

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH 1410 Rogers St Stevens Point, Wisconsin The Rev. Dr. Clay Schmit Ministers: Every Baptized Member Sunday February 3, 2019 8:15 & 10:45 a.m.



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A Christ and Scripture centered congregation.

- Mission centered congregation constantly evaluating its vision to accomplish its mission and
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Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

Prelude

Gathering

Welcome and Announcements

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness

Gathering Hymn:

"I Love to Tell the Story"

ELW #661

Greeting

Kyrie (WOV p. 28)

Hymn of Praise (WOV p. 29-30)

Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray. Almighty and ever-living God,

All: Increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and love; and so that we may obtain what you promise, help us to love all that you command us to do, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Word

Children's Message

First Reading:

Jeremiah 1:4-10

4Now the word of the Lord came to me saying, 5"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations." 6Then I said, "Ah, Lord God! Truly I do not know how to speak, for I am only a boy." 7But the Lord said to me, "Do not say, 'I am only a boy'; for you shall go to all to whom I send you, and you shall speak whatever I command you. 8Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, says the Lord." 9Then the Lord put out his hand and touched my mouth; and the Lord said to me, "Now I have put my words in your mouth.10See, today I appoint you over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to pull down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant."

This season's worship setting is from the Blue hymnal, page 28.

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

The Prayer of the Day is sometimes known as the Collect, because it collects images and themes from our assigned Bible readings and draws them together in the prayer.

Jeremiah was a reluctant prophet, yet God called, empowered, and sent him with a powerful message to the people of Israel.

Second Reading:

1 If I speak in the tongues of mortals and of angels, but do not have love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. 2And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. 3If I give away all my possessions, and if I hand over my body so that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing. 4Love is patient; love is kind; love is not envious or boastful or arrogant 5or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; 6it does not rejoice in wrongdoing, but rejoices in the truth. 7It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. 8Love never ends. But as for prophecies, they will come to an end; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will come to an end. 9For we know only in part, and we prophesy only in part; 10but when the complete comes, the partial will come to an end. 11When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child; when I became an adult, I put an end to childish ways. 12For now we see in a mirror, dimly, but then we will see face to face. Now I know only in part; then I will know fully, even as I have been fully known. 13And now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; and the greatest of these is love.

Gospel Acclamation (WOV p. 31)

Gospel:

Luke 4:21-30

P: The Holy Gospel according to Luke, the 4th chapter. **C:** Glory to you, O Lord.

21Then [Jesus] began to say to [all in the synagogue in Nazareth,] "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing." 22All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They said, "Is not this Joseph's son?" 23He said to them, "Doubtless you will quote to me this proverb, 'Doctor, cure yourself!' And you will say, 'Do here also in your hometown the things that we have heard you did at Capernaum.'" 24And he said, "Truly I tell you, no prophet is accepted in the prophet's hometown. 25But the truth is, there were many widows in Israel in the time of Elijah, when the heaven was shut up three years and six months, and there was a severe famine over all the land; 26yet Elijah was sent to none of them except to a widow at Zarephath in Sidon. 27There were also many lepers in Israel in the time of the prophet Elisha, and none of them was cleansed except Naaman the Syrian." 28When they heard this, all in the synagogue were filled with rage. 29They got up, drove him out of the town, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their town was built, so that they might hurl him off the cliff. 30But he passed through the midst of them and went on his way.

Sermon

The Rev. Dr. Clay Schmit

Hymn of the Day:	"Although I Speak with Angel's Tongue"	ELW #644
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Prayers of Intercession

Peace

Meal

Offering

Onering		
Offertory Hymn:	"Where Charity and Love Prevail" (stanzas 1 and 2)	ELW #359
Holy Communion		
Holy, Holy, Holy (WO	V p. 36)	
Lord's Prayer		
Lamb of God (WOV p	. 39)	
Communion Hymns:		
"He Co	omes to Us as One Unknown"	ELW # 737
"Taste	and See"	ELW #493
Communion Blessing		
Post-Communion Pra	yer	
	Sending	
Benediction		
Sending Hymn:	"Hallelujah! We Sing Your Praises"	ELW #535
Dismissal		
Postlude		
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Meal God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

Holy Communion 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; just 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.