

# TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Chamberlain, SD 57325

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

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*Fall Kickoff Worship Service*

*9/16/18*

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Gathering Music & Announcements

## Call to Worship

**L:** We are surrounded by people, young and old, the body of Christ.

**C:** **We all come from different backgrounds**

**L:** We are here together to listen to God's Word.

**C:** **We live together and are bound by God's love.**

**L:** The Lord calls us to worship in unity.

**C:** **In our worship, let us become one.**

## **Opening Song:” I Will Call Upon the Lord” (sing twice)**

**I will call upon the Lord – who is worthy to be praised.  
So, shall I be saved from my enemies. - I will call upon the Lord.  
The Lord liveth, and blessed be the Rock,  
and may the God of our salvation be exalted.  
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### **Confession:**

**L:** As we approach ... As we reflect on the sins of the world, let us all confess our sins before God and one another. Holy God,

**C:** so often we forget to live through you. We get so caught up in ourselves that we fail to come together as one. We stray from our faith, getting far off track from your vision for us. Forgive us, O Lord, for putting you off. Help us to remember that it takes many parts to make up one whole. Guide us to work as one people. Lead us all in a direction of togetherness, so we may live faithfully as one. Through Christ we pray. Amen!

### **Words of Absolution**

### **Sharing of the Peace**

### **Word**

### **First Reading: Romans 12:3-8**

<sup>3</sup> For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of yourself more highly than you ought to think, but to think with sober judgement, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned.

<sup>4</sup>For as in one body we have many members, and not all the members have the same function, <sup>5</sup>so we, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually we are members one of another.

<sup>6</sup>We have gifts that differ according to the grace given to us: prophecy, in proportion to faith; <sup>7</sup>ministry, in ministering; the teacher, in teaching; <sup>8</sup>the exhorter, in exhortation; the giver, in generosity; the leader, in diligence; the compassionate, in cheerfulness.

**Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:12-27**

<sup>12</sup> For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. <sup>13</sup>For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and we were all made to drink of one Spirit. <sup>14</sup> Indeed, the body does not consist of one member but of many. <sup>15</sup>If the foot were to say, ‘Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body’, that would not make it any less a part of the body. <sup>16</sup>And if the ear were to say, ‘Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body’, that would not make it any less a part of the body. <sup>17</sup>If the whole body were an eye, where would the hearing be? If the whole body were hearing, where would the sense of smell be? <sup>18</sup>But as it is, God arranged the members in the body, each one of them, as he chose. <sup>19</sup>If all were a single member, where would the body be? <sup>20</sup>As it is, there are many members, yet one body. <sup>21</sup>The eye cannot say to the hand, ‘I have no need of you’, nor again the head to the feet, ‘I have no need of you.’ <sup>22</sup>On the contrary, the members of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, <sup>23</sup>and those members of the body that we think less honorable we clothe with greater honor, and our less respectable members are treated with greater respect; <sup>24</sup>whereas our more respectable members do not need this. But God has so arranged the body, giving the greater honor to the inferior member, <sup>25</sup>that there may be no dissension within the body, but the members may have the same care for one another. <sup>26</sup>If one member suffers, all suffer together with it; if one member is honored, all rejoice together with it. <sup>27</sup> Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it.

## **Wowsome Wednesday Kids Sing**

### **Children's Message**

#### **Message**

#### **Song of the Day: "We Are Called"**

- 1. Come! Live in the light! Shine with the joy and the love of the Lord!  
We are called to be the light for the kingdom, to live in the freedom of  
the city of God.**

***Refrain:* We are called to act with justice, we are called to love tenderly;  
we are called to serve one another, to walk humbly with God.**

- 2. Come! Open your heart! Show your mercy to all those in fear! We  
are called to be hope for the hopeless, so hatred and blindness will be  
no more.**

#### ***Refrain***

- 3. Sing! Sing a new song! Sing of that great day when all will be one!  
God will reign, and we'll walk with each other as sisters and brothers  
united in love.**

#### ***Refrain***

### **3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Bible Presentation**

#### **MEAL**

Offering – Choir sings "Pass It On"

## **Offertory: “We Are an Offering”**

**We lift our voices, we lift our hands,  
we lift our lives up to you: we are an offering.**

**Lord, use our voices, Lord, use our hands.**

**Lord, use our lives, they are yours: we are an offering.**

**All that we have, all that we are, all that we hope to be,  
we give to you, we give to you.**

**We lift our voices, we lift our hands, we lift our lives up to you:  
we are an offering, we are an offering.**

## **Great Thanksgiving:**

**P: The Lord be with you. C: And also with you.**

Lord’s Prayer

## **Holy Communion**

Post Communion Prayer

## **Wowsome Volunteers/Teachers Installation**

### **SENDING**

Benediction

**Closing Song: “Praise Ye the Lord” (Alleluia!) (sing twice)**

**Praise ye the Lord, Alleluia;**

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**Praise ye the Lord, Alleluia;**

**Praise ye the Lord!**

**Prayer before brunch: “Be Present At Our Table, Lord”**

**Be present at our table, Lord; be here and everywhere adored;  
these mercies bless, and grant that we may feast in paradise with thee.**

Postlude

Writer/Creator: Teaching Elder, Jeremy Wilhelmi, First led by Jeremy and the youth of Salisbury Presbyterian Church, Midlothian, Virginia.

### **OUR SERVICE MINISTERS**

Preaching: Pastor Lisa Heffernan

Musicians: Rosemary Mohr/ Stacey Tveit

Host: 7<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Graders

Lector: 7<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Graders

Deacon: Dotty Hieb

Altar Care: Dotty Hieb

Lawn Care: Haugen Family (mow by 9-22-18)

Offering Tellers: Sharmel Olson & TBD

Attendance: Saturday: 7 Sunday: 62

Offering for August: Actual: \$6,370.75  
Budgeted: \$9,679.17  
Difference (\$3,308.42)

**Sanctuary Candle:** No remembrances this week.

## Announcements

**9/15 & 9/16**

**NOISY OFFERING** – In August we collected \$51.29 for National Alliance on Mental Illness. In September we will be collecting our offering for St. Dymas.

**DAKOTA MILESTONES** – Is looking for a volunteer to interact with small groups of 3 or 4 people they support. Suggested activities are baking, crafts, reading, and morning coffee. If you are interested in being a volunteer, please call Sally of Ronda at 734-5542. Thanks!

**TREEHOUSE HELPER NEEDED** – The preschool is looking for volunteers to help with aft and snack time, to read to the kids, etc., as often as you would enjoy this opportunity. Call Lynn at 730-0855 or stop by Treehouse if you are interested in helping. Thanks!

**WELCA Mission Project** – We are collecting complete meal items for the next several months for the food pantries. For the month of September, we will be collecting chunky soups and crackers.

**CANTATA** – The annual cantata rehearsals will be starting September 30<sup>th</sup> @ 6 p.m. For more information please call Kathleen Brooks @ 234-1210 or 680-1338.

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sun, Sept 16: 9:30 a.m. Worship w/Communion  
Wed, Sept 19: 5:30 p.m. Wowsome / Confirmation  
Wed, Sept 19: 7:10 p.m. Choir  
Sat, Sept 22: 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.