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# October 5, 2025 Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost Lutheran Women *in Mission* Sunday

The Ascension text of "GO" (Luke 24:44–53) is the mission emphasis for Lutheran Women in Mission Sunday 2025. On Ascension Day, Jesus gave his followers an assignment "that repentance and forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in his name to all nations."

### **DIVINE SERVICE**

### **ORDER OF SERVICE**

Divine Service, Setting One, LSB 151

**CREED**: Nicene

### **HYMNS**

Opening Hymn:

LSB 849 "Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness"

Sermon Hymn:

LSB 830 "Spread the Reign of God the Lord"

Offering Hymn:

LSB 781 vv. 1-2 "We Give Thee But Thine Own"

Distribution Hymn:

LSB 832 "Jesus Shall Reign"

Closing Hymn:

LSB 837 "Lift High the Cross"

# **SERMON TEXT AND THEME**

Luke 24:44-53

"Servants of the Word, Share the Word"

# IN OUR PRAYERS \*\*

**FOR HEALTH AND HEALING OF OUR MEMBERS:** SP: Chris Heismeyer, and Kendra Will. TR: Pam Hallman, Deb Pope, Diana Kieffer, Barb Gilbertz, and Marlene Henthorn.

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**CONGRATULATIONS** to Eric and Jessica Olson (TR) on the birth of their baby girl. Addison Lee Olson was born September 20, 2025. Grandparents are Ron and Theresa Glissendorf.

**TRINITY BIRTHDAY**: Olivia Hanten 10/06; Austin Hauge 10/07

Jane Guericke 10/10; Taelyn Clark 10/10

TRINITY ANNIVERSARY: Nick & Jill Rolfsmeier 10/06

ST. PAUL'S BIRTHDAY: none ST. PAUL'S ANNIVERSARY: none

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

On behalf of the **Everson benefit**, we would like to **thank** all our volunteers for helping this past Sunday. We served 172 plates of the most delicious pancakes and sausages! The absolute best parts of the benefit were the fellowship of those who worked together to raise \$6,688.00 plus a \$1,000 match from Modern Woodmen. Praise the Lord for all his gifts to Stephanie, Addy, Blake and Charlie.

LWML Mitchell Zone **Fall Rally** is today October 5, 2025, at Immanuel, Dimock, 1:30 p.m. See the October newsletter for further details.

Pastor McKillop will be gone Monday October 6 through Wednesday October 8, 2025, for the LCMS South Dakota District Pastors Conference in Rapid City. In case of an emergency, you can call him on his mobile phone.

**No Bible Class, Wednesday School,** nor **Catechism class** at Trinity Wednesday, October 8, 2025. **No Bible Class** at St. Paul's October 9, 2025.

**Trinity Voters** will meet Tuesday, October 14, 2025, at 7 p.m.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Please contact Nancy at *trinitywlsd@gmail.com* or 605-249-2570 for any updates to this bulletin prayer list. Thank you.

# 2025-10-05 Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost – LWML Sunday

# St. Paul's Lutheran Church † Trinity Lutheran Church October 5–11, 2025 Events

Sun. Oct. 5 8:30 a.m. Divine Service at St. Paul's

10:30 a.m. Divine Service at Trinity

1:30 p.m. LWML Mitchell Zone Fall Rally, Dimock

Mon. Oct. 6-Wed. Oct.8 LCMS SD District Pastors Conference, RC

Wed. Oct. 8 2:15 p.m. Trinity Release-Time

Sat. Oct. 4 9:30 a.m. LWML Christian Life Workshop, Gregory

Elders: SP: Mike Tuschen/Curt Guindon; TR: Scott Meier

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Acolytes: SP: Addisyn Everson; TR: Dayton Simpson Altar: SP: Marlene Johnson; TR: Jane Guericke

Greeters: SP: 10/05 LWML; 10/12 Stan & Marlene Johnson

September 28 Attendance, Offering: SP: 29, \$710; TR: 23, \$1498

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# October 12, 2025 Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

# We Walk by Faith, and Not by Sight

We are surrounded by "destruction and violence" (Hab. 1:3) because the Law "is paralyzed, and justice never goes forth" (Hab. 1:4). Therefore, not by sight, experience or feeling, nor by works, "the righteous shall live by his faith" (Hab. 2:4). "Temptations to sin are sure to come" (Luke 17:1), but as often as we sin, the Lord rebukes us, turns us to repentance and forgives us. We pray that He would thus "increase our faith" (Luke 17:5). And indeed, He does! He prepares His Supper for us, dresses us properly and gives us His body and blood to eat and drink. He appoints pastors for us, "by the will of God according to the promise of the life that is in Christ Jesus" (2 Tim. 1:1). For the Gospel brings "life and immortality to light" (2 Tim. 1:10). This we believe. Therefore, "follow the pattern of the sound words that you have heard," by which He guards you "in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus" (2 Tim. 1:13).

# **DIVINE SERVICE**

# **ORDER OF SERVICE**

Divine Service, Setting Four, LSB 203

**CREED**: Apostle's

# **HYMNS**

Opening Hymn:

LSB 729 "I Am Trusting Thee, Lord Jesus"

Sermon Hymn:

LSB 728 "How Firm a Foundation"

Offering Hymn:

LSB 781 vv. 1–2 "We Give Thee But Thine Own"

Distribution/Third Hymn:

LSB 731 "O God, Forsake Me Not"

Closing Hymn:

LSB 735 "Have No Fear, Little Flock"

# **SERMON TEXT AND THEME**

Habakkuk 1:1-4, 2:1-4

"The Righteous Shall Live by His Faith"

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TRINITY BIRTHDAYS: Randa Vandenhoek 10/12; Jenny Gilbertz

10/12; Kayden Rose 10/16; Sawyer Swindell

10/18

TRINITY ANNIVERSARIES: none

St. Paul's Birthdays: Howard Weischedel 10/12; Drew Gerlach 10/14;

James Will 10/17

St. Paul's Anniversary: none

# **LUTHERANS FOR LIFE THOUGHT**

Nearly all of Jesus' contemporaries would have been taught that lepers justly suffered the consequences of their own sinful decisions and were unworthy of God's compassion. Jesus, whose works are always "faithful and just" (Psalm 111:7), shows us that there is no one who is unworthy of His care and compassion. Every single person, regardless of their size, condition, or past decisions, is loved by God, precious in His sight, and covered by His redeeming grace. • *lutheransforlife.org* 

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Note:** Today we are using the Readings, Introit, Collect, and Gradual for October 5, 2025.

Trinity Voters will meet Tuesday, October 14, 2025, at 7 p.m.

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# 2025-10-12 Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

# St. Paul's Lutheran Church † Trinity Lutheran Church October 12–18, 2025 Events

Sun. Oct. 12 8:30 a.m. Divine Service at St. Paul's 10:30 a.m. Divine Service at Trinity

Tues. Oct. 14 2 p.m. LWML St. Paul's Dorcas Circle 7 p.m. Trinity Quarterly Voters Meeting

Wed. Oct. 15 5:30 p.m. Trinity Bible Class/Wednesday School 6:30 p.m. Trinity Catechism Class

Thurs. Oct. 16 10 a.m. St. Paul's Bible Class

Elders: SP: Mike Tuschen/Curt Guindon; TR: Scott Meier

Ushers: SP: Dan Gerlach, Mike Tuschen; TR: Ron Steffen, Dan Guericke

Acolytes: SP: Addisyn Everson; TR: Dayton Simpson Altar: SP: Marlene Johnson; TR: Jane Guericke

Greeters: SP: 10/12 Stan & Marlene Johnson; 10-19 Kieth & Cathy Albrecht

October 5 Attendance, Offering: SP: 21, \$675; TR: 26, \$2128

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# October 19, 2025 Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Faith Clings to the Word and Promises of God; Perseveres in Prayer "Left alone," Jacob wrestled through the night with the Lord, "until the breaking of the day" (Gen. 32:24). Though "Jacob's hip was put out of joint as he wrestled with him" (Gen. 32:25), he would not let go until the Lord blessed him. At times, we, too, strive with God; He strives with us and blesses us by grace. So Jesus teaches us "always to pray and not lose heart" (Luke 18:1). Jesus speaks of a widow "who kept coming to him and saying, 'Give me justice against my adversary" (Luke 18:2–3). Because of her persistence, the judge agreed to "give her justice" (Luke 18:5). Our Lord dispenses justice generously and swiftly, giving "justice to his elect, who cry to him day and night" (Luke 18:7). He does so according to the Gospel. Therefore, His ministers are to persevere faithfully in their vocation, in what they "have learned and have firmly believed" (2 Tim. 3:14). On the basis of "the sacred writings" (2 Tim. 3:15), they are to "preach the word" at all times and not lose heart (2 Tim. 4:2).

# **DIVINE SERVICE**

### ORDER OF SERVICE

Divine Service, Setting Four, LSB 203

**CREED**: Nicene

### **HYMNS**

Opening Hymn:

LSB 578 "Thy Strong Word"

Sermon Hymn:

LSB 657 "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

Offering Hymn:

LSB 781 vv. 1-2 "We Give Thee But Thine Own"

Distribution Hymn:

LSB 658 "Preserve Your Word, O Savior"

Closing Hymn:

LSB 923 "Almighty Father, Bless the Word"

# **SERMON TEXT AND THEME**

2 Timothy 3:14-17

"All Scripture Is God-Breathed"

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**CHRISTIAN LOVE AND CONDOLENCES** to the family and friends of LeRoy Bradwisch, White Lake. May our heavenly Father grant comfort and peace to family and friends, in the blessed assurance of eternal life for His children. LeRoy will be buried in California.

TRINITY BIRTHDAYS: Connie Knigge 10/20; Michelle Everson 10/20;

Terri Thompson 10/21; Dan Guericke 10/22

**TRINITY ANNIVERSARIES**: Wayne & Susan Tatro 10/20;

Michael & Barbara Gilbertz 10/22

St. Paul's Birthday: Tyson Huff 10/20

St. Paul's Anniversary: Dan & Tina Gerlach 10/22

# **LUTHERANS FOR LIFE THOUGHT**

The world has always been filled with people who have turned away from the truth of God's Word and are not willing to endure sound doctrine (2 Timothy 4:3-4), especially regarding the sanctity of human life. Knowing that we can't force people to believe God's Word and value God's precious gift of life, we "lift up our eyes to the hills," trusting that "... our help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth" (Psalm 121:1-2). For we trust that God alone has the power to change hearts, and He does so through the Gospel of Jesus Christ, which is able to make us wise unto salvation (2 Timothy 3:15). • *lutheransforlife.org* 

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

We have decided to combine adult Bible classes. We won't have adult Bible classes Thursdays at St. Paul's. Members from St. Paul's will be going to Trinity for adult Bible classes Wednesday nights at 5:30 p.m.

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# 2025-10-19 Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

# St. Paul's Lutheran Church † Trinity Lutheran Church October 19–25, 2025 Events

Sun. Oct. 19 8:30 a.m. Divine Service at St. Paul's

10:30 a.m. Divine Service at Trinity

Wed. Oct. 22 2:15 p.m. Trinity Release-Time

5:30 p.m. Joint Bible Class at Trinity

Wednesday School at Trinity

6:30 p.m. Trinity Catechism Class

Elders: SP: Mike Tuschen/Curt Guindon; TR: Scott Meier

Ushers: SP: Dan Gerlach, Mike Tuschen; TR: Ron Steffen, Dan Guericke

Acolytes: SP: Addisyn Everson; TR: Dayton Simpson Altar: SP: Marlene Johnson: TR: Jane Guericke

Greeters: SP: 10/19 Kieth & Cathy Albrecht; 10/26 Mike & Sandy Tuschen

October 12 Attendance, Offering: SP: 25, \$915; TR: 27, \$1176

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# October 26, 2025 Reformation Day (Observed)

The Son of God Has Set Us Free from Sin and Death by His Grace "Wisdom is justified by her deeds" (Matt. 11:19), and the true Wisdom of God, Christ Jesus, the incarnate Son, justifies us by His deeds. He prepares His way by the preaching of repentance, but He has suffered the violence of the Law and voluntarily handed Himself over to violent men, that we might eat and drink with Him in His kingdom and "remain in the house forever" (John 8:35). For He is "a friend of tax collectors and sinners" (Matt. 11:19), and He has rescued us by His grace from the slavery of sin and death. By the proclamation of His eternal Gospel "to those who dwell on earth, to every nation and tribe and language and people" (Rev. 14:6), "the righteousness of God has been manifested apart from the law" (Rom. 3:21), "that he might be just and the justifier of the one who has faith in Jesus" (Rom. 3:26). And by hearing the Gospel of Christ Jesus, "whom God put forward as a propitiation by his blood, to be received by faith" (Rom. 3:25), "you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free" (John 8:32).

### **DIVINE SERVICE**

# **ORDER OF SERVICE**

Special Printed Reformation Service Trinity: Divine Service, Setting Four, *LSB* 209-211

### **HYMNS**

LSB 657 "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" vs 1–2

LSB 645 "Built on the Rock" vs 1, 3-4

LSB 582 "God's Word Is Our Great Heritage"

TLH 289 "The Law Commands and Makes Us Know"

Offering Hymn: LSB 953 "We All Believe in One True God"

LSB 607 "From Depths of Woe I Cry to Thee" vs 1, 5 Closing Hymn: LSB 865 "Lord, Help Us Ever to Retain"

# IN OUR PRAYERS \*\*

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**TRINITY BIRTHDAYS**: Sue Tatro 10/26; Charlee Byrd 10/27;

Lorraine Mosemann 10/31; Wayne Tatro 10/31

**TRINITY ANNIVERSARIES**: Dan & Jane Guericke 10/27

Tige & Michelle Everson 10/30

St. Paul's Birthdays: Sharon Boyd 10/26; Donna Fink 10/26;

Terry Anthony 10/28; Tara Thomas 10/29

St. Paul's Anniversaries: none

### **LUTHERANS FOR LIFE THOUGHT**

Defending the lives that God created, redeemed, and called by the Gospel is a good thing! But we must be careful not to become like the Pharisee in Jesus' parable, who became so proud of his good works that he mistreated those who didn't think like him (Luke 18:11-12). Affirming the sanctity of every life also means caring about those who disagree with us, treating them with compassion and sharing the forgiveness of Christ with them, that they, too, might receive the "crown of righteousness" on the Last Day (2 Timothy 4:8). • *lutheransforlife.org* 

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

November 2025 newsletter articles are due Tuesday, October 28, 2025.

St. Paul's LWML Dorcas Circle will be hosting an egg bake, etc. breakfast after church Sunday November 9, 2025. Free-will donations will go to LWML Mites for Missions.

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# 2025-10-26 Reformation Day (Observed)

# St. Paul's Lutheran Church † Trinity Lutheran Church October 26–November 1, 2025 Events

Sun. Oct. 26 8:30 a.m. Divine Service at St. Paul's

10:30 a.m. Divine Service at Trinity

Wed. Oct. 29 2:15 p.m. Trinity Release-Time

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