



**THE WAY IS NARROW THAT  
LEADS TO LIFE, AND THERE  
ARE FEW WHO FIND IT.**

Matthew 7:14, NASB



*Lutheran Congregations  
in Mission for Christ*

## TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

500 S Penn Ave - Platte, South Dakota

**9:30 AM Worship**

*13 Pentecost*

August 30, 2020

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## GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE TO WORSHIP

Welcome & Announcements

Song **“Sing to the King”**

Confession (Together)

**Lord, we confess our lack of faith. We see a glimpse of what we ought to be and we know we fall short of the goal. We desire faith that is solid and unchanging, yet we crumble under trials and temptations. We want to be strong, but we know our weakness. Our sinful condition strips us of any spiritual gain that we humanly devise. Lord, forgive us. Accept us as we are, unworthy for the task, yet gifted for Your purposes. Grant us Your gift of Faith.**

Forgiveness (Pastor)

Our God is a great God. He knows our needs for all areas of life. He knows our weakness and our unbelieving hearts. Yet, He loved us enough to die on a cross to provide forgiveness of our sin. Now the focus is not on the faith that we can muster, but on the great gifts He gives us daily as we trust Him. God has given us the gift of faith—faith for the moment...faith for every trial....faith for every temptation....faith for every difficult situation. Praise God for His gift of faith.

## GOD SPEAKS TO US IN HIS HOLY WORD

Scripture Lessons:

Jeremiah 15:15-21

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Children’s Sermon

Song **“You Are My King (Amazing Love)”**

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Sermon **“2 Roads 2 Men 2 Destinations”**

Kurt Brink

## GIVE THANKS TO GOD

Song “Reckless Love”

Apostles Creed

Offering\*\* (*See bulletin insert for new ways of giving*)

Prayers of the Church

The Lord’s Prayer

Blessing

## GOD CALLS US TO SERVE

Song “Stronger”

### ENTER TO WORSHIP – DEPART TO SERVE

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***Thank you for joining us this Sunday morning for worship our God together! Please join us for fellowship time following worship today.***

***\*\*The offering plate will be in the narthex so please place your donations in as you enter or exit. We now have 3 online options for giving – on the mobile app “GivePlus”, text to (833) 621-0580 & enter amount to give or on our webpage. Thank you!***

**Ushers for Aug 30 & Sep 6:** Scott Vanden Berge & Steve Spawn

**Sep 13 & 20:** Randy & Foster Tegethoff

**Coffee Cookie Servers Aug 30:** Joyce VanderHam, Deb VanDerWerff

**Sep 6:** Emily VandenHoek, Kendra VanZee, Kristi Wagner

**Sep 13:** Lizzy Warejcka, Kenall Warejcka, Sharon Warejcka

**Sep 20:** Wendy Wollman, Teresa Walz, Ila Vae Antonsen

**Sep 27:** Cheri Antonsen, Bev Antonsen, Casey Bailey

**Thank you to Kurt Brink** for providing today our message “2 Men 2 Roads 2 Destinations” based on scriptures Matthew 7:13-14, Jeremiah 6:16, and Luke 16:19-31.

**HS Youth Group Kickoff Party** – Wednesday, September 2

from 7:15-9:00 PM at North Park (*Food and Fun will be provided*)

**Junior High Youth Group** meet every Wednesday evening at Christian Reformed Church. 6:30-6:45 PM Food & hang out time. 6:45-8:15 Games, Teaching & Small groups for students in 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades

**Awana** will kick off the year with a Fun Fair on Wednesday, Sept 9

Bethel Lutheran Church is thankful for the 60 years of worshipping and serving the Lord in Platte and we want you to help us celebrate! You are invited to our **60th Anniversary Celebration** on August 30th. Picnic meal at noon followed by a time of worship and program at 1 pm.

**Sunday School kick off & teacher installation is Sunday, September 13<sup>th</sup>!** Co-teachers are still needed for all grade levels, preschool through high school, including Confirmation! Please contact the Board of Ed if you would be willing to offer your time this year.

Sunday School runs 10:45-11:45 am. We will celebrate the first day of Sunday school the with **games & church family picnic at noon** so stay for burgers, hotdogs & fixings following Sunday school!

**Trinity Women of the Word:** Although we have not been meeting as Bible Study groups for the last several months, we would like to encourage you to please keep our mission projects in mind. This would include soap, our Purse Project, Health Kits, Toilet paper, and non-perishable items for the Helping Hands Food Pantry in October. Many thanks to our quilting for the beautiful Senior quilts that were presented a few weeks ago. Thanks for your cooperation, the Mission Action Committee.

**Women's Retreat at New Hope Camp:** We have rescheduled our time to focus on "Beautiful Things" with speaker Kim Krull to Sept. 11 & 12. To learn more about the retreat, there's pamphlets on the tables in the Narthex or look online at [www.newhopechristiancamp.org](http://www.newhopechristiancamp.org) and register to join us for a time of refocusing on the beautiful things of God rather than the ugly things of this world.

We would like to **thank the family of Trinity Lutheran Church** for the prayers, cards, food and kindness shown to us while we are going through this "bend in the road". Words cannot express how much we appreciate all of this. We definitely feel the prayers from all the people in this community.

~DeLyle & Shirley Johnson

# PRAYER PRAISES AND CONCERNS

## **Those in nursing and assisted living homes:**

Lorraine Hanten, 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, Mike Erickson, DeLyle Johnson, Trent Strand, Karen Dimick, Cindi Severson, Mike Erickson, Dee Rasmussen

## **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, Tate Wagner & Matt Warejcka

## **Others:**

- Continued prayers for DeLyle Johnson. DeLyle is home and receiving home hospice care.
- Happy birthday to Ed Falor today (30<sup>th</sup>)!
- Pray for Tim Nelson, Gary & Paula's son, who had to have emergency surgery for an epidural abscess on Friday.

## **Sing to the King**

Sing to the King, Who is coming to reign,  
Glory to Jesus, The Lamb that was slain.  
Life and salvation, His empire shall bring,  
And joy to the nations when Jesus is King.

### *Chorus:*

Come, let us sing a song,  
A song declaring that we belong to Jesus, He is all we need.  
Lift up a heart of praise,  
Sing now with voices raised to Jesus, Sing to the King.

For His returning we watch and we pray,  
We will be ready the dawn of that day.  
We'll join in singing with all the redeemed,  
'Cause Satan is vanquished, and Jesus is King.

### *Chorus*

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## **You Are My King (Amazing Love)**

I'm forgiven because You were forsaken.  
I'm accepted, You were condemned.  
I'm alive and well, Your Spirit is within me  
Because You died and rose again.

### *Chorus:*

Amazing love, how can it be that You,  
my King would die for me?  
Amazing love, I know it's true. It's my joy to honor You.  
*(Repeat all)*

You are my King. You are my King.  
Jesus, You are my King. Jesus, You are my King!

### *Chorus*

In all I do I honor You.

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## **Reckless Love**

Before I spoke a word, You were singing over me. You have been so, so good to me. Before I took a breath, You breathed Your life in me. You have been so, so kind to me.

### *Chorus*

O, the overwhelming, never-ending, reckless love of God.  
O, it chases me down, fights 'til I'm found, Leaves the ninety-nine.  
I couldn't earn it, I don't deserve it, Still You give Yourself away.  
O, the overwhelming, never-ending, reckless love of God.

When I was Your foe, still Your love fought for me. You have been so, so good to me. When I felt no worth, You paid it all for me.  
You have been so, so kind to me.

And O, the overwhelming, never-ending, reckless love of God.  
O, it chases me down, fights 'til I'm found, Leaves the ninety-nine.  
I couldn't earn it, I don't deserve it, Still You give Yourself away.  
O, the overwhelming, never-ending, reckless love of God.

There's no shadow You won't light up,  
Mountain You won't climb up, Coming after me.  
There's no wall You won't kick down,  
Lie You won't tear down, Coming after me.

### *Chorus*

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## **Stronger**

There is Love that came for us; Humbled to a sinner's cross  
You broke my shame and sinfulness, You rose again victorious  
Faithfulness none can deny; Through the storm & through the fire  
There is truth that sets me free; Jesus Christ who lives in me

### *Chorus:*

You are stronger, You are stronger, Sin is broken, You have saved me  
It is written, Christ is risen; Jesus You are Lord of all  
No beginning and no end; You're my hope and my defense  
You came to seek and save the lost, You paid it all upon the cross

### *Chorus*

So let Your Name be lifted higher, Be lifted higher; Be lifted higher

### *Chorus*

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