



Thirteenth  
Sunday after  
Pentecost

Contemporary Worship  
11:00 am  
August 22, 2021



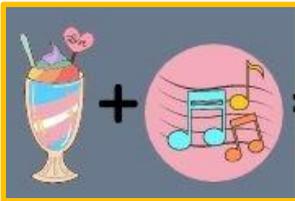
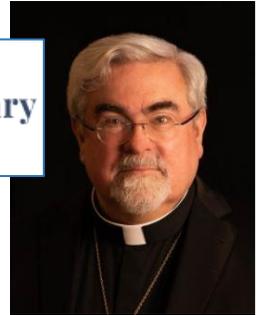
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LUTHERAN CHURCH

## ==Weekly News & Announcements==

### Guest preacher this weekend:

#### Dr. R. Guy Erwin

Dr. Erwin is president of the United Lutheran Seminary. He was appointed to the presidency on August 1, 2020. Previously, he had been fourth bishop of the Southwest California Synod of the ELCA.



### Next Sunday, Aug. 29, 6:30 pm: Do not miss this!

It's the **Summer Sundae Sing-Along**, a fun event on the lawn for you, your family, and your friends! Bring a lawn chair and your singing voice to enjoy fellowship, and yummy ice cream.

### Starting Sun., Sept. 12: New Sunday times = 9, 10, & 11: Easy to remember!

--9 am: Livestream & in-person worship, Nave

--10 am: Faith Formation activities

--11 am: Traditional (Nave) & Contemporary (Fellowship Hall) worship

### Also starting Sun., Sept. 12: IKEA Church – What is that?

It's time to reconnect! Watch for more details on our new fall series about building a church together.



### Dallas Dollase says thank you to Trinity friends

"On behalf of my entire family, I would like to express our thanks for your condolences following Connie's passing, along with a special thank you to Pastor Horner. We truly appreciate the kindness and support during this difficult time."

### Covid-19 Task Force strongly recommends wearing masks in our building



CDC guidelines say masks should be worn by people not fully vaccinated (children 2+), fully vaccinated people with weakened immune systems, and fully vaccinated people indoors in public if in an area of substantial or high transmission. Please note that CDC lists Cumberland and surrounding counties as "high transmission" for week ending Aug. 15.

**Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church!** We're so glad you're here.

*\*\*those individuals leading worship, singing or speaking, unmasked are fully vaccinated.*

We would like to know you were here worshipping with us. Using a QR reader or camera on your mobile device, please scan this QR code to check you and your family into today's worship service. Or go to the following link:  
[trinitycamphill.org/checkin](http://trinitycamphill.org/checkin)



## about today's service

In today's gospel many people take offense at Jesus' invitation to eat his flesh and drink his blood; even many of Jesus' disciples peel off. This is the backdrop in John's gospel for Peter's confession of faith. "To whom can we go?" asks Peter, in words we sometimes sing just before the gospel is read. "You have the words of eternal life." In order to take such a stand, as Peter and Joshua did, Paul tells us to arm ourselves with the word of God. We pray in the Spirit that we might be bold ambassadors of the gospel.

**P: Pastor**

**L: Lector**

**C: Congregation**

### ✠ Gathering ✠

*We gather together to praise God and receive His love.*

## Song: "We Are Marching in the Light"

### Verse 1

We are marching in the light of God,  
we are marching in the light of God.  
We are marching in the light of God,  
we are marching in the light of God.

### Chorus

We are marching, (marching, we are marching, marching,)  
we are marching in the light of God.  
We are marching, (marching, we are marching, marching,)  
we are marching in the light of God.

### Verse 2

We are dancing...

### Chorus

### Verse 3

We are praying...

### Chorus

### Verse 4

We are singing...

### Chorus

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Welcome

(Stand)

**Song: "Firm Foundation"**

**Chorus (2X)**

Jesus, You're my firm foundation, I know I can stand secure.  
Jesus, You're my firm foundation, I put my hope in Your holy Word,  
I put my hope in Your holy Word.

**Verse 1**

I have a living hope (I have a living hope), I have a future (I have a future),  
God has a plan for me (God has a plan for me), of this I'm sure, of this I'm sure.

**Chorus**

**Verse 2**

Your Word is faithful (Your word is faithful),  
Mighty with power (Mighty with power),  
God will deliver me (God will deliver me), of this I'm sure, of this I'm sure.

**Chorus (2X)**

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Confession and Forgiveness

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.

**C: Amen.**

P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**C: Amen.**

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

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

P: Most merciful God,

**C: we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

P: God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of +Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

**C: Amen.**

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.**

Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray. Holy God, your word feeds your people with life that is eternal. Direct our choices and preserve us in your truth, that, renouncing what is false and evil, we may live in you, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**C: Amen.**

(Sit)

✠ **Word** ✠

*We listen to the story of God's mighty acts for the sake of His people.*

Reading:

Ephesians 6:10-20

*Like a general giving a rousing speech to troops before battle, this letter closes by calling on Christians to be equipped for spiritual warfare against evil. The full armor of God includes truth, righteousness, peace, faith, the gift of salvation, and the word of God inspired by the Spirit.*

<sup>10</sup>Be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his power. <sup>11</sup>Put on the whole armor of God, so that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. <sup>12</sup>For our struggle is not against enemies of blood and flesh, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers of this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. <sup>13</sup>Therefore take up the whole armor of God, so that you may be able to withstand on that evil day, and having done everything, to stand firm. <sup>14</sup>Stand therefore, and fasten the belt of truth around your waist, and put on the breastplate of righteousness. <sup>15</sup>As shoes for your feet put on whatever will make you ready to proclaim the gospel of peace. <sup>16</sup>With all of these, take the shield of faith, with which you will be able to quench all the flaming arrows of the evil one. <sup>17</sup>Take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. <sup>18</sup>Pray in the Spirit at all times in every prayer and supplication. To that end keep alert and always persevere in supplication for all the saints. <sup>19</sup>Pray also for me, so that when I speak, a message may be given to me to make known with boldness the mystery of the gospel, <sup>20</sup>for which I am an ambassador in chains. Pray that I may declare it boldly, as I must speak.

L: The word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

(Please Stand)

Gospel

John 6:56-69

*The “hard saying” that offends Jesus’ disciples is his claim that his followers must eat his flesh and drink his blood. The followers who return to their old lives know something about how odd this sounds. Simon Peter, on the other hand, knows something about the scarcity of living, gracious words. He asks the most important question: “To whom shall we go?”*

[Jesus said,] <sup>56</sup>“Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. <sup>57</sup>Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. <sup>58</sup>This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live forever.” <sup>59</sup>He said these things while he was teaching in the synagogue at Capernaum. <sup>60</sup>When many of his disciples heard it, they said, “This teaching is difficult; who can accept it?” <sup>61</sup>But Jesus, being aware that his disciples were complaining about it, said to them, “Does this offend you? <sup>62</sup>Then what if you were to see the Son of Man ascending to where he was before? <sup>63</sup>It is the spirit that gives life; the flesh is useless. The words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life. <sup>64</sup>But among you there are some who do not believe.” For Jesus knew from the first who were the ones that did not believe, and who was the one that would betray him. <sup>65</sup>And he said, “For this reason I have told you that no one can come to me unless it is granted by the Father.” <sup>66</sup>Because of this many of his disciples turned back and no longer went about with him. <sup>67</sup>So Jesus asked the twelve, “Do you also wish to go away?” <sup>68</sup>Simon Peter answered him, “Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life. <sup>69</sup>We have come to believe and know that you are the Holy One of God.”

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

[Please Sit]

Sermon:

The Rev. Dr. R. Guy Erwin

Children's Story

VBS recap videos

**Song: Song: “Give Me Jesus”**

**Verse 1**

In the morning when I rise;

In the morning when I rise;

In the morning when I rise, give me Jesus.

**Chorus 1**

Give me Jesus, give me Jesus.  
You can have all this world, just give me Jesus.

**Verse 2**

When I am alone;  
When I am alone;  
Oh, when I am alone, give me Jesus.

**Chorus 1**

Give me Jesus, give me Jesus.  
You can have all this world, just give me Jesus.

**Bridge**

Jesus, give me Jesus.

**Verse 3**

When I come to die;  
When I come to die;  
Oh, when I come to die, give me Jesus.

**Chorus 1**

Give me Jesus, give me Jesus.  
You can have all this world, just give me Jesus.

**Chorus 2**

Give me Jesus, give me Jesus.  
You can have all this world.  
You can have all this world.  
You can have all this world, just give me Jesus.

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(Stand)

Apostles' Creed

P: Let us profess our common faith in the words of the Apostles' Creed.

C: **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 the Church

*Following each petition are the words: "God, in your mercy."*

*Please respond with: "hear our prayer."*

## + Meal +

*When we celebrate communion we remember that Jesus died for us and we experience His love and forgiveness. As we eat the bread and wine Christ is present with us.*

Sharing of the Peace

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.

**C: And also with you.**

(Sit)

Announcements

Offering

Optional giving methods: Use the Give+ app on your mobile device • Text an amount to 717-963-2281 (be sure to use a "\$") • Use the "DONATE" button on our website and e-blasts • Mail into the church office • Your offerings may also be placed in the white offering boxes at the entrance to the worship space as you exit.

[Stand]

Offering Prayer

P: Jesus, Bread of life,

**C: you have set this table with your very self, and called us to the feast of plenty. Gather what has been sown among us, and strengthen us in this meal. Make us to be what we receive here, your body for the life of the world. Amen.**

Great Thanksgiving

P: Christ is here.

**C: The Spirit is with us.**

P: With joy, we lift up our hearts.

**C: And give thanks to the Lord of Life.**

Eucharistic Prayer

P: Holy, mighty, and merciful Lord, heaven and earth are full of your glory. In great love you sent to us Jesus, your Son, who reached out to heal the sick and suffering, who preached good news to the poor, and who, on the cross, opened his arms to all.

*In the night in which he was betrayed, 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.*

P: Remembering, therefore, his death, resurrection, and ascension, we await his coming in glory.

P: Pour out upon us the Spirit of your love, O Lord, and unite the wills of all who share this heavenly food, the body and blood of Jesus Christ, our Lord; to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and forever.

**C: Amen.**

Lord's Prayer

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.**

Invitation to Communion

P: The gifts of God for the people of God.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

(Sit)

Sharing our Lord's Supper

*All Christians are welcome to celebrate the real presence of Jesus Christ in our Lord's Supper. You will remain at your seat and at the direction of the pastor, you will be invited to commune, at which time, you will open the individually wrapped, prepackaged communion elements you received when you arrived. The bread is in the bottom and wine in the top. If you did not receive communion elements when you arrived, please see an usher.*

Open the bread:

P: The Body of Christ given for you.

Open the wine:

P: The Blood of Christ shed for you.

(Stand)

Post Communion Prayer

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

**C: Amen.**

P: Let us pray. Jesus, Bread of life, we have received from your table more than we could ever ask. As you have nourished us in this meal, now strengthen us to love the world with your own life. In your name we pray.

**C: Amen.**

## ✠ Sending ✠

*We have heard the Word of God, offered our gifts, and been fed at the table.  
Now we are sent out, strengthened by the Holy Spirit to be God's people in the world.*

Blessing

P: The blessing of God, who provides for us, feeds us, and journeys with us, ✠ be upon you now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

### **Song: "Love the Lord"**

#### **Verse 1 (2x):**

Love the Lord, your God, with all your heart,  
With all your soul, with all your mind,  
And with all your strength.

#### **Chorus:**

With all your heart, with all your soul,  
With all your mind, with all your strength;  
Love the Lord, your God, with all your heart  
With all your soul, with all your mind,  
And with all your strength.

#### **Verse 2 (2x):**

I will serve the Lord with all my heart,  
With all my soul, with all my mind,  
And with all my strength.

#### **Chorus:**

With all your heart, with all your soul,  
With all your mind, with all your strength;  
Love the Lord, your God, with all your heart  
With all your soul, with all your mind,  
And with all your strength.

#### **Bridge:**

I will love You; (echo) I will love You;  
I will praise You; (echo) I will praise You;  
I will serve You; (echo) I will serve You;  
I will trust You, Lord. (echo) I will trust You

#### **Chorus:**

With all your heart, with all your soul,  
With all your mind, with all your strength;  
Love the Lord, your God, with all your heart  
With all your soul, with all your mind,  
And with all your strength.

**Verse 3 (2x):**

I will love You, Lord, with all my heart,  
With all my soul, with all my mind,  
And with all my strength.

**Tag:**

I will love, You Lord, with all my heart,  
With all my soul, with all my mind,  
And with all my strength.

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Dismissal

P: Go in peace. You are the body of Christ.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

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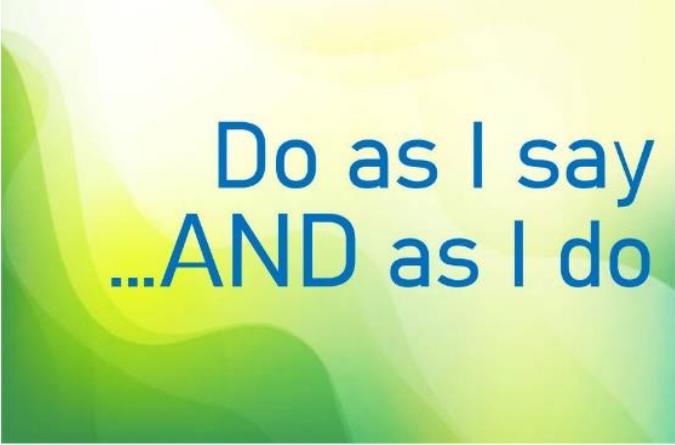
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### **Worship notes**

Videos of last week's sermons are available on our website ([www.trinitycamphill.org](http://www.trinitycamphill.org)). If you would like a printed copy, please call the church office and we can mail one to you.

**The flowers in the Nave and Fellowship Hall** are presented to the glory of God and in loving memory of Mamie & Carl Winfield & Grace & Harry Lape by Barbara & Carl Winfield; Lester and Alma Geist and Kenneth and Martha Seaman-Latshaw by Bonnie and Tom Seaman; our father/grandfather Neil Dell by Sharon and Jennifer; Vince Morgan by his wife Grace, children, grandchildren, great grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

**The sanctuary lamp candle that burns day and night as a symbol of God's abiding presence** is presented to the glory of God by the Sodadasi – Neethipudi family.



Do as I say  
...**AND** as I do

**Join us next week!**

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**Fourteenth Sunday  
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**Sermon Theme:**

**"Do as I Say... AND As I Do "**

**Preaching:** Pastor Brock

**Next week's music:**

**FaithX band**

# **Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church**

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