

# **Welcome in the Name of The Triune God**

**October 17, 2021**

**Season of Pentecost**



- **Prelude by  
Roxanne Groff**
- **Office of the Acolyte**
- **Ringling of the Bell**

**Scripture Focus:  
1 Samuel 3:1-21**

# \* **CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

*All may make the sign of the cross,  
the sign marked at baptism...*

**P: We confess our sins before God and  
one another.**

*Pause for silence and reflection.*

**P: Creator of all things,**

# **\* CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

**C: We have failed to care for all that you have made. We have squandered resources and oppressed others. Forgive us for what we have done and have failed to do. Teach us how to be a good steward of your creation. Amen.**

# \* **CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**


**P: Our God will always love all that God has made. Although we sin, God forgives. Receive now the entire forgiveness of all your sins, granted as a gift from a loving God. In the name of Jesus we pray.**

**C: Amen.**

# \* **APOSTOLIC GREETING**

**P: 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.**

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- **Baptismal Hymn**
  - “Borning Cry” - ELW 732
  - (Verses 1 & 2)
  - *Baptismal party gathers at the font.*

## **\* Borning Cry**

**1 "I was there to hear your borning cry,  
I'll be there when you are old.  
I rejoiced the day you were baptized  
to see your life unfold.  
I was there when  
you were but a child,  
with a faith to suit you well;  
in a blaze of light you wandered off  
to find where demons dwell."**

## **\* Borning Cry**

**2 "When you heard  
the wonder of the Word  
I was there to cheer you on;  
you were raised to praise  
the living Lord,  
to whom you now belong.  
If you find someone to share your time  
and you join your hearts as one,  
I'll be there to make your verses rhyme  
from dusk till rising sun."**



# • **HOLY BAPTISM**

**PE: In Holy Baptism our gracious heavenly Father liberates us from sin and death by joining us to the death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. We are born children of a fallen humanity; in the waters of Baptism we are reborn children of God and inheritors of eternal life. By water and the Holy Spirit, we are made members of the Church which is the body of Christ.**

# • HOLY BAPTISM

PE:As we live with him and with his people,  
we grow in faith, love, and obedience to  
the will of God.

*Sponsors and Parents present Emerson for  
Baptism*

**Sponsors and Parents:**

**We present Marie Eleanor Daniels to  
receive the Sacrament of Holy  
Baptism.**

# • HOLY BAPTISM

*The minister addresses the sponsors  
and guardians.*

**PE: In Christian love you have presented Marie for Holy Baptism. You should, therefore, faithfully bring her to the services of God's house, and teach her the Lord's Prayer, the Creed, and the Ten Commandments.**

# • **HOLY BAPTISM**

**PE:As she grows in years, you should place in her hands the Holy Scriptures and provide for her instruction in the Christian faith, that, living in the covenant of her Baptism and in communion with the Church, she may lead a godly life until the day of Jesus Christ.**

# • **HOLY BAPTISM**

**PE: Do you promise to fulfill these obligations?**

**Sponsors and Parents: We do.**

**PM: Congregation of Trinity Lutheran Church, do you promise to assist these sponsors and parents to fulfill these obligations?**

**C: We do and we ask God to help and guide us.**

# • HOLY BAPTISM - THANKSGIVING

PE: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

PE: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C: It is right to give him thanks and  
praise.**

*Water is poured into the Baptismal Font as the  
prayer is said.*

PE: Holy God, mighty Lord, gracious Father:  
We give you thanks, for in the beginning  
your Spirit moved over the waters and you  
created heaven and earth.

# • **HOLY BAPTISM**

**PE: By the gift of water, you nourish and sustain us and all living things.**

**By the waters of the flood you condemned the wicked and saved those whom you had chosen, Noah and his family. You led Israel by the pillar of cloud and fire through the sea, out of slavery into the freedom of the promised land.**

# • **HOLY BAPTISM**

**PE: In the waters of the Jordan your Son was baptized by John and anointed with the Spirit. By the baptism of his own death and resurrection your beloved Son has set us free from the bondage to sin and death, and has opened the way to the joy and freedom of everlasting life. He made water a sign of the kingdom and of cleansing and rebirth.**



# • HOLY BAPTISM

PE: In obedience to his command, we make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Pour out your Holy Spirit, so that *Marie Eleanor Daniels* who is about to be here baptized may be given new life.

# • HOLY BAPTISM

**PE:** Wash away *her* sins, cleans *her* by this water, and bring *her* forth as an heir of your glorious kingdom. To you be given praise and honor and worship through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

**C:** Amen

## \* **PROFESSION OF FAITH**

*The minister addresses the baptismal group and the congregation.*

**PM:** I ask you to profess your faith in Christ Jesus, reject sin, and confess the faith of the church, the faith in which we baptize. Do you renounce all the forces of evil, the devil, and all his empty promises?

**C:** I do.

# **\* PROFESSION OF FAITH**

**PM: Do you believe in God the Father?**

**C: I believe in God, the Father  
almighty, creator of heaven and  
earth.**

# **\* PROFESSION OF FAITH**

**PM:** Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

**C:** I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell.\*

*\* Or, He descended to the dead.*

## **\* PROFESSION OF FAITH**

**C: On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

# **\* PROFESSION OF FAITH**

**P: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?**

**C: I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen**

# \* BAPTISM

*The minister baptizes each child.*

***PE: Marie Eleanor Daniels, I***

**baptize you in the name of the  
Father, and of the Son, and of  
the Holy Spirit. Amen.**



# \* BAPTISM

**PE:**The Lord be with you.

**C:** And also with you.

*The minister lays both hands on the head of each of the baptized and prays for the Holy Spirit:*

**PE:**God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, we give you thanks for freeing your sons and daughters from the power of sin and for raising them up to a new life through this holy sacrament.

# \* BAPTISM

PE: Pour your Holy Spirit upon Marie  
Eleanor Daniels: the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord, the spirit of joy in your presence.

C: Amen

# \* BAPTISM

**PE: Marie Eleanor Daniels, child of  
God, you have been sealed by the  
Holy Spirit and marked with the  
cross of Christ forever.**

**C: Amen**

# \* BAPTISM

*A lighted candle is given to the baptized (to the sponsor of a young child) by a representative of the congregation who says:*

**R: Marie, let your light so shine  
before others that they may see  
your good works and glorify your  
Father in heaven.**

# \* BAPTISM

**PE: Let us pray... O God, the giver of all life, look with kindness upon Nicholas and Rebecca. Let them ever rejoice in the gift you have given them. Make them teachers and examples of righteousness for these children you have given to them.**

# \* **BAPTISM**

**PE: Strengthen them in their own Baptism so they may share eternally with Marie and Russell, the salvation you have given them, through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

**C: Amen.**

# \* WELCOME

*The ministers and the baptismal group turn toward the congregation; a representative of the congregation says:*

**PM: Through Baptism God has made Elena and Ian our new siblings in Christ and fellow members of the priesthood we all share in Christ Jesus, that together we may proclaim the praise of God and bear his creative and redeeming Word to all the world.**

## \* WELCOME

**C: We welcome you into the Lord's family. We receive you as fellow members of the body of Christ, children of the same heavenly Father, and workers with us in the kingdom of God.**

*Applause is appropriate as the pastor presents the newly Baptized to the congregation. All return to their places.*



## **\* Borning Cry**

**3 "In the middle ages of your life,  
not too old, no longer young,  
I'll be there to guide you  
through the night,  
complete what I've begun.  
When the evening gently closes in  
and you shut your weary eyes,  
I'll be there as I have always been,  
with just one more surprise."**

## **\* Borning Cry**

**4 "I was there to hear  
your borning cry,  
I'll be there when you are old.  
I rejoiced the day  
you were baptized  
to see your life unfold."**

# \* PRAYER OF THE DAY

**P:** Lord whom we serve, Samuel did not recognize your voice when you called, but he eventually obeyed. Teach us to know your voice and to respond, “Here I am!”

**C: Amen**



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# • Scripture Reading

**R: The Scripture reading is from the Book of First Samuel, Chapter 3.**

**C: Glory to you O' Lord! *(Spoken)***

- **First Samuel 3:1-21**

Now the boy Samuel was ministering to the Lord under Eli. The word of the Lord was rare in those days; visions were not widespread. <sup>2</sup>At that time Eli, whose eyesight had begun to grow dim so that he could not see, was lying down in his room; <sup>3</sup>the lamp of God had not yet gone out, and Samuel was lying down in the temple of the Lord, where the ark of God was. <sup>4</sup>Then the Lord

- **First Samuel 3:1-21**

called, “Samuel! Samuel!” and he said, “Here I am!” <sup>5</sup>and ran to Eli, and said, “Here I am, for you called me.” But he said, “I did not call; lie down again.” So he went and lay down. <sup>6</sup>The Lord called again, “Samuel!” Samuel got up and went to Eli, and said, “Here I am, for you called me.” But he said, “I did not call, my son; lie down again.” <sup>7</sup>Now Samuel did not yet know the Lord, and

- **First Samuel 3:1-21**

the word of the Lord had not yet been revealed to him. <sup>8</sup>The Lord called Samuel again, a third time. And he got up and went to Eli, and said, “Here I am, for you called me.” Then Eli perceived that the Lord was calling the boy. <sup>9</sup>Therefore Eli said to Samuel, “Go, lie down; and if he calls you, you shall say, ‘Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening.’” So Samuel went and lay



- **First Samuel 3:1-21**

down in his place. <sup>10</sup>Now the Lord came and stood there, calling as before, “Samuel! Samuel!” And Samuel said, “Speak, for your servant is listening.”

<sup>11</sup>Then the Lord said to Samuel, “See, I am about to do something in Israel that will make both ears of anyone who hears of it tingle. <sup>12</sup>On that day I will fulfill against Eli all that I have spoken

- **First Samuel 3:1-21**

concerning his house, from beginning to end. <sup>13</sup>For I have told him that I am about to punish his house forever, for the iniquity that he knew, because his sons were blaspheming God, and he did not restrain them. <sup>14</sup>Therefore I swear to the house of Eli that the iniquity of Eli's house shall not be expiated by sacrifice or offering forever." <sup>15</sup>Samuel lay there until

- **First Samuel 3:1-21**

morning; then he opened the doors of the house of the Lord. Samuel was afraid to tell the vision to Eli. <sup>16</sup>But Eli called Samuel and said, “Samuel, my son.” He said, “Here I am.” <sup>17</sup>Eli said, “What was it that he told you? Do not hide it from me. May God do so to you and more also, if you hide anything from me of all that he told you.” <sup>18</sup>So Samuel told him everything and hid

- **First Samuel 3:1-21**

nothing from him. Then he said, “It is the Lord; let him do what seems good to him.”

<sup>19</sup>As Samuel grew up, the Lord was with him and let none of his words fall to the ground. <sup>20</sup>And all Israel from Dan to Beer-sheba knew that Samuel was a trustworthy prophet of the Lord.

- **First Samuel 3:1-21**

**<sup>21</sup>The Lord continued to appear at Shiloh, for the Lord revealed himself to Samuel at Shiloh by the word of the Lord.**

**L: This is the Word of the Lord.**

**C: Praise to You, O Christ (*Spoken*)**

# Sermon



# Special Music



# \* PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

*Each petition will end with the words,*

**A: Guiding God,**

*The congregation will respond with:*

**C: Hear our prayer.**



# \* PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

*The prayer concludes...*

**P:** We thank you for bringing us so close that we can speak to you, and for loving us so much that you hear us when we pray. Gather up these petitions for the sake of Jesus our Lord.

**C:** Amen.

# \* SHARING OF THE PEACE

*The Sharing of the Peace that began when the congregation arrived is now shared with the Pastor at this time...*

**P:** The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C:** And also with you.

# Offering Prayer



# \* **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**P: Jesus is the tie that binds us together as one Body. So, let us pray as Jesus taught...**

**C: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses,**

# \* THE LORD'S PRAYER

**C: as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

# Announcements



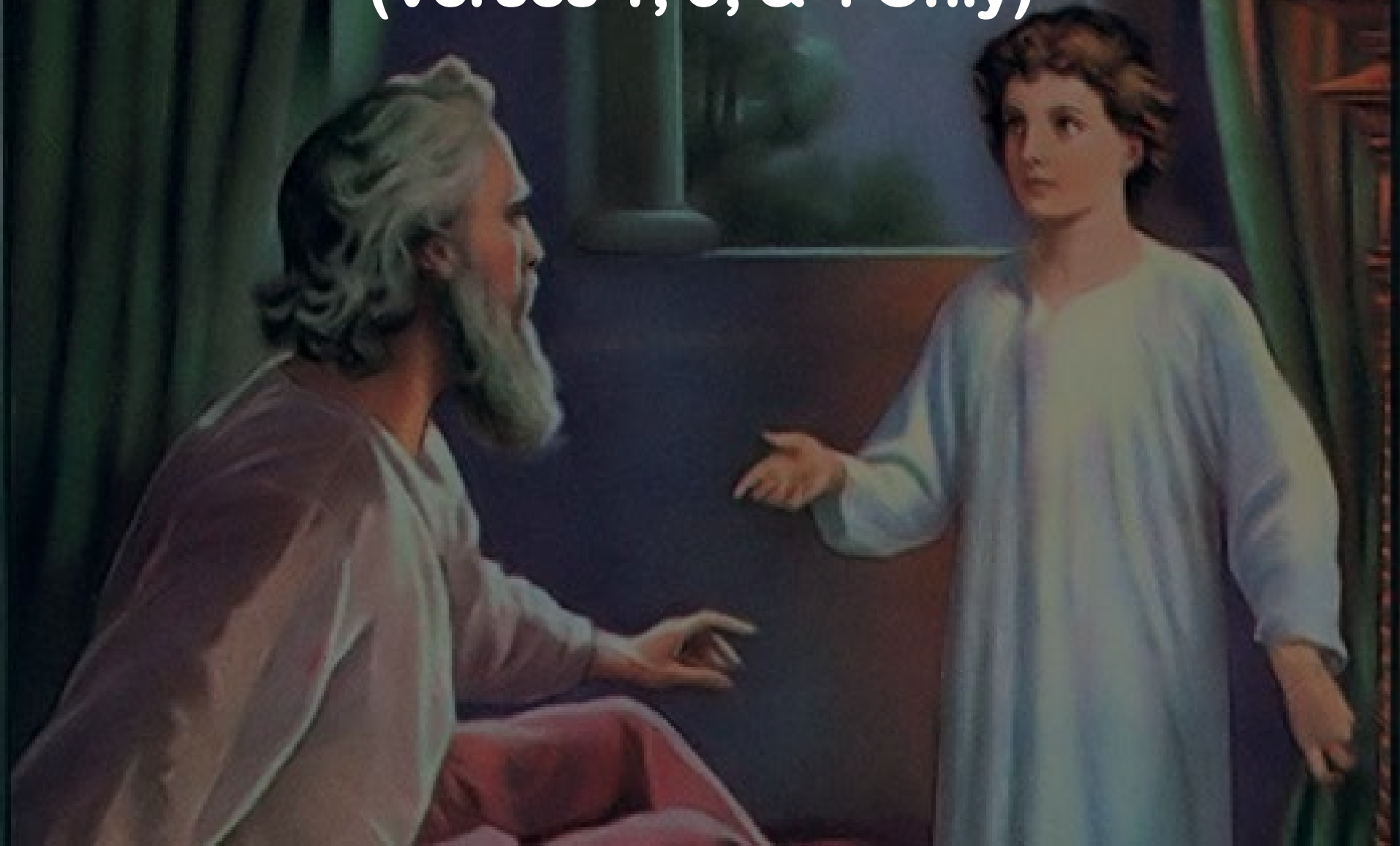
# \* **SENDING BLESSING**

**P: People of God, you are Christ's body, bringing new life to a suffering world.**

**The holy Trinity, ✝ one God, bless you now and forever.**

**C: Amen.**

**Lord, Speak to Us, That We May Speak**  
**LBW 403**  
**(Verses 1, 3, & 4 Only)**





**\* Lord, Speak to us, That We May Speak  
LBW 403, verses 1, 3, & 4 Only**

**1 Lord, speak to us,  
that we may speak  
in living echoes  
of your tone;  
as you have sought,  
so let us seek  
your straying children,  
lost and lone.**

**\* Lord, Speak to us, That We May Speak  
LBW 403, verses 1, 3, & 4 Only**

**3 Oh, teach us, Lord,  
that we may teach  
the precious truths  
which you impart;  
and wing our words,  
that they may reach  
the hidden depths  
of many a heart.**

**\* Lord, Speak to us, That We May Speak  
LBW 403, verses 1, 3, & 4 Only**

**4 Oh, fill us with  
your fullness, Lord,  
until our very  
hearts o'erflow  
in kindling thought  
and glowing word,  
your love to tell,  
your praise to show.**

# \* **DISMISSAL**

**P: Until we gather again as God's people to offer our worship and praise, depart in Christ's Love,**

**C: Seeking, welcoming, and serving all.  
Amen!**

## **Postlude by Roxanne Groff**

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