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**All Saints Day**

A Bright and Glorious  
Future!

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Divine Service 1



**PRE-SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**SERVANT PROCESSIONAL**

**As We Gather**

Sainthood isn't limited to those "heroes of faith" from the past who have died and gone to heaven. Sainthood is granted by God Himself to any common, salt-of-the-earth person who simply trusts in Jesus Christ. Words matter. The gospel message is that God the Son came to earth, lived a perfectly obedient life, died on the cross to pay for our sins, and rose again, proving His atoning work was complete. Scripture says that the person of faith actually becomes the very righteousness of God! Through a living

faith, we become united to Christ – the source of salvation - , and we are saved from God's judgment as well as from the futile way of life that we naturally follow. In other words, we are granted sainthood! Surprised and skeptical? Think about this: if God calls the worldly, sinning believers in Corinth “saints” — and He does in 1 Corinthians 1:2 — couldn't He also call you a saint? Friend, anyone who trusts in Christ alone for salvation is a saint in God's sight!

## **Confession and Absolution**

### **Hymn of Invocation: 677 For All the Saints**

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!
  
2. Thou wast their rock, their fortress,  
and their might;  
Thou, Lord, their captain in the well-fought fight;  
Thou, in the darkness drear, their one true light.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!
  
3. Oh, may Thy soldiers, faithful, true,  
and bold,  
Fight as the saints who nobly fought of old  
And win with them the victor's crown of gold!  
Alleluia! Alleluia!
  
4. Oh, blest communion, fellowship divine!

We feebly struggle, they in glory  
shine;  
Yet all are one in Thee, for all are  
Thine.

Alleluia! Alleluia!

5. And when the fight is fierce, the  
warfare long,  
Steals on the ear the distant triumph  
song,  
And hearts are brave again, and  
arms are strong.

Alleluia! Alleluia!

6. The golden evening brightens in the  
west;  
Soon, soon to faithful warriors  
cometh rest;  
Sweet is the calm of paradise the  
blest.

Alleluia! Alleluia!

7. But, lo, there breaks a yet more  
glorious day:  
The saints triumphant rise in bright  
array;  
The King of Glory passes on His way.

Alleluia! Alleluia!

△ 8. From earth's wide bounds, from  
ocean's farthest coast,  
Through gates of pearl streams in  
the countless host,  
Singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost:  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

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*Stand*

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

## Invocation

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

**C** Amen.

## Exhortation

*LSB 151*

**P** If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

**C** **But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

*Kneel/Stand*

*Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.*

## Confession of Sins

*LSB 151*

**P** Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

**C** **Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. 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. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. 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.**

**Absolution***LSB 151*

**P** Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C Amen.**

*Stand*

**Service of the Word**

**Introit**      *Psalm 31:1, 3, 5; antiphon:  
Revelation 7:14b*

**P** These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation.

They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

**C In you, O LORD, do I take refuge; let me never be put to shame; in your righteousness deliver me.**

**P** For you are my rock and my fortress; and for your name's sake you lead me and guide me.

**C Into your hand I commit my spirit; you have redeemed me, O LORD, faithful God.**

**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** These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation.

They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

**Kyrie***LSB 152***P** In peace let us pray to the Lord.**C** **Lord, have mercy.****P** For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.**C** **Lord, have mercy.****P** For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.**C** **Lord, have mercy.****P** For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.**C** **Lord, have mercy.****P** Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.**C** **Amen.****Hymn of Praise:****10,000 Reasons (Bless The Lord)****C** **Chorus****Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul****Worship His holy name****Sing like never before O my soul****I'll worship Your holy name****Verse 1****The sun comes up it's a new day  
dawning****It's time to sing Your song again****Whatever may pass and whatever lies  
before me****Let me be singing when the evening  
comes****Verse 2****You're rich in love and You're slow to**

**anger**

**Your name is great and Your heart is kind  
For all Your goodness I will keep on  
singing  
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find**

**Verse 3**

**And on that day when my strength is  
failing  
The end draws near and my time has  
come  
Still my soul will sing Your praise  
unending  
Ten thousand years and then  
forevermore**

**Tag**

**Worship Your holy name  
Lord I'll worship Your holy name**

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## **Salutation and Collect of the Day**

**[P]** The Lord be with you.

**[C]** **And also with you.**

**[P]** Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, You knit together Your faithful people of all times and places into one holy communion, the mystical body of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Grant us so to follow Your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that, together with them, we may come to the unspeakable joys You have prepared for those who love You; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

## **C Amen.**

*Sit*

**First Reading**      *Revelation 7:9–17*

### **A Great Multitude from Every Nation**

<sup>9</sup>After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, <sup>10</sup>and crying out with a loud voice, “Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!” <sup>11</sup>And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, <sup>12</sup>saying, “Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen.”

<sup>13</sup>Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, “Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?” <sup>14</sup>I said to him, “Sir, you know.” And he said to me, “These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

<sup>15</sup>“Therefore they are before the throne of God,  
and serve him day and night in his temple;

and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence.

<sup>16</sup>They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore;

the sun shall not strike them,



nor any scorching heat.  
 17For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd,  
 and he will guide them to springs of living water,  
 and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

**L** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

## Psalm 149

### Sing to the LORD a New Song

**P** 1Praise the LORD!

Sing to the LORD a new song,  
 his praise in the assembly of the godly!

**C** 2**Let Israel be glad in his Maker;  
 let the children of Zion rejoice in their King!**

**P** 3Let them praise his name with dancing,  
 making melody to him with tambourine and lyre!

**C** 4**For the LORD takes pleasure in his people;  
 he adorns the humble with salvation.**

**P** 5Let the godly exult in glory;  
 let them sing for joy on their beds.

**C** 6**Let the high praises of God be in their throats  
 and two-edged swords in their hands,**

**P** 7to execute vengeance on the nations  
 and punishments on the peoples,

**C** <sup>8</sup>to bind their kings with chains  
and their nobles with fetters of iron,

**P** <sup>9</sup>to execute on them the judgment  
written!

This is honor for all his godly ones.  
Praise the LORD!

## Epistle

*1 John 3:1–3*

<sup>1</sup>See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know him. <sup>2</sup>Beloved, we are God's children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. <sup>3</sup>And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure.

**L** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

*Stand*

**Alleluia and Verse**

*LSB 156*

**C** **Alleluia.**

**Lord, to whom shall we go?**

**You have the words of eternal life.**

**Alleluia, alleluia.**

**Holy Gospel**

*Matthew 5:1–12*

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St.  
Matthew, the fifth chapter.

**C** Glory to you, O Lord

## The Sermon on the Mount

<sup>1</sup>Seeing the crowds, [Jesus] went up on the mountain, and when he sat down, his disciples came to him.

### The Beatitudes

<sup>2</sup>And he opened his mouth and taught them, saying:

<sup>3</sup>“Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

<sup>4</sup>“Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.

<sup>5</sup>“Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.

<sup>6</sup>“Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.

<sup>7</sup>“Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.

<sup>8</sup>“Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

<sup>9</sup>“Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.

<sup>10</sup>“Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

<sup>11</sup>“Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. <sup>12</sup>Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you.”

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C** Praise to you O Christ

*Sit*

## Hymn of the Day: 672 Jerusalem the Golden

1. Jerusalem the golden,  
With milk and honey blest—

The promise of salvation,  
 The place of peace and rest—  
 We know not, oh, we know not  
 What joys await us there:  
 The radiancy of glory,  
 The bliss beyond compare!

2. Within those walls of Zion  
 Sounds forth the joyful song,  
 As saints join with the angels  
 And all the martyr throng.  
 The Prince is ever with them;  
 The daylight is serene;  
 The city of the blessed  
 Shines bright with glorious sheen.

3. Around the throne of David,  
 The saints, from care released,  
 Raise loud their songs of triumph  
 To celebrate the feast.  
 They sing to Christ their leader,  
 Who conquered in the fight,  
 Who won for them forever  
 Their gleaming robes of white.

△4. O sweet and blessed country,  
 The home of God's elect!  
 O sweet and blessed country  
 That faithful hearts expect!  
 In mercy, Jesus, bring us  
 To that eternal rest  
 With You and God the Father  
 And Spirit, ever blest.

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## **Sermon: Our Fantastic Future** *Revelation 7:9-17*

*Stand*

## Nicene Creed

**☩** I believe in one God,  
 the Father Almighty,  
 maker of heaven and earth  
 and of all things visible and  
 invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
 the only-begotten Son of God,  
 begotten of His Father before all  
 worlds,

God of God, Light of Light,  
 very God of very God,  
 begotten, not made,  
 being of one substance with the  
 Father,

by whom all things were made;  
 who for us men and for our  
 salvation came down from heaven  
 and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit  
 of the virgin Mary  
 and was made man;  
 and was crucified also for us under  
 Pontius Pilate.

He suffered and was buried.

And the third day He rose again  
 according to the Scriptures  
 and ascended into heaven  
 and sits at the right hand of the  
 Father.

And He will come again with glory  
 to judge both the living and the dead,  
 whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
 the Lord and giver of life,  
 who proceeds from the Father and  
 the Son,

who with the Father and the Son  
 together is worshiped and glorified,  
 who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy Christian  
 and apostolic Church,

I acknowledge one Baptism for the  
 remission of sins,

and I look for the resurrection of the  
 dead  
 and the life ✝ of the world to come.  
 Amen.

## Prayer of the Church (response)

**P** ...Lord in your mercy  
**C** Hear our prayer.

*Sit*

## Offering

*Stand*

Offertory *LSB 159*

**OFFERTORY** *LSB 159*

**C** What shall I render to the Lord for all  
 His benefits to me?

I will offer the sacrifice of thanksgiving  
 and will call on the name of the Lord.

I will take the cup of salvation and will  
 call on the name of the Lord.

I will pay my vows to the Lord now in the  
 presence of all His people,  
 in the courts of the Lord's house, in the  
 midst of you, O Jerusalem.

## Service of the Sacrament

Preface *LSB 160*

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** **And also with you.**

**P** Lift up your hearts.

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

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

**C** It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

### Proper Preface

**P** It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God. In the communion of all Your saints gathered into the one body of Your Son, You have surrounded us with so great a cloud of witnesses that we, encouraged by their faith and strengthened by their fellowship, may run with perseverance the race that is set before us and, together with them, receive the crown of glory that does not fade away. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

**Sanctus**

*LSB 161*

**C** Holy, holy, holy Lord God of pow'r and might:

**Heaven and earth are full of Your glory.**

**Hosanna. Hosanna.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Prayer of Thanksgiving**

*LSB 161*

**P** Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your only-begotten Son into our flesh to bear our sin and be our Savior. With

repentant joy we receive the salvation accomplished for us by the all-availing sacrifice of His body and His blood on the cross.

Gathered in the name and the remembrance of Jesus, we beg You, O Lord, to forgive, renew, and strengthen us with Your Word and Spirit. Grant us faithfully to eat His body and drink His blood as He bids us do in His own testament. Gather us together, we pray, from the ends of the earth to celebrate with all the faithful the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end. Graciously receive our prayers; deliver and preserve us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C Amen.**

### **The Words of Our Lord**

**P** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My ✝ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ✝ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."



## Proclamation of Christ

**P** As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.

**C Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

**P** O Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, in giving us Your body and blood to eat and to drink, You lead us to remember and confess Your holy cross and passion, Your blessed death, Your rest in the tomb, Your resurrection from the dead, Your ascension into heaven, and Your coming for the final judgment. So remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

## Lord's Prayer

**C 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.**

## Pax Domini

*LSB 163*

**P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C Amen.**

## Agnus Dei

*LSB 163*

**C Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; grant us peace.**

*Sit*

## **Distribution**

### **Distribution Hymn: 680 Thine the Amen, Thine the Praise**

1 Thine the amen Thine the praise  
Alleluias angels raise

Thine the everlasting head

Thine the breaking of the bread

Thine the glory Thine the story

Thine the harvest then the cup

Thine the vineyard then the cup is lifted  
up lifted up.

2 Thine the life eternally

Thine the promise let there be

Thine the vision Thine the tree

All the earth on bended knee

Gone the nailing gone the railing

Gone the pleading gone the cry

Gone the sighing gone the dying what was  
loss lifted high.

3 Thine the truly Thine the yes

Thine the table we the guest

Thine the mercy all from Thee

Thine the glory yet to be

Then the ringing and the singing

Then the end of all the war

Thine the living Thine the loving evermore  
evermore.

4 Thine the kingdom Thine the prize  
Thine the wonder full surprise  
Thine the banquet then the praise  
Then the justice of Thy ways  
Thine the glory Thine the story  
Then the welcome to the least  
Then the wonder all increasing at Thy  
feast at Thy feast.

5 Thine the glory in the night  
No more dying only light  
Thine the river Thine the tree  
Then the Lamb eternally  
Then the holy holy holy  
Celebration jubilee  
Thine the splendor Thine the brightness  
only Thee only Thee.

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### **Distribution Hymn: 676 Behold a Host, Arrayed in White**

1 Behold a host, arrayed in white,  
Like thousand snow-clad mountains  
bright!  
With palms they stand;  
Who is this band  
Before the throne of light?  
These are the saints of glorious fame,  
Who from the great affliction came  
And in the flood  
Of Jesus' blood  
Are cleansed from guilt and shame.  
They now serve God both day and  
night;  
They sing their songs in endless light.  
Their anthems ring

As they all sing  
With angels shining bright.

- 2 Despised and scorned, they  
sojourned here;  
But now, how glorious they appear!  
Those martyrs stand,  
A priestly band,  
God's throne forever near.  
On earth they wept through bitter  
years;  
Now God has wiped away their tears,  
Transformed their strife  
To heav'nly life,  
And freed them from their fears.  
They now enjoy the Sabbath rest,  
The heav'nly banquet of the blest;  
The Lamb, their Lord,  
At festive board  
Himself is host and guest.

- 3 O blessèd saints in bright array  
Now safely home in endless day,  
Extol the Lord,  
Who with His Word  
Sustained you on the way.  
The steep and narrow path you trod;  
You toiled and sowed the Word  
abroad;  
Rejoice and bring  
Your fruits and sing  
Before the throne of God.  
The myriad angels raise their song;  
O saints, sing with that happy throng!  
Lift up one voice;  
Let heav'n rejoice  
In our Redeemer's song!

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## Distribution Hymn: 633 At the Lamb's High Feast, We Sing

- 1 At the Lamb's high feast we sing  
Praise to our victorious King,  
Who has washed us in the tide  
Flowing from His piercèd side.  
Alleluia!
- 2 Praise we Him, whose love divine  
Gives His sacred blood for wine,  
Gives His body for the feast—  
Christ the victim, Christ the priest.  
Alleluia!
- 3 Where the paschal blood is poured,  
Death's dread angel sheathes the sword;  
Israel's hosts triumphant go  
Through the wave that drowns the foe.  
Alleluia!
- 4 Praise we Christ, whose blood was shed,  
Paschal victim, paschal bread;  
With sincerity and love  
Eat we manna from above.  
Alleluia!
- 5 Mighty Victim from the sky,  
Hell's fierce pow'rs beneath You lie;  
You have conquered in the fight,  
You have brought us life and light.  
Alleluia!
- 6 Now no more can death appall,  
Now no more the grave enthrall;  
You have opened paradise,  
And Your saints in You shall rise.  
Alleluia!
- 7 Easter triumph, Easter joy!  
This alone can sin destroy;  
From sin's pow'r, Lord, set us free,  
Newborn souls in You to be.  
Alleluia!
- △ 8 Father, who the crown shall give,  
Savior, by whose death we live,  
Spirit, guide through all our days:

Three in One, Your name we praise.  
Alleluia!

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*Stand*

## Thank the Lord

*LSB 164*

**G** Thank the Lord and sing His praise; tell ev'ryone what He has done.  
Let all who seek the Lord rejoice and proudly bear His name.  
He recalls His promises and leads His people forth in joy  
with shouts of thanksgiving. Alleluia, alleluia.

## Post-Communion Collect

**P** Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**G** Amen

## Benediction

*LSB 166*

**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.

**G** Amen.

## Hymn to Depart: 678 We Sing for All the Unsung Saints

- 1 We sing for all the unsung saints,  
 That countless, nameless throng,  
 Who kept the faith and passed it on  
 With hope steadfast and strong  
 Through all the daily griefs and joys  
 No chronicles record,  
 Forgetful of their lack of fame,  
 But mindful of their Lord.
  
- 2 Though uninscribed with date or  
 place,  
 With title, rank, or name,  
 As living stones their stories join  
 To form a hallowed frame  
 Around the myst'ry in their midst:  
 The Lamb once sacrificed,  
 The Love that wrested life from death,  
 The wounded, risen Christ.
  
- 3 So we take heart from unknown saints  
 Bereft of earthly fame,  
 Those faithful ones who have  
 received  
 A more enduring name:  
 For they reveal true blessing comes  
 When we our pride efface  
 And offer back our lives to be  
 The vessels of God's grace.

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### Welcome

THE LORD'S SUPPER will be celebrated during our worship service this morning. The Bible is clear about who is welcomed and prepared to receive Holy Communion. St. Paul writes in 1 Corinthians 11:28 – "Everyone ought to

examine themselves before they eat of the bread and drink from the cup.” Therefore, those Christians who are prepared and “worthy” communicants have been led by the Holy Spirit to ...

- 1) Feel contrition and confess all sins to the LORD
  - 2) Trust in Christ for the forgiveness of sins
  - 3) Strive to turn away from unrepented sin and
  - 4) Discern and believe in the real presence of Christ's true body and blood in, with, and under the outward forms of bread and wine.
- Therefore, we welcome all confirmed adults to join us at the Table of the Lord. We invite those adults and children who are not prepared to receive the Lord's Supper to come to the communion table, cross their arms across their heart, and receive a blessing from the pastor. Thank you!

**TRINITY GLOBAL MISSION** You are invited to serve as one of Trinity Global Missionaries by helping with the packing of Christmas Shoeboxes that will be shipped to the children of a distant country in the world - blessing them with toys, health items, and God's Word about Jesus. Last year, our 57 shoeboxes made it to the Phillipine Islands. The 'packing party' will take place **today at 11:15 am** - after the worship service and during the Coffee and Snack Hour. Come celebrate "missions."

**CALLING CHRISTIAN MEN!** The Godly Men Fellowship Group will launch a new topic of conversation study called *No More Excuses - Be the Man God Made You to Be* by Tony Evans. The group is led by our eventual new pastor, Bill Hertel. **Supper is served at 6:00 pm**, followed by biblical conversation and prayer until 7:30 pm.

**HARVEST CHILI DINNER** will be celebrated and served on **Saturday, November 9, at 5:30 PM**. Come as you are - or slip into some Western Wear - and sample our famous Trinity Corporate Chili Recipe with all the trimmings. Psalm 34:8 says: *Oh, taste and see that the*



*LORD is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in Him.*

## **MINISTRY CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK**

### **Sun Nov 3**

9 am Children's Sunday School

and Adult Bible Study – To Be a Disciple  
(Matthew)

10 am Pentecost 24 Worship w/ communion

### **Tues Nov 5**

#### **Voting**

10 am Adult Bible study – *Being Lutheran* Book  
Bible Study

11 am Trinity Prayer Warriors

4 pm Deadline for announcements and info

Evening Book Study-Being Lutheran - Time TBD

### **Wed Nov 6**

10 am Quilters

### **Thurs Nov 7**

10:30 am Christian Art class

6 pm Godly Men

7 pm Ladies Posse

### **Sat Nov 9**

5:30 pm Harvest/Chili Dinner

### **Sun Nov 10**

9 am Children's Sunday School

and Adult Bible Study – To Be a Disciple  
(Matthew)

10 am Pentecost 25 Worship

## **CHARTING OUR COURSE**

*Attendance week of October 27, 2024*

10:00 am Worship in Person: 68/Online plays:  
145

Communion: NA

9:00 am Kids Sunday school In Person: 14

9:00 am Adult Bible Class in Person: 19/213

10:00 am Tuesday bible class in person: 10

## **SERVING US TODAY**

Acolyte: Michael Groeller

Elders: Bob Brumm and Bill Hertel

Pastor: Pastor Michael R. Ruhl  
Organist: Linda Freeman  
Special Music: Heidi Swanson

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# Sermon Notes

These  
**WORDS**  
 shall be  
 written  
 on your  
 heart  
 YOU shall

**TEACH  
 THEM**

**\*DILIGENTLY\***  
 to your  
**children**

Deuteronomy

6:4-9

