



Now they know that
everything you have
given me is from you;
for the words that
you gave to me
I have given to them.

John 17:7, NRSV



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TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
500 S Penn Ave - Platte, South Dakota
9:30 AM Worship
7 Easter
May 24, 2020

GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE TO WORSHIP

Welcome & Announcements

Song **"God of Our Fathers"**

LBW 567

Confession and Forgiveness

P: Most merciful God,

P & C: we confess that we are in bondage 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: Almighty God, in His mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for His sake, forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

GOD SPEAKS TO US IN HIS HOLY WORD

Acts 1:12-26

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1 Peter 4:12-19, 5:6-11

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Reader: The Word of God for the people of God

C: Thanks be to God

Children's Sermon

Gospel Lesson: John 17:1-11

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Sermon

GIVE THANKS TO GOD

Song “**God Bless the USA**”

Nicene Creed

Prayers of the Church

Offering

THE CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

The Words of Institution

The Lord’s Prayer

Communion “*Taste & See that the LORD is Good!*”

Song during communion “**I Pledge Allegiance to the Lamb**”

Blessing

GOD CALLS US TO SERVE

Song “**God Bless America**”

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Thank you for joining us this Sunday morning for worship! We

recommend sitting with your families with distance between you and the next family. We are holding off on coffee and cookies until a later date. We are excited to worshipping together again!

CONFIRMATION STUDENTS: Pastor Ron will be meeting with you following worship service today, **May 24** to finish up the workbook and memory work. In order to continue to practice social distancing, you will be meeting in the Fellowship Hall. Thank you. Board of Ed

TLC Search Committee Update:

The committee regrets to inform the congregation that the pastoral candidate that we were in the initial phases of the call process with, has withdrawn his name. This news was received on Tuesday and the committee met Thursday evening. Discussion was held on how to proceed, whether it is reevaluating previous candidates or exploring new options. The committee will meet again on Sunday, May 24 after the worship service or earlier if needed.

The New Hope Board of Directors has voted to move ahead with summer programming! After consultation with the SD Department of health and other local health officials, we believe summer camp can proceed while keeping children safe during this time. We do need to announce a few changes made to our summer schedule. All camps have been moved back 2 weeks from the previous schedule. The first Pioneer Camp will be the last 3 days of June, June 28-30. All other camps will be in July. Camp is being limited to 32 children per camp so register soon. For more info check out our Facebook page and our camp website: www.NewHopeChristianCamp.org.

Operation Shoebox has been given the go-ahead to do the shoeboxes! Deadline is Sunday, June 28 to fill the shoeboxes for needy children in Guatemala & Central America. These boxes are a blessing and are a wonderful tool for the gospel presentation! Ways to be involved:

1. Fill boxes according to guidelines & attach \$5 per box for shipping
2. Donate bulk items to be used for filling boxes
3. Donate financially to be used for shipping costs or shoe box items

All checks should be written out to the Tom Vander Pol Memorial Fund & sent to: 27406 377th Ave., Harrison, SD 57344. Or larger donations may be sent directly to Living Water Teaching, PO Box 1190, Caddo Mills, TX 75135. For more information you can contact Pat Vanderpol at 243-2275 or 680-2166 or go to lwt@lwtusa.org. The deadline for the shoeboxes is June 28..The distribution dates this year are Dec 4-Dec 12. Thank you to all who are willing to do their part in helping this outreach be a blessing to many children who live in poverty so that they may know the love of Jesus & hear about Him this Christmas.We couldn't do it without you!

Custom Regulations: Not allowed in the shoeboxes anymore: any type of liquid, beauty & hygiene items, candy or bubble gum. These items may be sent in bulk boxes.

God Bless the USA

If tomorrow all my things were gone I'd work for all my life.
And I had had to start again, wWith just my children and my wife.
I'd thank my lucky stars to be livin' here today,
Cause the flag still stand for freedom and they can't take that away

Chorus:

And I'm proud to be an American, where at least I know I'm free
And I won't forget the ones who died who gave that right to me
And I'll gladly stand up next to you and defend her still today
Cause there ain't no doubt I love this land, God Bless the USA.

From the lakes of Minnesota, to the hills of Tennessee,
Across the plains of Texas, from sea to shining sea.
From Detroit down to Houston and New York to LA,
Well there's pride in every American heart
and it's time we stand and say

Chorus

God Bless America

God, bless America, Land that I love. Stand beside her and guide her
through the night with a light from above.

From the mountains to the prairies
To the oceans white with foam,
God, bless America, My home, sweet home. *(repeat all)*

PRAYER PRAISES AND CONCERNS

Those in nursing and assisted living homes:

Lorraine Hanten, Richard Johnson, Kathy Lubinus, LaDene Nelson,
Jim Rommen

Those with health concerns:

Joel Olson, Sonny & LaVonne Qualm, Larry & Evelyn Tucker, Brady Sprik,
Jim Olsen, Harold Pavlis, Clayton & Terri Fischer, Ed Falor, Cindi Severson,
Mike Erickson, DeLyle Johnson, Trent Strand, Susan Holter, Gary Nelson

Our Partner Ministries:

Mazahua Valley Ministries, *Directors Tacho & Sally Dominguez*
Wanblee Native American Ministry, *Directors Gus & Terry Craven*
Gideon's International & our local Platte Gideon's Camp
East Europeans Missions Network
Steve Walters with the Navigators-Africa Partners
Victor & Lori Selemani with YWAM

Those serving in the military:

Duncan Anderson, Jared Anderson, Mitch Antonsen, Turner Antonsen,
Sgt. Andrew Campoamor, Jarrod Bultsma, Jacob Daum, Tanner Johnson,
Jedidiah Konechne, Bailey Lanners, Evin Millar, Zane Nightengale, Amanda
Severson, Cooper Stanforth, Austin Taylor, Tate Wagner & Matt Warejcka

Others:

- Pray for Susan Holter.
- Remember Cindi Severson in your prayers as she undergoes cancer treatments.
- We pray for birthday blessings for Maylou Stanforth whose birthday is on the 26th.
- Congrats to our Graduates: Haley Hoffman, Tess Ringling, Austin Severson, Foster Tegethoff, Abby Vanden Berge