

The Fifth Sunday After Pentecost

Divine Service, Setting 1
July 12th & 13th, 2025

5:00 + 8:15 + 10:15



No matter who you are or what you're going through;
No matter where you've been or what brought you here.
We want you to feel welcome in this House of Worship.
So relax, make yourself at home. Follow along as best you can.
And don't be afraid to ask questions.
We're really glad you're here!

HEARING ASSISTANCE - Live Captioning is located on the TV found in-front on the south wing of the Sanctuary. Also available are personal assisted listening devices, please see an usher for a headphone.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE A PRAYER spoken in the worship service or placed on our prayer chain, fill out a yellow Prayer Request card located in the pew rack and prepare to hand it to the aisle during the sermon hymn.

DEAR PARENTS WITH LITTLE KIDS, We know it's hard, but thank you for what you do when you bring your kids to church. Your family — with all its noise, struggle, commotion and joy - aren't just tolerated, you're a vital part of the community gathered in worship. We're glad you're here!

THERE IS AN UNSTAFFED NURSERY located on the 1st floor of the Parish House found through the door located in the front of the Sanctuary. Audio from today's worship is piped in through our speaker system so you can still participate. Ask ushers for assistance.

Prelude

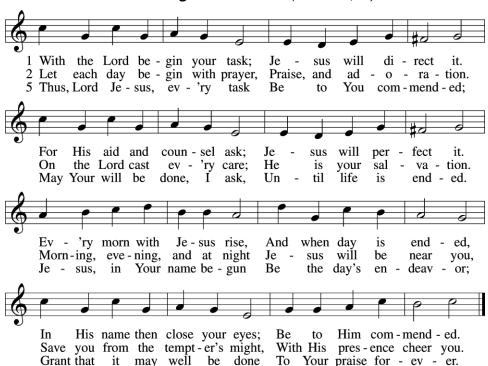
Ringing of the Bells

+ Service of Preparation +

Please Stand

Hymn ~ With the Lord Begin Your Task (vv. 1-2, 5)

LSB 869



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Call to Worship & Invocation

Pastor: O Lord, from the clamoring noise of the week that lay behind us;

People: Resurrect the awareness of peace within us.

Pastor: From the aching negativity of the week that lay behind us;

People: Resurrect the newness and hope of today.

Pastor: From the frantic exhaustion of the week that lay behind us;

People: Resurrect our strength to love without fear.

Pastor: All are welcomed in this House of the Living God; to sing of God's

Name and to be refreshed by God's goodness;

People: And none are turned away.

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

Confession & Forgiveness

Pastor: O God, we long to co-create with You a Community of the Beloved;

which looks toward the common good; privileges all people equally, and builds societal systems that celebrate the humanity and the gifts

of all people;

People: We confess we often hide behind our routines and our work, our

schools, our jobs and our families. We allow the powers of this world to seduce us into selfishness, and silence our witness to the Truth. Forgive us, renew us, and teach us to strengthen all of our

neighbors without qualification or distinction. Amen.

Pastor: In the mercy of Almighty God, Jesus Christ was given... ...in the

Name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.



Hymn ~ This is the Feast



Prayer of the Day

Pastor: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.

Pastor: through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns

with You and the Holy Spirit; one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

+ Service of the Word +

Children's Message

(10:15)

Epistle Reading

Colossians 1:1-14

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother, ² To God's holy people in Colossae, the faithful brothers and sisters in Christ: Grace and peace to you from God our Father. ³ We always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, when we pray for you, ⁴ because we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love you have for all God's people—⁵ the faith and love that spring from the hope stored up for you in heaven and about which you have already heard in the true message of the gospel ⁶ that has come to you. In the same way, the gospel is bearing fruit and growing throughout the whole world—just as it has been doing among you since the day you heard it and truly understood God's grace. ⁷You learned it from Epaphras, our dear fellow servant, who is a faithful minister of Christ on our [d] behalf, 8 and who also told us of your love in the Spirit. 9 For this reason, since the day we heard about you, we have not stopped praying for you. We continually ask God to fill you with the knowledge of his will through all the wisdom and understanding that the Spirit gives, ¹⁰ so that you may live a life worthy of the Lord and please him in every way: bearing fruit in every good work, growing in the knowledge of God, ¹¹ being strengthened with all power according to his glorious might so that you may have great endurance and patience, 12 and giving joyful thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of his holy people in the kingdom of light. ¹³ For he has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of the Son he loves, ¹⁴ in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord,

People: Thanks be to God!

Psalm Psalm 25

¹ In you, Lord my God, I | put my trust.

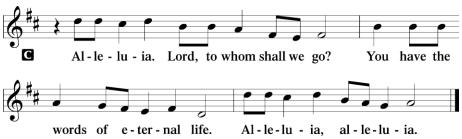
² I trust in you; do not let me be put to shame, nor let my enemies triumph | over me.

³ No one who hopes in you will ever be | put to shame, but shame will come on those who are treacherous | without cause.

- ⁴ Show me your ways, Lord, teach | me your paths.
 - ⁵ Guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God my Savior, and my hope is in you | all day long.
- ⁶ Remember, Lord, your great mer- | cy and love, for they are | from of old.
- ⁷ Do not remember the sins of my youth and my re- | bellious ways; according to your love remember me, for you, | Lord, are good.
- ⁹ The Lord guides the humble in | what is right and teaches | them his way.
- D Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the | Holy Spi*rit*;
 As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever, | A-men.

Please Stand

Alleluia and Verse



Holy Gospel

Luke 10:25-37

Leader: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 10th chapter.

People:

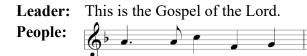


²⁵ On one occasion an expert in the law stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he asked, "what must I do to inherit eternal life?" ²⁶ "What is written in the Law?" he replied. "How do you read it?" ²⁷ He answered, "Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind'; and, 'Love your neighbor as yourself." ²⁸ "You have answered correctly," Jesus replied. "Do this and you will live." ²⁹ But he wanted to justify himself, so he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" ³⁰ In reply Jesus said: "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, when he was attacked by robbers.

They stripped him of his clothes, beat him and went away, leaving him half dead. ³¹ A priest happened to be going down the same road, and when he saw the man, he passed by on the other side. ³² So too, a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. ³³ But a Samaritan, as he traveled, came where the man was; and when he saw him, he took pity on him. ³⁴ He went to him and bandaged his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he put the man on his own donkey, brought him to an inn and took care of him. ³⁵ The next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper. 'Look after him,' he said, 'and when I return, I will reimburse you for any extra expense you may have.' ³⁶ "Which of these three do you think was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of robbers?" ³⁷ The expert in the law replied, "The one who had mercy on him." Jesus told him, "Go and do likewise."

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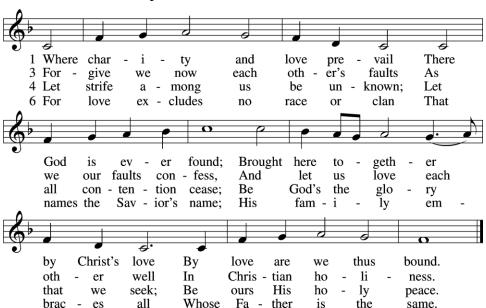
Praise

Please Be Seated



to You,

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Message

Please Stand

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life + everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of the Church

After Each Petition...

Pastor: Lord, in your mercy, People: Hear our prayer.

Please Be Seated

Offering

Ways to Give

Giving a portion of the gifts God has given is, at its heart, an act of worship.

- Place your giving in the basket when you come forward for communion.
- Text to Give, simply text your gift amount ("i.e., \$25" be sure to include the \$ sign) to 314-310-0442.
- Online giving at https://trinitystlouis.ccbchurch.com/goto/giving.
- Mail your giving to Trinity Lutheran Church, 812 Soulard St., St. Louis, MO 63104.

Connect with Your Church & Community!

If you're new to our neighborhood, worshipping community, or a regular attender, we invite you to connect with our ministry by filling out our online Connection Card. Snap the QR Code to be taken to our online welcome, or navigate to the following URL to connect...

"trinitystlouis.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/107/responses/new"



+ Service of the Sacrament +

We believe that in this Sacrament we receive the true body and blood of Christ for the forgiveness of sins and the strengthening of our faith. All who wish to receive the sacrament with this understanding are invited to come forward to receive the unending forgiveness of Jesus Christ; to become together what we consume: The Body of Christ in and for the world.

Children and those who would prefer not to receive the sacrament are welcome at the altar to receive a blessing. Please indicate this by crossing your arms across your chest.

Please ask the pastor at the time of reception if you would prefer a gluten-free wafer.

Please Stand

Preface and Proper Preface

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

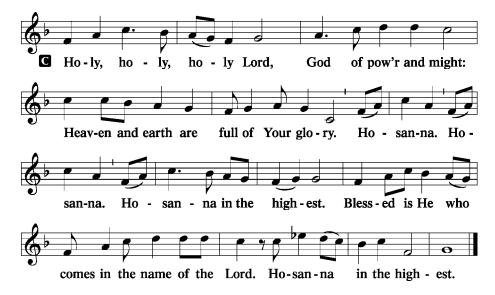
People: We lift them to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.People: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Pastor: It is truly good, right... evermore praising You and singing:



Sanctus



Lord's Prayer

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.

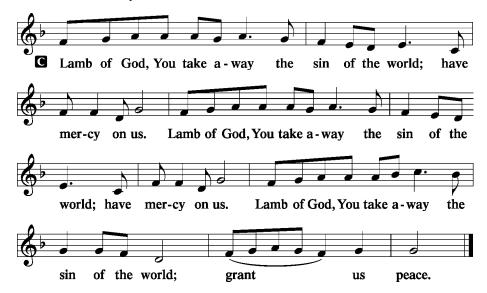
Words of Institution

The Peace

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

People: And also with you.

Agnus Dei ~ Lamb of God



Please Be Seated

Communion Hymns

O Christ Our Hope, Our Hearts' Desire You are the Way, Through You Alone LSB 553 LSB 526

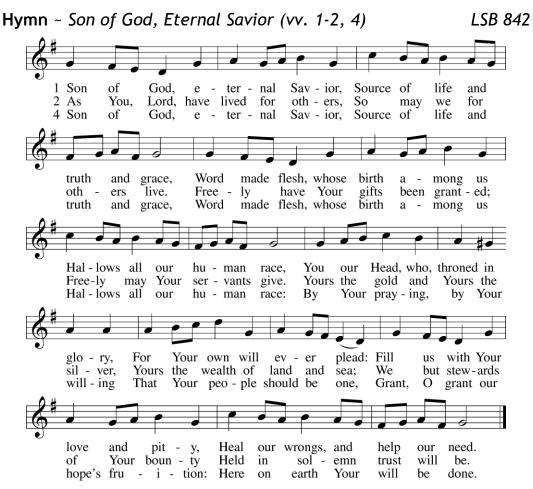
Prayer

Pastor: ... through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns

with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

Benediction



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Postlude

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Worship Leaders

Ministers:	The People of Trinity Lutheran Church		
	Saturday 5:00pm	Sunday 8:15am	Sunday 10:15am
Preacher:	Josh Hatcher	Josh Hatcher	Josh Hatcher
Presider:	Josh Hatcher	Josh Hatcher	Josh Hatcher
Liturgist:	Josh Hatcher	Josh Hatcher	Josh Hatcher
Prayers of the Church:	Josh Hatcher	Josh Hatcher	Josh Hatcher
Children's Message			Josh Hatcher
Acolyte:			Hayden Koeltzow
Crucifer:			Aaron Deterding
Communion Assistant:	Allen Helms	Keith Suedmeyer	Tom Kellermann
	Will Schryver	Ryan Markel	Marti Fruend
			Paul Weinhold
			Laura Borstell
Lector:	Rose Nester	Taylor VanDyke	Lisa Leifield
Cantor:	Nicole Heerlein	Nicole Heerlein	Nicole Heerlein
Organist:	Jeff White	Jeff White	Jeff White
Communion Prep:	Loreen Mattsen	Annette Carson	Kay Weber
Livestream Broadcast:			Paul Koeltzow
			Hayden Koeltzow
Greeter:			Jayce Binder
Usher:	Dianne Davis	Paul Wike	Rosalie Wilke
		Paula Wike	Dan Leifield
			Larry Edger

If you're interested in volunteering for any of our service positions, please speak to an usher if you see an immediate need or reach out to the office to be connected with the group leader. We would love to have you!

July 12th & 13th 2025

TRINITY TODAY

Thank you for worshipping with us today! We pray that your time with us is uplifting and encouraging as we follow Christ together.

Our ministry team and community of faith are here to help you connect with Christ Jesus, with our ministry, and with each other. If we can be of help to you in any way, please don't hesitate to let us know.

WEEKLY SERVICES & MEETINGS

Saturday service: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday services: 8:15 a.m. and 10:15 a.m.

WEEKEND	MONDAY-1	THURSDAY
Voters' Meeting Sunday 9:15 a.m.	Office Hours Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m2:00 p.m.	
Sanctuary		
Sammie Weekend	Soup Window	
Following each service	Monday-Saturday	
Back of the Sanctuary	9:30 a.m10:30 a.m.	
ŕ	Groceries on Fridays!	
	Family Game Night	Women's Summer
	Thursday	Luncheon
	6:00 p.m8:00 p.m.	Tuesday, July 15th
	Sanctuary	10:45
		Hendel's

WOMEN'S SUMMER LUNCHEONS

Destination and Dates: Please mark your calendar and join us for lunch; we look forward to seeing you!

Tuesday, July 15, 10:45

Hendel's

599 St. Denis Street

Florissant

Hosted by Ginny Kuhloff

RSVP by July 11 at 314-255-6798

Tuesday, August 5, 11:30
Ravanelli's
26 Collinsport Drive
Collinsville
Hosted by Kay Weber
RSVP by July 31 at 314-249-8668

FELLOWSHIP

Family Game Night - Thursday, July 17 at Trinity Lutheran Church from 6-8pm. Join us for a for a night of fun, laughter, and friendly competition. We'll have games for all ages including bowling, cornhole, cards, Connect 4, and Jenga! Pizza will be served - \$5 donation per adult.





COMMUNITY CARE

Soup Alley Food: 963 meals served plus we were able to give away 12 grocery bags at Soup Alley for the month of June! Daily average of 40 meals. We were able to assist 4 community members with their utility bills.

Please consider how you can help, donate, or serve. Meals are served Monday-Friday 9:30 -10:30 a.m. for our unhoused and hungry neighbors.

- PB&J or Meat Sandwiches
- Mustard and mayo packets
- Bottled water
- Fruit (small oranges or bananas preferred)
- Chips/Pre-packaged snacks
- Pre-packaged snack cakes, desserts, etc.

Thank you for your generosity!

Donation drop-off days are Mondays and Thursdays between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. by appointment. Email office@trinitystlouis.org to schedule a time to stop by!

Community Care Donation Bins: Please place your Saturday/Sunday donations for Community Care in the marked bins in the "museum room". This will help us inventory items coming into Soup Alley.

ACTIVE SERVING

Sammie Weekend: Join us after each service this weekend, July 12th and 13th to make sandwiches for our hungry neighbors. We just need your smiling faces and your willing hands!

Worship Service: If you're interested in volunteering for any of our service positions, please reach out to the office to be connected with the group leader or speak to them directly. We would love to have you!

Voters' Meeting: We want to hear your voice on things that matter to our church community. Please join us at 9:15 a.m. this Sunday, July 13th to receive updates on our building project and to vote on Council Members.

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP REPORT

As of June 30⁻ 2025, the current year net loss is \$8,646. Church income, excluding Other donations, is 12.14% below budget.

Expenses are under budget and the primary reason why expenses are less than budget is because certain expenses do not occur evenly throughout the year, but the budget assumes they do (e.g. property insurance).

	2025 YTD ACTUAL	2025 Budget	<u>Variance</u>	<u>2024 YTD</u>
Member Contributions	\$ 275,528.	\$ 301,295.	\$ (25,767.)	\$ 275,490.
Community Care	6,769.	20,000.	(13,231.)	7,824.
Other donations*	9,891.	<u> </u>	9,891.	14,024.
TOTAL INCOME	\$ 292,188.	\$ 321,295.	\$ (29,107).	\$ 297,338.
TOTAL EXPENSE	\$ <u>300,834</u> .	<u>321,295</u> .	(20,461.)	\$ <u>295,847</u> .
Net Income (loss)	\$ (8,646)	\$ 0.	\$ (8,646).	\$ 1,491.

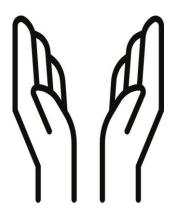
^{*} non-recurring donations such as RMD, Thrivent Choice, Memorials

School Renovation Loan– As of June 30, 2025, our outstanding construction loan balance is \$448,865.40.

PRAY

Birthdays ~ July 12th-July 18th		Parish Community	
BettyAnn	Leeseberg-Lange	July 12	The Gallaway Family
Tim	Borstell	July 13	The Garbo Family
Sara	Leitner	July 13	The darke ranny
Jean	Hodgson	July 14	The Garcia Family
Harper	Richard	July 15	The Garland Family
Paul	Wilson	July 15	THE Garianu Family
Lauren	Hogan	July 16	The Gastler Family
Emily	Koeltzow	July 16	
Sandy	Kline	July 17	The Gatermann Family
Nina	Maddox	July 17	The Genovese Family
Abigail	Markel	July 17	,
Mike	Ruhland	July 17	The George Family
Tom	Bolman	Jul7 18	The Gibson Family

Our Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God by Nancy Greene.



CHURCH COUNCIL & CABINET



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Keith Suedmeyer Vice President



Emily Koeltzow Secretary



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