

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

1410 Rogers St Stevens Point, Wisconsin The Rev. Dr. Clay Schmit Ministers: Every Baptized Member November 11, 2018 8:15 & 10:45 a.m.



Trinity's Mission

Bringing God's love to the world in worship, witness and service.

Trinity's Vision

A Christ and Scripture centered congregation.

- Mission centered congregation constantly evaluating its vision to accomplish its mission and
- A congregation whose members sense that they belong to the body of Christ and, in turn want to provide for the needs of others.

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25th Sunday after Pentecost Stewardship Consecration Sunday

Gathering

Prelude: "Great is Thy Faithfulness"

arr. Shackley

"It Is Well With My Soul"

arr. Raney

Welcome and Announcements

Blessing and Dedication of the Saint John's Bibles

Gathering Song: "We Eat the Bread of Teaching"

ELW #518

Greeting

Kyrie (p. 147-148)

Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray. O God,

All: you show forth your almighty power chiefly by reaching out to us in mercy. Grant us the fullness of your grace, strengthen our trust in your promises, and bring all the world to share in the treasures that come through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

(8:15) Bells:

"Let All Things Now Living"

arr. Larson

Word

Children's Message

First Reading:

1 Kings 17:8-16

8The word of the Lord came to |Elijah,| saying, 9"Go now to Zarephath, which belongs to Sidon, and live there; for I have commanded a widow there to feed you." 10So he set out and went to Zarephath. When he came to the gate of the town, a widow was there gathering sticks; he called to her and said, "Bring me a little water in a vessel, so that I may drink." 11As she was going to bring it, he called to her and said, "Bring me a morsel of bread in your hand." 12But she said, "As the Lord your God lives, I have nothing baked, only a handful of meal in a jar, and a little oil in a jug; I am now gathering a couple of sticks, so that I may go home and prepare it for

ELW Holy Communion Setting Four.

Gathering

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

Word

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

myself and my son, that we may eat it, and die." 13Elijah said to her, "Do not be afraid; go and do as you have said; but first make me a little cake of it and bring it to me, and afterwards make something for yourself and your son. 14For thus says the Lord the God of Israel: The jar of meal will not be emptied and the jug of oil will not fail until the day that the Lord sends rain on the earth." 15She went and did as Elijah said, so that she as well as he and her household ate for many days. 16The jar of meal was not emptied, neither did the jug of oil fail, according to the word of the The word of the Lord.

Psalm 146

Gospel Acclamation (p.151)

Gospel: Mark 12:38-44

P: The Holy Gospel according to Mark.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

38As [Jesus] taught, he said, "Beware of the scribes, who like to walk around in long robes, and to be greeted with respect in the marketplaces, 39and to have the best seats in the synagogues and places of honor at banquets! 40They devour widows' houses and for the sake of appearance say long prayers. They will receive the greater condemnation." 41He sat down opposite the treasury, and watched the crowd putting money into the treasury. Many rich people put in large sums. 42A poor widow came and put in two small copper coins, which are worth a penny. 43Then he called his disciples and said to them, "Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all those who are contributing to the treasury. 44For all of them have contributed out of their abundance; but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on."

Sermon

The Rev. Dr. Clay Schmit

Hymn of the Day: "God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending" ELW #678 (sung to ELW #836 Ode to Joy)

Bringing Forth Our Stewardship Commitments (during the hymn)

Creed

(8:15) Reception of New Members

ELW p. 235

Prayers of Intercession

Peace

Meal

Offertory:

(8:15) "Be Still My Soul" arr. Dobrinski

(10:45) "offertory is Joyful, Joyful" arr. Line

Offering Hymn: "Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful" ELW #184

Great Thanksgiving (p. 152)

Holy, Holy, Holy (p. 153)

Lord's Prayer

Holy Communion

Communion Song: "Lamb of God" (p. 154)

Communion Hymns:

"Blessed Assurance" ELW #638

"Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service" ELW #712

"Day By Day" ELW #790

Communion Blessing

Prayer after Communion

Sending

Sending of Communion

Benediction

Sending Song: "The Lord Now Sends Us Forth" ELW #538

Dismissal

Postlude: "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" arr. Carter

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Meal

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

The table of Christ is open to all who believe. You are welcome to come to this meal. We believe that the risen Christ meets us here in person to offer us forgiveness and strength to live our lives of faith. Gluten free bread and grape juice are available; iust ask the servers. Please take a moment to fill out our communication card found in the bulletin and place it in the offering plate or give it to an usher.

Sending

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.