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October 1, 2022, at Trinity LWML SUNDAY OBSERVED

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). In fact, the Law cannot rescue us from our enemies; it is our fiercest enemy of all. 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! Though we are His "unworthy servants" (Luke 17:10), 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).

ORDER OF SERVICE

Divine Service, Setting Three, LSB 184

HYMNS

Opening Hymn:

LSB 902 "Lord Jesus Christ, Be Present Now"

Sermon Hymn:

LSB 895 "Now Thank We All Our God"

Offering Hymn:

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

Distribution Hymn:

LSB 587 "I Know My Faith is Founded"

LSB 720 "We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight"

Closing Hymn:

LSB 843 "'Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive"

SERMON TITLE AND TEXT

"Forgiving Sin is a Divine Power" Luke 17:1–10



IN OUR PRAYERS **

FOR HEALTH AND HEALING OF OUR MEMBERS: SP: Justin Everson, Jean Gerlach, Elmer Sorensen, Jerry Boyd, David Merrill, Chris Heismeyer, Jean and Hazel Kern, Merlyn Haak, Kendra Will, Judy Jira, and Howard Weischedel. TR: Pam Hallman and Eleanor Gieseman.

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TRINITY BIRTHDAYS: Riann Byrd 10/2; Matthew Fey 10/3; Olivia Hanten 10/6;

Austin Hauge 10/7

TRINITY ANNIVERSARY: Nick & Jill Rolfsmeier 10/6

St. Paul's Birthday: Cathy Albrecht 10/4

St. Paul's Anniversaries: none

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October 1 Pentecost XVII: "It is easy to look at others in the world and label them as enemies, especially when they have different political, religious, or ethical beliefs than we do. But, when God

looks at those individuals, He wants them to belong to His family, too. A fruit of faith can be to show other individuals, made in God's image, that they, too, are chosen!" Marie K. MacPherson, author

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please see the inserts for further event information.

A **Joint Congregational Meeting** will be held following this evening's Divine Service at St. Paul's. At this meeting service times will be discussed.

If there is a change in service day and/or time, members will be notified via the weekly bulletin, our websites, and social media. If the change is immediate, the phone/text trees will be used to contact members.

Due to the unknown at the time of publication, this month's calendar does not list regular Divine Service, Confirmation Class, and Sat/Sun School days/times. Once determined, a printable calendar will be available on our websites. Printed calendars will available at either church.

Trinity Lutherans For Life will be gathering a **free-will offering October 8**. This offering will go to the Southeastern LFL Chapter's **Ultrasound Fund** which supports the Alpha Center's limited ultrasound service. (*alphacenter.org/services/limited-ultrasounds/*). This fund maintains the donations previously received for Bike for Life.

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2022-10-01 Seventeenth Sunday (Saturday) after Pentecost

St. Paul's Lutheran Church † Trinity Lutheran Church Calendar

Sat. Oct. 1 4:45 p.m. Confirmation Class at St. Paul's

6 p.m. Divine Service at St. Paul's

7 p.m. Joint Congregational Meeting at St. Paul's

Tues. Oct. 4 2 p.m. LWML Trinity Hope Circle

6:30 p.m. LWML Trinity Ruth Circle

Wed. Oct. 5 2:15 p.m. Release-Time Class at Trinity

Next weekend Confirmation, Divine Serve, and Bible

Class at Trinity

SERVING THE LORD'S CHURCH OCTOBER 2022

St. Paul's Trinity

Elder: Justin Everson
Ushers: Brent Morenz
Mike Tuschen
Howard Weischedel

Elder: Dan Guericke
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Ben Bogenhagen
Acolytes: Joshua Doering

Acolyte: Brant Bogenhagen

Altar: Marlene Johnson Altar: Jane Guericke

LAST SERVICES' NUMBERS	St. Paul's	Trinity	
Attendance Sept. 24 at TR	11	19	
Offering Sept. 24 at TR		\$5331	

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October 8, 2022, at Trinity

Faith Returns Thanks to God

Jesus comes in mercy and, by His Word, heals you in body and soul. "Go and show yourselves to the priests," for you are cleansed (Luke 17:14), and you are granted access to the Lord's temple. It is "at Jesus' feet, giving him thanks" (Luke 17:16), that you worship God, for Christ Jesus is your great High Priest; His body is the true temple. In Him, you "find rest, each of you in the house of her husband" (Ruth 1:9), for the Lord has "visited his people and given them food" (Ruth 1:6). The person of Jesus Christ lodges Himself in holy food — bread and wine for believers to eat and drink. You lodge where Jesus lodges; His Father is your God, His people are your people. Death cannot part you from Him because His death and resurrection are eternally yours through Holy Baptism. "Remember Jesus Christ, risen from the dead" (2 Tim. 2:8). As surely as death could not hold Him, so surely "the word of God is not bound" (2 Tim. 2:9. Such is the confession of faith for all the saints, who believe, teach, and confess the one Lord and Savior — Jesus Christ.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Divine Service, Setting Three, LSB 184

HYMNS

Opening Hymn:

LSB 790 "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

Sermon Hymn:

LSB 434 "Lamb of God, Pure and Holy"

Offering Hymn:

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

Distribution Hymn:

LSB 642 "O Living Bread from Heaven"

LSB 845 "Where Charity and Love Prevail"

Closing Hymn:

LSB 895 "Now Thank We All Our God"

SERMON TITLE AND TEXT

"Your Faith Has Saved You" Luke 17:11–19

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TRINITY BIRTHDAYS: Jane Guericke 10/10; Taelyn Clark 10/10; Randa

VandenHoek 10/12; Jenny Gilbertz 10/12

TRINITY ANNIVERSARIES: none

St. Paul's Birthday: Howard Weischedel 10/12

St. Paul's Anniversaries: none

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LUTHERANS FOR LIFE QUOTE

October 8 Pentecost XVIII: "Moved by the Holy Spirit, may we help each other carry the crosses we face together. May we work to eliminate suffering together. And may we find healing, belonging,

peace, and joy, together in the cross of Christ!" *Michelle Bauman, director of Y4Life*

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2022-10-08 Eighteenth Sunday (Saturday) after Pentecost

St. Paul's Lutheran Church † Trinity Lutheran Church Calendar

Sat. Oct. 8	4:45 p.m.	Confirmation Class at Trinity
	6 p.m.	Divine Service at Trinity
	7 p.m.	Trinity Quarterly Voters Meeting
Mon. Oct. 10	2 p.m.	LWML St. Paul's Dorcas Circle
Wed. Oct. 5	2:15 p.m.	Release-Time Class at Trinity
Sat. Oct. 15	4:45 p.m.	Confirmation Class at St. Paul's
	6 p.m.	Divine Service at St. Paul's
	7 p.m.	Dorcas Circle Fellowship Supper

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Mike Tuschen	Ben Bogenhagen
Howard Weischedel	Acolytes: Joshua Doering
Acolyte:	Brant Bogenhagen
Altar: Marlene Johnson	Altar: Jane Guericke

LAST SERVICES' NUMBERS	St. Paul's	Trinity
Attendance October 1 at SP	34	15
Offering October 1 at SP	\$2153	

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Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the Sacrament, are asked first to speak with the pastor or elder.

JOINT CONGREGATIONAL MEETING October 1, 2022

7:05 p.m., following the Joint Divine Service at St. Paul's

A joint congregational meeting was held Saturday, October 1, 2022, at 7:05 p.m., following the Divine Service at St. Paul's, Plankinton. Twenty-seven adult members from St. Paul's and ten adult members from Trinity were present, along with Vacancy Pastor, Rev. Jens Jenson.

Lennis Titze made a motion on behalf of St. Paul's to move our joint service day/time to Sunday at 5 p.m. Motion seconded. Ben Bogenhagen made a similar motion on behalf of Trinity. Discussion included that Confirmation class would then be held at 3:45 p.m. Motion carried. Rotation would remain the same, with St. Paul's hosting the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Sundays, and Trinity hosting the 2nd and 4th Sundays.

At Trinity's August 13, 2022 Voters Meeting, a motion was passed to leave the day/time as is; that is, Saturday at 6 p.m. Trinity Voters will meet again to discuss this evening's joint decision.

Pastor Jenson recommended waiting until November to begin the pending change in day/time, as there are a couple upcoming events scheduled on Sunday afternoon that would not work for him have Divine Service then. Also, this will give time to get the word out.

Upcoming Mitchell Circuit Events

- October 16, 2022. Mitchell Circuit Youth Picnic at Lions Park (Armour, SD), 3 p.m.
- October 30, 2022. Mitchell Circuit Reformation Festival at Immanuel Dimock. Presentation at 3 p.m., service 4 p.m.; meal to follow.

Upcoming Holiday Schedule

- November 23, 2022. Joint Thanksgiving Eve Service 5 p.m. Location TBD.
- December 24, 2022. Joint Children's Christmas Eve Service, 3:30 p.m., Trinity
- December 25, 2022. Joint Christmas Day Service, 11:30 am., St. Paul's

Nancy Bogenhagen
St. Paul's and Trinity Parish Secretary



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October 15, 2022, at St. Paul's

Faith Clings to the Word and Promises of God

"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 judge who neither feared God nor respected man" and 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).

ORDER OF SERVICE

Divine Service, Setting Three, LSB 184

HYMNS

Opening Hymn:

LSB 523 "O Word of God Incarnate"

Sermon Hymn:

LSB 734 "I Trust, O Lord, Your Holy Name"

Offering Hymn:

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

Distribution Hymn:

LSB 686 "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

LSB 586 "Preach You the Word"

Closing Hymn:

LSB 773 "Hear Us, Father, When We Pray"

SERMON TITLE AND TEXT

"God Gladly Hears Our Prayers" Luke 18:1–8

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

Thompson 10/21

TRINITY ANNIVERSARY: Wayne & Susan Tatro 10/20

St. Paul's Birthdays: James Will 10/17; Camie Johnson 10/20;

Tyson Huff 10/20

St. Paul's Anniversaries: none

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LUTHERANS FOR LIFE THOUGHT

October 15 Pentecost XIX: Jacob wrestled blessing out of his competitor (Genesis 1:26). Timothy exhorted itching ears in season and out of season (2 Timothy 4:2-3). And the Savior's persistent

widow wouldn't stop pleading to the authorities for justice (Luke 18:3). Our Lord will not let our advocating prevail any less when we speak the truth in love about the sanctity of every human life to leaders and neighbors.

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Per the decision of St. Paul's and Trinity voters, the day and time of our joint events will change starting in November 2022.

- St. Paul's will host the first, third, and fifth **Sundays** of the month.
- Trinity will host the second and fourth **Sundays** of the month.
- Joint Confirmation class (and St. Paul's Sunday School) will be at 3:45 p.m.; the Joint Divine Service will be at 5 p.m.

2022-10-15 Nineteenth Sunday (Saturday) after Pentecost

St. Paul's Lutheran Church † Trinity Lutheran Church Calendar

Sat. Oct. 15
4:45 p.m. Confirmation Class at St. Paul's
6 p.m. Divine Service at St. Paul's
7 p.m. Dorcas Circle Fellowship Supper
Wed. Oct. 19
Sat. Oct. 22
2:15 p.m. Release-Time Class at Trinity
4:45 p.m. Confirmation Class at Trinity
6 p.m. Divine Service at Trinity
7 p.m. Bible Class at Trinity

SERVING THE LORD'S CHURCH OCTOBER 2022

St. Paul's Trinity

Elder: Justin Everson Elder: Dan Guericke
Ushers: Brent Morenz Ushers: Dean Suelflow
Mike Tuschen Ben Bogenhagen
Howard Weischedel Acolytes: Joshua Doering

Acolyte: Brant Bogenhagen

Altar: Marlene Johnson Altar: Jane Guericke

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Attendance October 8 at TR	15	23	
Offering October 8 at TR		\$2723	

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October 22, 2022, at Trinity

In Humble Repentance, Faith Lives by Grace and Mercy Jesus tells a parable "to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous" (Luke 18:9). In this parable, the Pharisee unjustly boasted before God on the basis of his own merits, whereas the tax collector intently prayed, "God, be merciful to me, a sinner!" (Luke 18:13). That poor, miserable sinner trusted Christ, and he went "down to his house justified, rather than the other" (Luke 18:14). So do little children, "even infants," come to Jesus with their need, and they "receive the kingdom of God" through faith (Luke 18:15–17). For "the one who humbles himself will be exalted." but "everyone who exalts himself will be humbled" (Luke 18:14). That is why "the LORD had regard for Abel and his offering, but for Cain and his offering he had no regard" (Gen. 4:4-5). St. Paul's life, "poured out as a drink offering," was another sacrifice like Abel's (2 Tim. 4:6). The Lord stood by Paul and strengthened him, that "the message might be fully proclaimed" (2 Tim. 4:17). It is by that Gospel message of Christ that we "have loved his appearing" and as repentant sinners pray to "the Lord, the righteous judge" by faith (2 Tim. 6:8).

ORDER OF SERVICE

Divine Service, Setting Three, LSB 184

HYMNS

Opening Hymn:

LSB 565 "Thy Works, Not Mine, O Christ"

Sermon Hymn:

LSB 745 "In God, My Faithful God"

Offering Hymn:

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

Distribution Hymn:

LSB 740 "I Am Jesus' Little Lamb"

LSB 611 "Chief of Sinners Though I Be"

Closing Hymn:

LSB 867 "Let Children Hear the Mighty Deeds"

SERMON TITLE AND TEXT

"Christians Cry Out for Mercy" Luke 18:9–17

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CHRISTIAN LOVE AND CONDOLENCES to the family and friends of Judy Jira, SP. May our heavenly Father grant comfort and peace in the blessed assurance of eternal life for His children.

TRINITY BIRTHDAYS: Dan Guericke 10/22; Susan Tatro 10/26; Charlee Byrd 10/27

TRINITY ANNIVERSARIES: Michael & Barbara Gilbertz 10/22; Dan & Jane Guericke 10/27

St. Paul's Birthdays: Sharon Boyd 10/26; Donna Fink 10/26; Kellie Harless 10/28; Terry Anthony 10/28 **St. Paul's Anniversaries**: none

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LUTHERANS FOR LIFE QUOTE

October 22 "We may think our problems are small in relation to the magnitude of the problem of abortion. Not so! Support leaders who embrace these words, 'All men are created equal, that they are

endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness.' ... We have the most hopeful message the world has ever heard. You know it." Rev. Dr. Reed Lessing, Concordia University, St. Paul, Minnesota.

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Trinity LWML Ruth Circle's latest shipment of greeting cards has arrived.

The **November newsletter** will be available on/after October 29, 2022. Articles are due Tuesday, October 25, 2022.

2022-10-22 Nineteenth Sunday (Saturday) after Pentecost

St. Paul's Lutheran Church † Trinity Lutheran Church Calendar

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Sat. Oct. 22	4:45 p.m. Confirmation Class at Trinity
	6 p.m. Divine Service at Trinity
	7 p.m. Bible Class at Trinity
Sun. Oct. 23	7 p.m. Prayer Service for Judy Jira at St. Paul's
Mon. Oct. 24	10:30 a.m. Funeral Service for Judy Jira at St. Paul's
Wed. Oct. 26	2:15 p.m. Release-Time Class at Trinity
Sat. Oct. 29	4:45 p.m. Confirmation Class at St. Paul's
	6 p.m. Divine Service at St. Paul's
	7 p.m. Bible Class at Trinity
Sun. Oct. 30	4 p.m. Mitchell Circuit Reformation Service,
	Immanuel Dimock

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Offering October 15 at SP	\$1298	

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October 29, 2022, at St. Paul's

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).

ORDER OF SERVICE

Divine Service, Setting Three, LSB 184

HYMNS

Opening Hymn:

LSB 580 "The Gospel Shows the Father's Grace" Sermon Hymn:

LSB 569 "In Adam We Have All Been One" Offering Hymn:

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

LSB 555 "Salvation Unto Us Has Come"

LSB 655 "Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word" Closing Hymn:

LSB 656 "A Mighty Fortress is Our God"

SERMON TITLE AND TEXT

"The Gospel Sets Us Free" John 8:31–36

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TRINITY BIRTHDAYS: Lorraine Mosemann 10/31; Wayne Tatro 10/31;

Angela Hempel 11/2

TRINITY ANNIVERSARY: Tige & Michelle Everson 10/30

St. Paul's Birthdays: Tara Thomas 10/29; Shannon Tobin 10/29; Lori Haak 11/1; Kurt Fink 11/3; Bert Fink 11/4; Justin Everson 11/5 St. Paul's Anniversaries: none

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LUTHERANS FOR LIFE THOUGHT

October 29 Many who have participated in the abortion of their own children believe they have committed an unforgivable sin. When we fail even to speak its name and extend God's atoning

grace to it directly, we become as guilty as them. What relief is theirs—and ours—in acknowledging our Lord's forgiveness: No sin stains so deeply that Jesus cannot cleanse us (Isaiah 1:18).

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Starting the first weekend in November, St. Paul's will host the first, third, and fifth **Sundays** of the month. Trinity will host the second and fourth **Sundays** of the month. **Joint Confirmation class (and St. Paul's Sunday School)** will be at 3:45 p.m.; the **Joint Divine Service will be at 5 p.m.**

From the family of JUDY JIRA — Thank you to our family, friends, and neighbors for all your kindness, your visits, calls, flowers, food, and donations during this difficult time. A special thank you to the members of St. Paul's Lutheran Church and the Dorcas Circle, Judy's Sorority Sisters, Bittner Funeral Home, Commerce Street Grille (Linda & crew), Pastor Jenson for the beautiful service, and Ferra Kemp and Aurora for the beautiful music.

The **November newsletter** is available this evening

2022-10-29 Reformation Day (Observed)

St. Paul's Lutheran Church † Trinity Lutheran Church Calendar

Sat. Oct. 29
Sun. Oct. 30
6 p.m. Divine Service at St. Paul's
4 p.m. Mitchell Circuit Reformation Service,
Immanuel Dimock
Wed. Nov. 2
Sun. Nov. 6
2:15 p.m. Release-Time Class at Trinity
3:45 p.m. Confirmation Class at St. Paul's
Sunday School at St. Paul's

5 p.m. Divine Service at St. Paul's 6 p.m. Bible Class at St. Paul's

SERVING THE LORD'S CHURCH OCTOBER 2022

St. Paul's Trinity

Elder: Justin Everson
Ushers: Brent Morenz
Mike Tuschen
Howard Weischedel

Elder: Dan Guericke
Ushers: Dean Suelflow
Ben Bogenhagen
Acolytes: Joshua Doering

Acolyte: Acolytes Joshua Doening
Acolytes Brant Bogenhagen

Altar: Marlene Johnson Altar: Jane Guericke

LAST SERVICES' NUMBERSSt. Paul'sTrinityAttendance October 22 at TR724Offering October 22 at\$2446

The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth His death until He comes.