Introit for Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples! He spread a cloud for a covering, and fire to give light by night. They asked, and he brought quail, and gave them bread from heaven in abundance. He opened the rock, and water gushed out; it flowed through the desert like a river. For he remembered his holy promise, and Abraham, his servant. So he brought his people out with joy, his chosen ones with singing. 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. Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name; make known his deeds among the peoples!

Old Testament Reading - Isaiah 55:1-5

1"Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters: and he who has no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price. 2Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy? Listen diligently to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food. 3Incline your ear, and come to me; hear, that your soul may live; and I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David. 4Behold, I made him a witness to the peoples, a leader and commander for the peoples.

5Behold, you shall call a nation that you do not know, and a nation that did not know you shall run to you, because of the LORD your God, and of the Holy One of Israel, for he has glorified you.

The Epistle - Romans 9:1–5

11 am speaking the truth in Christ—I am not lying; my conscience bears me witness in the Holy Spirit— 2that I have great sorrow and unceasing anguish in my heart. 3For I could wish that I myself were accursed and cut off from Christ for the sake of my brothers, my kinsmen according to the flesh. 4They are Israelites, and to them belong the adoption, the glory, the covenants, the giving of the law, the worship, and the promises. 5To them belong the patriarchs, and from their race, according to the flesh, is the Christ who is God over all, blessed forever. Amen.

The Gospel - Matthew 14:13–21

13Now when Jesus heard [about the death of John], he withdrew from there in a boat to a desolate place by himself. But when the crowds heard it, they followed him on foot from the towns.

14When he went ashore he saw a great crowd, and he had compassion on them and healed their sick. 15Now when it was evening, the disciples came to him and said, "This is a desolate place, and the day is now over; send the crowds away to go into the villages and buy food for themselves." 16But Jesus said, "They need not go away; you give them something to eat." 17They said to him, "We have only five loaves here and two fish." 18And he said, "Bring them here to me." 19Then he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass, and taking the five loaves and the two fish, he looked up to heaven and said a blessing. Then he broke the loaves and gave them to the disciples, and the disciples gave them to the crowds. 20And they all ate and were satisfied. And they took up twelve baskets full of the broken pieces left over. 21And those who ate were about five thousand men, besides women and children.

HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH

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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.

THOSE USING THE MEANS OF GRACE LAST SUNDAY

Worship Service: 106; Visitors: 16; Bible Class: 15; Sunday School: 18.

CHURCH CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK of August 6 – August 13

TODAY: HOLY COMMUNION

Cole Camp Regional Ministry Youth Gathering at Trinity, 6:30 p.m. Dual Parish Installation Choir Practice, 7:00 p.m. at St. John's

- MON: 175th Anniversary Committee will meet 7 p.m.
- TUE.: Holy Cross Ladies' Aid Meeting, 7:00 p.m. at Ambrose
- THUR.: Men's Bible Study at Classic, 7:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study at Trinity, 9:30 a.m. Registration at LSA, 8:00 a.m. Cole Camp Regional Ministry Men's Club Meeting at Trinity, 7:00 p.m.
- SAT.: Work Day at LSA, 8:00 a.m. Saturday Evening Worship Service at Trinity, 6:30 p.m.

NEXT SUN.: Worship Service with Holy Communion at St. John's, 8:00 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Class at St. John's 9:00 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Class at Holy Cross, 9:30 a.m. Worship Service at Holy Cross, 10:30 a.m. Dual Parish Installation Service of Rev. Tyler Poppen at St. John's, beginning at 4:00 p.m. A reception will follow in the church basement.

GREETERS: August – Scott Brandes.

HOLY CROSS ACOLYTES: August 6—Tyler Hickman; August 13—Destiny Kestner; August 20-Grant Louiselle; August 27-Morgan Mummert.

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS: August 6 – Marvin Dieckman and Randy Meyer; August 27 - Randy Meyer and Randy Harms.

ALTAR FLOWERS: August 6—Lavera Harms; August 13—Sharon Harms; August 20-Marilyn Heimsoth; August 27-Ruby Heimsoth.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Pastor Kellogg as he considers two Calls to Trinity in Gallup, New Mexico and to Mount Hope in Evergreen, CO; Barbara Meyer, at Research Medical Hospital, 2316 E Meyer Blvd, Kansas City, MO 64132, Lora Harms, Alice Borchers, Rodger Eckhoff, Jim Brockman, Jeannette Bahrenburg, and members and loved ones in nursing homes or restricted to their homes, including Wilbert Meyer.

WE WELCOME AND EXPRESS OUR APPRECIATION, to Rev. Paul Deterding for leading our worship this morning. May the Lord bless the proclamation of His Word!! Next Sunday, Rev. Bart Mueller will be leading our worship services.

THE INSTALLATION SERVICE of Rev. Tyler Poppen to serve as the pastor of the Dual Parish of Holy Cross and St. John's Lutheran Churches of Cole Camp will be held at St. John's next Sunday, August 13th, beginning at 4:00 p.m. A reception will follow in the church basement.

DUAL PARISH CHOIR PRACTICE for the Installation Service of Rev. Tyler Poppen will be held this evening at 7:00 p.m., at St. John's. Choir members are asked to make every effort to attend this practice.

SPRUCE UP L.S.A .: Join the fellowship and help us dust, scrub and polish our school to get it ready for the new year! There is a list of jobs and suggested supplies at www.lsaschool.com/pie. Please sign up for a job, or two/three! Call the school to schedule a time to do what you signed up for, or come join the fun on Saturday, August 12th at the scheduled workday (8am-noon). Many hands make light work!

FLOAT WORK continues on our Holy Cross float entry for the Cole Camp Fair. Please pick up supplies for making flowers at the church. Your help is appreciated!

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH WOULD LIKE TO INVITE YOU to a Pulled Pork Dinner on Sunday, August 27th, from 11:00 to 1:00 p.m. at the Lutheran School Auditorium, Cole Camp, MO. The menu includes: pulled pork, potato salad, coleslaw, green beans, salads, and desserts. A free will offering will be taken at the door with proceeds going to the Cole Camp Area Church Alliance projects and our missionary Pastor Peter Kolb for his work in Thailand.

PLEASE CONSIDER helping out with the Lutheran Hour Ministries Booth at the State Fair August 10 – 20. Each day will be divided into 3 shifts, each shift lasting 4 hours. Contact Sharon Hutcheson at 660-826-0141, if you would be willing to help! (The shifts are 9AM—1PM, 1PM—5PM, and 5PM—9PM.)

P.I.E. FLOATWORK IS UNDERWAY! Pleaters and fluffers are especially needed. Pick up materials at Farmers Mutual Insurance during their business hours or stop by LSA Monday-Thursday from 4pm-8pm. All help is much appreciated!

THE 2018 L.W.M.L. CONVENTION DECORATING COMMITTEE needs your help!!! They need cracker and square tissue boxes to carry out plans for the decorations. They have about 15-20 tissue boxes (these are the square pop-up tissue boxes) but only about five soda cracker boxes. Would you please buy a box of saltines (four tubes to a box), put the crackers in a storage container and bring the cracker box to the October 3 BOD meeting or to the fall rally on October 10? Your help is appreciated!

Today's Service

Divine Service Setting One Page 151

+ + + Hymn of Invocation: 699 "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say"

The Introit (printed on the back of the bulletin)

Hymn of Praise

Gloria in Excelsis on page 154

The Readings: Isaiah 55:1-5

Romans 9:1-5 Matthew 14:13-21

Hymn of the Day: 642

"O Living Bread from Heaven"

The Sermon

Theme: "Without Money and Without Price." Text: Isaiah 55:1-5

Distribution Hymns:

641: "You Satisfy the Hungry Heart" 631: "Here, O My Lord, I See Thee Face to Face"

> Post Communion Canticle Nunc Dimittis on page 165

Closing Hymn: 684 "Come unto Me, Ye Weary"