

**Trinity Evangelical
Lutheran Church**



**November 2, 2025
All Saints' Sunday**

Good Morning and welcome! We invite you to worship with us often, and ask if you need any assistance! If you are visiting us today, please sign the Guest Register in the Narthex, please include your address and phone number. Please place your offering envelope in the plate in the Narthex. Thank You.

Remember in your prayers:

Lynn Wolfgang, Oscar & Angie Smith, Erika Zaiser, Brandon Stauffer, Betty Moore, Barbara Stewart, Kathy Gamler, Bill Brensinger, Richard Eck, Becky Yescavage, BillyRay Pearce, Sr., Kathy Sell, Dennis Brooke, Donna Day, Linda Allmendinger, Elaine Dotterer, Jeff Reitnauer, Ralph Rothenberger, Anna Spencer, RuthAnn Goode, Pete Schmoyer, John Logan, Carole Mest, Bob McElwee, Eileen Heffner, Tammy Strunk, Mary Snyder, Wendy Bowers, Linda Bewley, Sherri Schaeffer, Tammy Kemp and Mike Wyda.

Friends & Family:

Michelle Hiriak, Donald Hays, Linda Stark, Martha Van Parys, Joyce Kemp, Dennis Weller, Anna Bechtel, David Lord and Pastor Burl Latshaw.

Families of:

Jerry Bryce, Henry Morlock and Carmel Mauger.

Also members, relatives and friends in the community who are serving in the military including:

Christopher Heffner, BillyRay Pearce, Jr., Noah Heydt, Ben Rhode, Steven Herbst, David Crews, Jeff Lydic, Jory Huie, Seth Kurtz, Clinton Bowen, Eli Abner and Johnne Knepp.

Our sister congregation, the Marienkirche in Borna, Germany.
(Website: Kirche-bornae-land.de)

Please note: Names of friends and family will be kept on the bulletin prayer list for one month. If still in need of prayers, these names will then appear in the newsletter prayer list. Names on the friends and family list will normally be kept on the newsletter prayer list for one year. If you wish for names to remain longer, please speak to Pastor Gene, Linda Ritter, or contact the Church Office. Thank you for helping us keep the prayer list current!

Today we share in the Sacrament of Holy Communion. We invite everyone to the Lord's table who recognizes Christ's presence in His holy sacrament. We will be communing using the continuous method this morning. When the time comes, the usher will direct you forward-simply receive the bread from the Pastor and move to the side to the communion server to receive the wine (or grape juice). When you have received both elements, please return to your seat by the side aisle.

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The Altar Flowers are presented to the glory of God, in Memory of Robert & Cynthia Eshbach by their Family and also by Mr. & Mrs. Jonn Logan, in Memory of Margaret Hatfield, Joseph Logan, Sr. and Roy S. and Elaine Mutter.

The Bulletins are presented to the Glory and Honor of God by Sandy & Mark Yarnall.

The Eternal Flame Candle is presented to the glory of God by Howard & Waynette Shafer, in Memory of Family.

Today's Worship Assistants:

Assisting Minister: Vicki Mest

Server: Sheila Eddinger

Ushers: Bill Eddinger* & Bob McElwee

Lector: Kathy Farrington

Acolyte: Erika Zaiser

- (those who are able may stand)

Prelude – Bell Choir Anthem "Cannon of Grace"
L. Lamb

Announcements and Concerns

- Confession and Forgiveness

P In the name of the Father, and of the + Son,
and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen

P 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.

C Amen

P 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.

Silence for reflection and self-examination

P Most merciful God,

C 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

P 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 authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

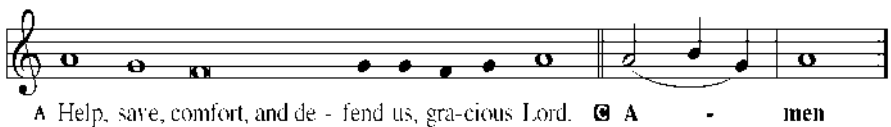
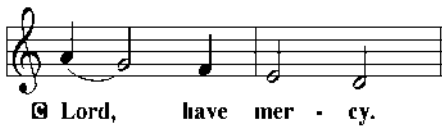
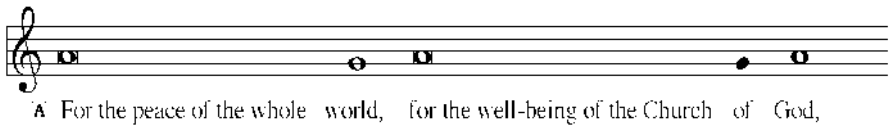
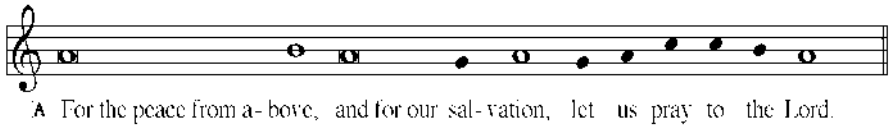
C Amen

- **Processional Hymn** WOV# 690
"Shall We Gather at the River?"
- **Greeting**

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

C And also with you.

• **Kyrie**



• Hymn of Praise



A This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia.



Wor-thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us



free to be peo-ple of God. Pow-er and rich-es and wis-dom and



strength, and hon-or and bless-ing and glo-ry are his.



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia.



Sing with all the peo-ple of God and join in the



hymn of all cre-a-tion: Bless-ing and hon-or and glo-ry and



might be to God and the Lamb for-ev-er. A-men.



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God, for the Lamb who was slain



has be-gun his reign. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

• **Prayer of the Day**



P Let us Pray ...

C Merciful God, gracious and benevolent, through your Son you invite all the world to a meal of mercy. Grant that we may eagerly follow his call, and bring us with all your saints into your life of justice and joy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen

FIRST READING: Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18

The book of Daniel was written in the second century BCE, when the Syrian king Antiochus Epiphanes was severely persecuting the Jews. Daniel's vision of the four beasts proclaims that human kings will come and go, but the kingdom will ultimately belong to God and to God's people.

In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream: ² I, Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, ³ and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another.

¹⁵ As for me, Daniel, my spirit was troubled within me, and the visions of my head terrified me. ¹⁶ I approached one of the attendants to ask him the truth concerning all this. So he said that he would disclose to me the interpretation of the matter: ¹⁷ “As for these four great beasts, four kings shall arise out of the earth. ¹⁸ But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom forever—forever and ever.”

PSALM: Psalm 149

- ¹ Hallelujah! Sing to the LORD | a new song,
 God's praise in the assembly | of the faithful.
- ² **Let Israel rejoice | in their maker;**
let the children of Zion be joyful | in their ruler.
- ³ Let them praise their maker's | name with dancing;
 let them sing praise with tambou- | rine and harp.
- ⁴ **For the LORD takes pleasure | in the people**
and adorns the | poor with victory.
- ⁵ Let the faithful re- | joice in triumph;
 let them sing for joy | on their beds.
- ⁶ **Let the praises of God be | in their throat**
and a two-edged sword | in their hand,
- ⁷ to wreak vengeance | on the nations
 and punishment | on the peoples,
- ⁸ **to bind their | kings in chains**
and their nobles with | links of iron,
- ⁹ to inflict on them the judg- | ment decreed;
 this is glory for all God's faithful ones. | Hallelujah!

SECOND READING: Ephesians 1:11-23

After giving thanks for the faith of the Ephesians, the writer of this letter prays that they might understand the wisdom, hope, and power of God that is embodied in Jesus Christ.

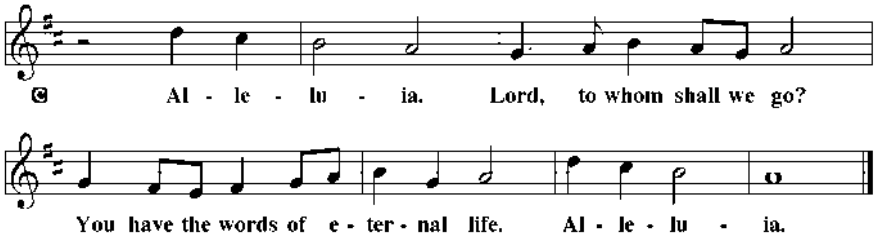
¹¹ In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, ¹² so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. ¹³ In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; ¹⁴ this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

¹⁵ I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason ¹⁶ I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers, ¹⁷ that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, ¹⁸ so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may perceive what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, ¹⁹ and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the

working of his great power. ²⁰ God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, ²¹ far above all rule and authority and power and dominion and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. ²² And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, ²³ which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

GOSPEL: Luke 6:20-31

In echoes of the prophet Isaiah and Mary's song of praise, Jesus reveals surprising things about who enjoys blessing and who endures woe. He invites his disciples to shower radical love, blessing, forgiveness, generosity, and trust even on enemies and outsiders.



P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the sixth chapter



Presentation of the Gospel by Heart

²⁰ Then [Jesus] looked up at his disciples and said:

“Blessed are you who are poor,
for yours is the kingdom of God.

²¹ “Blessed are you who are hungry now,
for you will be filled.

“Blessed are you who weep now,
for you will laugh.

²² “Blessed are you when people hate you and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. ²³ Rejoice on that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven, for that is how their ancestors treated the prophets.

²⁴ “But woe to you who are rich,
for you have received your consolation.

²⁵ “Woe to you who are full now,
for you will be hungry.

“Woe to you who are laughing now,
for you will mourn and weep.

²⁶ “Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is how their ancestors
treated the false prophets.

²⁷ “But I say to you who are listening: Love your enemies; do good to
those who hate you; ²⁸ bless those who curse you; pray for those who
mistreat you. ²⁹ If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also, and
from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt.

³⁰ Give to everyone who asks of you, and if anyone takes away what is
yours, do not ask for it back again. ³¹ Do to others as you would have them
do to you.”

P The Gospel of the Lord.



Senior Choir Anthem

“Come Find Forgiveness and Love”

D. Besig

Sermon

- Hymn of the Day

LBW# 174

“For All the Saints” (vv.1-5)

- 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

• The Prayer of the Church

P Let us pray for the whole people of God, in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs.

A brief silence.

After each portion of prayers:

P Lord, in your mercy.

C hear our prayer

The prayers conclude:

Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

C Amen

• Sharing of the Peace

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

C: And also with you.

• The Great Thanksgiving

P The Lord be with you. **C** And al - so 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.

• The Proper Preface

P It is indeed right and salutary...

(Here the minister continues with the preface appropriate to the day or season,

concluding ...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

C Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might:

Heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.

Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes

in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

- **Eucharistic Prayer**

P Blessed are you, Lord of heaven and earth.
In mercy for our fallen world you gave your
only Son, that all those who believe in him
should not perish, but have eternal life.
We give thanks to you for the salvation you
have prepared for us through Jesus Christ.
Send now your Holy Spirit into our hearts,
that we may receive our Lord with a living
faith as he comes to us in his holy supper.

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

P In the night in which he was betrayed,
Our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples,
saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given
for you.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave
thanks, and gave it for all to drink,
saying: This cup is the new covenant in my
blood, shed for you and for all people for
the forgiveness of sin.

Do this for the remembrance of me.

- **The Lord's Prayer (Sung by Choir & Congregation, See Insert)**



C Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world;



grant us peace, grant us peace.

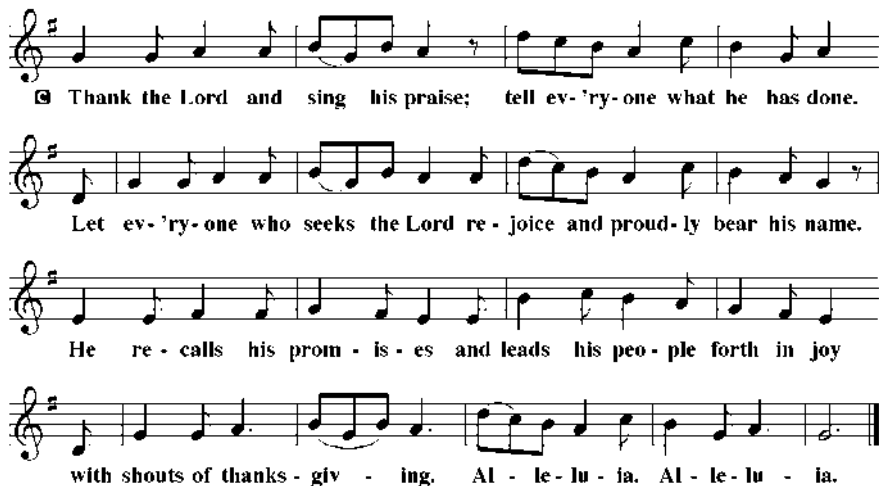
Communion

• Post-communion Blessing

P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C Amen

• Post-communion Canticle



☞ Thank the Lord and sing his praise; tell ev-'ry-one what he has done.
 Let ev-'ry-one who seeks the Lord re-joice and proud-ly bear his name.
 He re-calls his prom-is-es and leads his peo-ple forth in joy
 with shouts of thanks - giv - ing. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

• Post-communion Prayer

P Let us pray. We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life; and we pray that in your mercy you would strengthen us through this gift, in faith toward you and fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

C Amen

• Our Mission Statement

P People of Trinity, what is our mission?

C We shall, as individuals and as a congregation, strive through word, worship, and witness to further the kingdom of God by knowing and sharing Christ's Love in our hearts, in our homes, in His church, in the community, and in the world.

- **Benediction**

P The Lord bless you and keep you.
 The Lord make his face to shine upon you and
 be gracious unto you. The Lord look upon
 you with favor and give you peace.

C **Amen, Amen, Amen.**

- **Recessional Hymn** LBW# 331
 "Jerusalem, My Happy Home"

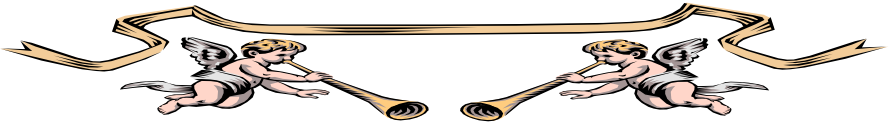
- **Dismissal**

P Go in peace, serve the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

"Trumpet Tune in F"
R. Brunner



ALL SAINTS' DAY SERVICE

**The following members have passed from this life
into eternal life.**

Gerard Bryce	Kathyrn Buchert
Michelle Carr	Jay Crowe
Richard Delp	Ricky Farrington
Elizabeth Hallman	Zechariah Johnson
Ronald Kehl	Erma Reidenauer
Daniel Ritter	Lorna Shaner
Caleb Walsh	

**The following have joined the ranks of God's saints
through Holy Baptism:**

Mickey Paul Bovell	Darcy Jean Hettler
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**We celebrate this day all of God's saints, both
those who have gone on to their rest and those who
have recently entered the fellowship through the
sacrament of Holy Baptism.**

October Update on Church Financial Status From The Finance Committee:

As reported in the current Newsletter (Financial Reports Section), the General Fund has a Negative balance of \$1,817 - this significant improvement from Negative \$7,420 at end of August was largely due to Memorial Contributions being elected by Ritter and Sheetz families to go to the General fund and the successful Basket Party allocating 50% of profits to the General Fund. Thank you to all responsible for these allocations and support.

Our congregation is, however, still not meeting the income needs of the budget for 2025, which was approved by the congregation last December. This means some Bills are being paid by borrowing “internally” from other accounts with positive balances.

Also to note: This year is not the start of this issue as the General Fund is Negative by \$25,100 since the start of 2023.

Our request for your consideration :

The committee has met 4 times this year to discuss and is asking all members to consider the following actions to help us recover from the current situation:

- Increase your giving - even a small increase by many will help.
- Start to buy, or increase your purchases of, Gift Cards from the church on the 1st Sunday of each month. The church receives a % of each sale.
- Review the Simply Giving program and consider setting up automated donations to the church which helps smooth the income stream over the whole year, and makes your giving easier and typically more consistent.
- Support fundraisers and special events at the church - note that not all fundraisers and events benefit the General Fund.

If you own products through Thrivent that generate Thrivent Choice Dollars, consider directing them to our church as we generally receive over \$1000 of Thrivent Choice Dollars per year.

Kindly consider how you can help, with respect to your current individual or family situation.

If you have already done this, we thank you for your prayerful consideration and any resulting actions.

The Finance Committee thanks everyone for their financial support of the church and our 2025 budget along with all other donations and contributions you are providing to the church to support our mission.

The committee continues to monitor our Financial situation closely and will communicate further as needed.

If you have any question related to this information, please reach out to a Finance Committee member as listed in the monthly newsletter or chairperson Kurt Yescavage.

The annual Community Thanksgiving Service will be Tuesday, November 25th, at 7 PM, at Most Blessed Sacrament Church, Bally. Please note the change of day – due to scheduling conflicts this year, we'll have to hold the service on Tuesday evening. This service is a beautiful expression of the community we share with other churches in our area, so please come on out and celebrate our unity in Christ! Our monetary offering that evening will benefit Boyertown Area Multi-Service. We will also be collecting non-perishable food items for Multi-Service's community food bank.

The Boyertown Alumni Marching Unit 21st Holiday Concert will be Saturday, December 6th at 7PM, at Morning Star Church, Bechtelsville. Free Admission. Light refreshments before the concert. A Free Will Offering will be taken for the Boyertown Area Multi-Service.

The Christmas Cantata, "Favorite Christmas Selections, Through the Years", will be Sunday, December 14th at the 10:30AM Worship Service. Snow Date and Encore Presentation is Sunday, January 4th at 3:00PM.

The TLC Stitchers has a table set up in the Parish Hall with many items that are available for free or a donation would be greatly appreciated. The items will be available until December 7th.

Shoefly Pies & Pumpkin Roll orders will be taken on Sunday, November 9th & 16th. Delivery on Sunday, November 23rd. Price is \$8.00 per item. Any questions, please see Linda Brunner.

Operation Christmas Child: Once again, we are collecting "filled shoe boxes" for children, as a Christmas Project. Gift suggestions: School supplies, small toys, hygiene items, other items (t-shirts, socks, ball caps, sunglasses, hair clips, etc.) Please include the "How to Pack A Shoebox" Insert along with a check or cash for \$10.00, filled boxes must be returned to church by **Sunday, November 9th**. Thank you for your support! Any questions, please see Kathy Kuser.

PJ Project: In conjunction with the Boyertown Area Multi-Service, Trinity will once again create "Elf Bags" for needy families for Christmas Eve and are looking for our help to fill these bags. The items needed besides new Children's Larger size pajamas (10/12 & 14/16), Adult Size pajamas for older children (Small-XL), Children's Christmas Books, Family games for older children (Card Games, Sorry, Monopoly, etc.), Monetary donations to purchase items needed, hot chocolate packets and microwave popcorn packets. **Please bring your donation to the box in the Narthex by November 16th.** Any questions, please see Kathy Kuser. Thank you for your support of this ministry.

Trinity is also participating with the Lutheran Home at Topton to help spread the Christmas Cheer with their residents. A list of items needed is in the November Newsletter and a listing is on the bulletin board in the Parish Hall. New, unwrapped items can only be accepted. **Donations will be accepted until Sunday, November 23rd.**

Christmas Cookies: It is that time of year again where cooler weather and holidays are approaching. The Annual Cookie Baking will occur Saturday, December 6, 2025, beginning at 9:00am. Pick up will be on Sunday, December 7, 2025 after worship. We will be baking peanut butter, chocolate chip, sugar, oatmeal raisin, and snickerdoodles. If you want gluten free, please note GF on signup sheet in the respective column(s). Cost will be \$8.00 per dozen or \$14 for 2 dozen. There will be a signup sheet in the narthex. Thank you for your support! Looking forward to your orders!

The Deadline for the December Newsletter is Sunday, November 16th, please submit your information to Karen in the Church Office.

Prayer Listing— Any changes to the prayer listing, please see Linda Ritter, Pastor Gene or contact the church office, in order for the change to be made in the December Newsletter.

Bibles are available in the rack in the Narthex for you to reference during worship. You may also take home to reference, please return when you are finished.

Coffee Hour—Volunteers are needed to host Coffee Hour for November & December. Please sign up for this time of fellowship. The sign up sheet is posted on the bulletin board in the Narthex.

HOSPITAL INPATIENT STAY: Please contact Pastor Gene if you are admitted to the hospital and would like a visit, due to privacy laws, the hospital no longer contacts the church.

Social Ministry provides meals for shut-ins/members who are in need of meals. If a meal is needed, please contact Kathy Kuser at 610-754-6293.

Need a ride? We have volunteers in the congregation who are willing to provide transportation to medical appointments, etc., for those who can't find a ride. Please contact Pastor Gene 610-322-0901 if you need a ride or would like to volunteer as a driver.

You may sponsor Altar Flowers, the cost is \$32.00 for one vase and \$64.00 for 2 vases, please contact Mary Snyder. If you wish to sponsor flowers and that date is not available, you can always sponsor an extra bouquet of flowers for \$40.00. When sponsoring flowers, please use a flower envelope found in the rack in the narthex or clearly mark the envelope "Flowers". If you sponsored flowers in the past but no longer wish to, please let Mary Snyder 610-473-8885 or the church office know. You may also sponsor the bulletins for \$15.00 per week, this helps offset the cost of printing them.

Trinity's Gift Card Program - Gift card orders are accepted before and after the church service the first Sunday of each month and distributed the second Sunday. Order forms for Redners, Giant and Raise Right (for other retail gift cards) are available in the narthex. The Raise Right order form is also available for download on Trinity's website. Payment must be submitted with your order. **Please make checks payable to Trinity Lutheran Church and include your phone number on your order form.** If you have any questions regarding this fund raising program please see Sharon Kemp, Kathy Kuser or Kurt Yescavage.

WAWA Hoagie Coupons Available 1st Sunday of the month at the Scrip Table. Coupons are also available in the church office Monday—Thursday, 9:00AM-2:00PM. Tickets are \$5.00. This project benefits the Social Ministry.

Scout Troop 511 Hoagie Sales: Orders are due by Tuesday, November 4th and pick up will be Wednesday, November 12th. 8" hoagies are made from Dan's Deli, **Cost is \$7.00.** There are ham w/onion, ham no onion, turkey w/onion, turkey no onion, Italian w/onion, Italian no onion, cheese hoagie w/onion, cheese hoagie no onion, mayo, Italian dressing, no tomatoes, no lettuce, no cheese. There is a sign up sheet posted on the bulletin board in the Narthex.

10:30 Worship Service

<u>Benevolence</u>	<u>Bldg. Maint.</u>
\$5.00	\$15.00

Monthly Free-will Offerings 2025

A free-will offering is scheduled for the third Sunday of each month. They are as follows:

November 16 – Elf Bags (Multi-Service)

December – No free-will offering. Thank you for supporting the various Christmas giving opportunities.

Thank you for your contributions to these special causes!

**The Community Clothing Rack
Schedule**

1st Wednesday
Donations Accepted

2nd, 3rd & 4th Wednesdays
Shoppers Welcome

2nd Thursday
Shoppers Welcome
6:00PM-8:00PM

5th Wednesday
CLOSED

Hours
1:00PM-4:00PM

Summer Hours Only
June-August
9:00AM-12:00PM

Closed on all major holidays.

In the case of inclement weather,

Refer to Boyertown Area School district closure.

CCR is a ministry of St. Luke Lutheran Church
Our mission is to serve Jesus Christ by providing
necessary clothing to the underserved.

www.StLukeGilbertsville.org

Readings for Personal Devotion



M Deuteronomy 25:5-10
T Genesis 38:1-26
W Luke 20:1-8
Th Exodus 3:13-20
F Acts 24:10-23
Sa Psalm 122

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Pastor

Ms. LaRue Sheetz, Director of Music

Mrs. Karen J. Smith, Parish Secretary

Mrs. Catherine M. Yoder, Sexton

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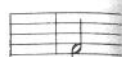
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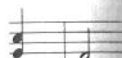
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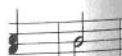
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d's way;
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o praise.
o pray;
eir own;
o praise.



of prayer,
rough flood:
our cares:
is true:



to share.
is God.
is theirs!
to you.



1 Shall we gath - er at the riv - er, where bright an - gel feet have trod,
2 On the mar - gin of the riv - er, wash - ing up its sil - ver spray,
3 Ere we reach the shin - ing riv - er, lay we ev - 'ry bur - den down;
4 Soon we'll reach the shin - ing riv - er, soon our pil - grim - age will cease;



with its crys - tal tide for - ev - er flow - ing by the throne of God?
we will walk and wor - ship ev - er, all the hap - py gold - en day.
grace our spir - its will de - liv - er, and pro - vide a robe and crown.
soon our hap - py hearts will quiv - er with the mel - o - dy of peace.



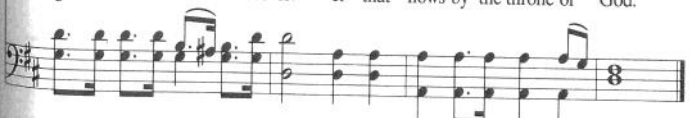
Refrain



Yes, we'll gath - er at the riv - er, the beau - ti - ful, the beau - ti - ful riv - er;



gath - er with the saints at the riv - er that flows by the throne of God.



For All the Saints

1 For all the saints who from their la - bors rest,

2 You were their rock, their for - tress, and their might;

3 Oh, may your sol - diers, faith - ful, true, and bold,

7 But then there breaks a yet more glo - rious day: The

8 From earth's wide bounds, from o - cean's far - thest coast, Through

All who by faith be - fore the world con - fessed,
 You, Lord, their cap - tain in the well - fought fight;
 Fight as the saints who no - bly fought of old
 saints . . . tri - um - phant rise in bright ar - ray;
 gates . . . of pearl streams in the count - less host,

Your name, O . . . Je - sus, be for - ev - er blest.
 . . . You, in the dark - ness drear, their one true light.
 And win with . . . them the vic - tor's crown of gold.
 The King of . . . glo - ry pass - es on his way,
 . . . Sing - ing to Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost:

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Ghost:



Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

4 Oh, blest com-mu-nion, fel-low-ship di-vine, We fee-bly strug-gle,
5 And when the strife is fierce, the war-fare long, Steals on the ear the
6 The gold-en eve-ning bright-ens in the west; Soon, soon to faith-ful

they in glo-ry shine; Yet all are . . . one with-in your great de-
dis-tant tri-umph song, And hearts are . . . brave a-gain and arms are
war-riors comes their rest; . . . Sweet is the calm of par-a-dise the

sign.
strong. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
blest.

The Lord's Prayer

And when thou hast shut thy door, pray to the Father... — Matthew 6:6

MALOTTE

Albert Hay Malotte

Arranged by Fred Bock

Matthew 6:9-13

Unison

Our Fa - ther, which art in heav - en, hal - low - ed

The first system of musical notation for 'The Lord's Prayer'. It consists of a treble and a bass staff in 4/4 time, with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The melody is written in a unison style. The lyrics 'Our Fa - ther, which art in heav - en, hal - low - ed' are written below the notes.

be Thy name. Thy king-dom come,

The second system of musical notation. It continues the melody from the first system. The lyrics 'be Thy name. Thy king-dom come,' are written below the notes.

Thy will be done on earth as it is in

The third system of musical notation. It continues the melody. The lyrics 'Thy will be done on earth as it is in' are written below the notes.

heav - en. Give us this day our dai - ly

The fourth system of musical notation. It concludes the piece with a double bar line. The lyrics 'heav - en. Give us this day our dai - ly' are written below the notes.

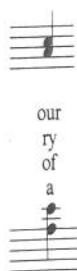
bread, and for - give us our debts as we for-give our

debt-ors. And lead us not in-to temp-ta-tion, but de - liv-er us from

e - vil, for Thine is the King-dom and the Pow-er and the

Glo - ry, for - ev - er. A - men.

DOVE



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liv - ing God we see, Our God, the Lord of hosts!
face clouds nev - er frown, Is God, the Lord of hosts!
mor - tal mer - cy glows Our God, the Lord of hosts!
dreams was nev - er sought, O God, the Lord of hosts!

Text: Laurentius L. Laurinus, 1573-1655, adapt.; tr. William Maccall, 1812-1888, alt.
Tune: Norwegian folk tune

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Jerusalem, My Happy Home

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1 Je - ru - sa - lem, my hap - py home, When shall I come to thee?
2 O hap - py har - bor of the saints, O sweet and pleas - ant soil!
3 Thy gar - dens and thy gal - lant walks Con - tin - ual - ly are green;
4 There trees for - ev - er - more bear fruit And ev - er - more do spring;

When shall my sor - rows have an end? Thy joys when shall I see?
In thee no sor - row may be found, No grief, no care, no toil.
There grow such sweet and pleas - ant flow'rs As no - where else are seen.
There ev - er - more the an - gels sit And ev - er - more do sing.

- 5 Jerusalem, my happy home,
Would God I were in thee!
Would God my woes were at an end,
Thy joys that I might see!

Text: FRP, 16th cent.
Tune: American

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