midst of them, and taking him in his arms, he said to them, ³⁷“Whoever receives one such child in my name receives me, and whoever receives me, receives not me but him who sent me.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

APOSTLES' CREED

C I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to

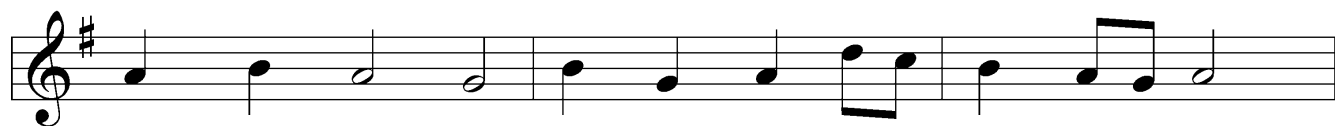
judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life † everlasting. Amen.

(Sit)

545 WORD OF GOD, COME DOWN ON EARTH



1 Word of God, come down on earth, Liv - ing rain from
 2 Word e - ter - nal, throned on high, Word that brought to
 3 Word that caused blind eyes to see, Speak and heal our
 4 Word that speaks God's ten - der love, One with God be -



heav'n de - scend - ing; Touch our hearts and bring to birth
 life cre - a - tion, Word that came from heav'n to die,
 mor - tal blind - ness; Deaf we are: our heal - er be;
 yond all tell - ing, Word that sends us from a - bove,



Faith and hope and love un - end - ing. Word al - might - y,
 Cru - ci - fied for our sal - va - tion, Sav - ing Word, the
 Loose our tongues to tell Your kind - ness. Be our Word in
 God the Spir - it, with us dwell - ing, Word of truth, to



we re - vere You; Word made flesh, we long to hear You.
 world re - stor - ing, Speak to us, Your love out - pour - ing.
 pit - y spo - ken, Heal the world, by sin now bro - ken.
 all truth lead us; Word of life, with one bread feed us.

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SERMON

(Stand)

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH We respond with **Amen**. Prayer requests: **Michael Winter, Connie Hansen, Todd Bender, Marie Rietbrock, Ken Korb, Barb Wolfert, Vickie Cudworth, the family of Judy Lutzke, Jack Kober, John Roediger, the family of Ede Plocar, and our shut-ins.**

(Sit)

OFFERING—Please rise as the offerings are brought forward to the altar.

LORD'S PRAYER

☐ Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

P Let us bless the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

BENEDICTION

P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

C Amen.

(Sit)

702 MY FAITH LOOKS UP TO THEE



1 My faith looks up to Thee, Thou Lamb of Cal - va - ry,
 2 May Thy rich grace im - part Strength to my faint - ing heart;
 3 While life's dark maze I tread And griefs a - round me spread,
 4 When ends life's tran - sient dream, When death's cold, sul - len stream



Sav - ior di - vine. Now hear me while I pray; Take all my
 My zeal in - spire! As Thou hast died for me, Oh, may my
 Be Thou my guide; Bid dark - ness turn to day, Wipe sor - row's
 Shall o'er me roll, Blest Sav - ior, then, in love, Fear and dis -



guilt a - way; O let me from this day Be whol - ly Thine!
 love to Thee Pure, warm, and change - less be, A liv - ing fire!
 tears a - way, Nor let me ev - er stray From Thee a - side.
 trust re - move; O bear me safe a - bove, A ran - somed soul!

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Trinity Messenger

Thank you to Ethan Winter for playing for us this week. We appreciate your time and talents!

This bulletin was sponsored **Birthday Blessings to:** Avery Sachse, Sierra Schobert, Wally Born, Eric Luecke, Ben Englebert, Dawn Hopf, Nicole Peter, and Ava Grunewald.

Flowers for this week are from Dan and Connie Bitter in celebration of Brandon and Reed's birthdays.

This week's bulletin is sponsored by Linda and Michael Senkbeil in celebration of their 45th Anniversary.

For **upcoming committee/officer elections**, the congregation has until September 30th to submit nominations. Please speak with Dale Hopf for any questions or nominations.

Meetings this week: Monday at 1:00pm—Quilting **Wednesday** at 4:30pm—6th Grade Confirmation, 5:30pm 7th/8th Grade Confirmation.

Pizza Sale: It's that time of year! Our Pizza Sale is starting this week.

Toppings and Prices are as follows:

Cheese: 3 for \$21.50 or \$7.50 each

Mix and Match: Plain Pepperoni and/or Plain Sausage: 3 for \$23.00 or \$8.00 each

Mix and Match: Sausage & Pepperoni, Sausage & Mushroom, and/or Pepperoni & Mushroom: 3 for \$24.50 or \$8.50 each
Veggie: 3 for \$24.50 or \$8.50 each
Supreme: 3 for \$27.50 or \$9.50 each

Orders due by: October 13

Pick up: October 26 between 11:30am-1:00pm. Any questions, please contact Aaron Kuhlow or Dale Hopf.

St Mark Lutheran Church Men's Club will be holding their annual Pancake Supper featuring potato pancakes, wheat pancakes, along with sausage, applesauce, cake, coffee and milk. It will be held on Sunday, November 10th, from 3:00pm-6:00pm, at 1019 N 7th Street, Sheboygan, in the Fellowship Hall. Tickets are \$6.00 for children ten years old and younger, and \$10.00 for adults. Tickets can be purchased from the Men's Club or from the church office. For more information, please contact the church office at 920-458-4343.

Be a Crusader for a Day! Join 7th & 8th graders from our SALSA elementary schools on Tuesday, October 8th or Thursday, October 10th to get a glimpse of life at LHS! Students will be paired with a current Crusader, attend classes and chapel, hear our Pep Band, and more. Plus, we'll feed them lunch! Parents, you are invited too! Join us for chapel, a parent presentation on what makes SLHS unique, and helpful tips on making the leap from middle school to high school...followed by a free lunch. To learn more or to register, visit lutheranhigh.com/crusaderday.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Acolytes</u>	<u>Greeters</u>	<u>Video Operators</u>
September 22	8:00am	Cooper Schmidt and Emmet Kunze	Scott and Linda Plocar	Craig Lallensack
	10:30am	Rylan Bahr and Carson Grunewald	Mark and Karen Plocar	
September 29	8:00am	Andie Koenig and Macey Schueler	Barb Wolfert	Scott Timm
	10:30am	Emily Harris and Avery Sachse	Dave and Robie Scharinger	

<u>September</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Elders</u>
8:00am	Team 3	Aaron Kuhlow
10:30am	Team 2	Jim Post

<u>Date</u>	<u>Altar Guild</u>
Sept 9 - Sept 22	Ann Parnitzke and Patsy Sixel
Sept 23 - Oct 6	Wendy Forward and Debbie Henschel

<u>September 15, 2024 Offering</u>	
General	\$6,621.00
AbleLight	\$5.00
Kitchen Remodel	\$50.00
Church Improvement	\$881.00
Endowment Fund	\$20.00

<u>September 15, 2024 Attendance</u>
8:00am: 80
10:30am: 84
Total: 164