### **Introit** for Fourth Sunday After Trinity

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The LORD is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?

When evildoers assail me to eat up my flesh, my adversaries and foes, it is they who stumble and fall.

Though an army encamp against me, my heart shall not fear; though war arise against me, yet I will be confident.

One thing have I asked of the LORD, that will I seek after: that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life.

For he will hide me in his shelter in the day of trouble; he will conceal me under the cover of his tent; he will lift me high upon a rock.

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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# Old Testament Reading: Genesis 50:15-21

15When Joseph's brothers saw that their father was dead, they said, "It may be that Joseph will hate us and pay us back for all the evil that we did to him." 16So they sent a message to Joseph, saying, "Your father gave this command before he died, 17'Say to Joseph, Please forgive the transgression of your brothers and their sin, because they did evil to you.' And now, please forgive the transgression of the servants of the God of your father." Joseph wept when they spoke to him. 18His brothers also came and fell down before him and said, "Behold, we are your servants." 19But Joseph said to them, "Do not fear, for am I in the place of God? 20As for you, you meant evil against me, but God meant it for good, to bring it about that many people should be kept alive, as they are today. 21So do not fear; I will provide for you and your little ones." Thus he comforted them and spoke kindly to them.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

### **Epistle: Romans 8:18–23**

<sup>18</sup>For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory that is to be revealed to us. <sup>19</sup>For the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the sons of God. <sup>20</sup>For the creation was subjected to futility, not willingly, but because of him who subjected it, in hope <sup>21</sup>that the creation itself will be set free from its bondage to decay and obtain the freedom of the glory of the children of God. <sup>22</sup>For we know that the whole creation has been groaning together in the pains of childbirth until now. <sup>23</sup>And not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for adoption as sons, the redemption of our bodies.

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Holy Gospel: Luke 6:36–42

The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the sixth chapter.

Glory to You, O Lord. (sung)

<sup>36</sup>[Jesus said:] "Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful.

<sup>37</sup>"Judge not, and you will not be judged; condemn not, and you will not be condemned; forgive, and you will be forgiven;

<sup>38</sup>give, and it will be given to you. Good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap. For with the measure you use it will be measured back to you."

<sup>39</sup>He also told them a parable: "Can a blind man lead a blind man? Will they not both fall into a pit? <sup>40</sup>A disciple is not above his teacher, but everyone when he is fully trained will be like his teacher. <sup>41</sup>Why do you see the speck that is in your brother's eye, but do not notice the log that is in your own eye? <sup>42</sup>How can you say to your brother, 'Brother, let me take out the speck that is in your eye,' when you yourself do not see the log that is in your own eye? You hypocrite, first take the log out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to take out the speck that is in your brother's eye."

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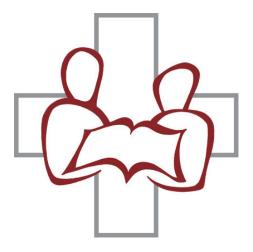
Praise to You, O Christ. (sung)

# HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Holy Cross Website: http://holycrosslutheranchurchcolecamp.weebly.com Regional Ministry Website: http://colecampregionalministry.org <u>WELCOME VISITOR</u>, we are glad you have come to worship the Triune God with us today. We pray that the Holy Spirit might empower the Word as you hear it, so that your and our response might justly honor our God. Please come and worship with us again!

### THOSE USING THE MEANS OF GRACE LAST SUNDAY

Worship Service: 100; Holy Communion: 75; Visitors: 4; Bible Class: 13; Sunday School: 11.

### CHURCH CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK of July 14 to July 21

TODAY: Quarterly Voters' Meeting following our worship service

CCRM Junior Youth at Trinity, 6:30 p.m.

THUR.: Men's Bible Study at Classic, 7AM, Women's Bible Study at Trinity, 9:30AM

Bulletin Deadline, 12:00 noon (email to karen.oelrichs@gmail.com)

SAT.: Saturday eve. worship at Trinity, 6:30 p.m., Adult Bible Class at 7:30 p.m.

NEXT SUN.: Worship Service at St. John's, 8:00 a.m.

Sunday School and Bible Class, 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.

CCRM Vacation Bible School July 21-25, 6:00 to 8:30 each evening

**ACOLYTES:** July 14—Dylana Stoppel; July 21—Emily Burdick; July 28—Gage Cross; August 4—Gentry Dieckman; August 11--Lille Douglas.

**COMMUNION ASSISTANTS:** July 28 – Jim Goosen and Randy Harms.

August 4 – Randy Harms and Randy Meyer.

**HOLY CROSS GREETER:** July – Myron Fischer.

ALTAR FLOWERS: July 14—Lillie Stelling; July 21—Julie Bahrenburg; July 28—Evelyn Brandes; August 4—Carolyn Dieckman; August 11—Brenda Fischer; August 18—Ellen Goosen; August 25—Jessie Hagen; September 1—Arlene Hall.

**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:** Russell Meyer, Haldor Barnes, Eileen Brandes, Ethelene Jagels, Alice Borchers, Thomas Eckhoff, Lora Harms, Bill Talbott, Greg Ives, and members and loved ones in nursing homes or restricted to their homes.

**HOLY CROSS BUDGET** for 2019 is \$13,042.50 per month. June donations were \$13,889.50. Our loan balance is \$16,200.00.

**OUR QUARTERLY VOTERS' MEETING** will be held following today's worship service.

**CHANGE FOR HAITI FUNDRAISER:** A quarter auction will be held at 5pm on Monday, July 15 at The German Table. Local vendors will auction items for 25g to \$1 each. Drawings for prizes and free snacks will be offered. With matching funds from Thrivent, all proceeds will be donated to Wholehearted Home and Jacmel Elder Home in Haiti. For additional information, see the Facebook page – Change for Haiti or call 660-287-3078.

<u>SECRETARIES OF ALL ORGANIZATIONS</u> are asked to submit an article of the happenings and events of their group for the past three months for the Quarterly Newsletter. Please email your article to <u>karen.oelrichs@gmail.com</u> or mail it to Karen at 711 S Oak St, Cole Camp, MO by next Monday, July 22nd. Thanks for your help!

VBS is JULY 21-25! It is for kids 3 years old through the 6th grade and will run from 6:00-8:30 each night. Join us for lots of fun while we learn about Jesus and what he has done for us! As always, our VBS doesn't work without the talent and hard work of our volunteer team. If you are interested in volunteering, we have a job for you, even if you can't make it every night. All it takes is a desire to serve! If you are interested in being a valued member of our VBS team, please contact Brian MacLean at 660-287-2885.

## VBS needs your help! We are in need of the following items:

Fruit – (apples, bananas, grapes, watermelon, applesauce)

15 boxes of "Velveeta" type cheese American cheese slices

Frozen Pizza Rolls Chicken Nuggets

20 bags of tortilla chips 10 boxes of "Ritz" type crackers

Kool-aid or lemonade powder

600 Paper/foam plates, bowls, and cups

Napkins/paper towels
Plastic spoons/forks

Monetary donations are also appreciated. We ask that all donations be dropped off in Trinity's basement by July 19th unless arranged in advance. Please contact Brian MacLean at 660-287-2885 as soon as possible if you plan to donate. Any items that are not donated, the VBS team will be purchasing and we don't want to purchase it if it will be donated! Thanks again for helping us make this year's VBS a great experience!

P.I.E. FLOAT WORK IS IN FULL SWING!! Counters, pleaters, fluffers, and builders are all needed and very much appreciated. If you've never worked on a float before, we'll show you what to do! Or if you've helped on floats in the past and miss the crafting and fellowship, come and help! Please join us any Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday evening between 6-8 PM in the downstairs classroom at LSA. Come as often as you like, to help us share the love of Jesus and the mission of LSA with the Cole Camp Fair attendees!

BACK-TO-SCHOOL CLOTHING DRIVE: All ages and sizes are needed, especially gently used children's clothing. Donations can be dropped off in Cole Camp at St. Paul's Lutheran Church Basement: Tuesdays—Fridays in July, 9am to noon, or Thursdays after 6 pm. The Sale is on August 3rd from 9am-1pm at St. Paul's Fellowship Hall. This event is sponsored by Cole Camp Area Church Alliance

<u>UNDIES SUNDAY</u>, sponsored by THE COLE CAMP AREA CHURCH ALLIANCE will be a community wide event on SUNDAY, July 21st and 28th. Please bring NEW foundational garments and also new socks to be distributed at the Church Alliance Back -To-School Clothing Sale on Saturday, August 3rd to be held in the Fellowship Hall of St. Paul's Lutheran Church. We would like to offer new undergarments (underwear, t-shirts, socks) for those in pre-school through high school. Please bring your donations to your church on Sunday, July 21st and July 28th. They will be distributed on Saturday, August 3rd. Thank you for providing for our Brothers and Sisters in Christ in our Community.

# Fourth Sunday After Trinity

# **Order of Worship**

**Divine Service Setting One** 

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### Hvmn 609

"Jesus Sinners Doth Receive"

### Hymn Of Praise

Page 154 - "Gloria In Excelsis"

## The Collect of the Day

O Lord, grant that the course of this world may be so peaceably ordered by Your governance that Your Church may joyfully serve You in all godly quietness; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen. (sung)

## The Readings:

Genesis 50:15-21 — Joseph and His Brothers

Romans 8:13-23—Future Glory Luke 6:36-42—Merciful in dealing with a brother

## Hymn of the Day 696

"O God, My Faithful God"

### The Sermon

Text: Romans 8:18-23
Title: Groans and Glory

Closing Hymn: 725

"Children of the Heavenly Father"