

Trinity Lutheran Church – ELCA

612 Water Street, Sparta, Wisconsin
November 6, 2016 8:15 am and 10:30- am
All Saints Sunday



Gathering

Welcome and Announcements

10:30: Call to Worship

Alleluia Choir

*Affirmation of Baptism

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*Gathering Hymn: *O Day Full of Grace*

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A Time of Remembrance and Thanksgiving

Pastor: The Lord speaks through the prophet Isaiah: “Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine!” Let us pray.

Congregation: O God, we remember with thanksgiving those whom we have loved, and who have loved and served you on earth, who now rest from their labors. And we remember with thanksgiving those who have been baptized. Keep us in union with all your saints, and bring us with them to the joyous feast of heaven; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

P: In joyful expectation of the resurrection to eternal life, we remember this day those who have gone before us in faith and who now live forever with Christ.

(The names of those who have died this past year are read. A candle lit, and the bell rung.)

P: Washed in the waters, joined to Christ in his death and life, we give thanks for those newly baptized.

(The names of those baptized in the last year are read. A candle lit, and the bell rung.)

The congregation is invited to come forward and light a candle in remembrance and thanksgiving for those who have died and who live forever in the love of Christ.

P: Hear the words of St. Paul: “When we were baptized in Christ Jesus, we were baptized into his death. We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might live a new life. For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his!”

C: Amen!

***Kyrie and Glory to God**

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Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, you have knit your people together in one communion in the mystical body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

8:15: Special Music: Alleluia Choir

Word

Reading: Daniel 7.1-3, 15-18

Page 724 in the black pew Bible

Psalm 149

¹Hallelujah! 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.

³Let them praise their maker's name with dancing;

let them sing praise with tambourine and harp.

⁴**For the LORD takes pleasure in the people**

and adorns the poor with victory.

⁵Let the faithful rejoice 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,

⁷to wreak vengeance on the nations

and punishment on the peoples,

⁸**to bind their kings in chains**

and their nobles with links of iron,

⁹to inflict on them the judgment decreed;

this is glory for all God's faithful ones. Hallelujah!

Reading: Ephesians 1.11-23

Page 949 in the black pew Bible

Gospel Acclamation:

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Gospel: Luke 6.20-31

Page 838 in the black pew Bible

Children's Message

Sermon

Hymn:

I Know That My Redeemer Lives

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***The Prayers**

Pastor: With the people of God gathered here and throughout the world, we offer our prayers for the church, those in need, and all of creation, praying, **Have mercy, O God.**

A brief silence.

From the Assembly: For the church and its leaders, that we continue to proclaim the gospel of salvation to every corner of the earth, so that all embody the hope of eternal life, let us pray. **Have mercy, O God.**

From the Assembly: For the well-being of creation, for the seas and their creatures, for those preparing for changing weather, and for those who serve as good stewards of God's gifts, let us pray. **Have mercy, O God.**

From the Assembly: For peace among nations, for governments and electorates, for all who rule and have authority at any level, that they rule with justice, keeping in mind those who have no power, let us pray. **Have mercy, O God.**

From the Assembly: For the troubled and terrified, the poor and hungry, the abuser and abused, those who weep, those suffering from malaria or any sickness *the Millers, Ed Peterson and Joanne Dexter*, that God lift up people to provide care and consolation, let us pray. **Have mercy, O God.**

From the Assembly: For those who lead and support music in this assembly, that our song may point us all to Christ; for the newly baptized, that the Holy Spirit guides them in love and service, following the example of our Lord, let us pray. **Have mercy, O God.**

Here other intercessions may be offered.

From the Assembly: In thanksgiving for all the saints, known and unknown, who have died in the faith, that they serve as witnesses to the inheritance granted to us by Jesus Christ, let us pray. **Have mercy, O God.**

Pastor: Almighty God, you have promised to hear those who call upon your name. We commend all our spoken and silent prayers to you, trusting in your abundant mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Offering *Woe to him who builds his house without righteousness and his upper rooms without justice, who uses his neighbor's services without pay and does not give him his wages. Jeremiah 22:13*

***Offertory:**

We Are An Offering

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***Offering Prayer**

Meal

Great Thanksgiving

Lord's Prayer

Communion

#Songs during Communion 422, 494

After Communion Prayer

Sending

Blessing

Hymn: *Shall We Gather At the River*

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Sending:

The Peace of the Lord be with you! *And also with you!*

We leave worship, sharing a sign of God's peace with each other.

Needed to meet budgeted mission - \$6875.00 Weekly Giving for October 16 - \$4787.00

Attendance for Sunday, October 30 8:15 - 114 10:30 - 100

Sunday, November 6 – All Saints Day

Daylight Savings

8:15 am Holy Communion Service
9:15 am 4G – Youth Room
9:15 am Sunday School
9:20 am Coffee and Fellowship – FH
Christmas Program Practice

Monday, November 7

10:00 am Monday Morning Study – HR
6:30 pm Mary Circle – SR
6:30 pm Personnel Meeting - Office

Tuesday, November 8 – Election Day

11:00 am Admin Meeting – AO
10:00 am Webelos – EW
4:00 pm Lutheran SS - AO
5:30 pm Cub Scouts Pack 67 Bears – FH
6:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 67 – FH
6:00 pm Cub Scout Wolf Den – EW
6:00 pm Cub Scouts – EW

Wednesday, November 9

10:00 am Food Pantry
1:00 pm Lutheran SS - AO
5:30 pm JAM – FH
6:00 pm Bell Choir – SR

7:00 pm Faith Formation

7:00 pm Alleluia Choir

Thursday, November 10

9:00 am Joy Circle – SR
1:00 pm Lutheran SS – AO

Friday, November 11 – Veteran’s Day

9:00 am Prayer Shawl Ministry
1:00 pm Lutheran SS - AO
HS Retreat - SCBC

Saturday, November 12

7:30 am Men’s Bible Study – SR
9:00 am Women’s Fall Bazaar – FH
HS Retreat - SCBC

Sunday, November 13

Stewardship Sunday

HS Retreat - SCBC
8:15 am Holy Communion Service
9:15 am 4G
9:20 Sunday School – EW
9:20 am Coffee Fellowship- FH
10:30 am Holy Communion Service
2:00 pm Girl Scouts Troop 4377 – FH
2:00 pm 4H – FH
6:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 7 – FH

Sunday, November 6

8:15 am

Organist – Alleluia Choir/Virginia Bolin

Readers – Anita Jensen

Communion Servers – Rita Bernette - Gail Clark – Cindy Thesing

Greeters – Jack and Joanne Benning

10:30 am

Organist – Alleluia Choir/Virginia Bolin

Readers – Michael Bonello

Communion Servers - Jeanne Button – Edie Habegger - Siri Donskey

Greeters – Larry and Lana Zwiefel

Counters –**November** - Carol Glaman - Gary Peterson - Alton Ask

Flowers – **November** - Jim and Barb Moorhead

Food Pantry - November 2 - Carol Glaman and Ann Kvale

Coffee Fellowship – Judy Schure and Beth Roehm

Sunday, November 13

8:15 am

Organist – Deb Larson

Readers – Connie Jerome

Communion Servers – Dennis and Carol Glaman – Marie Grewal

Greeters – Russ and Tootie Bernett

10:30 am

Organist – Deb Larson/ JAM Kids

Readers – Doug Dengel

Communion Servers – Bill and Mary Herrman – Doug Dengel

Greeters - Bonnie Amundson and Joan Roche

Counters –**November 14** – Alton Ask – Audrey Zebell – Bill McClain

Flowers – **November** - Jim and Barb Moorhead

Food Pantry - November 15 – Maureen Sullivan and Edie Habegger

November 16 – Al and Jan Jenkins

Coffee Fellowship - Diane Dammen and Jean Hays

Thanksgiving Eve, November 23 at 7:00 pm

Reader - Jeremiah Erickson

Communion Server – Debbie Bassett

Greeters – 2 Opportunities to serve