



## The Sixth Sunday after Epiphany

Prelude: *Variations on Herr Jesu Christ, meus* by Robert Lind

### JESUS SAT WITH HIS DISCIPLES

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### DIVINE SERVICE I

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### INTROIT

Psalm 119:1-2, 4-5; antiphon: v. 7



**P** I will praise You with an | upright heart,\*  
when I learn Your just and Righ- | teous Decrees.

**C** **Blessèd are those whose way is | blameless,\***  
**who walk in the Law | of the Lord!**

**P** Blessèd are those who keep His Testi- | monies,\*  
who seek Him with their | whole heart.

**C** **You have commanded Your | Precepts\***  
**to be kept dili- | gently.**

**P** Oh that my ways may be | steadfast\* in keeping Your | Statutes!

**C** **Glory be to the Father and | to the + Son\* and to the Holy | Spirit;**  
**as it was in the be- | ginning,\* is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

**P** I will praise You with an | upright heart,\*  
when I learn Your just and Righ- | teous Decrees.

### KYRIE

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### HYMN OF PRAISE: *Gloria in excelsis*

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**P** O Lord, graciously hear the prayers of Your people that we who justly suffer the consequence of our sin may be mercifully delivered by Your goodness to the glory of Your name; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **C Amen.**

Sit

## OLD TESTAMENT

Jeremiah 17:5-8

Thus says the Lord: **Cursed is the man who trusts in man and makes flesh his strength, whose heart turns away from the Lord. He is like a shrub in the desert, and shall not see any good come. He shall dwell in the parched places of the wilderness, in an uninhabited salt land.**

**Blessed is the man who trusts in the Lord, whose trust is the Lord. He is like a tree planted by water, that sends out its roots by the stream, and does not fear when heat comes, for its leaves remain green, and is not anxious in the year of drought, for it does not cease to bear fruit.**

## PSALM 1

*Antiphon: v.1*

**Ⓟ** Blessèd is the man who walks not in the counsel of the | wicked,\*  
nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of | scoffers;

**Ⓞ** **but his delight is in the Law | of the Lord,\***  
**and on His Law he meditates | day and night.**

**Ⓟ** He is like a tree planted by streams of water  
that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not | wither.\*  
In all that he does, he | prospers.

**Ⓞ** **The wicked | are not so,\***  
**but are like chaff that the wind | drives away.**

**Ⓟ** Therefore the wicked will not stand in the | judgment,\*  
nor sinners in the congregation of the | righteous;

**Ⓞ** **for the Lord knows the way of the | righteous,\***  
**but the way of the wicked will | perish.**

**Ⓞ** **Glory be to the Father and | to the + Son\* and to the Holy | Spirit;**  
**as it was in the be- | ginning,\* is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

**Ⓟ** Blessèd is the man who walks not in the counsel of the | wicked,\*  
nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of | scoffers;

## EPISTLE

## 1 Corinthians 15:1-20

Now I would remind you, brothers, of the Gospel I preached to you, which you received, in which you stand, and by which you are being saved, if you hold fast to the Word I preached to you—unless you believed in vain.

For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, that He was buried, that He was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures, and that He appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then He appeared to more than five hundred brothers at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have fallen asleep. Then He appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to one untimely born, He appeared also to me. For I am the least of the apostles, unworthy to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and His grace toward me was not in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them, though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. Whether then it was I or they, so we preach and so you believed.

Now if Christ is proclaimed as raised from the dead, how can some of you say that there is no resurrection of the dead? But if there is no resurrection of the dead, then not even Christ has been raised. And if Christ has not been raised, then our preaching is in vain and your faith is in vain. We are even found to be misrepresenting God, because we testified about God that He raised Christ, Whom He did not raise if it is true that the dead are not raised. For if the dead are not raised, not even Christ has been raised. And if Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile and you are still in your sins. Then those also who have fallen asleep in Christ have perished. If in this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied.

But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the Firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep.

**Stand**

## VERSE

Luke 6:23a

**☞ Alle- | luia!\* Alle- | luia!**

**Rejoice in that day, and | leap for joy,\***

**For behold, your reward is great in | heaven.**

**Alle- | luia!\* Alle- | luia!**

## HOLY GOSPEL

**Luke 6:17-26**

[Jesus] came down with them and stood on a level place, with a great crowd of His disciples and a great multitude of people from all Judea and Jerusalem and the seacoast of Tyre and Sidon, who came to hear Him and to be healed of their diseases. And those who were troubled with unclean spirits were cured. And all the crowd sought to touch Him, for power came out from Him and healed them all.

And He lifted up his eyes on His disciples, and said:

**Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God.**

**Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you shall be satisfied.**

**Blessed are you who weep now, for you shall laugh.**

**Blessed are you when people hate you and when they exclude you and revile you and spurn your name as evil, on account of the Son of Man! Rejoice in that day, and leap for joy, for behold, your reward is great in heaven; for so their fathers did to the prophets.**

**But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation.**

**Woe to you who are full now, for you shall be hungry.**

**Woe to you who laugh now, for you shall mourn and weep.**

**Woe to you, when all people speak well of you, for so their fathers did to the false prophets.**

**HYMN OF THE DAY  
SONGS OF THANKFULNESS AND PRAISE**

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**SERMON**

**NICENE CREED**

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**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**OFFERING *St. Michael* by Jan Bender**

**OFFERTORY**

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**RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION AT TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**



If this is your first attendance at Trinity Lutheran Church, we kindly ask that you speak with one of the Pastors before receiving the Lord's Supper.



We *believe* the Lord's Supper to be a participation in the body and blood of Jesus for the forgiveness of sins. We *teach* that under bread and wine Jesus delivers life and salvation to His church. We *confess* Jesus desires you to partake in this meal, and He instituted the Holy Ministry to serve His gifts with care.

The holy Apostles warn us in the Scriptures not to receive the Supper to our harm, thereby the Pastors would hope to know who you are and where you are from before they serve you what Christ has given. We are in fellowship with the Lutheran Church — Missouri Synod (LCMS). If you are a member in good standing of one of our churches you can expect to be welcomed to our rail.

If you need help or prayer, would like to learn more about our congregation, or about attending Holy Communion in the future we will be honored to speak with you about these things.

*See Matthew 26:26-28, John 20:19-23, 1 Corinthians 11:16, 26-28, Acts 2:42*

**SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT**

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**THE MAN IS EVER BLESSED**

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**RENEW ME, O ETERNAL LIGHT**

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**IF CHRIST HAD NOT BEEN RAISED FROM DEATH**

*Hymnal page: 486*

**O SON OF GOD, IN GALILEE**

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**POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE *Nunc dimittis***

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**Postlude *St. George's Windsor* by Jan Bender**

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## **FOR VISITORS AND MEMBERS ALIKE:**

**Please fill out the cards in the pews every time you come to church.** It helps with our record keeping and helps our pastors to fill out their reports to district and to council members who make and take suggestions for the organization of our church. Thank you.

**For newer members**, there should be a mailbox for you in the hallway across from the bathrooms. If you do not have one, please contact **Nancy Brennan** at [njbrennan@comcast.net](mailto:njbrennan@comcast.net) or put a note in my mailbox. Thank you.

## **Wednesday evening Lenten meals**

The six Wednesday Lenten suppers are a beautiful tradition at Trinity where members and friends have the opportunity to fellowship together, serve one another in love, and prepare our hearts to recall the suffering and death of our Savior for the benefit of all of us! We need six committees, families, or groups to serve the congregation. March 5, 12, and April 9 are already spoken for, but we need committees for March 19, 26, and April 2. Each committee will be responsible for the main part of the menu, while other individuals can sign up to provide cookies in order to complete the meal and simplify the committee's responsibility. Please sign the sheet at the welcome desk for either the meal, or the cookies, or see Sharon Sherrill for more details. Thank-you.

**Community Ministry** food needs for February: Peanut Butter & Jelly, Soup, Rice, Beans – canned or Dried, Diapers size 3 & 5 and wipes, and Coats of all sizes.

**TODAY 2/16 The Sixth Sunday after Epiphany**

9 AM – Divine Service/Holy Communion

10:30 AM – Bible Class/Sunday School

11:35 AM Adult Choir

**TUESDAY 2/18**

8 AM – Tuesday Crew

9 AM – Chapel

Trinity Co-op

9 AM – Trinity Ladies @ Sunrise, Sunset, 1424 S. Wadsworth Blvd., Lakewood

**WEDNESDAY 2/19**

5 PM – Adult Handbells

**THURSDAY 2/20**

Trinity Co-op

11 AM – Bible Class

**NEXT SUNDAY 2/23 The Seventh Sunday after Epiphany**

9 AM – Divine Service/Holy Communion

10:30 AM – Bible Class/Sunday School

11:35 AM Adult Choir

## THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

### The Sixth Sunday after Epiphany February 16, 2025

**Acolytes** Thaddeus Morris, David Simpson  
**Ushers** Nathan Fehr, David Johnson, Tom Matson, Joshua Stuchlik,  
Joshua Weisel  
**Counters** Docia Love, Joseph Clapp  
**Altar Guild** Gabby Stuchlik  
**Coffee Clean-up** The Kellogg family

## SERVING NEXT WEEK AT TRINITY

### The Seventh Sunday after Epiphany February 23, 2025

**Acolytes** Jonah Malloreay, Tim Mixell  
**Ushers** Jeramiah Basham, Jim Behrmann, David Germeroth,  
Christian Sherrill, Caleb Sherrill  
**Counters** Joel Hauenstein, Gabriel Deal  
**Altar Guild** Shannon Mixell  
**Coffee Clean-up** The Allison family

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