

Is there a saint you wish could  
be here for All Saints Sunday?



Contact Lisa in the Office before  
November 3rd to have your loved  
one remembered in Worship.

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# Trinity Lutheran Church




*The Church Together*  
**October 23, 2022**

# WELCOME TO TRINITY



## We're glad you're here!

### GATHERING HYMN:

*God, When Human Bonds Are Broken (ELW 603)*



1 God, when hu-man bonds are bro-ken and we lack the love or skill  
 2 Through that still-ness, with your Spir-it come in-to our world of stress,  
 3 You in us are bruised and bro-ken: hear us as we seek re-lease  
 4 Send us, God of new be-gin-nings, hum-bly hope-ful in-to life.  
 5 Give us faith to be more faith-ful, give us hope to be more true,

to re- store the hope of heal- ing, give us grace and make us still.  
 for the sake of Christ for- giv- ing all the fail- ures we con- fess.  
 from the pain of ear- lier liv- ing; set us free and grant us peace.  
 Use us as a means of bless- ing; make us stron- ger, give us faith.  
 give us love to go on learn- ing: God, en- cour- age and re- new!



Calling All Saints!  
 Come November 6th to Trinity's  
*Me2We Birthday Bash*  
 Celebrate with those who  
 share your birthday month!



*And thank you to our WONDERFUL bakers!*



*Where does the fellowship of  
Trinity need to go with you?*

Bring what you carry and join us  
Sunday October 30th for the

## Blessing of the Bags

and Backpacks, Sacks, Purses,  
Cases, Duffels, Satchels, Holdalls...!



## CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

If we say we have no sin we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. Let us confess our sin to God who is faithful and just and who has promised to forgive our sin and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.


Most merciful God,  
**we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not trusted you with our whole heart; we have not loved one another in deed and in truth. In your compassion forgive our sin and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ our light and our truth. Amen.**

With joy, I proclaim to you that Almighty God, rich in mercy, abundant in love, forgives you all your sin and grants you newness of life in Jesus Christ.  
**Thanks be to God!**

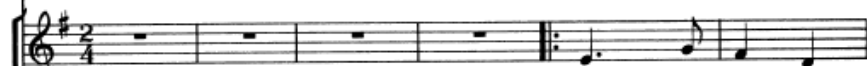
## GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.  
**And also with you.**

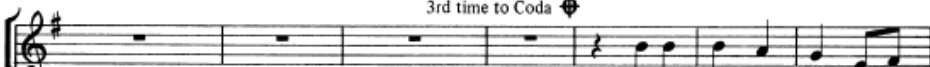
## KYRIE

Assistant 

In peace, in peace, let us pray to the Lord.

Cong. 


Lord, have mer - cy,

*3rd time to Coda* 

For the Reign of God, and for  
For your peo - ple here, who have



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



peace through-out the world, for the u - ni - ty of all, let us pray\_ to the  
come to give you praise, for the strength to live your Word, let us pray\_ to the

♣ CODA

Help, save, and de - fend us, O God.  
cy.  
A - men.

## NOW THE FEAST

**Refrain**  
*Congregation:*

Now the feast and cel - e - bra - tion,  
all of cre - a - tion sings for joy  
to the God of life and love and  
free - dom: praise and glo - ry for ev -  
er - more!

Do you know a single mom  
at school here in Laramie?  
*She would be eligible for  
this...spread the word!*

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*a new life?*

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**YOUR**  
*dream*  
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Phone: 919-601-8421

Online: <http://bit.ly/LYDA-apply>

Club Application Deadline: 15Nov2022

Amount of Club Award: TBD

# "Trauma & Crisis to Hope & Resilience"

**What:** *Did you miss the first session?* Grief, anger, fear, and apathy are still just a few of the emotions people are navigating. This class will explore these emotions and talk about crisis care. *Each session is independent.* The class is offered for free.

**Who:** The class is open to anyone and everyone.

**When:** Mondays 6:30-8:00pm beginning October 17th

**Where:** Gruver Rm, Trinity Lutheran Church

**Instructor/leader:** Pastor Nathan Keith

## Schedule:

Oct 17	Crisis Care: Introduction
Oct 24	The Art of Listening
Nov 14	Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence
Nov 28	Nonverbal Listening & Stress
Dec 5	Suicide and QPR
Dec 12	Compassion Fatigue

## Notes from the Introductory Session:

Center yourself with, "The Lord himself goes before you and will be with you...do not be afraid" (Deuteronomy 31:8). This combined with the idea of "ministry of presence" is powerful: just show up and be Available, Affirming, and Authentic. Nothing a carer can say will undo the trauma of the crisis, but silence can allow for processing by all participants.

*Digging deeper: Work to know you own story and emotional realities to be a "less anxious" carer, a wounded healer and not a walking wounded. Sometimes it helps to follow Critical Incident Stress Debriefing and ask: What did you do? What thoughts were going through your head? How did you react, physically, emotionally, spiritually?--these reactions are normal reactions to an abnormal situation, stress!*

**Verse 1**  
Congregation or Congregation 1:

1. Now is the feast of the Lamb once slain, whose blood has freed and united us to be one great people of God.

*to Refrain*

**Verse 2**  
Congregation or Congregation 2:

2. Power and riches, wisdom and might, all honor and glory to Christ for ever.

*to Refrain*

**Verse 3**  
Congregation:

3. For God has come to dwell with us, to make us people of God; to make all things new.

*to Refrain*



## SENDING HYMN: *Blest Be the Tie that Binds* (ELW 656)

1 Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Chris - tian love;  
2 Be - fore our Fa - ther's throne we pour our ar - dent prayers;  
3 We share our mu - tual woes, our mu - tual bur - dens bear,  
4 From sor - row, toil, and pain, and sin we shall be free;

the u - ni - ty of heart and mind is like to that a - bove.  
our fears, our hopes, our aims are one, our com - forts and our cares.  
and of - ten for each oth - er flows the sym - pa - thiz - ing tear.  
and per - fect love and friend - ship reign through all e - ter - ni - ty.

## DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.  
Thanks be to God!

## GOSPEL VERSE

*Congregation:*  
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we  
go? You have the words of e - ter - nal  
*Optional Repeat*  
life. Al - le - lu - ia!

## GOSPEL: JOHN 14:1-4

The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the fourteenth chapter.

1 “Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me. 2 In my Father’s house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? 3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also. 4 And you know the way to the place where I am going.”

The Gospel of the Lord  
Thanks be to God.

## SERMON

## Serving in Worship

TODAY — Oct 23, 2022

**Altar:** Klaus & Jan Hanson

**Reader:** Carol Frost

**Communion Assistant:**

Adam Huck

**Fellowship:** OPEN

NEXT SUNDAY — Oct 30, 2022

**Altar:** Klaus & Jan Hanson

**Reader:** Martha Leonard

**Communion Assistant:**

OPEN

**Fellowship:** OPEN

## HYMN OF THE DAY:

### *Rise, O Sun of Righteousness (ELW 657)*



1 Rise, O Sun of righ - teous - ness; with your  
2 Rouse our hearts from slum - ber deep; may your  
3 Gath - er in your scat - tered flock; give us  
4 Burst the bars of stub - born pride; make the  
5 Hon - or, praise, and glo - ry be to the



might cre - a - tion bless. Shine up - on your church to - day,  
word with - in us leap. Give us voic - es to pro - claim  
wa - ter from the rock. Bless the u - ni - ty we share  
heav'n - ly path - way wide. Raise us up from sin and death  
ho - ly Trin - i - ty! May your gra - cious will be done:



show - ing all your gen - tle way. Have mer - cy, Lord.  
prais - es to your ho - ly name. Have mer - cy, Lord.  
in our shep - herd's lov - ing care. Have mer - cy, Lord.  
with your Spir - it's liv - ing breath. Have mer - cy, Lord.  
make us one, as you are one. Have mer - cy, Lord.

## APOSTLE'S CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead.\***

**On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting.**

**Amen.**

## DISTRIBUTION

### POST COMMUNION BLESSING

May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the gifts of his body and blood strengthen, keep and unite us, now and for ever.  
**Amen.**

### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Let us pray together.

**Gracious God,  
in your great love you richly provide for our needs.  
Make of these gifts a banquet of blessing,  
and make us ready to share with all in need;  
through Jesus Christ, who sets a table for all.  
Amen.**

### BLESSING

May God bless you and keep you  
May God's face shine on you and be gracious to you  
May God look on you with favor and ✠ give you peace.  
**Amen.**



## LAMB OF GOD

*Congregation:*      *Congregation or Assistant:*



Lamb of God,      you take a - way the sin of      the  
you break the chains of ha - tred      and  
you are the way of jus - tice      and  
you are the way of mer - cy      and

*Congregation:*



world:      have mer - cy on us,      mer - cy on us,  
fear:  
peace:  
love.

**Final Stanza**

*Congregation or Assistant:*



mer - cy on us.      Lamb of God,      you

*Congregation:*



take a - way the sins of      the world:      grant us peace,  
grant us peace,      grant us peace.

*\*At the repeat, one or more of these verses may be sung, or one of the seasonal verses which follow.*

*Pentecost:*      You are the bread of life for us all:

## COMMUNION

*White grape juice and gluten-free wafers are available.*

*When giving the bread and cup, the communion ministers say*

The body of Christ, given for you.

The blood of Christ, shed for you.

*and each person may respond*

Amen.

## PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Let us pray for the people of God in Christ Jesus, for the whole human family, and for all creation.

*As the lector closes each petition:*

Lord, in your mercy,

*The people respond:*

**hear our prayer.**

Gather all of our prayers in your wide embrace, most gracious God, through your Son, Jesus Christ.

**Amen.**

## PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**And also with you.**

*The people may greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace, and may say, "Peace be with you," or similar words.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## OFFERING

*Please place offering in one of the Bulletin Stand offering plates at the end of worship as you leave the church.*

## OFFERTORY HYMN: *As the Grains of Wheat* (ELW 465)

*Refrain*



As the grains of wheat once scat-tered on the hill were



gath-ered in - to one to be - come our bread; so may all your peo-ple from



all the ends of earth be gath-ered in - to one in you.



1 As this cup of bless-ing is shared with-in our midst,  
2 Let this be a fore-taste of all that is to come when



*Refrain*

may we share the pres - ence of your love.  
all cre - a - tion shares this feast with you.

## OFFERING PRAYER

Let us pray together.


**Merciful God,**

**Everything in heaven and earth belongs to you. We joyfully release what you have entrusted to us. May these gifts be signs of our whole lives returned to you, dedicated to the healing and unity of all creation, through Jesus Christ.**

**Amen.**

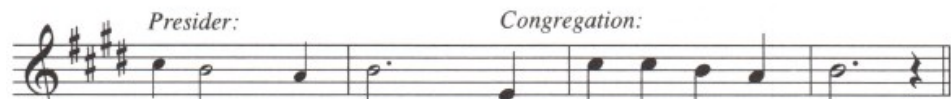
## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

*Presider:* *Congregation:*




The Lord be with you. And al-so with you.

*Presider:* *Congregation:*




Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

*Presider:* *Congregation:*



Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is



right to give God thanks and praise.

## EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

### LORD'S PRAYER

Make us bold, O merciful God, to address you as our Abba as we pray:

**Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed 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.**