

# TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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## *Our Worship Today - Sunday, the 27th of August, 2017*

Liturgy -- Divine Service 3 with Communion -- LSB page 184

***The Message: "A Different Kind of High School"***

***is based on the Epistle reading: Romans 11:33-12:8***

The Old Testament reading is **Isaiah 51:1-6**. God tells the Israelites who are still believers to look at Abraham and pay attention to his life. Though Abraham was just one man, and an old man at that, God made him a promise. In His own time, God made sure Abraham's family would grow and grow as a sign of His blessing. God tells the Israelites His plan is at work for them too. The Epistle reading is **Romans 11:33-12:8**. St. Paul remarks how no one can claim to be as wise as God. God has portioned out gifts to all of His children and everyone who serves in their capacity brings glory to God and carries out the work of the church. The Gospel reading is **Matthew 16:13-20**. Jesus questions the disciples to see what they are thinking. Many rumors have been spreading about Him, but most miss the mark. Peter confesses Jesus to be the Christ, the messiah. Jesus announces that this confession is what will be the cornerstone of the church.

Opening Hymn	909	.....	Christ is made the sure foundation
Sermon Hymn	831	...	How shall they hear who have not heard?
Distribution Hymn	521	.....	Let all mortal flesh keep silence
Closing Hymn	649	.....	Blest be the tie that binds

***The Lord's Supper:*** Scripture teaches us that the bread and wine in the Lord's Supper are truly Christ's Body and Blood given to us for the forgiveness of sins. It also teaches us that those who come together to share the Lord's Supper are joining in a common confession in Christ. As such, members of the LCMS who have been instructed on the Lord's Supper and who humbly seek His grace and mercy are invited to come and receive Holy Communion. Visitors to Trinity are asked to speak to the pastor prior to the service.

## Week at a Glance

**Sunday:** 9:15 a.m. .... Sunday School/Adult Bible Study  
 10:30 a.m. .... Worship Service  
 After Church ..... Coffee Hour

## Announcements:

**Coffee Hour Today!** Come downstairs for refreshments and to catch up with friends. Thanks to all who volunteer to host these monthly get togethers. If interested in helping out, see the sign up sheet on the downstairs bulletin board.

**Trinity's Church Picnic:** It's time for the annual Trinity church picnic! Join your fellow congregation members on Sunday, September 10 following the church service for a great lunch! Bring your favorite side dish or dessert. Hot dogs and hamburgers will be provided. Make sure to make your reservation on the sign up sheet by the side door. The picnic will happen shine (out front) or rain (in the fellowship hall.) Hope to see you there!

**The Trinity Oktoberfest Dinner** will be held on Saturday, September 23 from 4-7 pm. Anyone who would like to help with this event, please contact Leslie Schultz at 513-378-2706 or rickandleslicincy@gmail.com. Many hands are needed to make this a success! There will be a brief meeting before the church picnic on Sunday, September 10.

**LWML Fall Retreat** will host Dr. Phillip Penhallegon. He will present "Luther, the Bible, and Reformation" at this one-day event on September 23rd at Milford's Jesuit Spiritual Center. Registration forms now available.

**Last Week's Offering 08/20/17:** Plate \$3.00, Envelopes \$1,105.00, Workers' Comp Refund \$147.00, Total \$1,255, Needed \$2,767.00.

**KEEP IN PRAYERS:** All who are ill, infirm, shut in and all who are undergoing tests and treatments. May they experience God's continual care.

Godfrey Reiter	Ken Sanders	Verma Seim
Irmgard Milkuhn	Lyn Stalford ( <i>Misty's Aunt</i> )	Lisa Davis
Frank Gehring	Rose Neumeister	Joe Klevenger
Penny Geist		Marilyn Reinking