

## TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Chamberlain, SD 57325

"To unite all people in the love and fellowship of Jesus Christ and to serve  
our growing community"

Ministers: People of Trinity

Pastor Lisa Heffernan

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*13th Saturday after Pentecost*

*8/18/18*

**\* Please stand as you are able.**

### Service of Holy Communion



Gathering Music & Announcements

#### **\*Confession & Forgiveness**

**P:** Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, full of compassion and mercy,  
abounding in steadfast love.

**C: Amen.**

**P:** Trusting God's promise of forgiveness, let us confess our sin against God  
and one another. Eternal God our creator,

**C: in you we live and move and have our being. Look upon us, your children, the work of your hands. Forgive us all our offenses, and cleanse us from proud thoughts and empty desires. By your grace draw us near to you, our refuge and our strength; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**P: Since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit given to us. In the mercy of almighty God, Christ died for us while we were sinners; and for his sake, God + forgives you all your sins.**

**C: Amen.**

**\*Opening Hymn:**

**ELW #689**

**\*Prayer of the Day: Ever-loving God, your Son gives himself as living bread for the life of the world. Fill us with such a knowledge of his presence that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life to serve you continually, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen**

### **WORD**

**First Reading: Proverbs 9:1-6**

**Wisdom is portrayed as a woman who invites people to partake of her banquet. Just as ordinary food is necessary for physical life, Wisdom's food – insight and understanding – is necessary for fullness of life with God. Partaking of Wisdom's banquet is the way to life.**

<sup>1</sup>Wisdom has built her house, she has hewn her seven pillars.

<sup>2</sup> She has slaughtered her animals, she has mixed her wine, she has also set her table.

<sup>3</sup> She has sent out her servant-girls, she calls from the highest places in the town,

<sup>4</sup> 'You that are simple, turn in here!' To those without sense she says,

<sup>5</sup> 'Come, eat of my bread and drink of the wine I have mixed.

<sup>6</sup> Lay aside immaturity, and live, and walk in the way of insight.'

### **Psalm 34:9-14**

<sup>9</sup> O fear the LORD, you his holy ones, for those who fear him have no want.

<sup>10</sup> The young lions suffer want and hunger, but those who seek the LORD lack no good thing.

<sup>11</sup> Come, O children, listen to me; I will teach you the fear of the LORD.

<sup>12</sup> Which of you desires life, and covets many days to enjoy good?

<sup>13</sup> Keep your tongue from evil, and your lips from speaking deceit.

<sup>14</sup> Depart from evil, and do good; seek peace, and pursue it.

### **Second Reading: Ephesians 5:15-20**

**True wisdom integrates our new reality in Christ with our Christian fellowship and daily conduct. Because we are filled with the Spirit, Christians regularly rejoice together, give thanks to God for one another, and care for one another. In this way we revere our Lord Jesus Christ.**

<sup>15</sup> Be careful then how you live, not as unwise people but as wise, <sup>16</sup>making the most of the time, because the days are evil. <sup>17</sup>So do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. <sup>18</sup>Do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery; but be filled with the Spirit, <sup>19</sup>as you sing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs <sup>20</sup>giving thanks to God the Father at all times and for everything in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

## **Gospel Reading: John 6:51-58**

**In John's gospel, the feeding of the five thousand leads to extended teaching in which Jesus identifies himself as the true "bread of life." Finally, in these verses, he makes a connection that would not be understood until after his death, in the light of the church's celebration of holy communion.**

<sup>51</sup>I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.' <sup>52</sup>The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, 'How can this man give us his flesh to eat?' <sup>53</sup>So Jesus said to them, 'Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. <sup>54</sup>Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood have eternal life, and I will raise them up on the last day; <sup>55</sup>for my flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. <sup>56</sup>Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. <sup>57</sup>Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. <sup>58</sup>This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live forever.'

### **Sermon**

**\* Hymn of the Day:**

**ELW #485**

**\* Apostles' Creed: page 105**

**\* Prayers: *Congregation responds, "Hear our prayer"***

**\*Sharing of the Peace**

**P: The peace of Christ be with you always.**

**C: And also with you.**

## MEAL

Offering/\***Offertory**

**ELW #686**

\* Great Thanksgiving: **P:** The Lord be with you!  
**C: And also with you!**

\* Words of Institution

\* Lord's Prayer

**Holy Communion**

\***Prayer after Holy Communion**

## SENDING

\* Final Blessing: **P:** Go in peace. The Spirit sends us forth to serve.  
**C: Thanks be to God.**

\***Closing Hymn:**

**ELW #661**

## OUR SERVICE MINISTERS

Preaching: Pastor Lisa Heffernan

Musician: Rosemary Mohr

Deacon: Deb Selland

Altar Care: Marj Hope

Lawn Care: Bob Brown & Hayden Handel (mow by 8-25-18)

Offering Tellers: Neoma Harris & TBD

Attendance: Saturday: 10 Sunday: 43

Offering for July:	Actual:	\$10,005.43
	Budgeted:	<u>\$ 9,679.17</u>
	Difference	\$ 326.18

**Sanctuary Candle:** Happy Birthday Preston Normile (8/22) given by Jeff & Stacey Tveit.

## **Announcements**

**8/18/18**

**PASTOR LISA** – I will be attending an ELCA Disability Ministries meeting in Chicago this week. In case of an emergency Tuesday thru Friday, please contact Pastor Jim at (church) 234-5202 or (parsonage) 234-4004.

**FALL KICK-OFF** – Our fall kick off worship service will be on Sunday, September 16<sup>th</sup> at American Creek Park. Third graders will receive their bibles and Wowsome Wednesday teachers and volunteers will be installed. A brunch will follow. Hope to see you all there!

**WOWSOME & CONFIRMATION** – Wowsome Wednesday begins on September 12<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m. Confirmation and all high school students will meet on September 5<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m.

**CHOIR** – We will begin choir practice on September 5<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 p.m. All are welcomed!

**THANK YOU** – to the ladies for making the kitchen look spic and span.

**NOISY OFFERING** –This month we are collecting our noisy offering for the National Alliance on Mental Illness. NAMI “is the nation’s largest grassroots mental health organization dedicated to building better lives for the millions of Americans affected by mental illness”.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS** – Please submit announcements to the church office by Wednesdays @ noon. Thanks!

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sun, Aug 19: 10:00 a.m. Worship @ American Creek  
Thurs, Aug 23: 12:00 p.m. Women's Bible Study  
Sat, Aug 25: 5:30 p.m. Worship w/Communion

Trinity practices open communion – All who believe the bread and wine are Jesus' body and blood given and shed for the forgiveness of sins are invited to commune with us.

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