PLAYBILL GOD ON BROADWAY



August 7, 2022

9th Sunday of Pentecost

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UMC Service of Word and Table

HYMN SING

How Great Thou Art	ELW 856
WHAT A FRIEND WE HAVE IN JESUS	ELW 742
I LOVE TO TELL THE STORY	ELW 661
JUST AS I AM, WITHOUT ONE PLEA	ELW 592

Welcome & Announcements

GATHERING

GATHERING SONG

O Happy Day

O Happy Day (2x) When Jesus Washed (3x) Washed My Sins Away. O Happy Day (3x)

(Music Interlude)

Repeat Chorus

He taught me how To watch, fight, and pray. Fight and pray. And live rejoicing every Every day, every day.

Repeat Chorus

GREETING

- P The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.
- C And also with you.
- P The risen Christ is with us.
- C Praise the Lord!

PRAYER OF THE DAY

- P The Lord be with you.
- C And also with you.
- P Let us pray.

Almighty God, you sent your Holy Spirit to be the life and light of your church. Open our hearts to the riches of your grace, that we may be ready to receive you wherever you appear, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C Amen. Please be seated.

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

C Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as the Scriptures are read and your Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

SONG My Guy, My God

Nothing you could say could tear me away from my God. (My God) Nothing you could do 'cause I'm stuck like glue to my God. (My God)

I'm sticking to my God like a stamp to a letter,

Like birds of a feather we stick together,

I'm tellin' you from the start I can't be torn apart from my God.

Nothing you could do could make me untrue to my God. (My God) Nothing you could buy could make me tell a lie to my God. (My God)

I gave my God my word of honor to be faithful, and I'm gonna.

You best be believing I won't be deceiving my God.

As a matter of opinion I think he's tops,

My opinion is he's the cream of the crop;

As a matter of taste to be exact he's my ideal as a matter of fact.

No muscle-bound man could take my hand from my God. (My God) No handsome face could ever take the place of my God. (My God)

He may not be a movie star, but when it comes to bein' happy we are.

There's not a man today who could take me away from my God.

There's not a man today who could take me away from my God. (2x)

READING: 2ND SAMUEL 22:1-7, 47-51

¹And David spoke to the LORD the words of this song on the day when the LORD delivered him from the hand of all his enemies, and from the hand of Saul. ²He said, "The LORD is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer, ³my God, my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold and my refuge, my savior; thou saves me from violence. ⁴I call upon the LORD, who is worthy to be praised, and I am saved from my enemies. ⁵"For the waves of death encompassed me, the torrents of perdition assailed me; ⁶the cords of Sheol entangled me, the snares of death confronted me. ¹"In my distress I called upon the LORD; to my God I called. From his temple he heard my voice, and my cry came to his ears.

⁴⁷"The LORD lives; and blessed be my rock, and exalted be my God, the rock of my salvation, ⁴⁸the God who gave me vengeance and brought down peoples under me, ⁴⁹who brought me out from my enemies; thou didst exalt me above my adversaries, thou didst deliver me from men of violence. ⁵⁰"For this I will extol thee, O LORD, among the nations, and sing praises to thy name. ⁵¹Great triumphs he gives to his king, and shows steadfast love to his anointed, to David, and his descendants for ever."

- L The Word of the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God.

SONG

His Eye Is On the Sparrow

Why should I feel discouraged? Why should the shadows come? Why should my heart be lonely And long for heaven and home? When Jesus is my portion My constant friend is He,

His eye is on the sparrow and I know, He watches over me. (2x)

I sing because I'm happy. I sing because I'm free.

His eye is on the sparrow and I know, He watches over me. (2x)

READING: LUKE 12:1-6

¹In the meantime, when so many thousands of the multitude had gathered together that they trod upon one another, he began to say to his disciples first, "Beware of the leaven of the Pharisees, which is hypocrisy. ²Nothing is covered up that will not be revealed, or hidden that will not be known. ³Therefore whatever you have said in the dark shall be heard in the light, and what you have whispered in private rooms shall be proclaimed upon the housetops. ⁴"I tell you, my friends, do not fear those who kill the body, and after that have no more that they can do. ⁵But I will warn you whom to fear: fear him who, after he has killed, has power to cast into hell; yes, I tell you, fear him! ⁶Are not five sparrows sold for two pennies? And not one of them is forgotten before God.

- L The Word of the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God.

SONG I Will Follow Him

I will follow him
Follow him wherever he may go
And near him, I always will be
For nothing can keep me away.
He is my destiny.

I will follow him.

Ever since he touched my heart I knew.

There isn't an ocean too deep

A mountain so high it can keep

Keep me away.

Away from his love.

I love him! I love him! I love him! And where he goes I'll follow! I'll follow! I'll follow!

I will follow him
Follow him wherever he may go.
There isn't an ocean too deep
A mountain so high it can keep
Keep me away.

We will follow him Follow him wherever he may go. There isn't an ocean too deep A mountain so high it can keep Keep us away. Away from his love.

(I love him!) Oh yes, I love him. (I'll follow!) I'm gonna follow. (True love!) He'll always be my true love. (Forever!) From now until forever

I love him! I love him! I love him! And where he goes I'll follow! I'll follow!

He'll always be my true love! (My true love! My true love!) From now until forever! (Forever, forever)

There isn't an ocean too deep A mountain so high it can keep Keep us away. Away from his love.

GOSPEL

Please stand as you are able.

P The Holy Gospel, according to Luke, the fifth chapter.

C Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL: LUKE 5:1-11

¹While the people pressed upon him to hear the word of God, he was standing by the lake of Gennes'aret. ²And he saw two boats by the lake; but the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. ³Getting into one of the boats, which was Simon's, he asked him to put out a little from the land. And he sat down and taught the people from the boat. ⁴And when he had ceased speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep and let down your nets for a catch." 5And Simon answered, "Master, we toiled all night and took nothing! But at your word I will let down the nets." 6And when they had done this, they enclosed a great shoal of fish; and as their nets were breaking, 7they beckoned to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both the boats, so that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord." 9For he was astonished, and all that were with him, at the catch of fish which they had taken; 10 and so also were James and John, sons of Zeb'edee, who were partners with Simon. And Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; henceforth you will be catching men." 11 And when they had brought their boats to land, they left everything and followed him.

P The Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you, O Christ.

Please be seated.

CREED

We Believe in One True God



CONCERNS AND PRAYERS

- A Trusting in God's extraordinary love, let us come near to the Holy One in prayer. *A brief silence*.
- A Let your lovingkindness be upon your church. Fill all who proclaim the gospel with your Spirit. Equip your flock to speak your word of promise and hope in the midst of fear and uncertainty. Merciful God,

C receive our prayer.

A Let your lovingkindness be upon your creation. Dwell among us and sustain our earthly home. In places of famine, provide nourishment. In places of plenty, fashion us to be good stewards of your bounty. Merciful God,

C receive our prayer.

A Let your lovingkindness be felt by vulnerable people across the world, especially those affected by the war in Ukraine. Provide safety from violence and assistance for those in need. Guide children and families as they lose their homes and loved ones. Particularly, let us pray for the German Evangelical-Lutheran Church in the Ukraine and our own partner synod of the Evangelical-Lutheran Church of the Urals, Siberia and the Far East as they face these times of conflict. Merciful God.

C receive our prayer.

A Let your lovingkindness be upon your children. Look upon all who wait for your steadfast love. Console those who grieve and embrace those in need of healing, especially Debbie Pomeroy, Laurie Jackson, Mike Jackson, Keith Springer, Peggy Buchholz, Helen Laughlin, Linda Longren, Don O'Brien, Susan Fitz, and Martha Nemeth. Merciful God,

C receive our prayer.

A Let your lovingkindness be upon this community. Fashion our hearts to strive for peace. Strengthen the outreach ministries of this congregation and let your presence be felt among the Central States Synod's Churchwide voting members and all those participating in the Churchwide Assembly, Peace Lutheran Church in Joplin and St. Philip Evangelical Lutheran Church in St. Louis, Missouri, St. John Lutheran Church in Wellington, Kansas, and all who care for those in need. Merciful God.

C receive our prayer.

A Let your lovingkindness be felt by those who celebrate this week. Bless Ella Bosch and Glenda Visocsky as they celebrate their birthdays, Marilyn Hypse and Marilyn Heckman as they remember their baptism, and Bob & Janeen Horton as they celebrate their wedding anniversary. Merciful God,

C receive our prayer.

- P Lord God, you have surrounded us with so great a cloud of witnesses. Grant that we be encouraged by the example of your servant Helen Laughlin that we may share in your eternal joy with all the saints in heaven. Bless and support the family and friends of this saint as they celebrate her life. Lord, in your mercy,
- C receive our prayer.
- P Receive the prayers of your children, merciful God, and hold us forever in your steadfast love; through Jesus Christ, our holy Wisdom.
- C Amen.

INVITATION

P Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live in peace with one another. Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

CONFESSION AND PARDON

- C Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.
- P Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!
- C In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!
- All Glory to God. Amen.

THE PEACE

- P The peace of Christ be with you.
- C And also with you.
- P Let us offer one another signs of reconciliation and love.

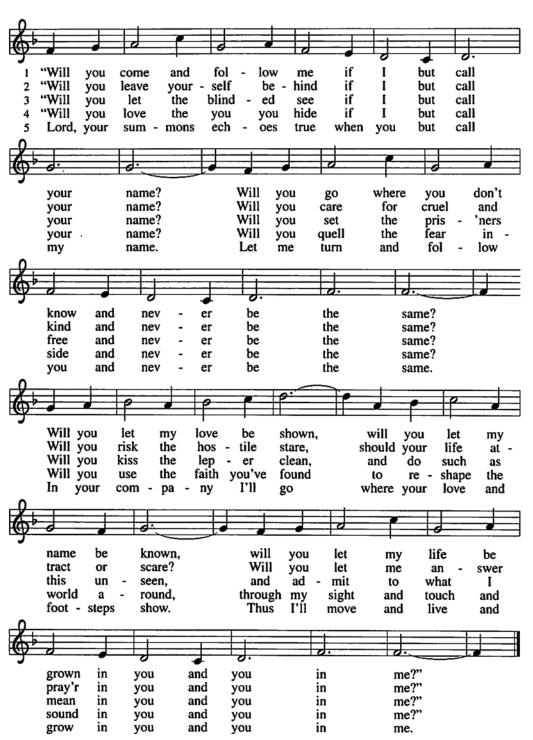
Let us greet one another with God's peace.

Please be seated.

OFFERING

A As forgiven and reconciled people, let us offer ourselves and our gifts to God.

HYMN OF THE DAY Will You Come and Follow Me PAGE 10 Please stand for the final verse of the hymn.



THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

- P The Lord be with you.
- C And also with you.
- P Lift up your hearts.
- C We lift them to the Lord.
- P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- C It is right to give our thanks and praise.
- P It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. You formed us in your image and breathed into us the breath of life. When we turned away, and our love failed, your love remained steadfast. You delivered us from captivity, made covenant to be our sovereign God, and spoke to us through the prophets. And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER



- P Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ. Your Spirit anointed him to preach good news to the poor, to proclaim release to the captives and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty those who are oppressed, and to announce that the time had come when you would save your people. He healed the sick, fed the hungry, and ate with sinners. By the baptism of his suffering, death, and resurrection you gave birth to your Church, delivered us from slavery to sin and death, and made with us a new covenant by water and the Spirit. When the Lord Jesus ascended, he promised to be with us always, in the power of your Word and Holy Spirit.
- On the night in which he gave himself up for us, he took bread, gave thanks to you, broke the bread, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."
- When the supper was over, he took the cup, gave thanks to you, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Drink from this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."
- And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.
- P Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here, and on these gifts of bread and



Christ has died, Christ is ris - en, Christ will come a gain!

wine. Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ, that we may be for the world the body of Christ, redeemed by his blood.

By your Spirit make us one with Christ, one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world, until Christ comes in final victory and we feast at his heavenly banquet.

Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy Church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and forever

THE LORD'S PRAYER



- P And now, with the confidence of children of God, let us pray:
- C Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread.

 Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

now and forever. Amen.

The bread and wine are given to the people, with these or other words being exchanged:

- P The body of Christ, given for you.
- C Amen.
- P The blood of Christ, given for you.
- C Amen.
- All Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us.

 Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SENDING FORTH

SENDING HYMN

Go to the World

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DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

- A Go forth in peace.
- P The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- C Amen.

POSTLUDE



Welcome to worship at Trinity!

Thank you for joining us for worship. We hope that you found the Spirit of God in our midst. If you are interested in becoming a member of Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, or have other questions, please contact the church office at 785.233.0767



Many thanks to JoLana Pinon for playing the organ for us today. We appreciate her willingness to be here while Laurie is off.

UPCOMING EVENTS AT TRINITY
Today, August 7
Mon., August 8 Church Council meeting 6:00 PM
Tues., August 9Quilters9:00 AM
Wed., August 10 Historic Old Town NIA meeting 6:30 PM
Sun., August 14

Worship Assistants							
Date	Usher(s)	Musicians	Lector	Altar Guild	Assisting Minister	Presiding Minister	Coffee Hosts
August 7	Dean McGinnis, Ted Murphy	JoLana Pinon	Bob Horton	Marilyn Heckman & Team 1	Bob Horton	Pr. Andrew Patty	Carol Marker
Augst 14	Duane Pomeroy, Howard Reece	Mitchell Bean	Janelle Meredith	Marilyn Heckman & Team 1	Ted Murphy	Pr. Andrew Patty	Donna Allen

OFFERING, ATTENDANCE, and FINANCIAL STATUS									
					Weekly				
					Income Minus				
				Average	Average				
			Total Weekly	Weekly	Weekly	Attendance/			
Date	General	Other	Income	Expense	Expense	Communion			
July 10	\$2,365.00	\$0.00	\$2,365.00	-\$2,761.27	-\$396.27	24			
July 17	\$1,995.00	\$175.00	\$2,170.00	-\$2,761.27	-\$591.27	21			
July 24						28			
July 31						38			
			Income	Expense	Behind/Ahead				
		June 2022	\$6,380.00	-\$14,611.74	-\$8,231.74				
		Jan June	\$46,596.64	-\$70,951.28	-\$24,354.64				



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10:00AM-3:30PM, Monday through Thursday

Together in Community

Living with Christ's Love Caring for Neighbors

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We are a faith community brought together to worship God and to be of service to the needs of the world as the Great Commandment is our guide in our lives (*Matthew 22:36-39, Mark 12:29-31, and Luke 10:26-27*). We are a congregation that seeks to reach all those in our county with members spread throughout Topeka area, while being rooted in Historic Old Town. In our faith, we hope to be a symbol of Christ's love in the world (*John 15:12*), to be a community of support and care (*Galatians 6:2*), and to proclaim the good news that Jesus Christ came to be a Savior for all people (*Colossians 1:13-14*).

Congregation Council

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Carol Marker (Administration) Ted Mu

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