

Trinity Lutheran Church

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Service of Holy Communion—*Lutheran Book of Worship,* Setting II
Reformation Sunday, October 29, 2023
In-Person at 10:15 am & Live at Facebook.com/TrinityLutheranNH

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

TEMPLE TALK

BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

PROCESSIONAL HYMN: "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" LBW No. 229

APOSTOLIC GREETING

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HYMN OF PRAISE

PRAYER OF THE DAY

FIRST LESSON: Jeremiah 31:31-34

The renewed covenant will not be breakable, but like the old covenant it will expect the people to live upright lives. To know the LORD means that one will defend the cause of the poor and needy (Jer. 22:16). The renewed covenant is possible only because the LORD will forgive iniquity and not remember sin. Our hope lies in a God who forgets.

Psalm 46

- ¹ God is our <u>ref</u>- | uge and strength,* a very present | <u>help</u> in trouble.
- ² Therefore we will not fear, though the | <u>earth</u> be moved,* and though the mountains be toppled into the <u>depths</u> | of the sea;

- ³ though its waters | <u>rage</u> and foam,* and though the mountains tremble | at its tumult.
- ⁴ The LORD of | <u>hosts</u> is with us;*

the God of Jacob | is our stronghold.

- ⁵ There is a river whose streams make glad the <u>cit</u>- | y of God,* the holy habitation of | the Most High.
- ⁶ God is in the midst of her; she shall not be | <u>o</u>verthrown;* God shall help her at the | <u>break</u> of day.
- ⁷ The nations make much ado, and the <u>king-</u> | doms are shaken;* God has spoken, and the earth shall | <u>melt</u> away.
- ⁸ The Lord of | hosts is with us;*

the God of Jacob | <u>is</u> our stronghold.

- ⁹ Come now and look upon the <u>works</u> | of the LORD,* what awesome things he has | <u>done</u> on earth.
- ¹⁰ It is he who makes war to cease in | <u>all</u> the world;* he breaks the bow, and shatters the spear, and burns the | <u>shields</u> with fire.
- ¹¹ "Be still, then, and know that | <u>I</u> am God;*

 I will be exalted among the nations; I will be exalted | in the earth."
- ¹² The LORD of | <u>hosts</u> is with us;*

the God of Jacob | is our stronghold.

Gloria Patri (chanted after the psalm)

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the / Holy Spirit; As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be fore-/ ver. Amen

SECOND LESSON: Romans 3:19-28

words stand at the heart of the preaching of Martin Luther and other Reformation leaders. No human beings make themselves right with God through works of the law. We are brought into a right relationship with God through the divine activity centered in Christ's death. This act is a gift of grace that liberates us from sin and empowers our faith in Jesus Christ.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION/ALLELUIA

GOSPEL: John 8:31-36

Jesus speaks of truth and freedom as spiritual realities known through his Word. He himself is the truth that sets people free from sin.

HYMN OF THE DAY: "Salvation unto Us Has Come" LBW No. 297

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON

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THE PRAYERS

PEACE

OFFERING The ushers collect the offering. You can also give electronically through our website, Facebook page, or by <u>clicking here</u>.

CHOIR ANTHEM: "How Sweet the Name of Jesus" arr. Frederick Framm

OFFERTORY: "Let the Vineyards"

OFFERTORY PRAYER

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

LAMB OF GOD

THE COMMUNION To all who believe in Jesus Christ as their Lord, are baptized, and confess Jesus' real presence in the Holy Communion, we invite you to join us in the Holy Eucharist. At the usher's invitation you may come forward to kneel or stand at the altar rail. Please take an empty individual cup from the tray and bring it with you to the rail. The host wafer will be placed into your open hands to eat. Your cup will be filled from the pouring chalice, take and drink. Individual cups filled with non-alcoholic grape juice are also available, please point to receive one. Sealed pre-consecrated Communion packages are also available. Please remain at the altar rail until all have finished and a blessing is given.

COMMUNION HYMNS: LBW Nos. 231, 232, 219

POST-COMMUNION BLESSING & CANTICLE: "Thank the Lord"

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

BLESSING

RECESSIONAL HYMN: "Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word" LBW No. 230

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE