

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost
August 4th, 5th, & 7th, 2012

We welcome you in the name of the triune God, our Savior. Our fellowship with God is established by the blood of Christ and mediated by the Word of God. May God give us joy in our relationship with him and wisdom to follow his Word.

If you are a guest with us, please sign our guest register at the back of church. We invite you to worship with us again!

Our Worship

Order of Service: “Evening Prayer” on page 54 of *Christian Worship* (Saturday & Tuesday), “Morning Praise” on page 45 (Sunday).

Hymns: 452, 482

PRAYER OF THE DAY

O Lord, your ears are always open to the prayers of your humble servants, who come to you in Jesus’ name. Teach us always to ask according to your will that we may never fail to obtain the blessings you have promised; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Psalm of the Day: 84 on page 96

Scripture Lesson:



Old Testament: 2 Kings 4:42-44 (NIV)

⁴² A man came from Baal Shalishah, bringing the man of God twenty loaves of barley bread baked from the first ripe grain, along with some heads of new grain. “Give it to the people to eat,” Elisha said.⁴³ “How can I set this

before a hundred men?” his servant asked. But Elisha answered, “Give it to the people to eat. For this is what the LORD says: ‘They will eat and have some left over.’”⁴⁴ Then he set it before them, and they ate and had some left over, according to the word of the LORD.

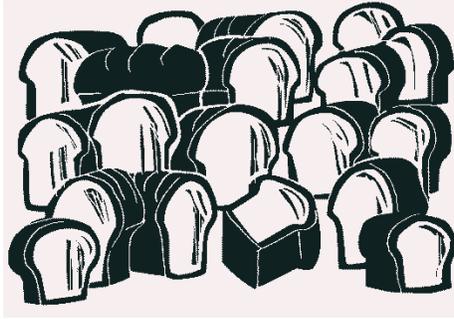
Verse of the Day: Alleluia! Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia! (John 6:68)



Sermon Text: Gospel: John 6:1-15 (NIV) *Notice the humility in which Jesus displays both his compassion and his almighty power.*

¹ Sometime after this, Jesus crossed to the far shore of the Sea of Galilee (that is, the Sea of Tiberias), ² and a great crowd of people followed him because they saw the miraculous signs he had performed on the sick. ³ Then Jesus went up on a mountainside and sat down with his disciples. ⁴ The Jewish Passover Feast was near. ⁵ When Jesus looked up and saw a great crowd coming toward him, he said to Philip, “Where shall we buy bread for these people to eat?” ⁶ He asked this only to test him, for he already had in mind what he was going to do. ⁷ Philip answered him, “Eight months’ wages would not buy enough bread for each one to have a bite!” ⁸ Another of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter’s brother, spoke up, ⁹ “Here is a boy with five small barley loaves and two small fish, but how far will they go among so many?” ¹⁰ Jesus said, “Have the people sit down.” There was plenty of grass in that place, and the men sat down, about five thousand of them. ¹¹ Jesus then took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed to those who were seated as much as they wanted. He did the same with the fish. ¹² When they had all had enough to eat, he said to his disciples, “Gather the pieces that are left over. Let nothing be wasted.” ¹³ So they gathered them and filled twelve baskets with the pieces of the five barley loaves left over by those who had eaten. ¹⁴ After the people saw the miraculous sign that Jesus did, they began to say, “Surely this is the Prophet who is to come into the world.” ¹⁵ Jesus, knowing that they intended to come and make him king by force, withdrew again to a mountain by himself.

“HE FEEDS US WITH MIRACLES”



We welcome those visiting us this weekend. If you are a resident of this area and have no church home, we invite you to consider Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, town of Liberty (Manitowoc, WI). If you are interested, please speak to the pastor. We pray the blessing of God's Holy Spirit upon his Word, which you've heard with us today. Please worship with us again!

Announcements:

Organist

Our organist this weekend is Janice Loppnow from Trinity, Kiel. We thank her for playing and helping to beautify our worship services.

Prayer Requests –

- Tabitha Matznick, who is participating in a student exchange program and is in Japan until August teaching English as a second language – heavenly Father, we ask that you make this an enriching experience for Tabitha. Help her glorify you with all that she does, with the good news of your Son to guide her.
- Jessica Johnson, who is studying to be a veterinarian and has one year left in Scotland, and is also engaged to be married on June 30th, 2013. Congratulations to Jessica! Almighty God, we ask your continued protection to Jessica overseas. Let her close out her stay with the crown of your blessing. Keep her comforted in her Savior's Word and let her be his witness.

Altar Flowers

Thank you to the children of Walter & Gloria Kiesow for the altar flowers. They are for their father; Walter who is celebrating his 80th birthday. We ask God to continue to be good to Walter and family.

Parking Lot Lines

Thank you to Ron and Carol Kasten for assisting the contractor who added lines to our west parking lot this last week. This project was approved by the voters. We hope that it will make parking easier at church, especially for visitors. Please follow the newly painted arrows!

Trinity Book of Memorials

Now that the pages have been laminated, the Trinity Book of Memorials has been returned to its stand on our lower level, by the confirmation pictures. Look through the book to see memorials given since the time of our church addition. Please contact our church secretary or Pastor with any corrections or suggestions.

College Information

If you're young person is off to college this year, would you please give the information to the church secretary? All we need is their address and what college they are attending. We use this information to give to the synod and also so they can receive mailings from church. Thank you.

MLHS Happenings

Sweet Corn Fundraiser The MLHS Academic Voucher Committee is sponsoring a Sweet Corn Fest for the MLHS Federation. Corn will be here at church on the morning of August 5th & 12th. You may take as much as you like and then give a “Free Will” donation. All of the seed was donated, the picking & transporting was done by delegates, and the Lord provided the rain & sunshine for the corn to grow! Proceeds will provide \$100 tuition vouchers to many of the grade school students that participate in the MLHS Academic Fair held each spring. Please bring some containers to put your corn in when you come to church next Sunday. We hope to have a great showing from our congregation for this effort. If you have any questions, please contact

Repeat Performance This incredible, volunteer-driven store has blessed MLHS with over \$400,000 of financial support since its opening! This provides a direct benefit to students and families by keeping tuition costs as low as possible for every student. Please say a prayer of thanks! It also provides a great way for people to share their time & talents and to make new Christian friends. Now, as some volunteers have grown a bit older, moved from the area, or even been called to their heavenly home, Repeat Performance (RP) is in need of new and additional volunteers. PLEASE consider sharing an hour or two a week in this wonderful store which supports Lutheran education! Call RP any day of the week at 769-0017 and ask to speak to the Day Manager on duty with any questions.

Middle School Band “Beginner Band” Night, Wednesday Aug 15th @ 6pm. This is for all beginning students interested in joining band for the 2012-13 school year. New students will be given the opportunity to try several instruments and choose their instrument for band! Heid Music from Appleton will be there to fit the students and give information on how to buy or rent instruments. Refreshments will be available! Questions: Contact Renee Schmill at 973-5044 or rmschmill@mlhslancers.org. If you have not previously registered, it is definitely not too late!

Reminders

- Our church services are available on DVD. Ask Pastor.
- Our church website has the church calendar, printed and audio sermons, bulletins and other information. It is trinityliberty.org
- Please have all Messenger articles in by Wed. August 8th.
- The Trinity Ladies Circle has cards for sale on the lower level.
- You can recycle your *Forward in Christ* magazine. Just place your copy in Orabelle Fisher’s mailbox and she will send them to the WELS ministry.

Calendar Of Events

Sat.4th	7:00 p.m.	Worship
Sun.5th	9:30 a.m.	Worship
Tues.7th	7:00 p.m.	Worship
	8:00 p.m.	Board of Spiritual Affairs
Wed.8th	7:00 p.m.	Church Council
Sat.11th	7:00 p.m.	Worship with Holy Communion
Sun.12th	9:30 a.m.	Worship with Holy Communion
Tues.14th	7:00 p.m.	Worship with Holy Communion

Ushers:

August 4th Dave Williamson, Peter Liermann

August 5th Ron Kasten, Jeff Kasten, Andy Fisher, James Ott

Tuesday Service

August 7th Derrick Krey, Marty Kiesow

August 11th Alan Sieker (Server), Warren Lutze (Server), August Teesch

August 12th Keith Petersen (Server), James Glaeser (Server), Wayne Otto, Joseph Nagel

Tuesday Service

August 14th Larry Hochkammer (Server), Brian Glaeser (Server), Brett Glaeser

Greeters:

Aug 5th Donna Nagel & Harry Bratz

Aug 12th Paul & Tammie Nagel family

Aug 19th Kara Sieracki family

Aug 26th Juel & Marie Knutson

Altar Guild: August- Group 1:

Helen Isaacson, Darlene Kiesow, Donna Nagel, Elaine Petersen



Happy Birthday and God's Blessings to...

8/5 Cheri Hebert
8/5 Charles Lovell, Jr.
8/6 Wally Woepse
8/7 Al Bonfigt
***8/7 Walter Kiesow-80 yrs. young*
8/8 Dean Luebke
8/9 Marlena Free
8/9 Lauren Petersen
8/10 Kimberly Krueger
8/10 Uriah Matznick
8/11 Andrew Fisher
***8/10 Harold Schnell-90 yrs. young*
8/13 Andrew Kiesow
8/13 Jillian Petersen
8/14 Makenna Krim

Happy Anniversary to...

8/4 Michael & Marilyn Kaufmann – 39 Years
8/4 Mike & Karen Kiesow – 29 Years
8/7 Mark & Darci Matzke – 30 Years

**If you have an August birthday or anniversary that was missed or listed incorrectly please let us know so we can update church records! Thanks!*