

Trinity Lutheran Church



November 17, 2024
Pentecost 26

WELCOME

OPENING HYMN: *We Praise You, O God* (ELW 870)



1 We praise you, O God, our re - deem - er, cre - a - tor;
2 We wor - ship you, God of our fa - thers and mo - thers;
3 With voic - es u - nit - ed our prais - es we of - fer



in grate - ful de - vo - tion our trib - ute we bring.
through tri - al and tem - pest our guide you have been.
and glad - ly our songs of thanks - giv - ing we raise.



We lay it be - fore you; we kneel and a - dore you;
When per - ils o'er - take us, you will not for - sake us,
With you, Lord, be - side us, your strong arm will guide us.



we bless your ho - ly name; glad prais - es we sing.
and with your help, O Lord, our strug - gles we win.
To you, our great re - deem - er, for - ev - er be praise!

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Since we have a great high priest, ✚ Jesus Christ,
let us approach the throne of grace in full assurance of faith,
for God has promised to be merciful.

We pray together,

God of grace,

**all around us are wars, and rumors of wars,
and we are afraid for ourselves and our world.**

We grasp for whatever security we can find.

**Forgive us, Lord, for we are quick to forget
that all of life is in your hands.**

Renew our hope, increase our courage,

and keep us watchful for the signs

**of your just and peaceful reign that is to come;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Hear the good news!
 Our guilty hearts have been sprinkled clean,
 our bodies washed with pure water.
 Live in peace, forgiven and freed.
Thanks be to God.

GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
 and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
And also with you.

KYRIE

Leader

In peace, in peace, let us pray to the Lord.

Assembly

Lord, have mer - cy,

3rd time to Coda

For the reign of God, and for
 For your peo - ple here who have

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

peace through-out the world, for the u - ni - ty of all, let us pray to the
 come to give you praise, for the strength to live your word, let us pray to the

Coda

Help, save, and de - fend us, O God.

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NOW THE FEAST

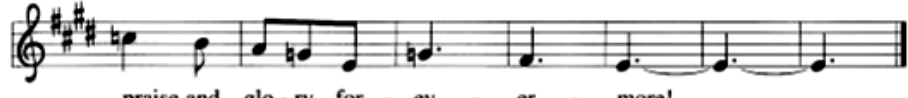
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Now the feast and cel - e - bra - tion, all of cre - a - tion

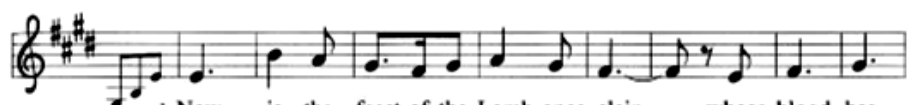


sings for joy to the God of life and love and free - dom;

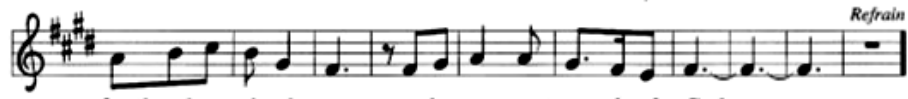


praise and glo - ry for - ev - er - more!

1 Now is the feast of the Lamb once slain, whose blood has




freed and u - nit - ed us to be one great peo - ple of God.

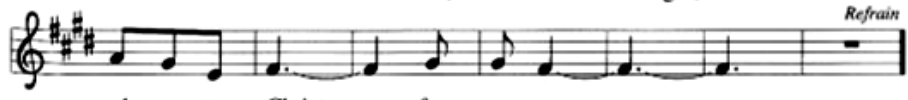


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2 Pow - er and rich - es, wis - dom and might, all hon - or and



glo - ry to Christ for - ev - er.

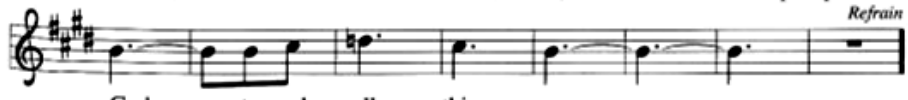


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3 For God has come to dwell with us, to make us peo - ple of

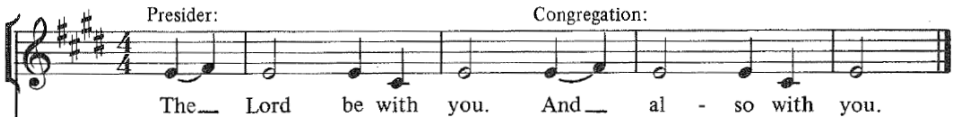


God; to make all things new.



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PRAYER OF THE DAY



Let us pray together.

Holy God,

**creator of all that is and is to come,
you made the world and called it good.**

**We thank you and praise you,
for we wreak havoc on your good creation,
yet you promise to make all things whole
and live among us in joy and peace.**

**Enliven our hope,
and support us through the birth pangs
of your new creation,
that we may welcome you with songs of praise. Amen.**

FIRST READING: Daniel 12:1-3

¹“At that time Michael, the great prince, the protector of your people, shall arise. There shall be a time of anguish, such as has never occurred since nations first came into existence. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone who is found written in the book. ²Many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. ³Those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky, and those who lead many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever.”

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM: Psalm 16

¹ Protect me, O God, for I take refuge in you;

I have said to the Lord, “You are my Lord, my good above all other.”

² **All my delight is in the godly that are in the land,
upon those who are noble among the people.**

³ But those who run after other gods
shall have their troubles multiplied.

⁴ **I will not pour out drink offerings to such gods,
never take their names upon my lips.**

⁵ O Lord, you are my portion and my cup;
it is you who uphold my lot.

⁶ **My boundaries enclose a pleasant land;
indeed, I have a rich inheritance.**

⁷ I will bless the Lord who gives me counsel;
my heart teaches me night after night.

⁸ **I have set the Lord always before me;
because God is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.**

⁹ My heart, therefore, is glad, and my spirit rejoices;
my body also shall rest in hope.

¹⁰ **For you will not abandon me to the grave,
nor let your holy one see the pit.**

¹¹ You will show me the path of life;
in your presence there is fullness of joy, and in your right hand are
pleasures forevermore.

SECOND READING: Hebrews 10:11-14, 19-25

Christ makes a way for us where there is no way.

¹¹Every priest stands day after day at his service, offering again and again the same sacrifices that can never take away sins. ¹²But when Christ had offered for all time a single sacrifice for sins, “he sat down at the right hand of God,” ¹³and since then has been waiting “until his enemies would be made a footstool for his feet.” ¹⁴For by a single offering he has perfected for all time those who are sanctified.

¹⁹Therefore, my friends, since we have confidence to enter the sanctuary by the blood of Jesus, ²⁰by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain (that is, through his flesh), ²¹and since we have a great priest over the house of God, ²²let us approach with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. ²³Let us hold fast to the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who has promised is faithful. ²⁴And let us consider how to provoke one another to love and good deeds, ²⁵not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL VERSE

Congregation:

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we
go? You have the words of e - ter - nal
life. Al - le - lu - ia!

Repeat optional

GOSPEL: Mark 13:1-8

The holy gospel according to St. Mark the thirteenth chapter.
Glory to you, O Lord.

¹As [Jesus] came out of the temple, one of his disciples said to him, “Look, Teacher, what large stones and what large buildings!” ²Then Jesus asked him, “Do you see these great buildings? Not one stone will be left here upon another; all will be thrown down.”

Our cover photo today is of the remnants of the first-century Stairs of Ascent to the entrance of the temple courtyard in Jerusalem.

³When he was sitting on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter, James, John, and Andrew asked him privately, ⁴“Tell us, when will this be, and what will be the sign that all these things are about to be accomplished?” ⁵Then Jesus began to say to them, “Beware that no one leads you astray. ⁶Many will come in my name and say, ‘I am he!’ and they will lead many astray. ⁷When you hear of wars and rumors of wars, do not be alarmed; this must take place, but the end is still to come. ⁸For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. This is but the beginning of the birth pangs.”

The gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

SERMON HYMN:

All My Hope on God is Founded (ELW 757)



1 All my hope on God is found - ed who will all my
2 Mor - tal pride and earth - ly glo - ry, sword and crown be -
3 Great thy good-ness, e'er en - dur - ing; deep thy wis - dom,
4 Still from earth to God e - ter - nal sac - ri - fice of



trust re - new, who through change and chance will guide me,
tray our trust; what with care and toil we fash - ion,
pass - ing thought; splen - dor, light, and life at - tend thee,
praise be done, high a - bove all prais - es prais - ing



on - ly good and on - ly true. God un - known, God a -
tow'r and tem - ple, fall to dust. But thy pow'r, hour by
beau - ty spring - ing out of naught. Ev - er - more from thy
for the gift of God's own Son. Christ doth call one and



lone, call my heart to be thine own.
hour, is my tem - ple and my tow'r.
store new - born worlds rise and a - dore.
all: ye who fol - low shall not fall.

APOSTLE'S CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead.
On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Let us join our hearts and minds in prayer.

As the lector closes each petition:

Lord, in your mercy,

The people respond:

hear our prayer.

Keep us, O Lord, in the sure and certain hope
of your providential care
and guide us in your ways of justice, peace, and love,
in Jesus' name,
Amen.

PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And also with you.

*The people may greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace, and
may say, "Peace be with you," or similar words.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING

Please place offering in one of the Bulletin Stand offering plates at the end of worship as you leave the church.

OFFERTORY: We Are an Offering (ELW 692)

The musical score is written on a single treble clef staff in 3/4 time. It consists of seven lines of music with lyrics underneath. The lyrics are: "We lift our voices, we lift our hands, we lift our lives up to you: we are an offering. Lord, use our voices, Lord, use our hands, Lord, use our lives, they are yours: we are an offering. All that we have, all that we are, all that we hope to be, we give to you, we give to you. We lift our voices, we lift our hands, we lift our lives up to you: we are an offering, we are an offering." There are three triplet markings (indicated by a '3' above the notes) in the first, third, and seventh lines of music.

We lift our voices, we lift our hands, we lift our lives up to you: we are an
of-fer-ing. Lord, use our voices, Lord, use our hands, Lord, use our
lives, they are yours: we are an of-fer-ing. All that we have, all that we are,
all that we hope to be, we give to you, we give to you.
We lift our voices, we lift our hands, we lift our lives up to you:
we are an of-fer-ing, we are an of-fer-ing.

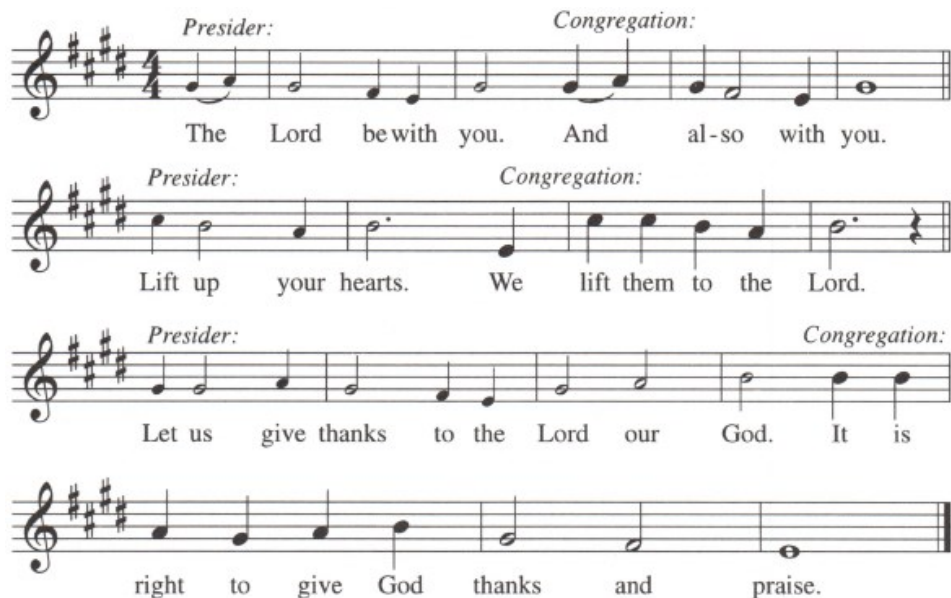
OFFERING PRAYER

Let us pray together.

**Lord Jesus, our portion and our cup,
you offered yourself in love for the world,
and in this meal you nourish us with your life.**

**Fill us with your abundance,
that we may feed the hungry and welcome the stranger,
trusting in your name. Amen.**

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING



Presider: Congregation:

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Presider: Congregation:

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Presider: Congregation:

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

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray.

**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.**

LAMB OF GOD

Congregation: *Congregation or Assistant:*



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the
you break the chains of ha - tred and
you are the way of jus - tice and
you are the way of mer - cy and

Congregation:



world: have mer - cy on us, mer - cy on us,
fear:
peace:
love.

Final Stanza

Congregation or Assistant:



mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you

Congregation:



take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace,



grant us peace, grant us peace.

COMMUNION

White grape juice is available, and all altar bread is gluten-free.

When giving the bread and cup, the communion ministers say

The body of Christ, given for you.

The blood of Christ, shed for you.

and each person may respond

Amen.

DISTRIBUTION: *When Peace Like a River* (ELW 785)



1 When peace like a riv - er at - tend - eth my way, when
2 Though Sa - tan should buf - fet, though tri - als should come, let
3 He lives—oh, the bliss of this glo - ri - ous thought; my
4 Lord, has - ten the day when our faith shall be sight, the



sor - rows like sea bil - lows roll, what - ev - er my lot, thou hast
this blest as - sur - ance con - trol, that Christ hath re - gard - ed my
sin, not in part, but the whole, is nailed to his cross and I
clouds be rolled back as a scroll, the trum - pet shall sound and the



taught me to say, it is well, it is well with my soul.
help - less es - tate, and hath shed his own blood for my soul.
bear it no more. Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!
Lord shall de - scend; e - ven so it is well with my soul.



It is well with my soul, it is well, it is well with my soul.

POST COMMUNION BLESSING

Now may the body and blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in God's grace. **Amen.**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Let us pray together.

Faithful God,

**you have spread before us a feast of rich food and drink
in the body and blood of your Son.**

**Now send us out to labor with you,
in service to the world you have made,
and among the people you have made your home,
in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

BLESSING

Hold fast to hope, for God is faithful.

Encourage one another.

And may the Ancient One, enthroned,
the Crucified One, now risen,
the Indwelling One, poured out,

✠ bless you now and forever.

Amen.

SENDING HYMN:

O God, Our Help in Ages Past (ELW 632)



- 1 O God, our help in a - ges past, our hope for years to come,
2 Un - der the shad - ow of your throne your saints have dwelt se - cure;
3 Be - fore the hills in or - der stood or earth re - ceived its frame,
4 A thou - sand a - ges in your sight are like an eve - ning gone,



our shel - ter from the storm - y blast, and our e - ter - nal home:
suf - fi - cient is your arm a - lone, and our de - fense is sure.
from ev - er - last - ing you are God, to end - less years the same.
short as the watch that ends the night be - fore the ris - ing sun.

5 Time, like an ever-rolling stream,
bears all our years away;
they fly forgotten, as a dream
dies at the op'ning day.

6 O God, our help in ages past,
our hope for years to come,
still be our guard while troubles last
and our eternal home.

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Serving in Worship

TODAY — Nov 17, 2024

Altar: James Apronti

Reader: Lisa Guarnieri

Communion Assistant:

Stuart Guarnieri

Fellowship: OPEN

NEXT SUNDAY — Nov 24, 2024

Altar: James Apronti

Reader: OPEN

Communion Assistant:

OPEN

Fellowship: Pie Festival!

Trinity Happenings:

Sun, Nov 17:	9:00am 10:15am	Worship Service Fellowship in Gruver Rm
Mon, Nov 18:	9:00am 5:00pm	Becoming in Gruver Rm TheologyPub @ Coal Creek Downtown
Wed, Nov 20:	10:00am	Women's Bible Study in Gruver Rm
Thu, Nov 21:	11:30am	MUGG Campus Meeting @ Rendezvous Café
Fri, Nov 22:	6:30pm	Cello Academy Faculty Recital
Sun, Nov 24:	9:00am 9:00am 10:15am	Band "Christ the King" w/ T. Edgar Sunday School behind Gruver Rm Pie Festival in Gruver Rm
Mon, Nov 25:	9:00am	<i>Becoming</i> in Gruver Rm
Wed, Nov 27:	10:00am	NO Women's Bible Study
Thu, Nov 28:	11:30am	NO MUGG Campus Meeting
Sun, Dec 1:	9:00am 9:00am 10:15am	Advent 1: Fear Not! Sunday School behind Gruver Rm Sanctuary Decorating

LET'S BRING PIES!

Christ the King Fellowship

Show off your favorite. Or, find a new one!

November 24, 10:15 a.m.
Gruver Room



Laramie Cello Academy

Faculty Recital

Friday, November 22

6:30 p.m.

Trinity Lutheran Church

107 S. 7th St.

Laramie



Performed by Tim
Jones and Amy Cowell

Join Us for this Free Faculty Recital!

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