

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Pastor ~ Reverend Candice Carter

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost July 9, 2023

Welcome Visitors!

We are both excited and honored that you've joined us for worship today! Please fill out the connection information via the QR code below, and let us know how we might be able to serve and pray for you.

We hope you'll join us again next week at 10:30 for worship. Our Sunday School classes start at 9:30 am if you would like to join in on those.



If you have a smartphone, use your phone's camera or code scanner to scan the code

Restrooms: Located downstairs under the Sanctuary, the back hallway behind the Sanctuary or in the lobby connector with the Fellowship Hall.

Families with Children: If you wish, a staffed nursery for children aged 0-4 is located in the lower level of the building below the sanctuary. Children also have the option of worshipping in the sanctuary, or attending Children's Church, which begins after the Children's Chat.

If you have more questions about any of the above items or if you have questions about anything else, please feel free to ask an usher.

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Please stand as you are able where denoted during the worship service.

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Welcome and Announcements

"Blessed Assurance" Prelude Knapp

† Call To Worship "Surely The Presence" Page 219

† Confession and Forgiveness

P: If we say we have fellowship with God while we walk in darkness, we lie and do not live according to the truth; but if we walk in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus Christ cleanses us from all sin.

Silence for reflection and self-examination

P: God of all mercy.

C: we confess that we have sinned against you, resisting your will in our lives. We have not honored you in ourselves, in each other, and in the world you have made. Reach out your saving arm and rescue us from our sin. Forgive, restore, and strengthen us through our Savior Jesus Christ, that we may abide in your love and serve only your will for your people and all creation. Amen.

P: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins and keep you in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen

† Opening Hymn "I Know That My Redeemer Lives" I know that my Redeemer lives! What comfort this sweet sentence gives! He lives, He lives, who once was dead; He lives, my everlasting head!

He lives triumphant from the grave; He lives eternally to save; He lives exalted, throned above; He lives to rule His church in love.

He lives to grant me rich supply; He lives to guide me with His eye; He lives to comfort me when faint; He lives to hear my soul's complaint.

He lives to silence all my fears; He lives to wipe a-way my tears; He lives to calm my troubled heart; He lives all blessings to impart.

† The Prayer of the Day

Children's Chat

FIRST READING

Zechariah 9:9-12

PSALM 145:1-14

L: I will exalt you, my God the King; I will praise your name for ever and ever.

C: Every day I will praise you and extol your name for ever and ever.

- L: Great is the Lord and most worthy of praise; his greatness no one can fathom.
- C: One generation commends your works to another; they tell of your mighty acts.
- L: They speak of the glorious splendor of your majesty and I will meditate on your wonderful works.
- C: They tell of the power of your awesome works and I will proclaim your great deeds.
- L: They celebrate your abundant goodness and joyfully sing of your righteousness.
- C: The Lord is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and rich in love.
- L: The Lord is good to all; he has compassion on all he has made.
- C: All your works praise you, Lord; your faithful people extol you.
- L: They tell of the glory of your kingdom and speak of your might,
- C: so that all people may know of your mighty acts and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.
- L: Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures through all generations. The Lord is trustworthy in all he promises and faithful in all he does.
- C: The Lord upholds all who fall and lifts up all who are bowed down.

SECOND READING

Romans 7:14-25a

† Hymn of Praise "Stand Up and Bless the Lord" Hymn 65 (Verses 1,4,5)

† Response before the Gospel

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the 11th Chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

† Holy Gospel Matthew 11:25-30

† Response following the Gospel

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon "Come to Me, and I Will Give You Rest"

† Hymn of the Day "When Peace Like a River" Page 705 (Verses 1,3,4)

† Apostles' Creed

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

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried.

He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again 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.

† Sharing of the Peace

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

C: And also with you.

P: Let us share the peace of Christ.

Offering America (My Country 'Tis of Thee) Lou Finger

- **†** Presentation of the Offering
- **† Offertory Response** "We Are Called To Be God's People" Page 415 (Verses 1,2)
- † Prayers of the People (respond: "Hear our prayer")
- **†** The Lord's Prayer
- † Benediction
- **† Sending Hymn** "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" Page 648
- **†** The Dismissal

P: Go in Peace. Serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

† Postlude The Heavens Rejoice!

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The flowers on the alter this morning are given to the Glory of God.

Prayer Concerns: Patty Williams, Juanita Alexander and family, Elizabeth Nahouse, Emma Sloop (now in Room 2), Doris Pless, Duane Ellis, Pastor Woodrow Frick, Ed Pekarek (father-in-law to Debbie Weaver), Joan Woodard, Martha Dishman (Past Member), Lisa Dunlow, Michael Hiskey, Jeff Gray, David Gore (recovering from knee surgery), Logan Moose, Family of Romell Ritchie (sister to Jimmy Weaver & Daisy Rodgers)

If you would like to offer Special Music during worship services, please let Karen McKnight know. We welcome anyone that would like to share their talents.

If you would like to serve as a Lector for a month, please see Karen McKnight.

Announcements need to be sent to the Secretary by Wednesday of each week

Mark your calendars: Events and Meetings Happening This Week				
Sunday	Sunday School - 9:30 am Worship Service - 10:30 am VBS Skit Rehearsal - 5 to 7:00 pm			
Monday	Women's Circle - 12:30 pm			
Tuesday	Prayer Group - 7 to 8:00 pm			
Wednesday				
Thursday				
Friday				
Saturday	VBS Skit Rehearsal - 3 to 5:00 pm			

Future dates to mark on your calendars

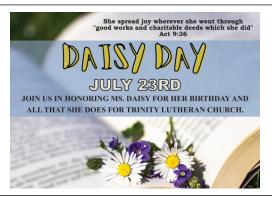
Women's Circle: The next meeting is July 10th at 12:30 pm, please bring your lunch and bring already purchased items for the Health Kits, we will take those items. We will begin collecting items for school kits.

Items needed: 1 Backpack, 4 Notebooks, 4 Pocket Folders, 1 Blunt Tip Scissor, 1 Ruler, 1 Pencil Sharpener, 4 Pencils, 2 Pens, 1 Eraser, 1 Box of Crayons

David Martin Fish Fry: Back by popular demand (and it's time), so mark your calendars for 5:00 pm on Saturday, September 30th.

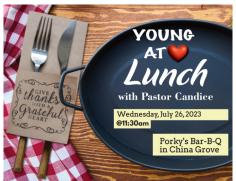
Due to low participation, there has been a change in our VBS plans. We will now be condensing it down to one night and doing an ICE CREAM SOCIAL on Sunday, July 16th 4:30-6:00 pm that will feature our CHAOS Youth, a family devotion and activity. We hope you all will attend and enjoy some fellowship with family.





You are welcome to bring a friend with you to lunch.

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New Church T-Shirt Orders



Can be ordered using the QR Code below or getting an order form from Pastor Candice.



Giving Report for 7/2/2023

	Attendance	Received	Need Each Week
Worship Service	80	\$ 2,791.00	\$ 4,474.44
Sunday School	39	\$ 20.00	
Building Fund		\$ 450.00	
Other Funds		\$ 1400.00	

Those Serving Today

The People of God		Ministers
Pastor Candice Carter		Pastor
Helen Broadway		Secretary
Lou Finger		Organist
Elizabeth Rodgers		Youth Director
Brayden Carter		Lector
Molly Cherry & Quinn	Parker	Acolytes
Judy Matthews & Jessica Sloop		Nursery

Those Serving Next Week

The People of God	Ministers
Pastor Candice Carter	Pastor
Helen Broadway	Secretary
Karen McKnight	Organist
Elizabeth Rodgers	Youth Director
Barbara Atwell	Lector
Guy Deal & Grayson Carter	Acolytes
Travis Rodgers & Trent Cherry	Nurserv

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