

Offertory Prayer (LBW pg 87)

Prayer of the Church

As God’s people called to love one another, let us pray for the needs of the Church, the human family, and all the world.

Other petitions will be added, which end: “Lord, in your mercy...Hear our prayer.”

All these things and whatever else you see that we need, grant us, O God, for the sake of Christ who died and rose again, and now lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.

Amen.

Words of Institution

Lord’s Prayer (LBW p. 91)

Communion

Communion Hymns: LBW 214, 412

Post Communion Prayer (LBW p. 94)

Blessing(LBW p. 94)

Closing Hymn LBW 546 v 1-4

When Morning Gilds the Skies

Bells

Dismissal (LBW p. 94)

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

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Sympathies to Robert Neuman and family on the death of his brother Regge Neuman. He passed away on Sunday September 26. Robert wants to thank the church family for all their prayers.



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19th Sun. After Pentecost

October 03, 2021

9:00am

Prelude: Lorri Pederson

Bells/Welcome & Announcements

Order for Confession and Forgiveness

In the name of the Father, and of the ✚ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Most merciful God,

we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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 loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have

mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen

Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by his entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the ✚ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen

Opening Hymn (LBW 492)

O Master, Let Me Walk with You

Prayer of the Day

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray. . . .

Our Lord Jesus, you have endured the doubts and foolish questions of every generation. Forgive us for trying to be judge over you, and grant us the confident faith to acknowledge you as Lord.

Amen

First Lesson: Genesis 2:18-24

¹⁸The LORD God said, “It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper as his partner.” ¹⁹So out of the

ground the LORD God formed every animal of the field and every bird of the air, and brought them to the man to see what he would call them; and whatever the man called every living creature, that was its name. ²⁰The man gave names to all cattle, and to the birds of the air, and to every animal of the field; but for the man there was not found a helper as his partner. ²¹So the LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall upon the man, and he slept; then he took one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. ²²And the rib that the LORD God had taken from the man he made into a woman and brought her to the man. ²³Then the man said,

“This at last is bone of my bones
and flesh of my flesh;
this one shall be called Woman,
for out of Man this one was taken.”

²⁴Therefore a man leaves his father and his mother and clings to his wife, and they become one flesh.

Here ends the reading.

Psalm 8

¹O LORD our Lord, how exalted is your name in all the world!

²**Out of the mouths of infants and children your majesty is praised above the heavens.**

³You have set up a stronghold against your adversaries, to quell the enemy and ^l the avenger.

⁴**When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars you have set in their courses,**

⁵what is man that you should be mindful of him, the son of man that you should ^l seek him out?

⁶**You have made him but little lower than the angels; you adorn him with glory and honor;**

⁷you give him mastery over the works of your hands; you put all things un- ^l der his feet:

⁸**all sheep and oxen, even the wild beasts of the field,**

⁹the birds of the air, the fish of the sea, and whatsoever walks in the paths ^l of the sea.

¹⁰**O LORD our Lord, how exalted is your name in all the world!**

Second Lesson: Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12

¹Long ago God spoke to our ancestors in many and various ways by the prophets, ²but in these last days he has spoken to us by a Son, whom he appointed heir of all things, through whom he also created the worlds. ³He is the reflection of God’s glory and the exact imprint of God’s very being, and he sustains all things by his powerful word. When he had made purification for sins, he sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high, ⁴having become as much superior to angels as the name he has inherited is more excellent than theirs.

^{2:5}Now God did not subject the coming world, about which we are speaking, to angels. ⁶But someone has testified somewhere, “What are human beings that you are mindful of them,

or mortals, that you care for them?

⁷You have made them for a little while lower than the angels; you have crowned them with glory and honor, ⁸subjecting all things under their feet.”

Now in subjecting all things to them, God

left nothing outside their control. As it is, we do not yet see everything in subjection to them, ⁹but we do see Jesus, who for a little while was made lower than the angels, now crowned with glory and honor because of the suffering of death, so that by the grace of God he might taste death for everyone.

¹⁰It was fitting that God, for whom and through whom all things exist, in bringing many children to glory, should make the pioneer of their salvation perfect through sufferings. ¹¹For the one who sanctifies and those who are sanctified all have one Father. For this reason Jesus is not ashamed to call them brothers and sisters, ¹²saying,

“I will proclaim your name to my brothers and sisters,

in the midst of the congregation I will praise you.”

Here ends the reading.

Alleluia Verse (LBW p. 83)

Gospel: Mark 10:2-16

The Holy Gospel according to St. _____, the _____ chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

²Some Pharisees came, and to test [Jesus] they asked, “Is it lawful for a man to divorce his wife?” ³He answered them, “What did Moses command you?” ⁴They said, “Moses allowed a man to write a certificate of dismissal and to divorce her.” ⁵But Jesus said to them, “Because of your hardness of heart he wrote this commandment for you. ⁶But from the beginning of creation, ‘God made them male and female.’ ⁷For this reason a

man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, ⁸and the two shall become one flesh.’ So they are no longer two, but one flesh. ⁹Therefore what God has joined together, let no one separate.”

¹⁰Then in the house the disciples asked him again about this matter. ¹¹He said to them, “Whoever divorces his wife and marries another commits adultery against her; ¹²and if she divorces her husband and marries another, she commits adultery.”

¹³People were bringing little children to him in order that he might touch them; and the disciples spoke sternly to them. ¹⁴But when Jesus saw this, he was indignant and said to them, “Let the little children come to me; do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of God belongs. ¹⁵Truly I tell you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will never enter it.” ¹⁶And he took them up in his arms, laid his hands on them, and blessed them.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Children’s Sermon

SERMON

Hymn of the Day (LBW 370)

Blest Be the Tie That Binds

Nicene Creed (LBW p. 84)

Offering

Offertory (LBW 410 v 1, 2)

We Give Thee but Thine Own

ATTENTION Confirmation (7, 8 & 9th grade) students and parents: There will be a meeting for students and your parents on Wednesday Oct. 6th at 5:30pm

ROCK will be meeting on Wednesday, October 13, after school until 4:30 p.m. This is for grades 4-5-6. Join in the fun and invite a friend. If you need a ride, please call Marlene Giese at 320-226-7372.

Church Mailboxes have been updated. Every family unit should have a box. Let the church office know if by error we missed you. Remember your mailbox is **ABOVE** your name.

Lectors needed: I am working on the lector list/schedule for the rest of this year and next year. If you are not on the list and are willing to lector, please let the office know.

CHOIR DIRECTOR NEEDED: Trinity's Worship & Music Committee is looking for a Hand Bell Choir (rehearsals are Wednesday evenings) If interested, please contact a committee member or the church office. PLEASE HELP!

SINGERS & RINGERS NEEDED!

Trinity's Senior Choir and Hand Bell Choir are looking for new members. All confirmed members are welcome! If interested, please contact the church office or Shelly Mikkelson.

You are invited to attend the Service of Holy Communion with the Installation of the Rev. Dr. Dee Pederson as Bishop of the Southwestern Minnesota Synod, ELCA Saturday, October 9, 2021 @ 2pm Reception to follow. Granite Falls Lutheran .350 9th Ave Granite Falls. RSVP www.swmnelca.org/installation

This Weeks Schedule

Sun. 9:00- Worship
10/03 10:00-Coffee Hour – Stewardship & Finance Committee
10:15-Sunday School.
Wed. 5:30-Confirmation meeting
10/06 6:30-committee meetings
7:00-Council meeting
Thurs. 8:30am-quilting
Sun 9:00- Communion Worship
10/10 10:00-Coffee Hour –Taylor & Elise Duncan, Kyra Gronseth, Dylan Wrobleski, Sara Larson, Chaden & Keala Carroll, Jack & Kadia Helgenset, Blake & Aubree Lien, Alexis & Brooke Hoberg
10:15-Sunday School