
TRINITY FOURTEEN

September 6, 2026



SERVING YOU TODAY

Pastor	Tony Pittenger
Organist	Roberta Highfill
Acolytes	Charleigh/Everett, Dominic Monroe, Jaden Ballentine
Ushers	Chris Denney Brian Burdick
Elder on Duty	Larry Sharrett

September 7th-13th

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday: Join with us as we use
The Divine Service, Rite Two, starting
on page 60, with modifications.
Please follow along in the hymnal or
above the altar as announced.

Monday: The Office of Compline, pg. 128

HYMNS

466 <i>We Praise Thee, O God, Our Redeemer</i>	491 <i>All Mankind Fell in Adam's Fall</i>	461 <i>Come, Ye Thankful People, Come</i>	65 <i>Praise to the Lord, the Almighty</i>
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INTROIT: O God, behold our Shield, and look upon the face of Your Anointed. A day in Your courts is better than a thousand. How lovely is Your tabernacle, O Lord of Hosts: My soul longs, yes, even faints, for the courts of the Lord.

COLLECT: Lord God, heavenly Father, by Your blessed Word and Your holy Baptism You have mercifully cleansed all who believe from the fearful leprosy of sin, and You daily grant us Your gracious help in all our need: We beseech You so to enlighten our hearts by Your Holy Spirit, that we may never forget these Your blessings, but ever live in Your fear, and trusting fully in Your grace, with thankful hearts continually praise and glorify You; through Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one true God, now and forever. Amen.

EPISTLE LESSON

But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. ¹⁷ For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do. ¹⁸ But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law. ¹⁹ Now the works of the flesh are evident: sexual immorality, impurity, sensuality, ²⁰ idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, fits of anger, rivalries, dissensions, divisions, ²¹ envy, drunkenness, orgies, and things like these. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. ²² But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³ gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law. ²⁴ And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. *Galatians 5:16–24 (ESV)*

GRADUAL: Alleluia! Blessed be the Lord God of our fathers: praise Him and highly exalt Him forever. Alleluia!

GOSPEL LESSON

On the way to Jerusalem He was passing along between Samaria and Galilee. ¹² And as He entered a village, He was met by ten lepers, who stood at a distance ¹³ and lifted up their voices, saying, “Jesus, Master, have mercy on us.” ¹⁴ When He saw them He said to them, “Go and show yourselves to the priests.” And as they went they were cleansed. ¹⁵ Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice; ¹⁶ and he fell on his face at Jesus’ feet, giving Him thanks. Now he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷ Then Jesus answered, “Were not ten cleansed? Where are the nine? ¹⁸ Was no one found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?” ¹⁹ And he said to him, “Rise and go your way; your faith has made you well.” *Luke 17:11–19 (ESV)*

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

In peace, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, have mercy.**

In thanksgiving for His gifts of forgiveness, life and salvation, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, have mercy.**

For true unity in the faith; for the preservation of pure doctrine; for harmony in our congregation, district and Synod; and for charitable hearts that put the best construction on what we see and hear, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, have mercy.**

For the fathers of the Christian Church, that with the boldness of Solomon they would exhort their sons to wisdom, justice and persistence in the way of salvation, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, have mercy.**

For our nation and its people, that God would deliver us from violence and discord; and for all who work to bring peace, including law enforcement and members of the armed forces, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, have mercy.**

For the sick and needy, *[including _____,]* that Christ would turn their sicknesses to health and their troubles to joy, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, have mercy.**

For hearts that always long for the dwelling place of the Lord's glory, that we would find our healing and eternal peace in the lovely courts of Christ's Church, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, have mercy.**

All these things and whatever else You know that we need, grant us, Father, for the sake of Him who died and rose again and now lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God forever. **Amen.**

BEDTIME BOOKS

Bedtime Books Patriot edition is next Saturday, September 12th, starting at 10:00am.

Melissa is looking for parking attendants and other helpers. Please contact her for more details.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED

Sunday school resumes after labor day, September 13th. Please see Pastor for more information.

BOOK CLUB

The First Book club meeting will be on September 20th. There is still time to purchase the book and be prepared for the first session.

“Liturgy of the Ordinary: Sacred Practices in Everyday Life”, by Tish Harrison Warren. **All book club times are Sundays at 3pm at Bethany.**

2026 WOMEN'S MISSION RALLY:

Attention ladies! This year's Rally "Here I Am! Send Me" will be held Saturday 9/26 at Christ Lutheran Church, Klamath Falls OR. Cost is \$10 per person and includes meals. If you came to last year's Rally here at Bethany, you know how great it is! Carpool down with your gal-pals on Friday 9/25 - numerous lodging options nearby. Signup online or by phone – see flyer on the bulletin board by the janitor closet.

CRAFT BAZAAR VENDORS WANTED!

Donna Fulton is hosting a **Craft Bazaar on Saturday, November 14**, here at Bethany, and she is looking for local vendors who would like to showcase and sell their wares!

A variety of vendors is expected to be there, including **woodworking, handmade crafts, gifts, baked goods, dehydrated goods, and more.**

- **Vendor Fee: \$25**

- Vendor fees help cover the cost of renting the space and support **Bedtime Books.**

If you are interested in becoming a vendor or would like more information, please contact Donna Fulaton at 360-337-9582

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, 9/6 Trinity Fourteen

9:00am Worship

MONDAY, 9/7

No School. Office Closed

7:00pm Worship

TUESDAY, 9/8

6:00pm Elders Meeting

7:00pm Council Meeting

SATURDAY, 9/12

10:00am Bedtime Books

SUNDAY, 9/13 Trinity 15

9:00am Worship with Communion

10:15am Sunday School

11:15am Confirmation B eighth

*Flowers on the altar this week are given to the glory of God by
Mike and Leigh Snyder in celebration of family Birthdays*

SERVING NEXT WEEK, September 13th-19th

Organist: Megan Enstad

Acolytes: Ethan and William Nantz, Kayson and Kyler Crew

Ushers: Jeremy Gracia, and Ricky Pasillas

Elder on Duty: Earl Miller

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Worship Schedule: Sunday 9:00am, Monday 7:00pm
