

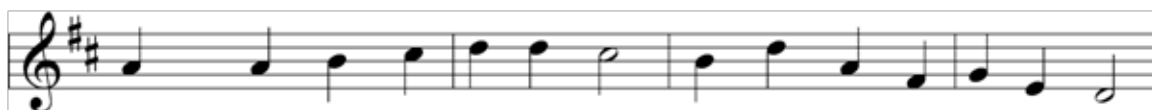
+ FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY (MATINS) +
September 13, 2020

As We Gather ~ The Cry of Faith: Lord, Have Mercy

The ten lepers cried out from a distance, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" (Luke 17:11–19). Their condition cut them off from God and others. So also do the works of the flesh cut us off from God and others. "Those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God" (Gal. 5:16–24). Thus we cry out with the lepers, "Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy," eagerly seeking His good gifts. Jesus said to the lepers, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were cleansed. So too, we walk by faith and not by sight, being confident of Jesus' help before we see any evidence of it, trusting that Jesus' cleansing words of forgiveness will restore us to wholeness in the resurrection. Let us be as the one leper who returned to the true High Priest to give Him thanks and glory. For Jesus bore our infirmities in His sacrifice at Calvary. His words are life to those who find them, and health to all their flesh (Prov. 4:10–23).

Hymn "Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies"

LSB 873



1 Christ, whose glo - ry fills the skies, Christ, the true and on - ly light,
2 Dark and cheer - less is the morn Un - ac - com - pa - nied by Thee;
3 Vis - it then this soul of mine, Pierce the gloom of sin and grief;



Sun of righ - teous - ness, a - rise; Tri - umph o'er the shades of night.
Joy - less is the day's re - turn Till Thy mer - cy's beams I see,
Fill me, ra - dian - cy di - vine, Scat - ter all my un - be - lief;

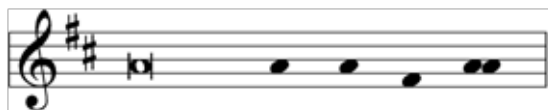


Day - spring from on high, be near; Day - star, in my heart ap - pear.
Till they in - ward light im - part, Glad my eyes, and warm my heart.
More and more Thy - self dis - play, Shin - ing to the per - fect day.

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Common Versicles

LSB 219



L O Lord, o - pen my lips,



G and my mouth will de - clare Your praise.



L Make haste, O God, to de - liv - er me;



G make haste to help me, O Lord.



G Glo - ry be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spir - it;



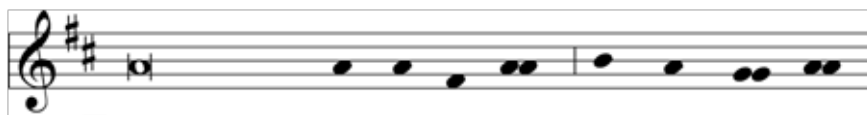
as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and will be for - ev - er. A - men.




Praise to You, O Christ. Al - le - lu - ia.

+ PSALMODY +

Antiphon (Proper 14-20, Trinity 14-19)




L The Lord has sanc - ti - fied us in the true faith.



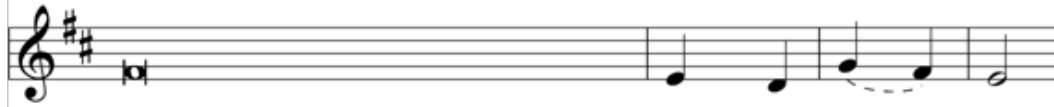
C O come, let us wor - ship Him.

Venite


LSB 220




C 1 O come, let us sing to the Lord,
 2 For the Lord is a great God
 3 The sea is His, for He made it,
 5 Glory be to the Father and to the Son



1 let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our sal - va - tion.
 2 and a great king a - bove all gods.
 3 and His hand formed the dry land.
 5 and to the Ho - ly Spir - it;

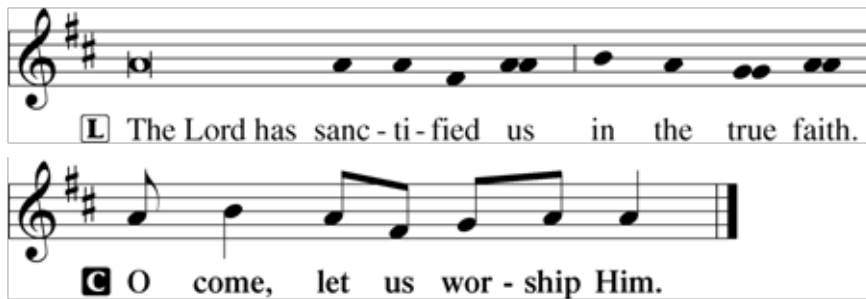


1 Let us come into His presence with thanks - giv - ing,
 2 The deep places of the earth are in His hand;
 3 O come, let us worship and bow down,
 4 For He is our God,
 5 as it was in the be - gin - ning,



1 let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise.
 2 the strength of the hills is His al - so.
 3 let us kneel before the Lord, our mak - er.
 4 and we are the people of His pasture and the sheep of His hand.
 5 is now, and will be for - ev - er. A - men.

Antiphon (Proper 14-20, Trinity 14-19)

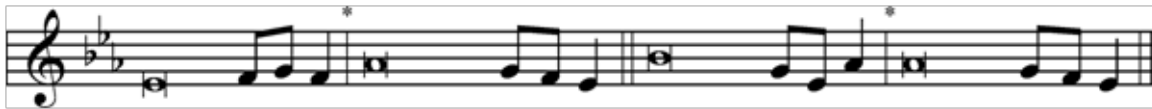


[L] The Lord has sanc - ti - fied us in the true faith.

[C] O come, let us wor - ship Him.

Introit

Psalm 84:1–2a, 4, 10b, 11b; antiphon: vv. 9–10a



Behold our shield, | O God;*
look on the face of your a- | nointed!
For a day | in your courts*
is better than a thousand | elsewhere.
How lovely is your dwelling place, O | LORD of hosts!*
My soul longs, yes, faints for the courts | of the LORD.
Blessèd are those who dwell | in your house,*
ever sing- | ing your praise!
I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house | of my God*
than dwell in the tents of | wickedness.
The LORD bestows favor and | honor.*
No good thing does he withhold from those who walk up- | rightly.
Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.
Behold our shield, | O God;*
look on the face of your a- | nointed!
For a day | in your courts*
is better than a thousand | elsewhere.

Hymn “O God, My Faithful God”

LSB 696

1 O God, my faith - ful God, True foun-tain ev - er flow - ing,
 2 Grant me the strength to do With read - y heart and will - ing
 3 Keep me from say - ing words That lat - er need re - call - ing;
 4 Lord, let me win my foes With kind - ly words and ac - tions,
 With - out whom noth - ing is, All per - fect gifts be - stow - ing:
 What - ev - er You com-mand, My call - ing here ful - fill - ing;
 Guard me lest i - dle speech May from my lips be fall - ing;
 And let me find good friends For coun-sel and cor - rec - tion.
 Give me a health - y frame, And may I have with - in
 That I do what I should While trust - ing You to bless
 But when with - in my place I must and ought to speak,
 Help me, as You have taught, To love both great and small
 A con-science free from blame, A soul un - stained by sin.
 The out - come for my good, For You must give suc - cess.
 Then to my words give grace Lest I of - fend the weak.
 And by Your Spir - it's might To live in peace with all.

- 5 Let me depart this life
 Confiding in my Savior;
 By grace receive my soul
 That it may live forever;
 And let my body have
 A quiet resting place
 Within a Christian grave;
 And let it sleep in peace.
- 6 And on that final day
 When all the dead are waking,
 Stretch out Your mighty hand,
 My deathly slumber breaking.
 Then let me hear Your voice,
 Redeem this earthly frame,
 And bid me to rejoice
 With those who love Your name.

+ READINGS +

Reading

Proverbs 4:10–23

- 10Hear, my son, and receive my words,
that the years of your life may be many.
11I have taught you the way of wisdom;
I have led you in the paths of uprightness.
12When you walk, your step will not be hampered,
and if you run, you will not stumble.
13Keep hold of instruction; do not let go;
guard her, for she is your life.
14Do not enter the path of the wicked,
and do not walk in the way of the evil.
15Avoid it; do not go on it;
turn away from it and pass on.
16For they cannot sleep unless they have done wrong;
they are robbed of sleep unless they have made someone stumble.
17For they eat the bread of wickedness
and drink the wine of violence.
18But the path of the righteous is like the light of dawn,
which shines brighter and brighter until full day.
19The way of the wicked is like deep darkness;
they do not know over what they stumble.
20My son, be attentive to my words;
incline your ear to my sayings.
21Let them not escape from your sight;
keep them within your heart.
22For they are life to those who find them,
and healing to all their flesh.
23Keep your heart with all vigilance,
for from it flow the springs of life.

Reading Response

A O Lord, have mercy on us.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Reading

Galatians 5:16–24

16But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. 17For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do. 18But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law. 19Now the works of the flesh are evident: sexual immorality,

impurity, sensuality, 20idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, fits of anger, rivalries, dissensions, divisions, 21envy, drunkenness, orgies, and things like these. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. 22But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, 23gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law. 24And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.

Reading Response

A O Lord, have mercy on us.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Reading

Luke 17:11–19

11On the way to Jerusalem [Jesus] was passing along between Samaria and Galilee. 12And as he entered a village, he was met by ten lepers, who stood at a distance 13and lifted up their voices, saying, “Jesus, Master, have mercy on us.” 14When he saw them he said to them, “Go and show yourselves to the priests.” And as they went they were cleansed. 15Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice; 16and he fell on his face at Jesus’ feet, giving him thanks. Now he was a Samaritan. 17Then Jesus answered, “Were not ten cleansed? Where are the nine? 18Was no one found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?” 19And he said to him, “Rise and go your way; your faith has made you well.”

Reading Response

A O Lord, have mercy on us.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Responsory

LSB 221

Verse *To Refrain*

L 1 Forever, O Lord, Your Word is firmly set in the heavens.
2 Blessed are those who hear the Word of God and keep it.
3 Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.


Refrain

C Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glory dwells.

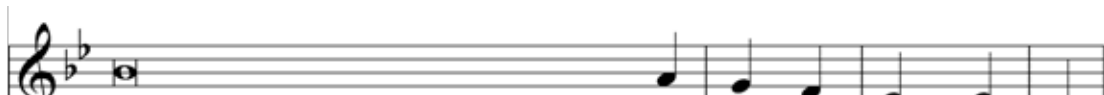
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Te Deum


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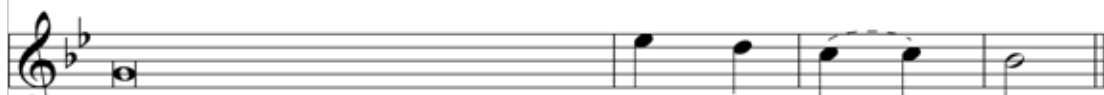
C 1 We praise You, O God; we acknowledge You to be the Lord.
 2 Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Sab - a - oth;
 3 The noble army of martyrs praise — You.



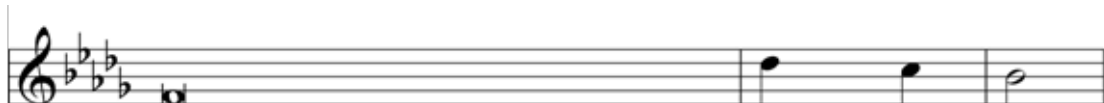
1 All the earth now worships You, the Fa-ther ev - er - last - ing.
 2 heaven and earth are full of the majes - ty of Your glo - ry.
 3 The holy Church throughout all the world does ac - knowl-edge You;



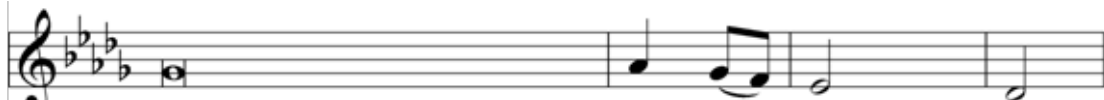
1 To You all angels cry aloud, the heavens and all the pow'rs there-in.
 2 The glorious company of the apostles praise — You.
 3 The Father of an infinite majesty; Your adorable, true, and on - ly Son;
 4 You are the king of glory, O — Christ;




1 To You cherubim and seraphim con - tin - ual - ly do cry:
 2 The goodly fellowship of the proph-ets praise — You.
 3 also the Holy Ghost, the Com-fort - er.
 4 You are the everlasting Son of the Fa - ther.




5 When You took upon Yourself to de - liv - er of man,
 6 You sit at the right hand of God



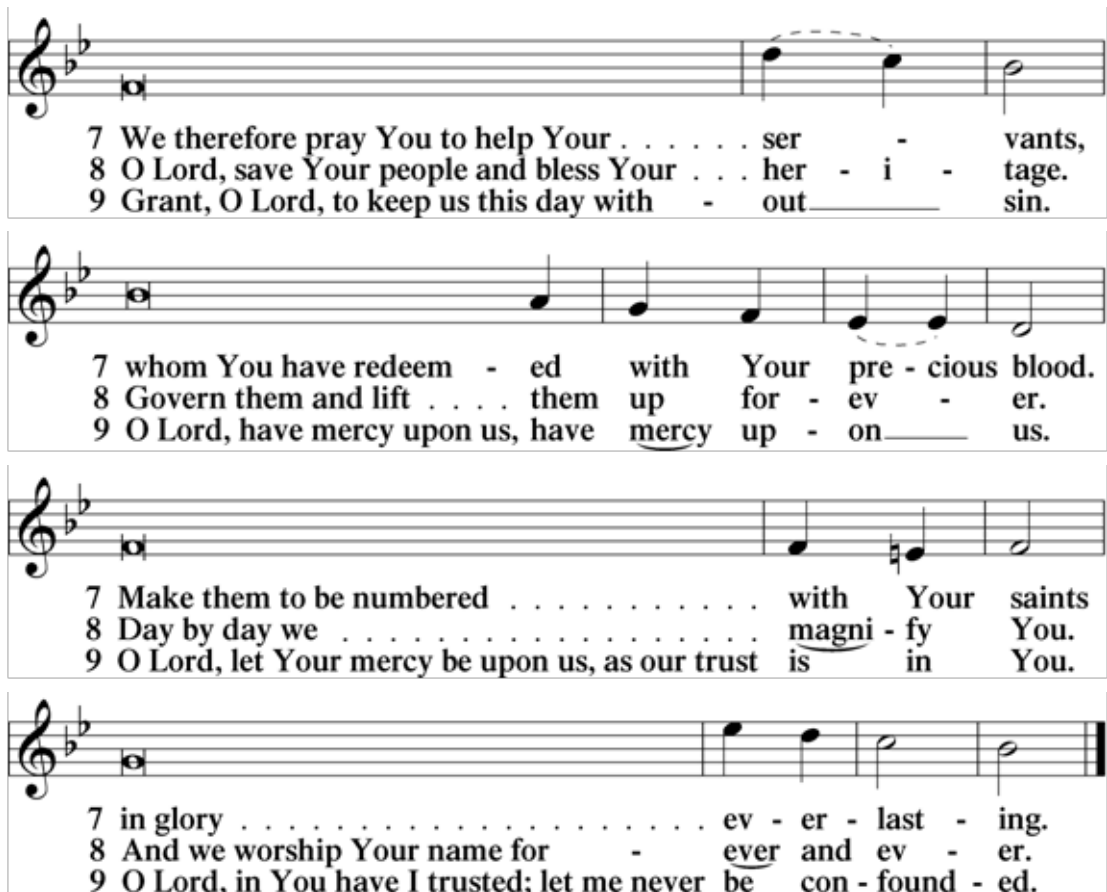
5 You humbled Yourself to be born of a vir - gin.
 6 in the glory of the Fa - ther.



5 When You had overcome the sharpness of death,
 6 We believe that You will come



5 You opened the kingdom of heaven to all be - liev - ers.
 6 to be — our — judge.



7 We therefore pray You to help Your ser - vants,
 8 O Lord, save Your people and bless Your . . . her - i - tage.
 9 Grant, O Lord, to keep us this day with - out sin.

7 whom You have redeem - ed with Your pre - cious blood.
 8 Govern them and lift them up for - ev - er.
 9 O Lord, have mercy upon us, have mercy up - on us.

7 Make them to be numbered with Your saints
 8 Day by day we magni - fy You.
 9 O Lord, let Your mercy be upon us, as our trust is in You.

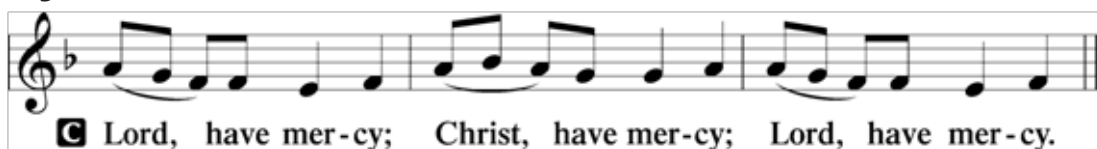
7 in glory ev - er - last - ing.
 8 And we worship Your name for - ever and ev - er.
 9 O Lord, in You have I trusted; let me never be con - found - ed.

Offering

+ PRAYER +

Kyrie

LSB 227



Lord, have mer-cy; Christ, have mer-cy; Lord, have mer-cy.

Lord's Prayer

C Our Father who art in heaven,
 hallowed be Thy name,
 Thy kingdom come,
 Thy will be done on earth
 as it is in heaven;
 give us this day our daily bread;
 and forgive us our trespasses
 as we forgive those
 who trespass against us;
 and lead us not into temptation,
 but deliver us from evil.
 For Thine is the kingdom
 and the power and the glory
 forever and ever. Amen.

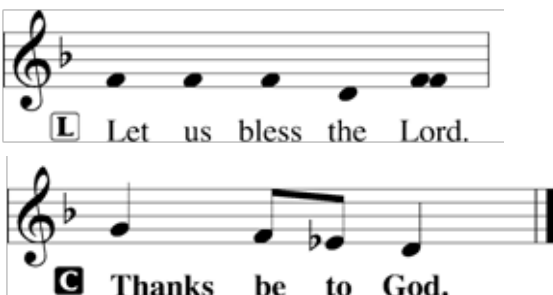
**Collect of the Day**

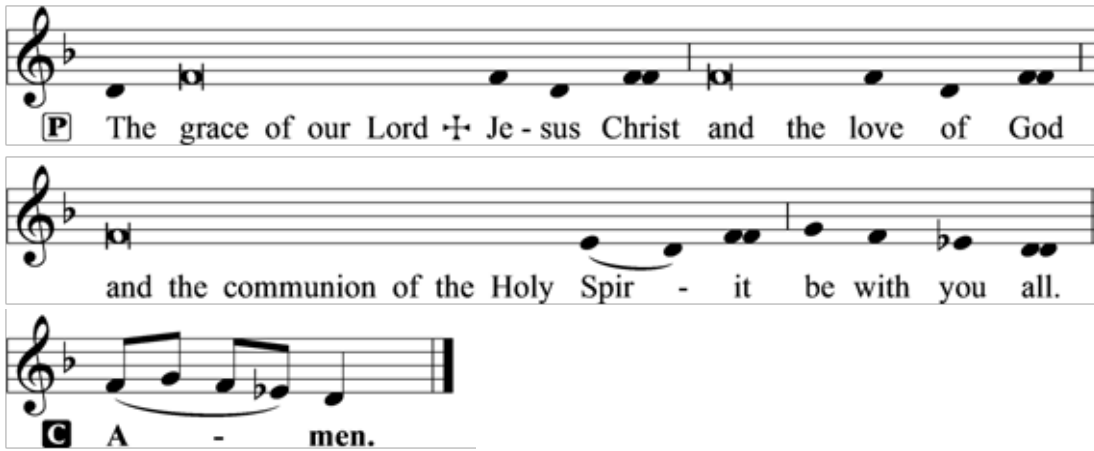
O Lord, keep Your Church with Your perpetual mercy; and be cause of our frailty we cannot but fall, keep us ever by Your help from all things hurtful and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Prayer of the Church**Collect for Grace**

L O Lord, our heavenly Father, almighty and everlasting God, You have safely brought us to the beginning of this day. Defend us in the same with Your mighty power and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger, but that all our doings, being ordered by Your governance, may be righteous in Your sight; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Benedicamus**



P The grace of our Lord † Je - sus Christ and the love of God

and the communion of the Holy Spir - it be with you all.

G A - men.

Hymn “Let Me Be Thine Forever”



1 Let me be Thine for - ev - er, My faith - ful God and Lord;
 2 Lord Je - sus, my sal - va - tion, My light, my life di - vine,
 3 And Thou, O Ho - ly Spir - it, My com - fort - er and guide,

Let me for-sake Thee nev - er Nor wan - der from Thy Word.
 My on - ly con - so - la - tion, O make me whol - ly Thine!
 Grant that in Je - sus' mer - it I al - ways may con - fide,

Lord, do not let me wa - ver, But give me stead-fast-ness,
 For Thou hast dear - ly bought me With blood and bit - ter pain.
 Him to the end con-fess - ing Whom I have known by faith.

And for such grace for - ev - er Thy ho - ly name I'll bless.
 Let me, since Thou hast sought me, E - ter - nal life ob - tain.
 Give me Thy con-stant bless - ing And grant a Chris - tian death.

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The Immanuel Spirit

Scripture Lessons for next Sunday: 1 Kings 17:8-16, Galatians 5:25-6:10 and Matthew 6:24-34.

Stewardship: Luke 17:18-19 – “(Jesus said), ‘Was no one found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?’ And he said to him, ‘Rise and go your way; your faith has made you well.’ ” Faith and thanksgiving go together. How could they not go together? Our Lord gave Himself for us, and we trust Him and His every Word. Once we have this faith, we want to say thank you. It’s only natural. And thus, our stewardship is only a natural part of the Christian faith. We thank the Lord with our gifts, which enable the Church to reach more with the Good News of Christ.

Building Healthy Families for Sept. 13th: Did You Know? Every day LFS counselors meet with people who are experiencing a test or trial of some kind or have been hurt by their own or someone else’s actions. We can help, and we do, but we know we don’t work alone or by our own power. We serve a God who can turn a test into a testimony, a trial into a triumph and a victim into a victorious survivor. Psalm 34 tells us that He is not distant but near to the brokenhearted and to those whose spirit has been crushed. This same God is with you today in whatever test, trial, or pain you are experiencing. Call us if you could use someone to walk with you during this hard time. ~ **Lutheran Family Service of Iowa: Des Moines (515) 251-4900. www.LutheranFamilyService.org**

Life Quote for Sept. 13th: “When discipline and correction are called for in the Christian family, it is always administered in love, given for the express purpose of benefitting the family as a whole—the household as a whole. By this the family is strengthened to better witness to the life they share by faith in Jesus. For by the grace of God and in the power of His Holy Spirit, the Christian family at work, worship, prayer, or play bears witness to the faith that is in them through their Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.” Ron Schlegel, The Lutheran Laymen – ~ **A “Life Quote” from Lutherans For Life www.lutheransforlife.org**

Life Thoughts in the Church Year: Trinity XIV – Jesus’ merciful words and ways work life and healing (Proverbs 4:20-22). He brings forth brilliant and abundant fruit (Galatians 5:22-23) even from flesh like ours (Galatians 5:19-21) that was born broken. We who take these words to heart—and the hearts we touch with them—will live indeed. Gracious Savior, bring life to us and bring life through us. Amen.

Lutheran Hour Ministries for Sept. 20th: Hear “I Stand at the Door” based on Luke 24:13-35 by Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler. Jesus is the Guest who will become the Host for all who trust in Him.” New Series “Households of Faith” ~ **Listen next Sunday on 600 WMT at 6:30 a.m., 1190 KFJB at 8:30 a.m., WHO-1040 at 7:30 a.m., & 1410 KGRN at 7:30 a.m.**

ESSENTIAL EXERCISE FOR THE CHRISTIAN MIND... Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week’s topics include: Fear of Death, The Vocation of Police Officer, Holy Cross Day, 3rd Century North African Bishop Cyprian of Carthage and more. You can listen on-demand at issuesetc.org, the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

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Cleaning: Household(s) responsible for the week of 9/13—9/19 is **Kevin Schultz**. Household(s) responsible for the week of 9/20—9/26 is **Shutt/Shell**. If it is your week to clean church & you have other obligations or prefer to write a check rather than cleaning, the cost is \$50. Please contact Amber Carnine (641-990-5985) no later than the Thursday of the week before it is your week to clean.

Confirmation 5th/6th Grades for September 16

MEMORY WORK: 1st & 2nd Commandments & Meaning

LESSON TO BE COMPLETED IN CLASS: Lessons 1-2

BIBLE LESSON: Matthew 1-3

Confirmation 7th/8th Grades for September 16

MEMORY WORK: 1st Commandment

READING ASSIGNMENT DUE BEFORE CLASS:

Large Catechism – 359-363

LESSON IN CLASS: SCQ 15-41

Federal Disaster Assistance

Monetary donations for Derecho relief efforts for individuals and businesses are being accepted at the following organizations: Grinnell Food Coalition, Grinnell Small Business Relief Fund, Grinnell United Way, Grinnell Area Mental Health Consortium-JPK Fund, NonProfit Emergency Relief Fund, and the Poweshiek Housing Assistance Fund.

MICA: Marshall, Poweshiek, Tama, and Story counties have been approved for federal disaster assistance through FEMA. This means that the Iowa Individual Disaster Assistance Grant will no longer be available in those counties, but you will be able to call FEMA at 800-621-3362 or apply online at disasterassistance.gov. If you need case management, please contact us at disaster.assistance@micaonline.org.

MICA in need of donations. Specifically personal hygiene items (body soap, bar soap, shampoo/conditioner, tooth paste, ect.), shelf stable items (ramen, soups, pork & beans, peanut butter and jelly, bread, other things that can be eaten cold) and monetary donations.

Celebrating Birthdays This Week

Dianna Kelting...Wednesday

Amber Heishman...Friday

We pray God's blessings upon you in the coming year.

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE AND OFFERINGS

Week of Sept 6

Attendance	40
Communion	31
General:	\$1875.00
Missions:	\$102.00

WEEK AHEAD

Today	8:00am	Council Meeting
	9:00am	14th Sunday after Trinity
	10:30am	Sunday School/Bible Study
		Acolyte/Crucifier: Lauren/Sloane Elder: Steve Haase
Monday	11:30am	LWML
Tuesday	10:00am	Greek Study
Wednesday	4-5:30pm	5th/6th Confirmation
	5:30-7pm	7th/8th Confirmation
Thursday	11:00am	Bible Study
Next Sunday	9:00am	15th Sunday after Trinity
	10:30am	Sunday School/Bible Study Acolyte/Crucifier: Lilly/Dylan Elder: Ken Mergen



FEMA

September 04, 2020

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Fact Sheet

Basic FEMA Information for Iowa Homeowners and Renters

General Information for Everyone

- Please continue removing debris, making repairs, and doing needed work.
- Document your damage with photos and video.
- Save all receipts and contractor estimates.
- Insurance is your first line of defense. Be sure to file your insurance claims. Stay in touch with your insurance company. By law, FEMA cannot duplicate insurance payments.

Assistance for Homeowners

- For losses not covered by insurance, FEMA can provide grants to homeowners for:
 - Basic home repairs to help make a primary residence habitable
 - Temporary rental assistance for people who need to relocate
 - Other needs, such as replacing essential personal property that was damaged
 - Lodging expense reimbursement for eligible households who may have stayed in a hotel for a short period of time

Assistance for Renters

- For losses not covered by insurance, FEMA can provide grants to renters for:
 - Temporary rental assistance for people who need to relocate
 - Other needs, such as replacing essential personal property that was damaged
 - Lodging expense reimbursement for eligible households who may have stayed in a hotel for a short period of time

U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA)

- Disaster loans from the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) may be available for homeowners, renters, and business owners.
- Businesses and residents can apply online at disasterloanassistance.sba.gov, call SBA's Customer Service Center at (916) 735-1500 or email FOCWAssistance@sba.gov for more information. TTY users may also call 800-877- 8339.

Registering for Assistance – (Online 24/7; by phone 7 days a week 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. CT)

- If you have losses not covered by insurance and live in Benton, Boone, Cedar, Jasper, Linn, Marshall, Polk, Poweshiek, Scott, Story and Tama, you can register:
 - Online at DisasterAssistance.gov
 - By phone at 800-621-3362,
 - For 711 or Video Relay Service, call 800-621-3362
 - For TTY, call 800-462-7585

Required Information and Documents

- You can upload all required documents at DisasterAssistance.gov.
- Please have the following available to provide:
 - Address of the damaged property
 - Description of disaster-caused damage and losses
 - Current mailing address
 - Current telephone number
 - Social Security number of one member of the household
 - Insurance information
 - Total household annual income
 - Bank account routing and account number for direct deposit
- Save your FEMA registration number, also known as FEMA ID number.
- Check your DisasterAssistance.gov account for updates.
- Please feel free to call FEMA to ask questions:
 - By phone at 800-621-3362
 - For 711 or Video Relay Service, call 800-621-3362
 - For TTY, call 800-462-7585

Individual Assistance – Remote Inspections

- Housing inspections may be conducted remotely by trained inspectors.
- Different methods of validation will be used to help make determinations, including:
 - Photo or imagery that is geocoded and visually indicates the damage
 - Visual validation of the home exterior by a FEMA inspector
 - A verifiable contractor's estimate or structural engineer's report detailing the repairs needed due to disaster-caused damage to the home
 - Supporting documentation from the state or county reflecting the home is destroyed as a direct result of the disaster
- FEMA will not make determinations that a home was destroyed solely based on a remote inspection phone call with the applicant.