



"Come, for everything is now ready."

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* Congregation Stands

HYMN OF INVOCATION

Built On the Rock

LSB 645, vs. 1, 3, 5

1 Built on the Rock the Church shall stand E - ven when
 3 We are God's house of liv - ing stones, Built for His
 5 Grant, then, O God, Your will be done, That, when the

stee - ples are fall - ing. Crum - bled have spires in
 own hab - i - ta - tion. He through bap - tis - mal
 church bells are ring - ing, Man - y in sav - ing

ev - 'ry land; Bells still are chim - ing and call -
 grace us owns Heirs of His won - drous sal - va -
 faith may come Where Christ His mes - sage is bring -

ing, Call - ing the young and old to rest,
 tion. Were we but two His name to tell,
 ing: "I know My own; My own know Me.

But a - bove all the souls dis - tressed,
 Yet He would deign with us to dwell
 You, not the world, My face shall see.

Long - ing for rest ev - er - last - ing.
 With all His grace and His fa - vor.
 My peace I leave with you. A - men."

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*INVOCATION

P In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

*OPENING SENTENCES

P We have begun our worship in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Let us speak together the words of the Apostles' Creed regarding the First Person of the Holy Trinity.

C **I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.**

P What does this mean?

C **I believe that God has made me and all creatures; that He has given me my body and soul, eyes, ears, and all my members, my reason and all my senses, and still takes care of them.**

He also gives me clothing and shoes, food and drink, house and home, wife and children, land, animals, and all I have. He richly and daily provides me with all that I need to support this body and life.

He defends me against all danger and guards and protects me from all evil. All this He does only out of fatherly, divine goodness and mercy, without any merit or worthiness in me. For all this it is my duty to thank and praise, serve and obey Him. This is most certainly true.

*CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P Let us humble ourselves before God, confess our sins to Him, and ask His gracious forgiveness.

C We confess to God Almighty, before the whole company of heaven and before one another, that we are sinful human beings by nature and by deed. We have not always put God first. We have used His holy name in ways that do not honor Him. We have not always been thoughtful caretakers of His creation and have not shared His bounty with others at all times. We have been heedless in word and deed and have not always kept our thoughts, words, and deeds pure and honorable. We sinned in ways we know and in ways we do not even recognize. We have wished for that which is not rightfully ours and have not put the best construction on all things and on all people. We pray God to have mercy on us, to forgive us all our sins, and to bring us to everlasting life. Amen.

P The almighty and merciful Lord grant us pardon, forgiveness, and remission of all our sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

*SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C And with thy spirit.

P Let us pray.

Almighty and most merciful God, preserve us from all harm and danger that we, being ready in both body and soul, may cheerfully accomplish what You want done; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Job 38:4–18

⁴[The Lord said to Job:] "Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth?"

Tell me, if you have understanding.

⁵Who determined its measurements—surely you know!

Or who stretched the line upon it?

⁶On what were its bases sunk,

or who laid its cornerstone,

⁷when the morning stars sang together

and all the sons of God shouted for joy?

⁸"Or who shut in the sea with doors

when it burst out from the womb,

⁹when I made clouds its garment

and thick darkness its swaddling band,

¹⁰and prescribed limits for it

and set bars and doors,

¹¹and said, 'Thus far shall you come, and no farther,

and here shall your proud waves be stayed'?

¹²"Have you commanded the morning since your days began,

and caused the dawn to know its place,

¹³that it might take hold of the skirts of the earth,

and the wicked be shaken out of it?

¹⁴It is changed like clay under the seal,

and its features stand out like a garment.

¹⁵From the wicked their light is withheld,

and their uplifted arm is broken.

¹⁶"Have you entered into the springs of the sea,

or walked in the recesses of the deep?

¹⁷Have the gates of death been revealed to you,

or have you seen the gates of deep darkness?

¹⁸Have you comprehended the expanse of the earth?

Declare, if you know all this."

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

PSALM

Psalm 18:1–6; antiphon: v. 46

¹I love you,
O LORD, my strength.
²The LORD is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer,
my God, my rock, in whom I take refuge,
my shield, and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold.
³I call upon the LORD, who is worthy to be praised,
and I am saved from my enemies.
⁴The cords of death encompassed me;
the torrents of destruction assailed me;
⁵the cords of Sheol entangled me;
the snares of death confronted me.
⁶In my distress I called upon the LORD;
to my God I cried for help.
From his temple he heard my voice,
and my cry to him reached his ears.

EPISTLE

Romans 10:5–17

⁵Moses writes about the righteousness that is based on the law, that the person who does the commandments shall live by them. ⁶But the righteousness based on faith says, "Do not say in your heart, 'Who will ascend into heaven?'" (that is, to bring Christ down) ⁷or "Who will descend into the abyss?" (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead). ⁸But what does it say? "The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart" (that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); ⁹because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved. ¹¹For the Scripture says, "Everyone who believes in him will not be put to shame." ¹²For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all, bestowing his riches on all who call on him. ¹³For "everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."

¹⁴But how are they to call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? ¹⁵And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!" ¹⁶But they have not all obeyed the gospel. For Isaiah says, "Lord, who has believed what he has heard from us?" ¹⁷So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

*HOLY GOSPEL

Luke 14:15–24

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the fourteenth chapter.

C Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

¹⁵When one of those who reclined at table with [Jesus] heard these things, he said to him, "Blessed is everyone who will eat bread in the kingdom of God!" ¹⁶But he said to him, "A man once gave a great banquet and invited many. ¹⁷And at the time for the banquet he sent his servant to say to those who had been invited, 'Come, for everything is now ready.' ¹⁸But they all alike began to make excuses. The first said to him, 'I have bought a field, and I must go out and see it. Please have me excused.' ¹⁹And another said, 'I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I go to examine them. Please have me excused.' ²⁰And another said, 'I have married a wife, and therefore I cannot come.' ²¹So the servant came and reported these things to his master. Then the master of the house became angry and said to his servant, 'Go out quickly to the streets and lanes of the city, and bring in the poor and crippled and blind and lame.' ²²And the servant said, 'Sir, what you commanded has been done, and still there is room.' ²³And the master said to the servant, 'Go out to the highways and hedges and compel people to come in, that my house may be filled. ²⁴For I tell you, none of those men who were invited shall taste my banquet.'"

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

SERMON HYMN

Sing Praise to God, the Highest Good

LSB 819, vs. 1, 3



1 Sing praise to God, the high - est good, The au - thor of cre -
 3 We sought the Lord in our dis - tress; O God, in mer - cy



a - tion, The God of love who un - der - stood
 hear us. Our Sav - ior saw our help - less - ness



Our need for His sal - va - tion. With heal - ing balm our
 And came with peace to cheer us. For this we thank and



souls He fills And ev - 'ry faith - less mur - mur stills:
 praise the Lord, Who is by one and all a - dored:



To God all praise and glo - ry!
 To God all praise and glo - ry!

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SERMON

Come, For Everything is Now Ready

Luke 14:15-24

OFFERING***PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

After each petition:

P let us pray to the Lord:

C **Lord, have mercy.*****LORD'S PRAYER**

P Taught by our Lord and trusting His promises, we are bold to pray:

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.

***BENEDICTION**

P The Lord bless you and keep you.
 The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.
 The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

C **Amen.**

HYMN TO DEPART

Spread the Reign of God the Lord

LSB 830, vs. 1, 2, 5, 6



1 Spread the reign of God the Lord, Spo - ken, writ - ten, might - y Word;
 2 Tell how God the Fa - ther's will Made the world, up - holds it still,
 5 En - ter, might - y Word, the field; Ripe the prom - ise of its yield.
 6 Lord of har - vest, great and kind, Rouse to ac - tion heart and mind;



Ev - 'ry - where His crea - tures call To His heav'n - ly ban - quet hall.
 How His own dear Son He gave Us from sin and death to save.
 But the reap - ers, oh, how few For the work there is to do!
 Let the gath - 'ring na - tions all See Your light and heed Your call.

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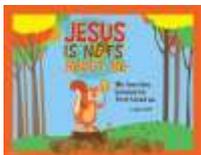
Musician: Lynn Kroonblawd

Cantor: Dave Workman

COMING UP THIS WEEK — August 9, 2020 – August 16, 2020		
NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST		
Sun	8:00am	Worship in sanctuary
	9:30am	Worship in sanctuary
		worship online at www.trinityloneoak.org
Mon	10:00am	Adult Bible Study
Tue	4:00pm	Board of Stewardship
	6:30pm	Board of Christian Outreach
Wed	6:30am	Men's Bible study
	various	Holy Communion—register at www.trinityloneoak.org
Thur	6:30pm	Board of Christian Education
Fri		Church office closes at noon
Sat	9:00am	Women's Bible study at TLO
TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST		
Sun	8:00am	Worship in sanctuary
	9:30am	Worship in sanctuary
		worship online at www.trinityloneoak.org



Pastor Kroonblawd's Sunday evening Bible study via Zoom has been canceled. [Check our website](#) for all current studies and watch for more to be added!



Thank you!

Thanks to all families and volunteers that supported our VBS! God blessed the event in more ways than we can count. Look for a slideshow with this Sunday's worship service and on the [TLO Facebook page](#) this weekend.

Missed the event? Download "The Bible Tells me So" curriculum [here](#).



Yummy food!

Thanks to everyone who came out to have supper at TLO this week! And thanks to our vendors for their great service!



\$75 was collected for Camp Omega as our VBS offering. Thanks to all who donated.

If you'd like to contribute to Camp Omega or if you'd like to donate to cover TLO's VBS costs, [click here](#)



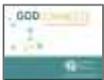
Fall Schedule and Rally Day announced

Beginning Sunday, September 13, TLO will hold this schedule:

- 8:00am in-person worship
- 9:15am in-person Sunday school
- 10:30am in-person worship

TLO will hold a Rally Day celebration Sunday, September 13.

Details on worship, Sunday school and Rally Day to be announced.



GodConnects course announced

Saturdays, September 19, 26, October 10 | 9:00am-12noon

GodConnects is a video series explaining the Christian faith in a way that makes it easy to invite a friend, family member, or church visitor. Plain language and helpful illustrations present God's work of salvation in a concise manner. This series is ideal for those with questions about sin, judgment, redemption, Jesus, the believer's life, and more. Who has God put in *your* life that needs to hear His message? Invite them to attend, or contact the church office and we'll reach out to them.



The 17 Annual Camp Omega Campership Benefit Golf Event on Saturday, August 15th, still has openings for golfers and hole-sponsors. Proceeds from this event supplement the Camp Omega Campership Fund, which last year awarded over \$25,000 to families who needed financial assistance in providing a Christ-centered, week-long camping experience for their children. With the restrictive guidelines this year curtailing camping opportunities, the camp will be better positioned in the coming years to continue to make participation more feasible to families.

The event is held at the Rich Valley Golf Club near Rosemount. Registration is at 11:00 a.m. with a shotgun start at 12:00. Registration includes 18 holes, 2 carts per four-person team, with a center-cut pork loin supper and prizes to follow. Contact Curt at 507-330-5627 or curt@campomega.org for more information or registration. Please consider playing or sponsoring a hole to keep the campership fund sustainable. Thank you.

WEEKLY DEPOSIT: August 2, 2020

General Fund Income:			
	Current and Mission Weekly Offering	\$	8,609.50
(Our Weekly Offering budget is \$8,115.00 per week)			
	Building Reserve Fund	\$	675.00
(Our Weekly Offering budget is \$635.00 per week)			
	Sunday school	\$	0.00
	Tuition	\$	2,772.09
	Annual Fund	\$	450.00
	Church and School Fees	\$	565.54
	Subtotal General Fund Income	\$	13,072.13
Special Purpose Income (not available for general fund spending)			
	YTF2	\$	425.00
	Y. I. Stamp Club through LCEF	\$	N/A
	Subtotal Special Fund Income	\$	425.00

Remember in Prayer

Carlos and April, sister of TLO BoCE member, Janet Atkinson, as Carlos has Covid-19
Richard and Corrine, Jenna Arnold's dad and step mom, thanksgiving tumors are shrinking and decreasing
in number. We pray on for complete healing from cancer, peace of mind, pain relief, and financial help
Eddie Burdick, Pam's husband, overall health in dealing with on-going concerns
Rich Cliff, recovering from eye surgery July 30
Dorothy Englert in need of prayer for pain and wellbeing
Dick, Gary Foley and Dixie Cliff's step brother, who recovering from broken femur
Mikey Joe, Gary and Dixie's step brother, who fell while traveling to see his brother. Pray for healing of
ribs, shoulder, pelvis, hand, wrist and internal injuries. At 88 years old, he faces 4-6 weeks of rehab.
Mason Jones recovering from having tonsils and adenoids removed Wednesday, August 5
Pastor Kroonblawd, finished medical treatment through Mayo Clinic; prayers for strength
Joseph Labhart (Flannery's grandson) ongoing health concerns
Dan Linse who underwent heart surgery Friday, July 24
Kris Markley, grand-nephew of John Krauss, thanksgiving and more prayers for healing
after the accident that nearly took his leg
Brian Motz, home from the hospital July 20; prayers for continued healing
Marvin Rahn for strength and good health while living at Brookdale in Eagan
Greg Seeman, prayers for healing after a fall April 30
Char Timm; prayers for sight to return to her left eye
Robert Vail, brother of Barbara, diagnosed with pancreatic cancer
Billy D. Swain, ongoing health concerns.



Please pray for Rev. Dr. William Keller II as he accepted a call to Grace Lutheran in Rochester, MN. *“But as for you, continue in the things you have learned and firmly believed, since you know from whom you have learned them. From infancy you have known the Holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for instruction, for conviction, for correction, and for training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be complete, fully equipped for every good work.” 2 Tim 3:14-17*



Please pray for Trinity Lone Oak School as it seeks to fill staffing and enroll students for the upcoming school year. Pray for wisdom and strength as considerations are made regarding covid-19 requirements. *"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." Jer. 29:11*



We offer a prayer of thanksgiving and pray God's richest blessings on Oliver Luke, son of Sarah and Luke Jonas, born Sunday, August 2. Both mom and baby are doing fine. Oliver is welcomed by siblings Sophia, Edward and Lydia, and proud grandparents Peter and Faith Jonas and Jim and Connie Kohn. *"Behold, children are a heritage from the LORD, the fruit of the womb a reward". Ps. 127:3*

Birthdays this week

Aug 9 Nathan Kohn
Aug 11 Christy LaValle, Katelyn Lindemann
Aug 12 Sharon Drews, Elizabeth Zenda-Johnson
Aug 13 Cliff Kirchner, Chris Martin
Aug 15 Josh Buecksler, Anna Goers, Gavin Rudoll, Katarina Zenda-Johnson

Anniversaries this week

Aug 9 Aaron and Katie Peterson
Aug 11 Jim and Connie Kohn, Kevin and Bethan Olander
Aug 13 Diane and Gerry Groth
Aug 15 Daryl and Lorrie Buecksler