

***Prayer after Communion**

Pastor: Faithful God, you have spread before us a feast of rich food and drink in the body and blood of your Son. Now send us out to labor with you, in serviced to the world you have made, and among the people you have made your home. **C: Amen.**

***Blessing**

Pastor: The Ancient One, enthroned; the Crucified One, now risen; the Indwelling One, poured out, + bless you now and forever. **C: Amen.**

***Recessional Hymn:** Oh, Happy Day When We Shall Stand **LBW 351**

***Dismissal**

Pastor: Go in peace. Encourage one another in Christ. **C: Thanks be to God.**

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ANNOUNCEMENTS:
Please keep the following in your prayers:

Dave Lamar Walter Maul Elzy Pauley Carolyn Pinos Ava Stancovich
Emma Rosman Beni Krisko

If anyone wishes to give to Harvest Home, there are envelopes on the desk in the Narthex.

November 23—FREE Thanksgiving Dinner will be held at 1 pm at the Benscreek Social and Citizens Club, 157 Club Road, Lilly, PA.

December 1— Congregational Meeting to approve budget for 2025 and to elect council members.

December 2—Council Meeting at 6:30 pm.

This morning, Jack Seymore, an authorized lay worship leader in the Allegheny Synod, ELCA will distribute the gifts of bread and wine.

If anyone is in need of Pastoral care, please call the Allegheny Synod Office to make arrangements at (814) 942-1042.

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Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost
November 10, 2024
Worship Sundays at 9:00 am



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Communion Hospitality
Lutheran Christians believe Christ is truly present in his supper. By faith we receive his Body and Blood “in, with, and under” the forms: of bread and wine for our forgiveness, life, and salvation. All baptized Christians who desire to receive Jesus in his sacrament, are welcome to commune.

Tall candles are in memory of Virginia Pinos by Ruth Elaine. Small candles are in memory of Virginia Pinos by Ruth Elaine.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Setting II

Parish Announcements

Prelude

*= Stand (The sign of the cross + may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.)

*Announcements:

Pastor: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, our refuge, our delight, our beginning and our end. C: Amen.

Pastor: Let us come in truth before the one who loves us and has freed us from our sin.

Silence is kept for reflection. Please kneel as your are able.

Pastor: Eternal One, robed in majesty and mercy, we confess that sin has taken hold of us and we are complicit in its power. We are disturbed in spirit and our hearts cannot rest. Unbind us and set us free. Lead us again to the waters of rebirth, that we may live just and generous lives for the good of your world and the care of our neighbors, following in the servant way of Jesus. Amen.

Pastor: These words are trustworthy and true: Christ bore our sins once, for all, on the cross, swallowing up death forever. For his sake, you are + forgiven and God remembers your sin no more. Let your heart be glad again, and rejoice in your salvation. Amen.

Entrance Hymn: Fling Wide the Door LBW 32

Pastor: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. C: And also with you.

*Kyrie p. 78

*Hymn of Praise P.79

*Prayer of the Day: Pastor: The Lord be with you. C: And also with you.

First Reading: 1 Kings 17:8-16 L: The word of the Lord. C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 146 (Read Responsively)

Second Reading: Hebrews 9:24-28 L: The word of the Lord. C: Thanks be to God.

*The Verse p. 83

*Holy Gospel: Mark 12:38-44 C: Glory to you O Lord .

C: Praise to you O Christ

Sermon

*Hymn of the Day	Take My Life, that I May Be	LBW 406
*Apostles’ Creed		p. 85
*Prayers of the Church		
Pastor:	Merciful God,	C: Receive our prayer.
*Passing of Peace	Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always. C: And also with you. The minister and congregation may greet one another in the name of the Lord, and then be seated.	
Offering	The offering is received as the Lord’s table is prepared.	
*Offertory	“Let the Vineyards”	p. 86
*Offertory Prayer		
Pastor:	Lord Jesus, our portion and our cup, you offered yourself in love for the world, and in this meal you nourish us with your life. Fill us with your abundance, that we may feed the hungry and welcome the stranger, trusting in your name. C: Amen.	
Liturgy of Holy Communion		
*Great Thanksgiving and Sanctus		p. 88
*When our brothers and sisters at Zion Lutheran Church in Hollidaysburg gathered for worship, we heard again the story of God’s mighty acts and the love shown to us in Jesus’ life, death, resurrection, and ascension, and we shared in the holy meal of the Lord’s Supper. Now, I bring to you this same word of life, and this same bread and cup of blessing, so that we may share these gifts and be strengthened in communion with all the people of God. Gathered at the Lord’s table, we celebrated with thanksgiving that “in the night in which Jesus was betrayed, he took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples saying: Take and eat; this is my body given for you. Do this in remembrance of me. Again, after supper he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink saying: “This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.” This is the supper our Lord Jesus Christ, and this meal is shared with the assurance of our Lord’s presence through the gift of the Holy Spirit. This bread and cup, shared in the gathering of our faith, are now given here for you..		
*The Lord’s Prayer		p. 91
*Invitation to Communion:		
Pastor:	Behold, God is making all things new. Take your place in the new creation	
*Agnus Dei	“Lamb of God”	p. 92
As the ministers give the bread and wine, they say these words to each communicant: “The body of Christ, given for you.’ & ‘The blood of Christ, shed for you.’ After each, the communicant may say: ‘Amen.’		
Distribution		
Communion Hymn:	Blessed Assurance	WOV 699
*Post Communion Blessing		p. 92