



INTERCESSORY PRAYERS are prayers offered for those with special needs, for those who mourn, and for those offering thanks. Please speak to Pastor David or call the office, if you have a request.

For Members: Ted Messler, Diana Forman, Dot Froese, Nancy Giuffrida, Larry Thomsen, Al Manhan, Harold Hansen, Kris Turri

For Friends and Relatives: Bierle Family, Margie Daily, William Ferguson, Arlene Fielding, Graham Fielding, Patricia Martin, Jan Warren, Alana, John, Dawn & Nancy S, Holly, Josephine, Mary, Fireman Ronnie and his family, Ed M, Marie Giamimo, Sarah, Peter Eriksen, Rachael Eriksen, Sarina Vito, Kaylee Lindauer, Debbie Nastro, Dennis, Charlie Strecker, Kaylee Wegener, Lindsey Kolb, Rosie D'Errico, Matthew Antone, Lara Mesita, Dienamarie, George Bittle, Dianne Giorlando, Peter Butte, Florence Dillon, Susan, Gloria Taza, Patrick Flatley, William Anthony Sr., David Spencer, Corinne, Lincoln, Susan Helsinger, Jimmy Gallagher, Lorrie Prager, Billy, Elizabeth & Daniel McCarron, Kenny Brown, Barnet Levinson, Barney Gorman, Susan Lau, Peggie Jancer, Beth, Cooper, Sophia Weisser, Roseanne Forni, Theresa Puma, Madison Milio, John Hajny, Christine Zaffarano, Donna M.

For Service Personnel: Major Ross Fielding, Sgt. Thomas Forman, Sgt. Jesse Gentile, Pr. Terrence Walsh, SPC Christopher Sully

For First Responders & Fire Dept. Volunteers: Ed McNulty- FDNY, Brendan Combs- Freeport PD, Steve Hajny – FDNY, EMT, Steven Beers – FDNY, Joe Muir – NYPD, Robert Tucker, Carl Weeks, Bob Jacoby, Tyler Noboa – EMT, Anthony Rugolo - FDNY



Altar Flowers are in loving memory of Harold Buck from his family.



SANCTUARY LAMPS burn in "memory of" through the following dates:

Carol Hansen (10/2021), Lewis Simpkins (10/2021), Karen Ahnemann Lynch (4/2022), Paul Barker (5/2022), Sal Chiaffitelli (5/2022), Joseph D. Chiaffitelli (5/2022), Carroll Donnelly (6/2022), Jean Ackermann (6/2022), John Auerbach (6/2022), Christian Gumbrecht (6/2022), Harvey & Doris Wegener (6/2022), Kathleen Diaz (6/2022), Henry & Adolfinah Aherns (9/2022), Erich Weissert (12/2022), Carol Metz (12/2022), Harold Buck (10/2023), Gladys Chiaffitelli (7/2023), Edward & Nancy Scheuering (6/2026)

Sanctuary lamps are available by sending \$1 per week to the HT Office.

Holy Trinity Early Childhood Center
Offering Toddler, Preschool & Pre-K programs
516-766-9716
Lori Eriksen, Director



Holy Trinity Lutheran Church



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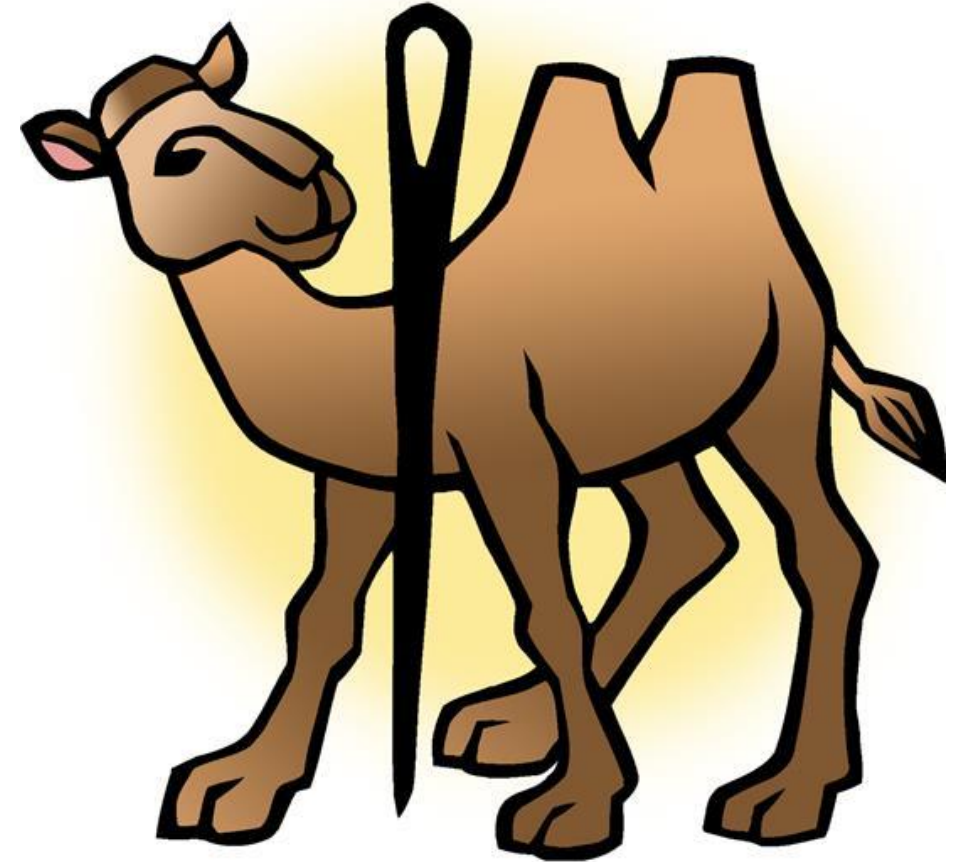
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October 10, 2021 – 20th Sunday after Pentecost
Music Director: Robert Di Pasquale

October 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Worship 8:30 Chapel 10 Church SS 12 Blessing of Animals		7 pm Venture Scouting				
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Worship 8:30 Chapel 10 Church SS	Columbus Day	7 pm Venture Scouting	7 pm Confirmation Class	7 pm Scripture Reflection		6 pm Concert #2
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Worship 8:30 Chapel 10 Church SS		7 pm Venture Scouting	7 pm Confirmation Class	7 pm Council Mtg		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Worship 8:30 Chapel 10 Church SS	7 pm Prayer Group	7 pm Venture Scouting	7 pm Confirmation Class	7 pm Scripture Reflection		5:30 Trunk or Treat
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
Halloween Worship 8:30 Chapel 10 Church SS						

Confession and Forgiveness

Pastor:

Let us in hope and trust of the love of God confess our sins.

All:

Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against you. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from your ways, in wasting your gifts, and in forgetting your love.

Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we are sorry for all we have done in living against the Gospel of your son Jesus. Forgive our sins, and help us to live in your light, and walk in your ways, for the sake of Christ our Savior.

Amen

Pastor:

Hear the good news!

Know without doubt, that Christ Jesus came into the world to free us from sin and show us the way to God.

By his life and his teachings we are able to die to sin, and live in all that is good and holy.

I declare to you in the name of Jesus Christ, + your sins are forgiven.

Be at peace. Live in hope.

Amen.

Gathering Hymn: #520 Dearest Jesus, at Your Word

Greeting

Pastor:

Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ says:

You will love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like it: you will love your neighbor as yourself.

Kyrie

**Holy God,
Holy and Mighty,
Holy Immortal One,
Have mercy on us.**

Gloria

Glory be to God on high,
and on earth peace, good will towards all.
We praise you, we bless you,
we worship you,
we glorify you,
we give thanks to you for your great glory,
O Lord God, creator and sustainer of all.

O Lord, Jesus Christ;
Son of the Father,
have mercy on us and
receive our prayer.

For you are holy;
you only are the Lord;
you only, O Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
are most high in the glory of God.
Amen.

Opening Prayer

First Reading: Amos 5:6-7, 10-15

⁶Seek the LORD and live, or he will break out against the house of Joseph like fire,
and it will devour Bethel, with no one to quench it.

⁷Ah, you that turn justice to wormwood, and bring righteousness to the ground!

¹⁰They hate the one who reproves in the gate,
and they abhor the one who speaks the truth.

¹¹Therefore because you trample on the poor
and take from them levies of grain,
you have built houses of hewn stone,
but you shall not live in them;
you have planted pleasant vineyards,
but you shall not drink their wine.

¹²For I know how many are your transgressions,
and how great are your sins—
you who afflict the righteous, who take a bribe,
and push aside the needy in the gate.

¹³Therefore the prudent will keep silent in such a time;
for it is an evil time.

Holy Trinity Concert Series

(Sponsored by a grant from the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America)



240 Lincoln Ave., Rockville Centre

**As a way to bring us together again in a spirit of community,
Holy Trinity will be hosting a series of 4 FREE concerts from
September thru December 2021.**

Our line up is as follows:

SONS OF SANFORD: Saturday, Sept. 25th @ 6:00p

THE ATTIC: Saturday, October 16th @ 6:00p

BARRY HANSON JAZZ TRIO: Sat., Nov. 13th @ 6:00p

ROB DIPASQUALE & NICK FARRAUTO'S KIDS

SING A-LONG followed by TRADITIONAL CAROLS:

Saturday, December 11th @ 7:00p

Food Trucks will be present at all concerts!

Please join us on the front lawn on 9/25 and 10/16! Bring blankets or chairs.
11/13 and 12/11 will be inside the church.

***This is a time for us to enjoy the gifts of
Music, friendship and community!***

Sunday Scripture Reflection

Reading, studying, and especially prayerful reflection of the scriptures is central to the spiritual life of a Christian. To encourage this and frame it in a new way, I'll be beginning a bi-weekly reflection on the upcoming Sunday scriptures.

This won't be a traditional bible study where the pastor leads and breaks down a book or a passage or a series for everyone. Rather, it will be all of us bringing our own thoughts, questions, and insights on the scriptures to share equally. Guidance questions will be given to direct our reflection, but any and all insights are welcome and encouraged.

Focusing on the Sunday lessons allows us all to enter more deeply into Sunday eucharistic worship. We will gather on Thursdays. Any and all are welcome.

Reflections will begin at 7pm. For October, the dates are 10/14 and 10/28.
Hope you can join us.

Pr David



The "Ask the Pastor" section in the bulletin is where anyone can write a question regarding faith that they would like to know more about, tear it off, and drop it in the collection plate or send it to the church office.

My hope is that we can learn more about our faith together. - Pr David

ASK THE PASTOR - PLEASE TEAR OFF, FILL OUT & SEND TO OFFICE

Name (optional): _____



My question is: _____

¹⁴Seek good and not evil,
that you may live;
and so the LORD, the God of hosts, will be with you,
just as you have said.

¹⁵Hate evil and love good,
and establish justice in the gate;
it may be that the LORD, the God of hosts,
will be gracious to the remnant of Joseph.

Psalm 90:12-17

¹²So teach us to number our days
that we may apply our hearts to wisdom.

¹³**Return, O LORD; how long will you tarry?
Be gracious to your servants. R**

¹⁴Satisfy us by your steadfast love in the morning;
so shall we rejoice and be glad all our days.

¹⁵**Make us glad as many days as you afflicted us
and as many years as we suffered adversity.**

¹⁶Show your servants your works,
and your splendor to their children.

¹⁷**May the graciousness of the Lord our God be upon us;
prosper the work of our hands; prosper our handiwork. R**

Second Reading: Hebrews 4:12-16

¹²Indeed, the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing until it divides soul from spirit, joints from marrow; it is able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart. ¹³And before him no creature is hidden, but all are naked and laid bare to the eyes of the one to whom we must render an account.

¹⁴Since, then, we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast to our confession. ¹⁵For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin. ¹⁶Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel: Mark 10:17-27

¹⁷As [Jesus] was setting out on a journey, a man ran up and knelt before him, and asked him, "Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" ¹⁸Jesus said to him, "Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. ¹⁹You know the commandments: 'You shall not murder; You shall not commit adultery; You shall not steal; You shall not bear false witness; You shall not defraud; Honor

your father and mother.’”²⁰He said to him, “Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth.”²¹Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, “You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me.”²²When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possessions.

²³Then Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, “How hard it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!”²⁴And the disciples were perplexed at these words. But Jesus said to them again, “Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God!²⁵It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God.”²⁶They were greatly astounded and said to one another, “Then who can be saved?”²⁷Jesus looked at them and said, “For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible.”

Sermon

Hymn of the Day: #646 The Peace of the Lord

Apostle’s Creed

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.

Prayer of Intercession

Sign of Peace

Offertory Anthem

Offertory – *The assembly stands*

Offertory Prayer

Thank You

Special Thanks to all our Servers

	10/10 – 8:30 am	10/10– 10 am
Asst. Minister		Deacon Sarajeon
Lector		Terri Kemp Zielenski
Acolyte		Graham Batkin Maggie Batkin Thorp Zielinski
Altar Guild	Lynn Butte Carl Weeks Mary Wolfe Lauren Raiten Karin Nilsen	Lynn Butte Carl Weeks Mary Wolfe Lauren Raiten Karin Nilsen
Singer		Nick Farrauto Krisi Anthony
Trinity Cafe		No Volunteers

Readings for next week on October 17, 2021:

First Reading: Isaiah 53:4-12
Psalm: Psalm 91:9-16
Second Reading: Hebrews 5:1-10
Gospel: Mark 10:35-45



Holy Trinity Lutheran Church RVC

Lutheran Church

Please don’t get confused – there are many Holy Trinity’s – both photos are of the front of church and it says Lutheran Church not Religious Organization



GIFT CARDS FUNDRAISER

TO SUPPORT THE

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND



ShopWithScrip allows families to raise money for Holy Trinity Lutheran Church by using gift cards to pay for everyday purchases and by purchasing gift cards for family members, teachers, coaches, bus drivers etc. Save the trip to the store by ordering your gift cards at Holy Trinity. By using ***ShopWithScrip***, Holy Trinity receives money back from each gift card purchased.

Order forms can be found in the HT Café. Your order form can be placed in the collection plate or given to Lynn Butte. If you have any questions regarding this fundraiser or placing an order, please contact Lynn Butte at 516-238-1035, by text or calling or by email at lybutte@aol.com.



TITHE.LY

Support Holy Trinity withTithe.ly.

It's a quick and easy way to support what is happening here at Holy Trinity.

The ELCA and our congregation have partnered with **Tithe.ly** to help people easily and consistently give to HT.

Tithe.ly was begun by a pastor to assist churches with stewardship and to facilitate giving. There is now a "donate" button on the opening page of the Holy Trinity website. It will bring you to a one-page document that will allow you to give a one-time offering or to set up weekly giving. Or you can use this link: https://tithe.ly/give_new/www/#/tithely/give-one-time/266952

Tithe.ly even has a mobile app that will allow you to give on your phone.

One of the many advantages to Tithe.ly is that it's incredibly easy to use and it gives you complete control over your giving. Please consider covering the transaction fee especially for altar flowers and fundraisers. Thank you!

Holy Trinity is completely dependent on weekly giving to allow us to continue the work we do.

Lord's Prayer

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.

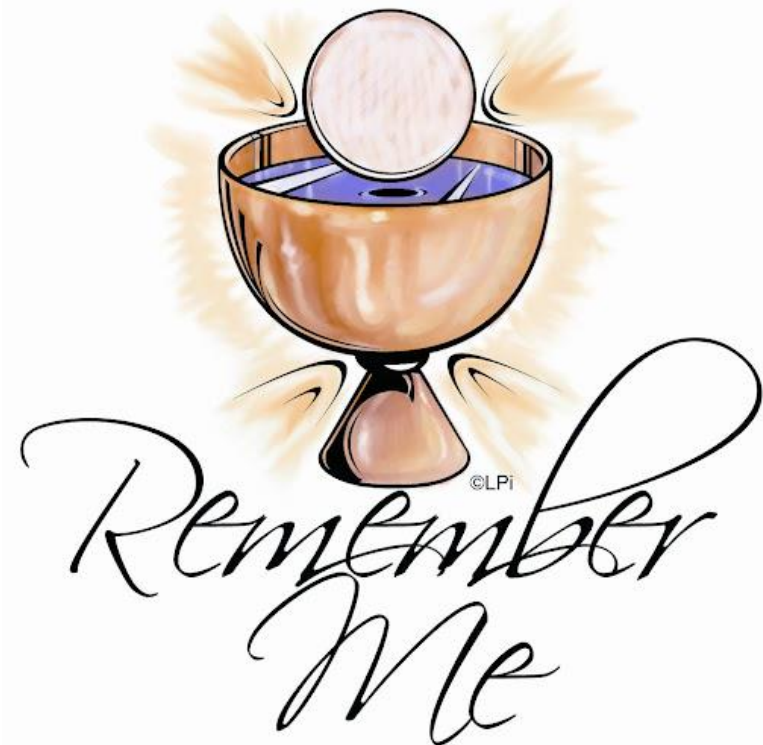
Communion

Communion Hymn: #477

I Received the Living God

#469

By Your Hand You Feed Your People



Post Communion Canticle (verses 1 & 4 only)



The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve



1 The Spir - it sends us forth to serve; we go in
 2 We go to com - fort those who mourn and set the
 3 We go to be the hands of Christ, to scat - ter
 4 Then let us go to serve in peace, the gos - pel



Je - sus' name to bring glad tid - ings
 bur - dened free; where hope is dim, to
 joy like seed and, all our days, to
 to pro - claim. God's Spir - it has em -



to the poor, God's fa - vor to pro - claim.
 share a dream and help the blind to see.
 cher - ish life, to do the lov - ing deed.
 pow - ered us; we go in Je - sus' name.

Prayer after Communion

Closing Blessing

Sending Hymn: #705 God of Grace and God of Glory

Dismissal

GIVING GARDEN: Two recent food deliveries to LSS were 57 lbs. and 47 lbs. plus produce from the garden which is doing quite well this summer. The staff informed me that the inventory is low for the following items-jelly/jam, syrup, canned vegetables, canned fruit, progresso type soups, canned pastas e.g. chef-boy-r-dee and white rice 1 or 2 lbs. packages. At the same time many school supplies were delivered. A BIG thank you for the response to the school supply appeal.

****Please call the church office before you come to drop off anything at the church to be sure someone is there to let you in. Schedules are very uncertain at this time****

Monthly Financials

September 2021

*Weekly Offerings & Tithe.ly include holidays

Expenses	\$26,500
*Weekly Offerings	\$ 11,546
Vanco Offerings	\$ 1,330
*Tithe.ly Offerings	\$ 4,615
Total Offerings	\$17,491
<i>Under</i>	<i>\$9,009</i>

Giving through Vanco or Tithe.ly?



TITHE.LY

Thank you for your consistent giving!

THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY Food Baskets



Thanksgiving Baskets

The New LIFE Center-Long Island, a hunger prevention site of Lutheran Social Services of New York, is already at work to provide a bountiful Thanksgiving Holiday meal for struggling families in our community. You can help by contributing items from the list below, which volunteers will package and distribute. THANK YOU and HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

Juice

Instant Mashed Potatoes / Yams

Fruit Cocktail / Canned Fruit

Cake Mixes and Frosting / Brownie Mix

Ground or Instant Coffee / Tea Bags

Cookies and Hot Chocolate

Napkins

Pancake Mix / Syrup / Oatmeal

Corn Muffins

Mac and Cheese

1-2lb bag White Rice / Canned Beans

Canned Vegetables

Canned (chicken, fish)

Flour and Sugar

Parmalat Milk

Peanut Butter and Jelly

Jello and Pudding

TURKEY / HAM / CHICKEN

Supermarket gift cards are also appreciated



Lutheran Social Services of New York
Strengthening Lives, Families, and Communities



**Coffee hour is back!
We need volunteers to host!**

Please email the office at htlcrvc@optonline.net or sign up on the board if you can host any of the following open dates in **October**. Thank you for volunteering!

10/3 Farrauto/Wilder Families

10/10

10/17 The McNulty Family

10/24 Wolf/Bailey Families

10/31 Pettas/Kemp-Zielinski

This is a special way of connecting with the Holy Trinity family each week. Please help us continue this lovely tradition.



Prayer Group

Deacon Grace has resumed meeting monthly for prayer. It will, for now, be held at her home in Oceanside. The next meeting will be on **Monday, October 25 at 7p.** We will be praying for the school children. There is a limit of 8 people. Please respond as soon as you can to Deacon Grace at 603-2263.

Getting To Know You

Terri & Pat McCaffrey



Terri grew up in Freeport and Pat grew up in Garden City. We have 3 children – Kenna is 7, Patrick is 5 and Christian is 2. Terri is a school Psychologist and Pat works in sales. Terri is mostly German and Polish. Pat is mostly Irish.

We came to Holy Trinity because we were looking for a church that had a church school and faith based activities for our children. We have been attending Holy Trinity for about 3 years. Terri's favorite memory of Holy Trinity is when Kenna and Patrick sang "This little light of mine" in front of the church with the other children. Terri even cried a little.

In our spare time we love taking small trips with our family. Our last trip was to Legoland. One interesting thing about our family is that we celebrate all four weeks of advent by singing around the advent wreath. It's a family tradition from Terri's grandmother and when Terri was young she sang the songs in German.

It is hard for Terri to give a favorite story from the bible but she often repeats and finds strength in John 1:5 "The light shines in the darkness and the darkness shall not overcome it."

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church TRUNK OR TREAT



Saturday, October 30th beginning at 5:30p

Join us and decorate your trunk and hand out some candy or just come and enjoy an early Trick or Treat!!

Then join us in the parsonage backyard after for some popcorn and a short movie

We are asking for families or individuals to host a trunk for Trunk or Treat Night. Please let the main office know if you will be hosting for the night at either htlcrvc@optonline or call at 766-2815.

