



Trinity Lutheran Church

20th Sunday after Pentecost

October 11, 2026



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Welcome

Invocation:

P: We are here to worship as we live, in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

C: **We are here to worship. Amen.**

*Confession of Sin and Forgiveness:

P: Heavenly Father, draw us to humble honesty as we examine ourselves before Your throne of holiness, justice, mercy and grace. (silence)

P: Lord God,

C: **I confess that I am sinner both by nature and in thought, word and deed. I have sinned against You and against my neighbour, falling short every day in loving as You call me to love and forgiving as I have been forgiven. I am sorry for my sin and do not deserve Your gracious mercy yet in faith and trust I come now and pray Your forgiveness for the sake of Jesus Christ, Your dear Son. Amen.**

P: Jesus Christ has died for the sin of the world, for your sins and mine, making the way home for us. As a called and ordained servant in the church of Christ and by Christ's authority (John 20) I speak these words of life to you – I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen. Thanks be to God!**

Hymn:

"Praise and Thanksgiving"

LBW 409

Apostle's Creed

God's Word: Psalm 148

L: *Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise him in the heights!*

M: **Praise him, all his angels; praise him, all his host!**

W: ***Praise him, sun and moon; praise him, all you shining stars!***

L: *Praise him, you highest heavens, and you waters above the heavens!*

M: **Let them praise the name of the Lord, for he commanded and they were created.**

W: ***He established them forever and ever; he fixed their bounds, which cannot be passed.***

L: *Praise the Lord from the earth, you sea monsters and all deeps,*

M: **fire and hail, snow and frost, stormy wind fulfilling his command!**

W: ***Mountains and all hills, fruit trees and all cedars!***

L: *Wild animals and all cattle, creeping things and flying birds!*

M: **Kings of the earth and all peoples, princes and all rulers of the earth!**

W: ***Young men and women alike, old and young together!***

L: *Let them praise the name of the Lord, for his name alone is exalted; his glory is above earth and heaven.*

M: **He has raised up a horn for his people, praise for all his faithful, for the people of Israel who are close to him. Praise the Lord!**

Children's Story

God's Word: Deuteronomy 8:1-10

This entire commandment that I command you today you must diligently observe, so that you may live and increase, and go in and occupy the land that the Lord promised on oath to your ancestors. ²Remember the long way that the Lord your God has led you these forty years in the wilderness, in order to humble you, testing you to know what was in your heart, whether or not you would keep his commandments. ³He humbled you by letting you hunger, then by feeding you with manna, with which neither you nor your ancestors were acquainted, in order to make you understand that one does not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of the Lord. ⁴The clothes on your back did not wear out and your feet did not swell these forty years. ⁵Know then in your heart that as a parent disciplines a child so the Lord your God disciplines you. ⁶Therefore keep the commandments of the Lord your God, by walking in his ways and by fearing him. ⁷For the Lord your God is bringing you into a good land, a land with flowing streams, with springs and underground waters welling up in valleys and hills, ⁸a land of wheat and barley, of vines and fig trees and pomegranates, a land of olive trees and honey, ⁹a land where you may eat bread without scarcity, where you will lack nothing, a land whose stones are iron and from whose hills you may mine copper. ¹⁰You shall eat your fill and bless the Lord your God for the good land that he has given you.

God's Word: Philippians 4:6-20

Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. ⁷And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. ⁸Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. ⁹Keep on doing the things that you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you. ¹⁰I rejoice in the Lord greatly that now at last you have revived your concern for me; indeed, you were concerned for me, but had no opportunity to show it. ¹¹Not that I am referring to being in need; for I have learned to be content with whatever I have. ¹²I know what it is to have little, and I know what it is to have plenty. In any and all circumstances I have learned the secret of being well-fed and of going hungry, of having plenty and of being in need. ¹³I can do all things through him who strengthens me. ¹⁴In any case, it was kind of you to share my distress. ¹⁵You Philippians indeed know that in the early days of the gospel, when I left Macedonia, no church shared with me in the matter of giving and receiving, except you alone. ¹⁶For even when I was in Thessalonica, you sent me help for my needs more than once. ¹⁷Not that I seek the gift, but I seek the profit that accumulates to your account. ¹⁸I have been paid in full and have more than enough; I am fully satisfied, now that I have received from Epaphroditus the gifts you sent, a fragrant offering, a sacrifice acceptable and pleasing to God. ¹⁹And my God will fully satisfy every need of yours according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus. ²⁰To our God and Father be glory forever and ever. Amen.

Hymn:

“Beautiful Savior”

LBW 518

Holy Gospel Luke 17:11-19

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. ¹²As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, ¹³they called out, 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 made clean. ¹⁵Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. ¹⁶He prostrated himself at Jesus’ feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷Then Jesus asked, “Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? ¹⁸Was none of them found to

return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" ¹⁹Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."

Message

Offertory:

"Give Thanks"

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Offering will be received at this time

Prayers of the People:

Lord's Prayer:

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Benediction:

Sending Hymn:

"Let All Things Now Living"

LBW 557

Dismissal

P: Go in the peace of Christ, you are loved and sent.

C: **Thanks be to God. Amen.**

*written by Pastor Maggie Theiss 2026

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