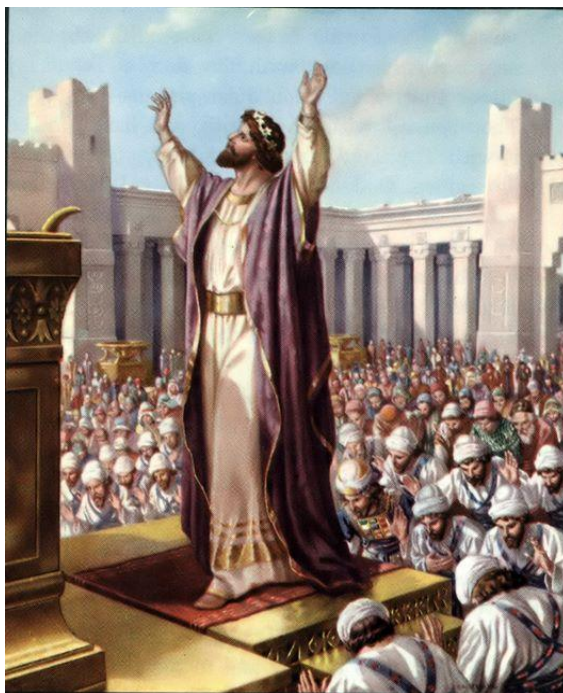


Trinity Lutheran Church

“Sharing the Caring Christ with all People”

2163 Mayhew Lake Rd. NE
Sauk Rapids, MN 56379



The Second Sunday after Pentecost

May 29, 2016

8:00 a.m.

*Trinity is a member of the Prince of Peace Lutheran School Association
and the Good Shepherd Community.*

WELCOME!

We pray that your time in worship will encourage
and strengthen you!

We share the greatest hope through the one
who loves you most – Jesus Christ!

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| Officiating Today | 8:00am & | 10:30am | Rev. Paul Cloeter |
| Organist | 8:00am | | Daniel Reineke |
| Musician | | 10:30am | Ruth Immerfall |
| Screen Team | 8:00am | | Creighton Clark |
| | | 10:30am | Paul Benson |
| Lector | 8:00am | | Tim Meemken |
| | | 10:30am | Gayleen Dierks |
| Visuals | 8:00am & | 10:30am | Daniel Reineke |
| Acolyte | 8:00am | | Amanda Petersen, Amber Kutzorik |
| | | 10:30am | Denise Schultz, Britney Nieters |
| Altar Guild | | | Sue Bragelman, Gail Reginiek, Connie Bump |
| Information Desk | 8:00am | Zone - 3 | Sue Kulzer |
| | 10:30am | Zone - 4 | Sandy Austin |
| Greeters | 8:00am | Zone - 3 | Shirley Skuza, Lori Zipp |
| | 10:30am | Zone - 4 | Nancy Cloeter |
| Ushers | 8:00am | Zone - 3 | Wayne Smolnik, Loren Tvrdik, Fred Joesting, John Heintze, Chuck Hoese, Jon Roesch |
| | 10:30am | Zone - 4 | John Hiltel, Marvin Neubert, Karen Petron-Broda, Wayne & Sue Kulzer, Janet Renn, Chris Kutzorik |

The Second Sunday after Pentecost

Matins Service (LSB pg 219)

May 29, 2016

8:00am

AS WE GATHER We now begin the long “green” season of Sundays after Pentecost. This is the teaching season in which the focus of the Lessons turns from the events in Christ’s life to His teaching. The Time of the Church begins with a commendable faith from a surprising source. A Roman centurion heard about Jesus, asked for Jesus to intervene for his servant who was sick, and demonstrated remarkable confidence in the word and promise of the Son of God. We pray that we may have such trust in the word and promise of God and hold to this unchanging Gospel without fear.

PRESERVICE MUSIC

MEMORIAL DAY TRIBUTE: “Hymn to the Fallen” ... John Williams

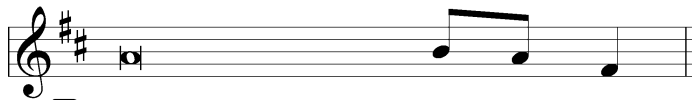
A visual tribute to the total number of those whose lives were sacrificed during WWII

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING HYMN: “Eternal Father Strong to Save” LSB 717



L O Lord, o - pen my lips,



G and my mouth will de - clare Your praise.



L Make haste, O God, to de - liv - er me;



C make haste to help me, O Lord.



C Glo-ry be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spir - it;



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and will be for-ev-er. A - men.



Common: Praise to You, O Christ. Al - le - lu - ia.

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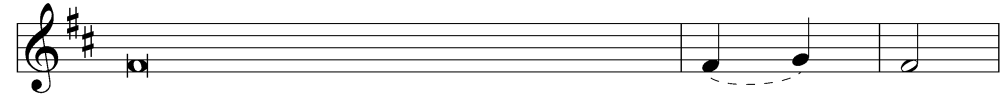


L Blessed be God, the Fa-ther, the Son, and the Ho-ly Spir - it.



C O come, let us wor - ship Him.

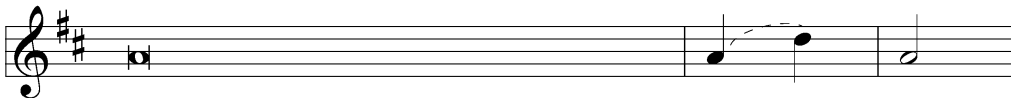
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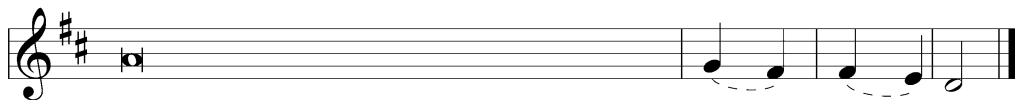
C 1 O come, let us sing to the Lord,
2 For the Lord is a great God
3 The sea is His, for He made it,
5 Glory be to the Father and to the Son



1 let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our sal - va - tion.
2 and a great king a - bove all gods.
3 and His hand formed the dry land.
5 and to the Ho - ly Spir - it;



1 Let us come into His presence with thanks - giv - ing,
2 The deep places of the earth are in His hand;
3 O come, let us worship and bow_____ down,
4 For He is our God,
5 as it was in the be - - gin - ning,



1 let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise.
2 the strength of the hills is His_____ al - so.
3 let us kneel before the Lord, our mak - er.
4 and we are the people of His pasture and the sheep_____ of His hand.
5 is now, and will be for - - ev - er. A - men.

ANTIPHON



L Blessed be God, the Fa - ther, the Son, and the Ho - ly Spir - it.



C O come, let us wor - ship Him.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: 1 Kings 8:22-24, 27-29, 41-43

Then Solomon stood before the altar of the LORD in front of the whole assembly of Israel, spread out his hands toward heaven and said: “LORD, the God of Israel, there is no God like you in heaven above or on earth below—you who keep your covenant of love with your servants who continue wholeheartedly in your way. You have kept your promise to your servant David my father; with your mouth you have promised and with your hand you have fulfilled it—as it is today. “But will God really dwell on earth? The heavens, even the highest heaven, cannot contain you. How much less this temple I have built! Yet give attention to your servant’s prayer and his plea for mercy, LORD my God. Hear the cry and the prayer that your servant is praying in your presence this day. May your eyes be open toward this temple night and day, this place of which you said, ‘My Name shall be there,’ so that you will hear the prayer your servant prays toward this place. “As for the foreigner who does not belong to your people Israel but has come from

a distant land because of your name— for they will hear of your great name and your mighty hand and your outstretched arm—when they come and pray toward this temple, then hear from heaven, your dwelling place. Do whatever the foreigner asks of you, so that all the peoples of the earth may know your name and fear you, as do your own people Israel, and may know that this house I have built bears your Name.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God

HYMN: “God of our Fathers” *see video screens*

EPISTLE: Galatians 1:1-12

Paul, an apostle—sent not from men nor by a man, but by Jesus Christ and God the Father, who raised him from the dead— and all the brothers and sisters with me, To the churches in Galatia: Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ, who gave himself for our sins to rescue us from the present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father, to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen. I am astonished that you are so quickly deserting the one who called you to live in the grace of Christ and are turning to a different gospel—which is really no gospel at all. Evidently some people are throwing you into confusion and are trying to pervert the gospel of Christ. But even if we or an angel from heaven should preach a gospel other than the one we preached to you, let them be under God’s curse! As we have already said, so now I say again: If anybody is preaching to you a gospel other than what you accepted, let them be under God’s curse! Am I now trying to win the approval of human beings, or of God? Or am I trying to please people? If I were still trying to please people, I would not be a servant of Christ. I want you to know, brothers and sisters, that the gospel I preached is not of human origin. I did not receive it from any man, nor was I taught it; rather, I received it by revelation from Jesus Christ.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God

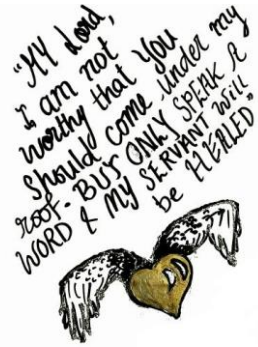
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HOLY GOSPEL: Luke 7:1-10

L: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the seventh chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

When Jesus had finished saying all this to the people who were listening, he entered Capernaum. There a centurion's servant, whom his master valued highly, was sick and about to die. The centurion heard of Jesus and sent some elders of the Jews to him, asking him to come and heal his servant. When they came to Jesus, they pleaded earnestly with him, "This man deserves to have you do this, because he loves our nation and has built our synagogue." So Jesus went with them. He was not far from the house when the centurion sent friends to say to him: "Lord, don't trouble yourself, for I do not deserve to have you come under my roof. That is why I did not even consider myself worthy to come to you. But say the word, and my servant will be healed. For I myself am a man under authority, with soldiers under me. I tell this one, 'Go,' and he goes; and that one, 'Come,' and he comes. I say to my servant, 'Do this,' and he does it." When Jesus heard this, he was amazed at him, and turning to the crowd following him, he said, "I tell you, I have not found such great faith even in Israel. Then the men who had been sent returned to the house and found the servant well.



L: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

RESPONSORY



- L** 1 Forever, O Lord, Your Word is firmly set in the heavens.
 2 Blessed are those who hear the Word of God and keep it.
 3 Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.



- C** Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.

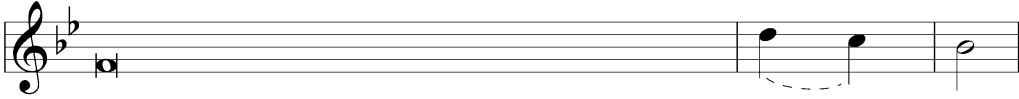
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CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

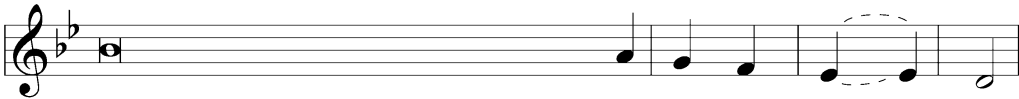
HYMN OF THE DAY: "Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty" LSB 901

SERMON: "Whose House is This?" (1 Kings 8: 22-24, 27-29, 41-43)

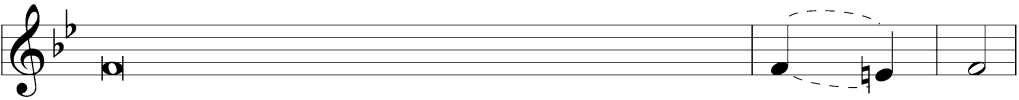
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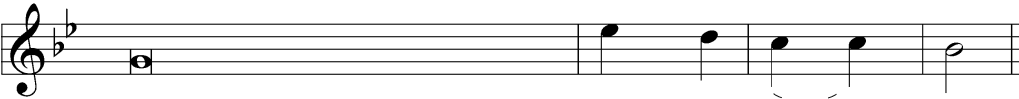
- 1 We praise You, O God; we acknowledge You to be the Lord.
- 2 Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Sab - a - oth;
- 3 The noble army of martyrs praise — You.



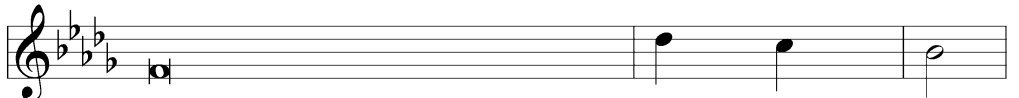
- 1 All the earth now worships You, the Fa - ther ev - er - last - ing.
- 2 heaven and earth are full of the majes - ty of Your glo - ry.
- 3 The holy Church throughout all the world does ac - knowledge You:



- 1 To You all angels cry aloud, the heavens and all the pow'rs there - in.
- 2 The glorious company of the apostles praise — You.
- 3 The Father of an infinite majesty; Your adorable, true, and on - ly Son;
- 4 You are the king of glory, O — Christ;

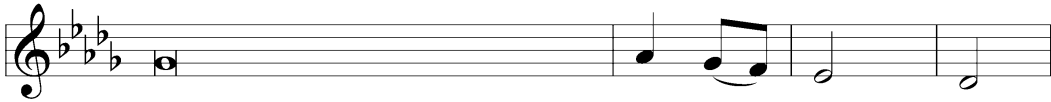


- 1 To You cherubim and seraphim con - tin - ual - ly do cry:
- 2 The goodly fellowship of the proph - ets praise — You.
- 3 also the Holy Ghost, the Com - fort - er.
- 4 You are the everlasting Son of the Fa - ther.

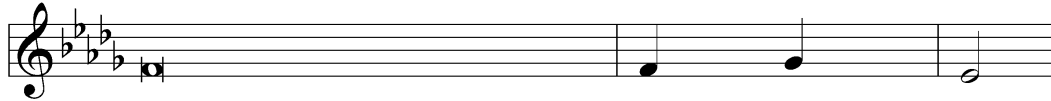


- 5 When You took upon Yourself to de - liv - er man,
- 6 You sit at the right hand of God

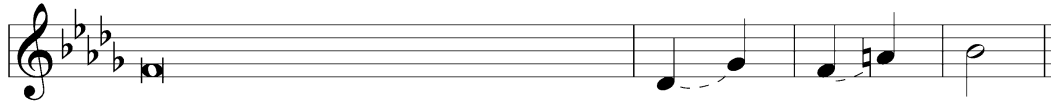




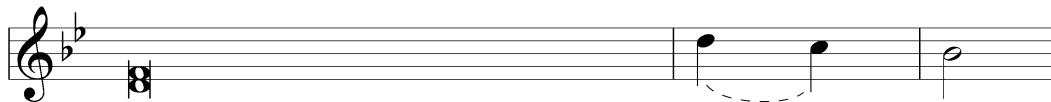
5 You humbled Yourself to be born of a vir - gin.
 6 in the glory of the Fa - ther.



5 When You had overcome the sharpness of death,
 6 We believe that You will come



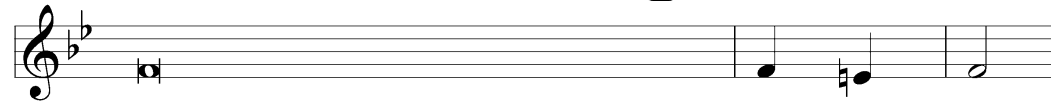
5 You opened the kingdom of heaven to all be - liev - ers.
 6 to be our judge.



7 We therefore pray You to help Your ser - vants,
 8 O Lord, save Your people and bless Your her - i - tage.
 9 Grant, O Lord, to keep us this day with - out sin.

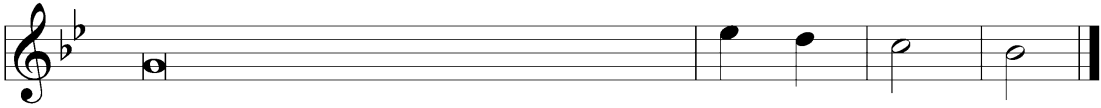


7 whom You have redeem - ed with Your pre - cious blood.
 8 Govern them and lift them up for - ev - er.
 9 O Lord, have mercy upon us, have mercy up - on us.



7 Make them to be numbered with Your saints
 8 Day by day we magni - fy You.
 9 O Lord, let Your mercy be upon us, as our trust is in You.





7 in glory ev - er - last - ing.
8 And we worship Your name for - ever and ev - er.
9 O Lord, in You have I trusted; let me never be con - found - ed.

OFFERING (*Please sign and date the Rite of Friendship pad located in the pew. The children are invited to bring their offerings to the front at this time.*)

KYRIE



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

THE LORD'S PRAYER

ALL: 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.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

P: O God, by Your almighty Word You set in order all things in heaven and on earth. Put away from us all things hurtful, and give us those things that are beneficial for us; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION AND THANKSGIVING


COLLECT FOR GRACE

P: O Lord, our heavenly Father, almighty and everlasting God, You have safely brought us to the beginning of this day. Defend us in the same with Your mighty power and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger, but that all our doings, being ordered by Your governance, may be righteous in Your sight; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



C A - men.

BENEDICAMUS




L Let us bless the Lord.

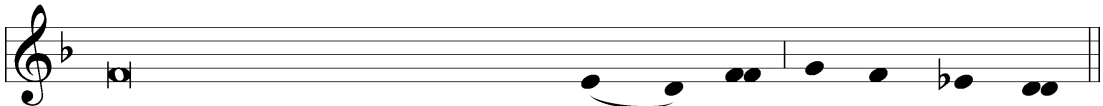


C Thanks be to God.

BENEDICTION 2 Corinthians 13:14



P The grace of our Lord † Je - sus Christ and the love of God



and the communion of the Holy Spir - it be with you all.



C A - men.

A MEMORIAL DAY PRAYER: See video screens

CLOSING HYMN: “God Bless Our Native Land” LSB 965

Trinity Lutheran Church

Announcements for May 29, 2016

Second Sunday after Pentecost

TODAY Worship Z3 8:00am
 Bible Class 9:15am
 Youth Study 9:15am
 Worship Z410:30am
 Anyuak Worship 12:00pm

MONDAY **MEMORIAL DAY** – Office closed
 Narcotics Anonymous 7:30pm

TUESDAY Friends in Harmony 7:00pm

WEDNESDAY Men’s Bible Study @ GS
 7:00am
 Finance Team Mtg. 8:30am
 Worship (HC) Z5
 Youth Night 6:00pm

THURSDAY Sewing and Crafts 9:00am

FRIDAY Parish Workers 9:00am

SATURDAY

Altar Guild 9:00am
 Traditional Music Rehearsal
 6:45pm

IN OUR WORSHIP SERVICES NEXT WEEK

Third Sunday after Pentecost

8:00am Worship Z1 (HC)
 9:15am Bible Class
 9:15am Youth Study
 10:30am Worship Z2
 12:00pm Anyuak Worship

Scripture Lessons:

*1 Kings 17:17-24; Galatians 1:11-24
 Luke 7:11-17*

Church Office Hours:

M-F 8:30am-2:30pm
 Open during the noon hour.
Church Office Phone 252-3670

**Look for Offering and Attendance
 information for May in the June Bulletins.**

Thank You!!

Sharing the Caring Christ with All People Luke 6:(20-26) 27-42: This world tells us that when we do something good we should get something in return. As missionaries for Christ, that is not the case. We are to give witness in word and deed, expecting nothing in return. **The reward is great in heaven for us and for those who come to faith through the proclamation of God's Word!**

Summer Worship Our first summer mid-week worship will be this Wed., June 1st at 6:00pm, with Holy Communion.

Today's Radio Broadcast is sponsored in loving memory of Robert and Elizabeth Kiekow by Robert and Nancy Michael, John and Janet Kardell and their families. We thank them for making today's broadcast possible. We have sponsorship openings in July and August. If you would like to sponsor a broadcast please complete a form and turn it in. Forms are available in the church office. The radio transmission enables our shut-ins, as well as others in our community to hear and participate in our worship. The service airs on WVAL 800 on the AM dial, at 8:00am, and live on the internet at www.800wval.com.

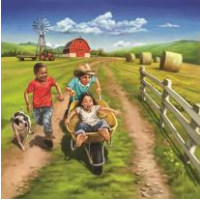


 **Sunday Morning Fellowship** Our servers for June are Virgil and Sue Bragelman. Members who have last names beginning with the letter "L" are asked to bring treats for our fellowship time during the month. If you can help, please sign up on the bulletin board.

Over 40 Military BibleSticks Purchased for our Troop! The Military BibleStick is a portable, digital audio player, which comes pre-loaded with the Audio Drama New Testament/Psalms. The total door offering received on May 22nd for Military BibleSticks was over \$1,000. Thanks to your generosity, those receiving these BibleSticks will be able to have their faith strengthened as they serve in our Armed Forces.

Prince of Peace Lutheran School is currently receiving the enrollment of new students for the 2016/2017 school year for Preschool through Grade 8. We offer small class sizes and a strong education within the setting of our Christian faith. Financial assistance is available to families who qualify. Contact Pastor Dave to arrange for a tour or to obtain more information (admin@princeofpeacels.org or pds@trinitysr.org or 251-1477).

Help! The Youth Room is in need of replacement furniture. Please talk to Terry Kurash, 251-4071 if you have gently used pieces you would like to donate. Thank you!



Barnyard Round-up! Mark Your Calendar!! Vacation Bible School is June 12 – 16, from 6:00pm to 8:30pm. Registration forms are available at the display in the Narthex. Also, volunteers are needed to assist in all areas. Thank you for helping with this fun and exciting week!!

Orphan Grain Train Collection at the State Pastors Conference Thank you to all of the individuals and congregations who donated the items for Orphan Grain Train and brought them to the MN State Pastors Conference last week. Together we filled 64 apple boxes with new socks and undies. Thank you to everyone who gave so generously!

Thank you to all who took part in our Baby Bottle Campaign for the Pregnancy Resource Center. There were 47 churches and 1 school that participated. Over \$35,000 was raised. Our generous members of Trinity raised a total of \$1,835.89. WOW! Thanks for giving to the Lord for this worthy cause. There are still 8 bottles that have not been returned. If you have one, please return even if empty.

Flowers on the Organ are in honor of Dale and Gail Kuklok's new granddaughter, Tenley Rae born May 15th to Lean and Brandon Marcotte.

Playhouse Child Care Center is hiring FT/PT Assistant Teachers and Aides. Apply online at www.playhousechildcare.com

A Volunteer is needed to occasionally pick up supplies for the church kitchen. If you would be available to do this, please call the church office. 320-252-3670.

St. Paul Lutheran Church in Foley is hosting their annual Hog Roast. Please join them for delicious BBQ, including roasted pork, sliced turkey, potatoes, coleslaw, desserts and beverages. Gluten free meals available. Adults - \$10, 4-12 \$5.00 and under 4 free. Thursday, June 2nd, from 4-7:00pm, 724 11th Ave., Foley.

Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church

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| Church Office | 252-3670 |
| E-mail & Website: office@trinitysr.org | www.trinitysr.org |
| Pastor Paul Cloeter: | 333-6319 |
| Pastor Dave Strohschein | 253-3255 |
| Pastor Harvey Ehlers, Emeritus: | 282-1931 |
| Director of Christian Outreach – Craig Cooper: | 237-5507 |
| Pastor John Bakou: | 249-1691 |
| Administrative Assistants: Judy Rehwaldt & Katie Stangl | 252-3670 |
| Traditional Music Director – Daniel Reineke: | 656-0963 |
| Contemporary Music Director – Ruth Immerfall: | 291-9293 |
| Prince of Peace School: | 251-1477 |
| Youth Ministry - Terry Kurash: | 251-4071 |
| Parish Nurse - Jennifer Machula: | 267-1587 |
| Prayer Chain – Delores Volkens: | 252-2101 |

WE WELCOME FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN

We are glad you are here! If there is a time during the Worship Service that you feel your child (or you) needs a “time out,” please feel free to leave the service. If you leave the service you can go to the **lobby** or use the **large conference room** across from the church office. The conference room has speakers and one-way glass so you can still participate in Worship. During the 10:30am worship service the **nursery is also available for 0-3 years old**. It is not staffed but you are welcome to stay in the room with your child. It is the first classroom on the left as you enter the Preschool parent lounge area. There are also speakers in the nursery so you can listen to the service. **Activity bags** for young children to use are in the plastic tub outside the church office.

FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE, WE OFFER THESE AND OTHER SERVICES:

Large Print Editions of our bulletins are available from our ushers by request. **If you need further information**, ask any usher or church member. Also be sure to stop by the Information Desk in the lobby. Your needs are important to us!

Bible Study for Adults on Sundays: we start at 9:15am in the fellowship hall.

Coffee & Fellowship – after the 8:00am service, come by the kitchen, have a cookie, coffee and time for fellowship. Come and meet old friends and make new friends!

