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Make haste, O God, to deliver me!

○ LORD, make haste to help me!

**Let them be put to shame and confusion
who seek my life!**

Let them be turned back

and brought to dishonor who desire my hurt!

**May all who seek you rejoice
and be glad in you!**

You are my help and my deliverer;

○ LORD, do not delay!

**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: Isaiah 29:17–24

¹⁷Is it not yet a very little while

until Lebanon shall be turned into a fruitful field,
and the fruitful field shall be regarded as a forest?

¹⁸In that day the deaf shall hear

the words of a book,

and out of their gloom and darkness

the eyes of the blind shall see.

¹⁹The meek shall obtain fresh joy in the LORD,

and the poor among mankind shall exult in the Holy One of
Israel.

²⁰For the ruthless shall come to nothing and the scoffer cease,

and all who watch to do evil shall be cut off,

²¹who by a word make a man out to be an offender,

and lay a snare for him who reproves in the gate,

and with an empty plea turn aside him who is in the right.

²²Therefore thus says the LORD, who redeemed Abraham,
concerning the house of Jacob:

“Jacob shall no more be ashamed,

no more shall his face grow pale.

²³For when he sees his children,

the work of my hands, in his midst they will sanctify my

name;

they will sanctify the Holy One of Jacob

and will stand in awe of the God of Israel.

²⁴And those who go astray in spirit will come to understanding,

and those who murmur will accept instruction.”

P *This is the Word of the Lord.*

C **Thanks be to God.**

Epistle: 2 Corinthians 3:4–11

⁴Such is the confidence that we have through Christ toward

God. ⁵Not that we are sufficient in ourselves to claim anything

as coming from us, but our sufficiency is from God, ⁶who has

made us competent to be ministers of a new covenant, not of the

letter but of the Spirit. For the letter kills, but the Spirit gives life.

⁷Now if the ministry of death, carved in letters on stone,

came with such glory that the Israelites could not gaze at

Moses' face because of its glory, which was being brought to an

end, ⁸will not the ministry of the Spirit have even more glory?

⁹For if there was glory in the ministry of condemnation, the

ministry of righteousness must far exceed it in glory. ¹⁰Indeed, in

this case, what once had glory has come to have no glory at all,

because of the glory that surpasses it. ¹¹For if what was being

brought to an end came with glory, much more will what is

permanent have glory.

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Holy Gospel: Mark 7:31–37

P *The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the Seventh Chapter*

C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

³¹[Jesus] returned from the region of Tyre and went through

Sidon to the Sea of Galilee, in the region of the Decapolis. ³²And

they brought to him a man who was deaf and had a speech

impediment, and they begged him to lay his hand on him.

³³And taking him aside from the crowd privately, he put his

fingers into his ears, and after spitting touched his tongue.

³⁴And looking up to heaven, he sighed and said to him,

“Ephphatha,” that is, “Be opened.” ³⁵And his ears were opened,

his tongue was released, and he spoke plainly. ³⁶And Jesus

charged them to tell no one. But the more he charged them, the

more zealously they proclaimed it. ³⁷And they were astonished

beyond measure, saying, “He has done all things well. He even

makes the deaf hear and the mute speak.”

P *This is the Gospel of the Lord.*

C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH

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WELCOME VISITOR, 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: 66 Visitors: 2;
Bible Class : 12 Sunday School: 13.

CHURCH CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK of September 8 thru September 15

TODAY: Junior Youth Group Meeting at Trinity, 6:30 pm.

TUE.: Volleyball at LSA vs. High Point, 6:30 pm.

Dual Parish Elders' Meeting at Pastor's Office, 6:30 p.m.

Holy Cross Ladies' Aid Meeting at Ambrose, 7:00 p.m.

WED.: LSA Chapel at Trinity, beginning at 8:35 a.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)

Volleyball at LSA vs. Alma (grades 4,5,6), 4:30 p.m.

St. John's Ladies' Aid Meeting at Ambrose, 6:45 p.m.

CCRM Joint Men's Club Meeting at Trinity, 7:00 p.m.

SAT.: LSA at Alma Volleyball Tournament, all day

Saturday evening worship at Trinity, 6:30 p.m., Bible Class at 7:30 p.m.

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

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 Voters' Meeting at LSA Gym, 7:00 p.m.

ACOLYTES: Sept 8—Skylar Mummert; Sept 15—Dylana Stoppel; Sept 22—Emily Burdick; Sept 29—Gage Cross; Oct 6—Gentry Dieckman.

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS: September 22 – Randy Harms and Randy Meyer.
October 6 – Randy Meyer and Jim Goosen.

HOLY CROSS GREETER: September – Jim Goosen.

ALTAR FLOWERS: September 8—Marilyn Heimsoth; Sept 15—Ruby Heimsoth; September 22—Gayla Hickman.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Haldor Barnes, Eileen Brandes, Ethelene Jagels, 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. July donations were \$18,002.00. Our loan balance is down to \$6,298.60

WE TREASURE YOU!! Thank you to all who helped with the LSA float. Whether it was pleating, fluffing or anything, your help was invaluable to the success of our float. Thank you!

FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY! The Regional Ministry Team hosted a very successful Financial Peace University class last January. We are wondering if there is any interest in another round possibly in October and November, or January and February. Please email Pastor Poppen at colecamlutheran@gmail.com if you are interested or have any questions.

THE VOTERS OF THE DUAL PARISH will have their annual Dual Parish Voters Assembly next Sunday, Sept 15th at the Lutheran School Gym, beginning at 7:00 p.m.

L.Y.F. WILL MEET on September 22, 2019 at 6:30 in Trinity basement for our monthly meeting. Please note that we normally meet the 1st Sunday of each month at 6:30 PM. We welcome incoming 9th graders thru 12th graders and look forward to seeing you there! Also, note that LYF has a Facebook page -Trinity LYF and a Team App- Cole Camp Trinity LYF and all postings for group are located there.

COLE CAMP FRESH MARKET: It's time to start saving your Cole Camp Fresh Market receipts. LSA will receive \$500 when we collect \$50,000 in Cole Camp Fresh Market receipts. The collection period runs from the first of school to the last day of School, May 15, 2020. Thank you, Cole Camp Fresh Market in giving us the opportunity to earn extra funds for LSA!

SAVE ALUMINUM CAN POP TABS: You can help children receive quality medical care by providing families with a place to stay near a hospital by saving your aluminum can pop tabs. Pop tabs can be brought to the school office at any time. Thank you!

WOMEN'S DAY RETREAT at St. Paul's Lutheran in Sedalia will be this Saturday, Sept. 14th, in the school gym. Fill your bucket with topics including women's health, stress management, exercise and spiritual health. Registration begins at 8:30 AM and the retreat will end at 2:30 PM. There will be no charge for the event and lunch will be provided. Contact Barbara Desmond for more information by calling or texting her at 660-221-9454.

SEDALIA ZONE L.W.M.L. FALL RALLY will be held on Tuesday, October 1, at Trinity in Cole Camp with Registration and Tea Time at 9AM. The meeting will begin at 10AM. The Speaker will be Wanda Pritzel, Director of Ministry Support at Lutheran Family Service of Iowa and Lutheran Homes in Perry, Iowa. The lunch menu includes sliders, potato soup, and apple cake and the cost of the meal is \$7.00. There will be a love offering for Lutheran Family Services, a general offering, and an ingathering of used prescription eye glasses for Haiti. Manual reports are due by Sept. 9 and can be sent to mcase@embarqmail.com or send to Myra Case, 111 N Grother, Cole Camp, MO 65325. Please send registrations to ruthann.karman@gmail.com or call 660-668-4735 by September 16.

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Order of Worship

Divine Service Setting Four

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Hymn 686

“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

The Collect of the Day

Almighty and merciful God, by Your gift alone Your faithful people render true and laudable service. Help us steadfastly to live in this life according to Your promises and finally attain Your heavenly glory; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

☩ Amen.

The Readings:

Isaiah 29:17-24 — The deaf shall hear
2 Corinthians 3:4-11 – Ministers
Mark 7:31-37—Jesus heals a deaf man

The Sermon

Text – Is. 29:17-24 and 2 Cor. 3:4-11
Theme - “Deaf No More”

Hymn of the Day 545

“Word of God, Come Down on Earth”

Closing Hymn: 524

“How Sweet the Name
of Jesus Sounds”