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Sunday School/Bible Study: 8:30 AM  
Sunday Worship: 9:30 AM  
Rev. Jordan J. McKinley, Pastor



### Mission Statement:

As a family of God, nourished by Word and Sacraments, we at Trinity Lutheran Church are committed to sharing His love and reaching out to meet the needs of all people.

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Christmas- January 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022

**Welcome to All**, especially our guests, in the Name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. We are glad you are worshipping with us. If you have no church home, please consider making Trinity your church home.

**Holy Communion:** Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words and repent of all their sins. 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 are not members of the Lutheran Church–Missouri Synod are asked to refrain from partaking of the Sacrament and speak to pastor. The Common Cup will be served to those who have not taken an individual cup.

### +THE ORDER OF DIVINE SERVICE, SETTING THREE, Page 184+

#### THE PRELUDE

#### THE RINGING OF THE BELL

**THE OPENING HYMN:** "All Who Believe and Are Baptized" Hymn 601

**THE BAPTISM OF DEZMON GENE DUBOIS:** Page 268

*Parents: Aron and Mayme DuBois, Sponsor: Robert Winks, Jr.*

**THE INTROIT OF THE DAY:** *Insert – We Speak Responsively*

**THE GLORIA PATRI, KYRIE, GLORIA IN EXCELSIS:** Pages 186-189

**THE SALUTATION & COLLECT OF THE DAY**

**THE OLD TESTAMENT READING:** Genesis 46:11-7

**THE GRADUAL:** *Insert – We Speak Responsively*

**THE EPISTLE:** 1 Peter 4:12-19

**THE ALLELUIA AND VERSE:** *Insert – We Sing Responsively*

**THE HOLY GOSPEL:** Matthew 2:13-23

**THE NICENE CREED:** Page 191

**THE HYMN OF THE DAY:** "From East to West" Hymn 385

### PREACHING CHRIST CRUCIFIED

**THE OFFERTORY:** Pages 192-193

**THE OFFERING:** *The offering will be collected in the narthex*

### THE INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

**THE PRAYERS:** After each petition P: Lord, in Your mercy; C: **Hear our prayer**

**THE COMMUNION LITURGY:** Pages 194-198 Hymns 399, 546, 369, 372

**THE NUNC DIMITTIS, THANKSGIVING & BENEDICTION:** Pages 199-202

### THE ANNOUNCEMENTS

**THE CLOSING HYMN:** "Let Our Gladness Have No End" Hymn 381

### THE POSTLUDE

### Worship Notes:

Ushers: Rex Hauer, Dale Shoemaker Organist: Monica Doty  
Elder of the Day: Bill Shoemaker Assistant: Steve Shoemaker

### Attendance: December 26<sup>th</sup>, 2021

Worship: 68

### Prayers:

- Missionaries: Rev. Eric Stinnett, Rev. Thomas Bernard, Tirzah Krey
- Those ill, hospitalized, or recovering including: Bob Bane, Lauren Harrison, Monica Doty, Devyn DuBois, Jody Deckard, Clara Jercha
- All Shut – in and Homebound Members: Floyd Meahl, Erman Shoemaker, Thelma Greathouse, Norma Peters, Frank and Lettie Wolka
- Those celebrating baptismal birthdays, including: Christin Turmail, Clara Adams, Cody Wolka, Sue Shoemaker, Clint Wolka
- Circuit Prayers: Lord of Life, North Vernon(vacant); Holy Cross, Scottsburg (vacant); Good Shepherd, Medora (vacant); Faith, Salem (vacant); Peace, Seymour (vacant)

### This Week At A Glance (January 2<sup>nd</sup>-9<sup>th</sup>, 2022)

Sunday: Sunday School/Bible Study @8:30A.M.

Divine Service Setting Three (Communion) @9:30A.M.

Choir Practice and Catechism following service

Installation of Officers

Wednesday: Church Council Meeting @7:00P.M.

Thursday: Epiphany Service @6:30P.M.

Saturday: Christmas Un-Decorating @9:00A.M.

Sunday: Sunday School/Bible Study @8:30A.M.

Matins Service @9:30A.M.

Choir Practice and Catechism following service

Voters' Meeting

## Trinity News and Notes:

- **General Fund Balance:** \$9,288.38
- **New Officers Elected**

We elected new officers to serve in various positions within the congregation. We give thanks to God for all who were willing to serve, and we pray for those who were elected, that they would serve with joy. Elder: Don Shoemaker; Treasurer: Matt Montgomery; Recording Secretary: Cody Wolka; Stewardship: Frank Wolka, Jr.; Sunday School Superintendent: Peter Beck; Trustee: Clay Hauer.
- **Quarterly Meetings**

Council will meet Wednesday at 7 p.m., and there will be a voters' meeting following the service next Sunday. Please plan to attend!
- **Bible Classes and Sunday School to Restart!**

We will resume Sunday School and Bible class next Sunday, January 9th, at 8:30 a.m. On Wednesday, January 12th, we will resume Wednesday Bible Class at 6:30 p.m. We will finish our study of St. John's epistles, starting with 2nd John! This is a great time to make a new start in studying God's Word with your fellow saints! Let's make studying the Bible a resolution for 2022!
- **Year End Reports**

Year end reports should be submitted to Megan by the end of January for our annual report. Thank you!
- **Meal with a Missionary Potluck**

After the service on January 16th, we will be having a potluck meal. The mission committee will provide meat and drinks. Please bring a side dish or a dessert to share.
- **Volunteers Needed**

There is a new sign up sheet posted in the narthex for altar care for 2022. Thank you to all the altar care volunteers who served the Lord and the congregation in 2021!
- **Mission Festival Coming Soon!**

This year's mission festival will take place on Sunday, January 16th. We will be hosting Rev. Herb Schumm of the Lutheran Heritage Foundation. LHF is a Recognized Service Organization of the LCMS, dedicated to translating and publishing the books of our Lutheran faith into more than 100 languages for our Christian brothers and sisters around the world. Learn more about LHF by visiting [LHFmissions.org](http://LHFmissions.org).

- **Trinity Lutheran High School Dinner Auction**

Preparations for the 19th annual Trinity Lutheran High School Dinner Auction are in full swing! This year's event will be held on February 26, 2022, at TLHS. The auction steering committee is currently seeking donations of items such as desserts, one-of-a-kind items, event tickets, memorabilia, handcrafted items, experiences, gift cards or gift certificates, and more for our live and silent auctions. For more information, to donate items or purchase tickets please contact Erin Brooks [ebrooks@trinitycougars.org](mailto:ebrooks@trinitycougars.org) 812-524-8547.

- **Stewardship**

Genesis 46:1 – “So Israel took his journey with all that he had and came to Beersheba, and offered sacrifices to the God of his father Isaac.” Every sacrifice in the Old Testament pointed forward to the sacrifice of our Lord Jesus upon the cross. That is the one sacrifice for sin. But the New Testament tells us to offer sacrifices as well – sacrifices of praise and thanksgiving. We're even called to present our very bodies and selves as “living sacrifices” to the Lord.

- **Study God's Word in 2022**

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