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November 7, 2021

ALL SAINTS' DAY (OBSERVED)

Saints Are Blessed in the Eternal Presence of Christ

WELCOME!! Welcome to all who worship here this morning. We pray this service is a blessing to you. Visitors, please sign our guest book located in the entrance area of our church. If we can be of help to you, please let us know.

PRAYER OF THE DAY Almighty and everlasting God, You knit together Your faithful people of all times and places into one holy communion, the mystical body of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Grant us so to follow Your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that, together with them, we may come to the unspeakable joys You have prepared for those who love You; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

ORDER OF SERVICE

8:30 a.m. SP, Divine Service, Setting One, *LSB* 151
10:30 a.m. TR, Divine Service, Setting One, *LSB* 151

PRAYER RESPONSE

Lord, in Your mercy,
 hear our prayer.

HYMNS

"Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones" *LSB* 670
"For All the Saints" *LSB* 677 vs. 1-4
"We Give Thee But Thine Own" *LSB* 781 vv. 1-2
"God Himself Is Present" *LSB* 907
"For All the Saints" *LSB* 677 vs. 5-8
"Jerusalem the Golden" *LSB* 672

SERMON TITLE AND TEXT

"Serving and Celebrating as Saints"
Revelation 7:9-17

IN OUR PRAYERS *

FOR HEALTH AND HEALING OF OUR MEMBERS: SP: Justin Everson, Doug Gerlach, Jean Gerlach, Larry Gerlach, Elmer Sorensen, Jerry Boyd, David Merrill, and Chris Heismeyer. TR: Pam Hallman, Eleanor Gieseman, and Deb Pope.

FOR HEALTH AND HEALING OF FAMILY AND FRIENDS: SP: Lynn Anderson, brother-in-law of Marlene Johnson and cousin of Peggy Hoffman.

CHRISTIAN LOVE AND CONDOLENCES to the family and friends of Kyle Lehman, son of Andrea & Brent Morenz, SP. May our heavenly Father grant comfort and peace in the blessed assurance of eternal life for His children.

TRINITY BIRTHDAYS: Aalyah Contreras 11-08; Whitney Hinker 11-11

TRINITY ANNIVERSARIES: Dean & Susan Suelflow (40th) 11-07; Ron & Dona Steffen 11-07

ST. PAUL'S BIRTHDAYS: Larry Gerlach 11-08; Marlin Horsley 11-08; Tyler Anthony 11-10; Ryan Huff 11-13

ST. PAUL'S ANNIVERSARIES: none

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

• **Upcoming Services**

Thanksgiving	We will not have a Thanksgiving service this year.
Advent 1	Wed., December 1, 2021, 7 p.m. Trinity
Advent 2	Wed., December 8, 2021, 7 p.m. St. Paul's
Advent 3	Wed., December 15, 2021, 7 p.m. Trinity
Christmas Eve	Fri., Dec. 24, 2021, 4 p.m. St. Paul's; 5:30 p.m. Trinity
Christmas Day	We will not have a Christmas Day service this year.
Children's Services	TBD

• A signup sheet is located in the narthex for **church cleaning at St. Paul's Lutheran Church**. Please sign up for a month that works for you. Caring for our church property is one of the ways we show our Christian love and something in which we can all participate. There is a list of cleaning duties in the cleaning supply room in the basement to use as a guide. Thank you to those who have already signed up and to those who will be signing up. Reminder, men can clean too. We are covered until January 2022.

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• St. Paul's LWML Dorcas Circle will continue collecting cleaning supplies for the Mitchell Area Safe House through the rest of 2021.

2021-11-07 All Saints' Day (Observed)



ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH † TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

CALENDAR — NOVEMBER 7–14, 2021

Today November 7	8:30 a.m. St. Paul's Divine Service 9 a.m. TR LWML Ruth Circle 9:30 a.m. St. Paul's Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Trinity Divine Service 11:30 a.m. Trinity Youth Confirmation Class
TBD	TBD St. Paul's Bible Study
Tues. Nov. 8	7 p.m. SP LWML Dorcas Circle
Wed. Nov. 10	2:15 p.m. Trinity Release-Time 5:30 p.m. Trinity Bible Study 5:30 p.m. Trinity Wednesday School 7 p.m. SP Youth Confirmation Class
Sun. Nov. 14	8:30 a.m. St. Paul's Divine Service 9:30 a.m. St. Paul's Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Trinity Divine Service

SERVING THE LORD'S CHURCH NOVEMBER 2021

Elder: Curt Guindon	Elder: David Bogenhagen
Ushers: Doug Gerlach Larry Gerlach	Ushers: Ron Steffen Dan Meier
Acolyte: Altar: Deb Haak	Acolytes: Madison Meier Taelyn Clark

LAST SUNDAY'S NUMBERS (Oct. 31)	St. Paul's	Trinity
Attendance	27	34
Offering	\$645	\$169.50
	11:30 a.m. Trinity Youth Confirmation Class	

NEXT SUNDAY'S SCRIPTURE READINGS

November 14: Daniel 12:1–3; Hebrews 10:11–25; Mark 13:1–13

All Saints' Day (Observed)

(07 November 2021)

Revelation 7:(2–8) 9–17; 1 John 3:1–3; Matthew 5:1–12

Saints Are Blessed in the Eternal Presence of Christ

"A great multitude ... from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages," cry out, *"Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne"* (Rev. 7:9–17). Faith-filled saints from every place and time, with unified voices, eternally magnify the Lamb of God. As His beloved children, we, too, *"shall see him as he is"* (1 John 3:1–3). Joined with the throng of angels and myriad saints, we shall *"serve him day and night in his temple"* (Rev. 7:9–17). In our earthly tension vacillating between saint and sinner, faith and doubt, sacred and profane, we earnestly seek Jesus to calm our fears, comfort our spirits and forgive our sins. The Holy Spirit through faith in Christ propels us forward, fortifying us in Word and Sacrament, to our eternal home. In the midst of our constant struggle as believers, we need to be blessed. And so we are. The poor in spirit, the meek, the hungry, the thirsty, the merciful, the pure and the persecuted are all blessed, and we will most certainly inherit the kingdom of heaven (Matt. 5:1–12).

LIFE THOUGHT — LUTHERANS FOR LIFE

November 7 – Pentecost XXIV (Proper 27B): We need neither trust in princes nor fear public opinion (Psalm 146:3-4), as all these things operate and end under our Heavenly Father's authority. When we cannot care for a child or keep ourselves alive (1 Kings 17:12), we don't have to surrender to pressures, politics, verdicts, or laws. Instead, we entrust ourselves to Him whose abundance even our afflictions cannot exhaust (1 Kings 17:14-16) —and we invite our neighbors to do the same.



THE SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth His death until he comes. Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the sacrament, are asked first to speak with our pastor or an usher.



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November 14, 2021

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

***The Crucified and Risen Body of Christ Jesus
Is the True Temple of God***

WELCOME!! Welcome to all who worship here this morning. We pray this service is a blessing to you. Visitors, please sign our guest book located in the entrance area of our church. If we can be of help to you, please let us know.

PRAYER OF THE DAY Lord Jesus Christ, the temple of Your body was destroyed on the cross and three days later raised from the dead and exalted to the right hand of the Father. Visit us now with this same body, that we may not deny that we know You but in faith hear in our ears Your life-giving voice and receive on our lips Your very body and blood to strengthen us in times of temptation; for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

ORDER OF SERVICE

8:30 a.m. SP, Divine Service, Setting Three, *LSB* 184, w/o communion
10:30 a.m. TR, Divine Service, Setting Three, *LSB* 184

PRAYER RESPONSE

Lord, in Your mercy,
 hear our prayer.

HYMNS

"Father Welcomes" *LSB* 605
"The Day Is Surely Drawing Near" *LSB* 508
"We Give Thee But Thine Own" *LSB* 781 vv. 1-2
TR only: "Jesus Christ, Our Blessed Redeemer" *LSB* 627
"Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word" *LSB* 655

SERMON TITLE AND TEXT

"Encourage One Another"
Hebrews 10:11-25

IN OUR PRAYERS *

FOR HEALTH AND HEALING OF OUR MEMBERS: SP: Justin Everson, Doug Gerlach, Jean Gerlach, Larry Gerlach, Elmer Sorensen, Jerry Boyd, David Merrill, and Chris Heismeyer. TR: Pam Hallman, Eleanor Gieseman, and Deb Pope.

FOR HEALTH AND HEALING OF FAMILY AND FRIENDS: SP: Lynn Anderson, brother-in-law of Marlene Johnson and cousin of Peggy Hoffman.

TRINITY BIRTHDAYS: Pam Hallman 11-14; Ben Bogenhagen 11-20

TRINITY ANNIVERSARIES: none

ST. PAUL'S BIRTHDAYS: Jeremy Haak 11-16; Robert Fink 11-17

ST. PAUL'S ANNIVERSARIES: none

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Christmas Day	We will not have a Christmas Day service this year.
Children's Services	TBD

• **White Lake Dakota Senior Meals Thanksgiving dinner** will be Thursday, November 18, 2021, at the White Lake Senior Center from 11:30 a.m. to 12 Noon. All White Lake Area Seniors are invited to attend this meal at a cost of \$5.00 per person. A delicious turkey dinner with all the trimmings will be served. Thrivent Financial will be serving desserts and providing door prizes. Please RSVP to Bev by Tuesday morning, November 16, 2021, at 249-2367 if you plan to attend.

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2021-11-14 Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH † TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH CALENDAR — NOVEMBER 14–21, 2021

Today Nov. 14	8:30 a.m. St. Paul's Divine Service 9:30 a.m. St. Paul's Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Trinity Divine Service 11:30 a.m. Trinity Youth Confirmation Class
TBD	TBD St. Paul's Bible Study
Tues. Nov. 16	12 p.m. Mitchell Circuit Pastors' Winkel, St. Pau
Wed. Nov. 17	2:15 p.m. Trinity Release-Time 5:30 p.m. Trinity Bible Study 5:30 p.m. Trinity Wednesday School 7 p.m. SP Youth Confirmation Class
Sun. Nov. 21	8:30 a.m. St. Paul's Divine Service 9:30 a.m. St. Paul's Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Trinity Divine Service 11:30 a.m. Trinity Youth Confirmation Class

SERVING THE LORD'S CHURCH NOVEMBER 2021

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Ushers: Doug Gerlach Larry Gerlach	Ushers: Ron Steffen Dan Meier
Acolyte: Altar: Deb Haak	Acolytes: Madison Meier Taelyn Clark

LAST SUNDAY'S NUMBERS (Nov 7)	St. Paul's	Trinity
Attendance	25	37
Offering	\$1065	\$2435.50

NEXT SUNDAY'S SCRIPTURE READINGS

November 21: Isaiah 51:4–6; Jude 20–25; Mark 13:24–37

Building Healthy Families: Having faith and being a Christian doesn't mean we will never make mistakes or bad choices. It means that when we do, we experience God's grace and mercy, which are ours in Christ. This week, be mindful of His boundless love for you – despite your weakness – and look for opportunities to practice mercy, grace, and forgiveness with others whose mistakes or bad choices impact your life. **Lutheran Family Service** - www.LutheranFamilyService.org.

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST (Proper 28B)

(14 November 2021)

Daniel 12:1–3; Hebrews 10:11–25; Mark 13:1–13

The Crucified and Risen Body of Christ Jesus Is the True Temple of God

Despite its “wonderful stones” and “great buildings,” the Jerusalem temple would be torn down, with not one stone left upon another, just as this present world and its kingdoms will come to an end (Mark 13:1–8). But that temple pointed beyond itself to Christ, to His sacrifice upon the cross and to the resurrection of His body as the true Temple of God. In the midst of sin and death, by the proclamation of the Gospel, He now gathers disciples into His body, wherein “*the one who endures to the end will be saved*” (Mark 13:10–13). For He is “*a great priest over the house of God,*” who “*will remember their sins and their lawless deeds no more.*” By the pure water of His Baptism, they “*draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith,*” and by His flesh and blood, they enter the Holy of Holies (Heb. 10:17–22). Thus are His people delivered, “*everyone whose name shall be found written in the book.*” For by the wisdom of His Gospel, He turns “*many to righteousness,*” so that “*many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake*” to everlasting life (Dan. 12:1–3).

LIFE THOUGHT — LUTHERANS FOR LIFE

Life Thought in the Church Year for November 14 – Pentecost XXV (Proper 28B): Little time remains for repentance now that fathers deliver children to death and children rise up against parents (Mark 13:12). We have the assurance that the Holy Spirit speaks salvation through our witness to the sanctity of life (Mark 13:11). Let us stir up one another to love (Hebrews 10:24) by declaring that Jesus saves from the sin of abortion (Hebrews 10:17-18).

THE SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT



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LAST SUNDAY OF THE CHURCH YEAR

In Repentance We Are Alert to the Coming of Christ

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PRAYER OF THE DAY Lord God, heavenly Father, send forth Your Son, we pray, to lead home His bride, the Church, that with all the company of the redeemed we may finally enter into His eternal wedding feast; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

ORDER OF SERVICE

8:30 a.m. SP, Divine Service, Setting One, *LSB 151*
10:30 a.m. TR, Divine Service, Setting One, *LSB 151*

PRAYER RESPONSE

Lord, in Your mercy,
 hear our prayer.

HYMNS

LSB 516 "Wake, Awake, for Night Is Flying"
LSB 663 "Rise, My Soul, to Watch and Pray"
LSB 781 vv. 1-2 "We Give Thee But Thine Own"
LSB 832 "Jesus Shall Reign"
LSB 892 "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come"
LSB 895 "Now Thank We All Our God"

SERMON TITLE AND TEXT

"Watch"
Mark 13:24-37

IN OUR PRAYERS *

FOR HEALTH AND HEALING OF OUR MEMBERS: SP: Justin Everson, Doug Gerlach, Jean Gerlach, Elmer Sorensen, Jerry Boyd, David Merrill, and Chris Heismeyer. TR: Pam Hallman, Eleanor Gieseman, and Deb Pope.

FOR HEALTH AND HEALING OF FAMILY AND FRIENDS: SP: Lynn Anderson, brother-in-law of Marlene Johnson and cousin of Peggy Hoffman.

TRINITY BIRTHDAYS: none

TRINITY ANNIVERSARIES: none

ST. PAUL'S BIRTHDAYS: Curt Guindon 11-24; Chris Heismeyer 11-25

ST. PAUL'S ANNIVERSARIES: none

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WELCOME!



We rejoice with Tucker and Brittney Greene and family on the baptism of their infant daughter, Evelyn Renee Greene, this past Sunday, November 14, 2021. Sponsors are Bryan Nau and Mckennzie Linnville.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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2021-11-21 Last Sunday of the Church Year

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH † TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH CALENDAR — NOVEMBER 21–28, 2021

Today Nov. 21	8:30 a.m.	St. Paul's Divine Service
	9:30 a.m.	St. Paul's Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Trinity Divine Service
	11:30 a.m.	Trinity Youth Confirmation Class
Sun. Nov. 28	11:30 a.m.	Trinity Christmas Decorating and light lunch
	8:30 a.m.	St. Paul's Divine Service
	9:30 a.m.	St. Paul's Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Trinity Divine Service
	11:30 a.m.	Trinity Youth Confirmation Class

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LAST SUNDAY'S NUMBERS (Nov 14)	St. Paul's	Trinity
Attendance	45	36
Offering	\$692	\$178.50

NEXT SUNDAY'S SCRIPTURE READINGS

Nov 28: Jeremiah 33:14–16; 1 Thessalonians 3:9–13; Luke 19:28–40

Building Healthy Families: Over the coming holidays we will spend more time together than usual with our families. As you gather, keep a watchful eye out for excessive negative talk including complaining, fault-finding, and passing on gossip. Sharing gossip and negative messages of gloom and doom is not only sinful and dishonoring to our Father, but it also fosters a depressing atmosphere in the home (... and in the workplace ... and in the church). Instead, look for the positives and talk about them often! "Whatever is pure, whatever is lovely ... think on these things" (Philippians 4:8).

Lutheran Family Service - www.LutheranFamilyService.org

LAST SUNDAY OF THE CHURCH YEAR (Proper 29B)

(21 November 2021)

Isaiah 51:4–6; Jude 20–25; Mark 13:24–37

In Repentance We Are Alert to the Coming of Christ

The signs of the end are all around us, constant reminders that "heaven and earth will pass away." But all of these signs are centered in the cross of Christ, whereby He has conquered sin and death, that we might be raised with Him in righteousness through His Word of the Gospel, which "will not pass away" (Mark 13:31). He is "the firstborn of the dead," who in His great love "has freed us from our sins by his blood" (Rev. 1:5). His salvation is certain because "his dominion is an everlasting dominion" and His kingdom "shall not be destroyed" (Dan. 7:14). For this purpose He came into the world, to reign in love through His voice of the Gospel, which is the truth (John 18:37). So is the righteousness of Christ "a light to the peoples," which "will never be dismayed" because it is the justice of His cross and resurrection (Is. 51:4–6). As He "is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory," so wait upon "the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ that leads to eternal life" (Jude 20–24).

LIFE THOUGHT — LUTHERANS FOR LIFE

November 21 – Last Sunday of the Church Year (Proper 29B): The sanctity of every human life involves far more than personal choices or political issues. We have the chance to snatch sisters and brothers from destruction (Jude 23) in the epic battle between good and evil. And the Lord's Words do not require our anger to prevail (Psalm 93:4), so let us engage every neighbor with mercy to untangle their confusion (Jude 22). Receive them as gifts and treat them as privileges just like our Father treasures us.



THE SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

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or Rev. Ryan Loeslie 605-630-1896 (mobile)

November 28, 2021

FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT

The Lord Jesus Comes in Humility to Redeem Us

WELCOME!! Welcome to all who worship here this morning. We pray this service is a blessing to you. Visitors, please sign our guest book located in the entrance area of our church. If we can be of help to you, please let us know.

PRAYER OF THE DAY Stir up our hearts, O Lord, to make ready the way of Your only-begotten Son, that by His coming we may be enabled to serv You with pure minds; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

ORDER OF SERVICE

8:30 a.m. SP, Divine Service, Setting Three, *LSB* 184, w/o communion
10:30 a.m. TR, Divine Service, Setting Three, *LSB* 184

PRAYER RESPONSE

P Lord, in Your mercy,
C hear our prayer.

HYMNS

LSB 332 "Savior of the Nations, Come"
LSB 343 "Prepare the Royal Highway"
LSB 781 vv. 1-2 "We Give Thee But Thine Own"
LSB 622 "Lord, Jesus Christ, You Have Prepared"
LSB 341 "Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates"

SERMON TITLE AND TEXT

"Your King Comes to You"
Luke 19:28-40



IN OUR PRAYERS *

FOR HEALTH AND HEALING OF OUR MEMBERS: SP: Justin Everson, Doug Gerlach, Jean Gerlach, Elmer Sorensen, Jerry Boyd, David Merrill, and Chris Heismeyer. TR: Pam Hallman, Eleanor Gieseman, and Deb Pope. SP/TR: Rev. Charles Adams.

FOR HEALTH AND HEALING OF FAMILY AND FRIENDS: SP: Lynn Anderson, brother-in-law of Marlene Johnson and cousin of Peggy Hoffman.

TRINITY BIRTHDAYS: Nehvin Rana 12-02; Mindi Rana 12-04

TRINITY ANNIVERSARIES: none

ST. PAUL'S BIRTHDAYS: Jeanette Fink 11-27; Bailey Anthony 12-03

ST. PAUL'S ANNIVERSARY: Howard & Sharon Weischedel 12-01

ST. PAUL'S/TRINITY ANNIVERSARY: Rev. Charles & Laura Adams 11-28 (40th)

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Advent services are pending.

Caroling Sun., December 12, 2021, 4 p.m. Trinity
Children's Service Sun., December 19, 2021, 8:30 a.m. St. Paul's;
5:30 p.m. Trinity

Christmas Eve Fri., Dec. 24, 2021, 4 p.m. St. Paul's; 5:30 p.m. Trinity
Christmas Day We will not have a Christmas Day service this year.

- Rev. Mark Mischnick will provide pastoral care for those in the Mitchell hospital while Pastor Adams is recovering. You may contact him via email or cellphone: themischnicks@midco.net, 605-730-0340 (mobile). For other hospitals contact Rev. Ryan Loeslie at 605-630-1896 (mobile).
- Thank you to Pastor Mischnick for serving our pulpit supply today.
- 40th Anniversary greetings/Get Well wishes may be sent to:
Rev. Charles & Laura Adams
1430 S. Cedar Street
Ottawa, KS 66067
- **Trinity Annual Cleaning Fund Drive:** We are thankful for the service of our custodian! Please support this service by helping replenish the cleaning fund. Please mark your donation "Trinity Cleaning Fund" and place it in the offering plate or in the provided envelopes and mail to:
Trinity Cleaning Fund
PO Box 6
White Lake, SD 57383
Thank you!

2021-11-28 First Sunday in Advent

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH † TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
CALENDAR — NOVEMBER 28–DECEMBER 5, 2021**

Today Nov. 28	8:30 a.m. St. Paul's Divine Service 9:30 a.m. St. Paul's Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Trinity Divine Service
Wed. Dec. 1	2:15 p.m. Trinity Release-Time/Christmas practice 5:30 p.m. Trinity Wednesday School 5:30 p.m. Trinity Bible Study
Sun. Dec. 5	8:30 a.m. St. Paul's Divine Service 9:30 a.m. St. Paul's Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Trinity Divine Service 5 p.m. LWML St. Paul's Dorcas at Cathy Albrecht's
TBD	TBD Confirmation classes pending.

SERVING THE LORD'S CHURCH NOVEMBER 2021

Elder: Curt Guindon	Elder: David Bogenhagen
Ushers: Doug Gerlach Larry Gerlach	Ushers: Ron Steffen Dan Meier
Acolyte:	Acolytes: Madison Meier Taelyn Clark
Altar: Deb Haak	

LAST SUNDAY'S NUMBERS (Nov 21)	St. Paul's	Trinity
Attendance	31	30
Offering	\$625	\$308.80

NEXT SUNDAY'S SCRIPTURE READINGS

Dec. 5: Malachi 3:1–7b; Philippians 1:2–11; Luke 3:1–14



Building Healthy Families

"Count your blessings, name them one by one ... " God's blessings are bountiful. We recognize that when we take time to notice, name, and count them. Challenge your family members to do the same. What's on your list? **Happy Thanksgiving!**
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FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT

(28 November 2021)

Jeremiah 33:14–16; 1 Thessalonians 3:9–13;
Luke 19:28–40 or Luke 21:25–36

The Lord Jesus Comes in Humility to Redeem Us

The season of Advent focuses on the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, and this first Sunday establishes this theme for the rest of the season. The Son of God came long ago to be our Savior, "*a righteous Branch*" descended from David (Jer. 33:15). As He then came into Jerusalem, riding on a lowly donkey to sacrifice Himself for the sins of the world (Luke 19:28–40), so does He come to His Church today in the humility of Word and Sacrament to deliver the fruits of His Passion: the forgiveness of sins and eternal life. He absolves us and establishes our hearts "*blameless in holiness before our God and Father*" (1 Thess. 3:13). The same Lord Jesus, who came to Jerusalem then and who comes to us now in peace, will come again with power and great glory on the Last Day. Then there will be "*distress of nations in perplexity,*" with "*people fainting with fear.*" Yet, as we anticipate that great and terrible day, He bids us to rest securely in Him: "*Raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near*" (Luke 21:25, 26, 28).

LIFE QUOTE — LUTHERANS FOR LIFE

Sunday, November 28: "Creation is preaching a message about its Creator. He is wise. Kind. Brilliant. Powerful. Limitless. Combine those qualities with His reckless love for us found on the cross, and you have a God who can strengthen trembling hearts and weak knees. You have a Creator worth worshipping." *Rev. Mike Novotny, Time of Grace.*

THE SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT



The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth His death until he comes. Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the sacrament, are asked first to speak with our pastor or an usher.