

**Trinity Lutheran Church (ELCA)  
North Branch, MN  
Sunday, August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020  
Tenth Sunday after Pentecost**

**Welcome & Announcements**

**Song**                    ***“Shout to the North”***            *(led by Barb Mork, Brian Krosschell & Deb)*

Men of faith, rise up and sing of the great and glorious King,  
You are strong when you feel weak, in your brokenness complete.  
Shout to the north and the south, sing to the east and the west.  
Jesus is Savior to all, Lord of heaven and earth.

Rise up, women of the truth, stand and sing to broken hearts  
Who can know the healing pow’r of our awesome King of love.  
Shout to the north and the south, sing to the east and the west.  
Jesus is Savior to all, Lord of heaven and earth.

We’ve been through fire, we’ve been through rain,  
We’ve been refined by the pow’r of His name.  
We’ve fallen deeper in love with You.  
You’ve burned the truth on our lips.

We will shout to the north and the south, sing to the east and the west.  
Jesus is Savior to all, Lord of heaven and earth.

Rise up, church, with broken wings, fill this place with songs again  
of our God who reigns on high. By His grace again we’ll fly.  
Shout to the north and the south, sing to the east and the west.  
Jesus is Savior to all, Lord of heaven and earth.  
We will shout to the north and the south, sing to the east and the west.  
Jesus is Savior to all, Lord of heaven and earth.  
Lord of heaven and earth. He is Lord of heaven and earth.

**Greeting**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**And also with you.**

**Prayer of the day**

Let us pray,            O God our defender, storms rage around and within us and cause us to be afraid. Rescue your people from despair, deliver your sons and daughters from fear, and preserve us in the faith of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

**Scripture Reading**                    *Romans 10:5-15 (read by Emily Darst)*

Moses writes this about the righteousness that is by the law: "The person who does these things will live by them." But the righteousness that is by faith says: "Do not say in your heart, 'Who will ascend into heaven?'" (that is, to bring Christ down) "or 'Who will descend into the deep?'" (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead). But what does it say? "The word is near you; it is in your mouth and in your heart," that is, the message concerning faith that we proclaim: If you declare with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved. As Scripture says, "Anyone who believes in him will never be put to shame." For there is no difference between Jew and Gentile—the same Lord is Lord of all and richly blesses all who call on him, for, "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."

How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? And how can anyone preach unless they are sent? As it is written: "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!"

The Holy Gospel according to Matthew the 14<sup>th</sup> chapter.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

**Matthew 14:22-33**

Immediately Jesus made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead of him to the other side, while he dismissed the crowd. After he had dismissed them, he went up on a mountainside by himself to pray. Later that night, he was there alone, and the boat was already a considerable distance from land, buffeted by the waves because the wind was against it.

Shortly before dawn Jesus went out to them, walking on the lake. When the disciples saw him walking on the lake, they were terrified. "It's a ghost," they said, and cried out in fear.

But Jesus immediately said to them: "Take courage! It is I. Don't be afraid."

"Lord, if it's you," Peter replied, "tell me to come to you on the water."

"Come," he said.

Then Peter got down out of the boat, walked on the water and came toward Jesus. But when he saw the wind, he was afraid and, beginning to sink, cried out, "Lord, save me!"

Immediately Jesus reached out his hand and caught him. "You of little faith," he said, "why did you doubt?"

And when they climbed into the boat, the wind died down. Then those who were in the boat worshiped him, saying, "Truly you are the Son of God."

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

**Sermon**                    *Pastor Jon Yurk*

**Prayers of Intercession**

Hear us, holy God:

**Save us, we pray.**

**Communion Liturgy/Communion**

**The Lord's Prayer** *(led by the Sam & Kaia Fairbanks family)*

**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.**

**Post-Communion Blessing**

**Blessing**

Neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus.

God, the creator, Jesus, the Christ, and the Holy Spirit, the comforter, bless you and keep you in eternal love.

**Amen.**

**Song**                    *“Lord, Reign in Me” (led by Barb, Brian & Deb)*

Over all the earth You reign on high, ev’ry mountain stream, ev’ry sunset sky.

But my one request, Lord, my only aim is that You’d reign in me again.

Lord, reign in me, reign in Your pow’r, over all my dreams, in my darkest hour;

You are the Lord of all I am, so won’t You reign in me again?

Over ev’ry thought, over ev’ry word, may my life reflect the beauty of my Lord;

’Cause You mean more to me than any earthly thing.

So won’t You reign in me again?

Lord, reign in me, reign in Your pow’r, over all my dreams, in my darkest hour;

You are the Lord of all I am, so won’t You reign in me again?

Lord, reign in me, reign in Your pow’r, over all my dreams, in my darkest hour;

You are the Lord of all I am. So won’t You reign in me again?

Lord, reign in me, reign in Your pow’r, over all my dreams, in my darkest hour;

You are the Lord of all I am. So won’t You reign in me again?

Won’t You reign in me again? Won’t You reign in me again?

**Dismissal**

Go in peace. Christ is with you.

**Thanks be to God.**

### *Trinity's Prayer List*

#### *Those with cancer...*

**Wendy G** - ovarian cancer (friend of Lori Goodroad) **Tim Rye** (brother of Lynda Chilstrom)  
**Deborah Jackson**-brain tumors (niece of Kathleen Nordaune)  
**Steve Olmstead**-undergoing treatment for cancer  
**The Damjanac family** as their mother battles cancer & depression  
**Scott Anderson**-healing & treatment (son of Beverly Otterness)  
**MonaRae Cich**-stage 4 cancer (niece of Darlene Nelson)  
**Phyllis Boho**-stage 4 brain cancer (mother in law of Corey Ploetz)  
**Jerry Mollberg** (friends of Jim & Pat Guptill) **Nancy Boyce** gastric cancer  
**Tom Schoon**-kidney cancer stable, continued prayers of thanksgiving  
(husband of former Trinity Pastor Sue Schoon)  
**Tom Olsen**– Stage 4 lymphoma, lung and bladder cancer (dad of Jen Minick)  
**Sally Barott**-return of cancer that has spread (friend of Irma Ekstrom)  
**Tim D**-cancer-friend of Dan Newes, **Jackie** (friend of Kelly Rogstad)  
**Corey Ploetz**-Acute Myeloid Leukemia-currently in remission (son of Joanne Ploetz)  
**Danita Mattick**-aggressive carcinoma (niece of Steve & Shari Denny)  
**Karla Hermann**-cancer **Joy Lenzen** - breast cancer **JoAnn Peterson** (friend of Jane O'Brien Bliss)  
**Kim Salo** – breast cancer **Deb Nagle** – breast cancer

#### *And For...*

**Pam Mattick**-at Gracepointe Crossing **Missy M.** (friend of Lori Goodroad)  
**John Elmstrand**-recovering at home  
**Pam Johnson**-health concerns– Walker Health Facility, Mpls.  
**Lilly Glaser**-influenza complications (niece of David & Michelle Anderson)  
**Summer Danich**-(6 yr old daughter of Andrea & DJ)  
**Matthew Seidlecki**-young child with spinal meningitis, surgeries, recovery  
**Emily Rafftery**– Lyme disease and serious co-infection  
(daughter of Shawn & Tara Rafftery, niece of Dennis & Melissa Rafftery)  
**Diane Turnacliff**-health concerns (mother of Gail Mattson)  
**Haiden Gallagher**-heart transplant, stroke (friend of Allen Matkaiti)  
**Jason Battles**- awaiting heart transplant (friend of Steve Hals)  
**Jan Nunery**-cardio defibrillator implant (friend of Kathleen Nordaune)  
**Sharlyn Good**-autoimmune disease-health concerns  
**Colleen Johnson**-dementia (sister of Kathleen Nordaune)  
**Becca Nyreen**-early stages of dementia (daughter of Colleen Johnson, niece of Kathleen Nordaune)  
**Annabelle Johnson** (friend of Nordaunes)  
**Bob Rugar**-leukemia in remission (friend of Doug & Vicky Trampe)  
**Christopher Staples**-personal crisis (son of Ron & Sharon Sperry)  
**Darlene (Walters) Boyce**– open heart surgery January 17 (friend of Shirley Fisk)  
**Kari Hoffman**—stage 4 colon cancer (friend of Laura & Chris Darst)  
**TJ Howe**-health concerns **Ardell Ring** –health concerns  
**Emmett Norman** –multiple health concerns (infant son of Tandra & Matt Norman)  
**Scott Jensen** -heart transplant (nephew of Kathleen Nordaune)  
**Dan & Shirley Walden** (Martha Arnold's brother & sister in law)  
**Sharon Fairbanks** – broken femur **Craig Nelson** – stroke recovery (son of Karen Nelson)  
**Hope Tanko** -medical tests **Jeanie Wobser** – end stage COPD (spouse of Connie Deminsky)

**Missions:** Pawaga, our sister congregation in Tanzania

**Missionary:** Dr. Stephen and Jody Swanson, Tanzania

**Those Serving in Active Duty** Eric Chilstrom, Abigail Peno Hales, Aly Wuertz, Adam Wuertz, Jon Amundson, Rachel Bogart, Alex Fitcha, Josh Pfaffendorf, Gina Amundson, Justin Murray, Jonathan Fish, Jolene Amundson, Robert Hales (husband of Abigail Peno Hales) deployed in dangerous area.

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