#### Introit

I will speak of your testimonies before kings, [O Lord,] and shall not be put to shame.

I will bless the LORD at all times; his praise shall continually be in my mouth.

My soul makes its boast in the LORD; let the humble hear and be glad.

Come, O children, listen to me; I will teach you the fear of the LORD.

The LORD redeems the life of his servants; none of those who take refuge in him will be condemned.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

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## First Reading: Revelation 14:6-7

Then I saw another angel flying directly overhead, with an eternal gospel to proclaim to those who dwell on earth, to every nation and tribe and language and people. And he said with a loud voice, "Fear God and give him glory, because the hour of his judgment has come, and worship him who made heaven and earth, the sea and the springs of water."

- **A** This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.



## **Epistle**: Romans 3:19–28

Now we know that whatever the law says it speaks to those who are under the law, so that every mouth may be stopped, and the whole world may be held accountable to God. For by works of the law no human being will be justified in his sight, since through the law comes knowledge of sin.

But now the righteousness of God has been manifested apart from the law, although the Law and the Prophets bear witness to it— the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction: for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, and are justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, whom God put forward as a propitiation by his blood, to be received by faith. This was to show God's righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed over former sins. It was to show his righteousness at the present time, so that he might be just and the justifier of the one who has faith in Jesus.

Then what becomes of our boasting? It is excluded. By what kind of law? By a law of works? No, but by the law of faith. For we hold that one is justified by faith apart from works of the law.

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.



#### Holy Gospel: John 8:31-36

- ${\bf P}$  The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the eighth chapter.
- Glory to You, O Lord. (sung)

So Jesus said to the Jews who had believed in him, "If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free." They answered him, "We are offspring of Abraham and have never been enslaved to anyone. How is it that you say, 'You will become free'?"

Jesus answered them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, everyone who commits sin is a slave to sin. The slave does not remain in the house forever; the son remains forever. So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed.

- P This is the Gospel of the Lord.
- Praise to You, O Christ. (sung)

# HOLY CROSS and ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN DUAL PARSH

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<u>WELCOME</u>, <u>NEIGHBOR AND FRIEND</u>. We pray that your worship with us is spiritually rewarding, and that you feel our welcome. Be sure to come and worship with us again!

**COMMUNION TODAY:** If anyone has difficulty going to the altar to receive communion, please let an usher know, and pastor will come to your pew to commune you individually.

WE WILL BE CELEBRATING THE LORD'S SUPPER during our worship service next Sunday morning. Please fill out a communion registration card if you plan to use this Sacrament for the strengthening of your faith and give it to the usher as you leave church.

#### THOSE USING THE MEANS OF GRACE AT OUR SERVICE LAST WEEK

Worship Service: 141; Bible Class: 20.

#### CHURCH CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK of October 28- November 4

TODAY: HOLY COMMUNION

Circuit Reformation Choir Practice at Trinity, 2:00 p.m.

Sedalia Circuit Reformation Service at Trinity, 4:00 p.m. Meal follows.

MON.: Extended Newsletter Deadline, 12:00 noon; email to karen.oelrichs@gmail.com

WED.: LSA Chapel at Trinity, 8:05 a.m. (All are invited)

THUR.: Men's Bible Study at Classic, 7AM

Women's Bible Study at Trinity, 9:30 a.m.

Communion at Good Samaritan, 2:30 p.m.; and at Ambrose at 3:30 p.m.

SAT.: Evening Worship with Communion at Trinity, 6:30 pm.

NEXT SUN.: Joint Dual Parish Worship Service with Communion at St. John's, 9 a.m.

Sunday School and Bible Class at St. John's, 10:30 a.m.

LYF (High School Youth) at Trinity, 6:30 p.m.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Sheila Fox, Ethelene Jagels, Alice Borchers, Thomas Eckhoff, Lora Harms, Bill Talbott, Bonnie Fitzpatrick (niece of Dorothy Holtzen), Greg Ives, Tim Purdy (friend of Sam Henley) and members and loved ones in nursing homes or restricted to their homes.

ALTAR FLOWERS: Oct. 28—Jeana Ekchoff.

**THE CIRCUIT CHOIR** will practice this afternoon at 2:00 p.m. at Trinity in the balcony before the Reformation Service.

**CIRCUIT REFORMATION SERVICE:** The congregations of the Sedalia Circuit will again gather to observe the Reformation at Trinity, Cole Camp, THIS AFTERNOON at 4:00 with a Choral Vespers. There will be special music provided by the Circuit Choir and our guest preacher will be Rev. Dr. Michael Kumm, chairman of the Synod Board of Directors. We will have a meal following the service, after which Pr. Kumm will talk to us about the International Lutheran Center in Wittenberg, Germany. Come join us for a great evening!

**DIAL-A-DEVOTION** from St. Paul's, Concordia: 1-660-463-7595.

**SEDALIA CIRCUIT LLL FALL RALLY:** You are invited to the Lutheran Laymen's League Fall Rally on November 11, 5:00 pm, at Zion in Lincoln. The special guests and presenters are Rev. Richard Ingmire and Ken Greimann of Mid-Missouri Lutheran Hospital Ministry. Rev. Inqmire makes *hundreds* of visits each year to in-patient Lutherans at the Columbia hospitals and rehabilitation centers. Chances are very good that Rev. Igmire has provided pastoral care to members of your congregation! This is an invaluable ministry since it is impossible for our pastors to visit members in the Columbia hospitals as often as we would like. Come to the Rally! A delicious barbeque dinner will be served...and in lieu of an admission fee, how about those of you who can bake bring a pie or cake or other desert! An offering will be received for the Mid-Missouri Lutheran Hospital Ministry. Those of you saving money for the Milk Project can bring it to this Rally. Please RSVP to pastor poppe @ hotmail.com or call him at 660-287-6176 – we want to have enough food for everyone! We hope to see you on Sunday, November 11! LSA VOLLEYBALL: The 7/8th grade girls of the Lutheran School Association will be representing our school Nov. 2-4 in Concordia at the annual LSAM (Lutheran Sports Association of Missouri) Volleyball tournament! The student council will be hosting a pep rally Fri. Nov 2 at 2:00 p.m. at Schnell Auditorium, and then the players and their families will head out at 2:30 p.m. They will begin the weekend with worship with other teams, and also friendly competition of serving and an idol contest! On Saturday morning pool play will start, with bracket play on Saturday afternoon and on into Sunday. They would love to have your support and also prayers for safe travels and a fun safe weekend! "THE ROAD HOME," WWI ARMISTICE COMMEMORATION WORSHIP SERVICE: On Sunday, November 11, at 3:00 pm, please join the greater Kansas City community at Atonement Lutheran Church, 9948 Metcalf Avenue, Overland Park, KS, for a very special worship service held on the very day of the 100th anniversary of the armistice ending World War I. This service will feature the Störling Dance Theater and the Te Deum Chamber Choir. It will be a moving tribute to the soldiers and civilians who lost their lives in World War I. All are welcome to attend.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A TACO DINNER on Sunday, November 4th from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the LSA Auditorium. This dinner is hosted by LSA's Partners in Education to benefit the Chris and Ami Dieckman family after a devastating house fire. There will be a free-will offering for the meal and a 50/50 raffle. We hope to see you there!

<u>OUR SERVICES CAN BE VIEWED</u> on YouTube on our Holy Cross website (the address is printed on the front of the bulletin). When you go to the website, on the list to the left of the picture of the church, hover over or click on "gallery", then click on "videos". You may click on the date of the service that you would like to view.

ANNUAL HARVEST FEST DINNER will be held at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Stover on Sunday, November 4. A traditional Thanksgiving-style meal will be served from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm. Proceeds from the event will go towards replacing the front doors of the church. Suggested donation: \$10/adults, \$3/children. For more information, contact Julie at 573-789-7252.

THE LUTHERAN HOUR can be heard on Sunday mornings on KSIS radio, 1050 AM, at 10:15 a.m. Our Savior Lutheran Church also broadcasts their Sunday morning worship service on KSIS, 1050 AM at 9:00 a.m. each Sunday.

## Today's Service

Reformation Sunday

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**Hymn of Invocation: 566** 

"By Grace I'm Saved"

#### The Introit

(Printed on the back of the bulletin)

**Hymn of Praise:** "This is the Feast"

#### The Collect of the Day

Almighty and gracious Lord, pour out Your Holy Spirit on Your faithful people. Keep us steadfast in Your grace and truth, protect and deliver us in times of temptation, defend us against all enemies, and grant to Your Church Your saving peace; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

## The Readings:

Revelation 14:6-7—An Eternal Gospel Romans 3:19-28—A righteousness of God apart from the Law

Hymn 582: "God's Word is our Great Heritage"
John 8:31-36—The Truth will
set you free.

### Hymn of the Day: 655

"Lord Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word"

#### <u>Sermon</u>

Text: Revelation 14:6-7
Theme: "The Eternal Gospel

# **Distribution Hymns:**

**662:** "Onward Christian Soldiers" **578:** "Thy Strong Word"

645: Built on the Rjock"

Closing Hymn: 657

"A Mighty Fortress"