



**Ninth Sunday
after Pentecost
July 17, 2016
Holy Communion**

**Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church
Pam Illick, Pastor**



“Sing praises to the Lord, O you his faithful ones, and give thanks to his holy name.” (Psalm 30:4).

Welcome to worship! If you are a visitor, please sign the guest register at the rear of the sanctuary and please join us for worship again. We have a transport chair available to members and guests when needed. Please ask an usher for assistance.

Perhaps the church, at its best, is “all ears.” Almighty God urges the faithful, again and again, to “listen up!”—to heed the word from above. So it was with Abraham and Sarah, with Mary and Martha, and the early church at Colossae. So it is today as we join the assembly to hear the word of God, the words of life.

As Lutherans, we believe that the bread and wine of Holy Communion are signs given by God that Christ is fully present among us. We invite you to participate in receiving this miraculous presence. If you are unable to receive either the bread or the wine, be assured that even in the words, Christ is present to you. You are welcome to come to the Table to be fed and nurtured.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE & QUIET MEDITATION

GATHERING

The assembly stands and faces the font (if you are able).

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

☞ Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God, abounding in steadfast love toward us, healing the sick and raising the dead, showering us with every good gift.

☛ Amen.

☞ Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

(Time for personal reflection and confession.)

P Just and gracious God,

C **we come to you for healing and life. Our sins hurt others and diminish us; we confess them to you. Our lives bear the scars of sin; we bring these also to you. Show us your mercy, O God. Bind up our wounds, forgive us our sins, and free us to love, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.**

P The apostle Paul assures us: “When we were dead in our trespasses, God made us alive together with Christ, nailing the record of our sins to the cross.” Jesus says to you, ☩ “Your sins are forgiven.” Be at peace, and tell everyone how much God has done for you.

C Amen.

GATHERING SONG *God, Whose Almighty Word* (ELW 673)

GREETING

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

C And also with you.

CANTICLE OF PRAISE



1 Come, let us join our cheer-ful songs with an-gels round the throne;
2 “Wor- thy the Lamb that died,” they cry, “to be ex- alt - ed thus!”
3 Je - sus is wor - thy to re-ceive hon - or and pow’r di - vine;
4 Let all cre - a - tion join in one to bless the sa - cred name



ten thou-sand thou-sand are their tongues, but all their joys are one.
“Wor - thy the Lamb,” our lips re - ply, “for he was slain for us!”
and bless-ings, more than we can give, be, Lord, for - ev - er thine.
of God who sits up - on the throne, and to a - dore the Lamb.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P Let us pray.

Eternal God, you draw near to us in Christ, and you make yourself our guest. Amid the cares of our lives, make us attentive to your presence, that we may treasure your word above all else, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C Amen.

The assembly is seated.

WORD

PSALM: Psalm 15

¹LORD, who may dwell in your tabernacle?

Who may abide upon your holy hill?

²**Those who lead a blameless life and do what is right, who speak the truth from their heart;**

³they do not slander with the tongue, they do no evil to their friends;

they do not cast discredit upon a neighbor.

⁴**In their sight the wicked are rejected, but they honor those who fear the LORD.**

They have sworn upon their health and do not take back their word.

⁵They do not give their money in hope of gain, nor do they take bribes against the innocent.

Those who do these things shall never be overthrown.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *(Assembly stands.)*



Al - le-lu - ia! Lord and Sav - ior: o - pen now your sav - ing word.



Let it burn like fire with - in us; speak un - til our hearts are stirred.



Al - le - lu - ia! Lord, we sing for the good news that you bring.

GOSPEL: Luke 10:38-42

Jesus uses his visit to two sisters as an occasion to remind disciples that an important aspect of obedience is singleminded devotion to Jesus and his word.

P The holy gospel according to Luke.

G Glory to you, O Lord.

³⁸Now as [Jesus and his disciples] went on their way, he entered a certain village, where a woman named Martha welcomed him into her home. ³⁹She had a sister named Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to what he was saying. ⁴⁰But Martha was distracted by her many tasks; so she came to him and asked, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her then to help me." ⁴¹But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things; ⁴²there is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her."

P The gospel of the Lord.

G Praise to you, O Christ.

The assembly is seated.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON

The assembly remains seated for the Hymn of the Day.

HYMN OF THE DAY *Be Thou My Vision* (ELW 793)

The assembly stands.

CREED

P With the whole church, let us confess our faith.

G 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 *(The assembly stands.)*

After each petition the congregation will respond:

G hear our prayer.

PEACE

P The peace of Christ be with you always.

G 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.

The assembly is seated.

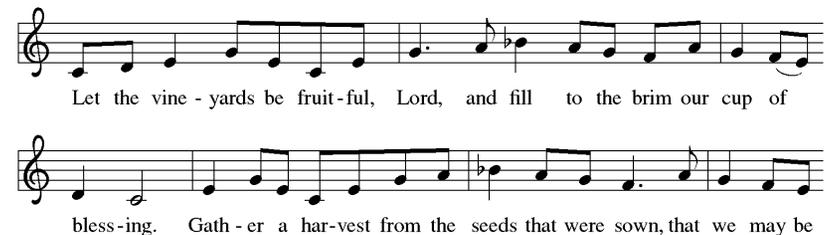
MEAL

OFFERING

An offering is gathered for the mission of the church, including the care of those in need.

THANK AND TELL

OFFERTORY *(The assembly stands.)*



Let the vine - yards be fruit - ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of
bless - ing. Gath - er a har - vest from the seeds that were sown, that we may be

fed with the bread of life. Gath - er the hopes and the dreams of all; u -
 nite them with the prayers we of - fer now. Grace our ta - ble with your
 pres - ence, and give us a fore - taste of the feast to come.

OFFERING PRAYER

A God of mercy and grace, the eyes of all wait upon you, and you open your hand in blessing. Fill us with good things at your table, that we may come to the help of all in need, through Jesus Christ, our redeemer and Lord.

C Amen.

DIALOGUE

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.

PREFACE

P It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ; who on this day overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life.

And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,
 heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
 Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
 san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

P In the night in which he was handed over, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Remembering, therefore, his acts of healing, his body given up, and his victory over death, we await that day when all the peoples of the earth will come to the river to enjoy the tree of life.

Send your Spirit upon us and this meal:
as grains scattered on the hillside become one bread,
so let your Church be gathered from the ends of the earth,
that all may be fed with the Bread of life, your Son.

Through him all glory and honor is yours,
Almighty Father, with the Holy Spirit,
in your holy Church,
both now and forever..

C Amen

LORD'S PRAYER

P Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

C 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.**

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

P Christ invites you to a place of honor at this banquet.
Welcome to the feast.

The assembly is seated.

COMMUNION

Communicants will proceed up the center aisle at the direction of the ushers. If you wish to receive the wine from the pouring chalice, please pick up an individual cup from the table at the head of the aisle. After receiving the bread from the pastor, proceed to the pouring chalice or the common cup to receive the wine. Return to your seat by the side aisle.

If you prefer to receive a blessing, come forward with your arms crossed over your chest. If you would like to have communion brought to your seat, please indicate your wish to one of the ushers, and the pastor come to you.

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.

COMMUNION SONG



1 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
2 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
3 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;



you suf-fered death our lives to save: have mer-cy now, we pray.
you set us free from guilt and grave: have mer-cy now, we pray.
e - ter-nal peace with God you made: give us your peace, we pray.

TABLE BLESSING *(The assembly stands.)*

P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve us in eternal life.

C Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

A O God, as a mother comforts her child, so you comfort your people, carrying us in your arms and satisfying us with this food and drink, the body and blood of Christ. Send us now as your disciples, announcing peace and proclaiming that the reign of God has come near; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C Amen.

SENDING

BLESSING

P The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord's face shine upon you with grace and mercy.
The Lord look upon you with favor
and ☩ give you peace.

☞ Amen.

SENDING SONG *Take the Name of Jesus with You* (back cover)

DISMISSAL

☞ Go in peace. Share God's message of love through your words and actions with others

☞ We will. Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE

Worship is ended: our service begins.

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Rouzerville Community
Vacation Bible School
July 17-21
6:30-8:30 p.m.
United Methodist Church
Classes for pre-kindergarten
through grade 6

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

- PRAYER AND SUPPORT -



Please keep these people in your prayers: Phyllis Baker, Cookie Beck, Jean Benedict, Katie Bondroff, James and Doris Davis, Sarah Foose, Jarrett Hall, Ulysses Jones, Nicole Leister, Laura Lentz, Jim Miller, Pearl Minnich, Adeline Plaine, Gerald Reichard, Barry Scott, Brian Sease, Pastor Ray Shriver, Barbara Stoops.

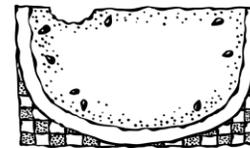
Special prayers for: all who are suffering from extreme heat, for those who have no shelter from the elements. We also include in our prayers, farmers and orchards growers and all people who work to grow our food.

Please let the church office know when the special needs for those on the prayer list are resolved so that we can keep our list updated.

THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT!! If you or a family member is admitted to the hospital, please let the office or Pastor Pam know. If you must leave a message on the voicemail, **please** make sure to leave the room number of the person hospitalized. The hospital will tell Pastor the person is not in the hospital if her name is not on the list of people who are allowed to get room assignment information. Thank you.

Pastor Pam will be in the church office Tuesday and Wednesday, 1-4 p.m. Days off will be Friday and Saturday. Since Pastor will be out in the community much of the time, if you would like to meet with her, please call her at 443-876-4736 (her cell phone) to set an appointment. If she does not answer, please leave a message with the day and time of your call and your name.

- UPCOMING EVENTS -



Church Picnic

We hope you have the date of August 21 marked on your calendar. That's when we will meet at Pine Hill Recreation Area at noon for our annual **Church Picnic**. If you plan to attend, please sign the reservation sheet on the Trinity News bulletin board in the hallway off the narthex,

Our next **Church Breakfast** will be on Tuesday, July 19, 9 a.m. at Parlor House Restaurant. We invite all to join us for the fellowship as we enjoy breakfast together.

Join the **Lunch Bunch** Sundays after worship for lunch out (except on Sundays when we have Coffee & Conversation). Next Sunday we will meet at Applebee's.. We invite all to be with us for this time of fellowship as we enjoy a meal together.



Lunch Bunch folks, how about a change of pace? On July 31, let's plan to take a sack lunch to Pen Mar Park! We will be able to enjoy the park and the sounds of a music group called Spectrum!!! Plan to bring your lawn chair and your sack lunch and let's have some fun! (If it rains we will go to an indoor restaurant and do Pen Mar on a different day.)

Flea market, craft and party vendors are needed to participate in the 27th annual **Celebration Day** at the Village at Luther Ridge on Saturday, September 23. Outdoor spaces are available at \$10. To reserve your space, contact Anna Nelson at 762-6621 or annamnelson@comcast.net. Celebration Day is sponsored by SpiritTrust Lutheran™ Chambersburg Auxiliary.

Have you viewed **Trinity's Website** lately? Sign in this week to www.trinityrouzerville.com and see what is new. Also find us on Facebook



All items for the August newsletter are due by 9 p.m. on Monday, July 25. Please place items in the newsletter tray in the office or send to admin@trinityrouzerville.org. Please include any meetings or activities that should appear on the calendar.

- STEWARDSHIP -

Sharing the abundance of God's gifts to us of time, talents and wealth with others

Flower, Bulletin and Candle Sponsor Charts: Are you thinking of a way to honor a loved one's birthday, anniversary, accomplishment, baptismal anniversary, or to just say, "I love you?" Is there a special person whose life you would like to memorialize? Sponsoring flowers, bulletins and/or candles is a great way to do that! Check out the bulletin board in the hallway off the narthex for more information.

Please inform Pastor Pam or Ruth Strausbaugh if you are a member of **Thrivent Financial for Christians!** Your membership can provide money for TELC to do mission work in our community in 2 different ways! One way is through Thrivent Choice Dollars and the other is through Thrivent Action Teams.

Donation envelopes for the **Air Conditioning Fund** are available on the windowsill at the rear of the sanctuary.

- COMMUNITY MINISTRY NEAR AND FAR -

Trinity's Encourager Ministry provides encouragement and outreach to our faith community. If you know of someone who could use a card, phone call, etc., let one of the members of the Evangelism Committee know. Contacts are made for special occasions/accomplishments in our lives such as an anniversary, new baby, baptism, first communion, confirmation, get well, graduation, retirement, sympathy, thinking of you, volunteer, wedding, etc. Members are Earl Duffey, Charlotte Kuhs, Sondra Musser, Judi Rice, and Donna Swauger.

We continue to collect greeting cards for the **St. Jude's Ranch for Children Recycled Card Program**. Only the front of the card is used and must not contain writing. We cannot accept cards from Hallmark, Disney, and American Greetings. There is a collection box at the back of the sanctuary. We collect all year long. Save your cards.

Bountiful Blessings, a joint ministry with the Rouzerville Church of the Brethren, continues throughout the year on the first and third Saturdays of each month starting at 9 a.m. See the back of the sanctuary for a list of needed products for its clients. Please note that the program does not collect food items or previously used personal care items.

Check out Trinity on **Facebook**. Go to www.facebook.com. You will have to join if you're not a member. Type Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, Rouzerville, PA at the top of the page in the search section if you are a member. You'll be directed to our Facebook page! Read about what's happening in the church, take a look at the photos and post your thoughts and ideas. You'll find it quite informative.



Mark Your Calendar!

- July 17-23 -

Today.....12:15 p.m. - Lunch Bunch at Applebee's
 Sunday-Thursday.....6:30 p.m. - VBS at United Methodist Church
 Tuesday.....9:00 a.m. - Breakfast at Parlor House

- July 24-30 -

Sunday.....9:30 a.m. - Adult Forum
 Sunday.....10:45 a.m. - Service of the Word
 Sunday.....12:15 p.m. - Lunch Bunch at Rolling Mill Restaurant
 Monday.....6:30 p.m. - Redevelopment Team
 Monday.....9:00 p.m. - August Newsletter Items Due
 Wednesday.....6:30 p.m. - Picnic Committee



The alter flowers are placed to the glory of God and provided by Carolyn and Earl Duffey in honor of one another for a beautiful 50 years together.

The floral arrangement is placed to the glory of God for providing me with the most beautiful lady ever, Carolyn, by a loving husband for 50 years Earl Duffey.



- Our Stewardship -

	Current Fund
Last Week	\$761
Year to Date	\$30,206
Attendance Last Sunday -30	

**- Current Income/Expenses -
To June 30**

Income	\$27,250
Expenses	\$40,784
Deficit	\$13,534

**- Air Conditioning Fund -
To July 3**

Estimated Cost	\$10,000
Received to Date	\$4,530
Balance Needed	\$5,470

- SERVING THIS MORNING -

Ministers.....The Disciples of Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church
 (1 Peter 2:4-10)

Pastor Pam Illick Presiding Minister
 Terry Eberly..... Assisting Minister/Lector
 Katherine Dennis..... Crucifer
 June Ecker..... Nursery
 Brenda Rice, Jenny Rice, Rhonda Rice..... Organists/Pianists
 Amy Dennis..... Usher
 Linda Fleagle..... Usher
 Judi Rice..... Usher
 Gladys Clapsaddle & Linda Weddle..... Altar Care
 Sally Berklite & Ruth Strausbaugh Offering Tellers

- SERVING JULY 24 -

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 June Ecker..... Usher
 Marie Seidel..... Usher
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Six Marks of Discipleship

Daily Prayer
 Weekly Worship
 Bible Reading
 Service
 Spiritual Friendships
 Giving

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- Our Mission -

The mission of Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church of Rouzerville, Pennsylvania is to build, strengthen, and increase our faith community to better love and serve God – and the world community – with the guidance of the Holy Spirit.



- Our Vision -

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church is a flourishing, Spirit-filled, Christ-centered home for all.



Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

God's work. Our hands.

Take the Name of Jesus with You 470

LYDIA BAXTER

... Do all in the name of the Lord Jesus. Col. 3:17

WILLIAM H. DOANE

1. Take the name of Je - sus with you, Child of sor - row and of
2. Take the name of Je - sus ev - er, As a shield from ev - ery
3. O the pre - cious name of Je - sus! How it thrills our souls with
4. At the name of Je - sus bow - ing, Fall - ing pros - trate at His

woe; It will joy and com - fort give you, Take it,
snare; If temp - ta - tions 'round you gath - er, Breathe that
joy, When His lov - ing arms re - ceive us, And His
feet, King of kings in heav'n we'll crown Him, When our

Refrain
then, wher - e'er you go.
ho - ly name in prayer. Pre - cious name, O how
songs our tongues em - ploy. Pre - cious name,
jour - ney is com - plete.

sweet! Hope of earth and joy of heav'n; Pre - cious
O how sweet!

name, O how sweet! Hope of earth and joy of heav'n.
Pre - cious name, O how sweet, how sweet!