



Knowing God

"Those who know Your name,
put their trust in You." Ps. 9:10

Sovereign
Loving
All-Knowing

Faithful

All-Powerful
Good

Gracious

Ever Present

The sixth part in the series: "Knowing God"

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AS WE GATHER

A rock can't swim. A hippo can't fly. A butterfly can't eat a bowl of spaghetti. We can't sleep on a cloud. And God cannot lie. God never exaggerates, manipulates, fibs or flatters. *God is faithful!*

HYMN OF INVOCATION FROM ALL THAT DWELL BELOW THE SKIES LSB 816, vs. 1,2

***INVOCATION**

P In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
 C **Amen.**

***CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION**

P God is faithful! He promises to forgive our wickedness and remember our sins no more.
 P Forgive us, Father, for we are prone to bury our guilt in our hearts.
 C **But then it comes back to hurt us and haunt us.**
 P Forgive us, Father, for we are prone to blame our guilt on someone else.
 C **But this burdens other people and often destroys relationships.**
 P Forgive us, Father, for we are prone to beat ourselves up with guilt.
 C **But this leaves us down, depressed and despondent.**
 P And stuck in a pit of despair.
 C **Lord, have mercy! Christ, have mercy! Lord, have mercy!**

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

P Hear the best news you will ever hear! Every one of God's promises are yes in Christ Jesus—you are washed in the blood of the Lamb, victorious because of the empty tomb, sealed in salvation with the gift of the Holy Spirit and bound for heaven for it is the Father's free gift to you!
 P Come, let us know.
 C **Let us press on to know the LORD!**

***KYRIE**

LSB 168

P In peace let us pray to the Lord.
 C **Lord, have mercy.**
 P For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.
 C **Lord, have mercy.**
 P For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.
 C **Lord, have mercy.**
 P For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.
 C **Lord, have mercy.**
 P Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.
 C **Amen.**

HYMN

FROM ALL THAT DWELL BELOW THE SKIES

LSB 816, vs. 3

All praise to God the Father be,
All praise, eternal Son, to Thee.
Alleluia, alleluia!
Whom with the Spirit we adore
Forever and forevermore:
Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

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*SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Let us pray.

Father, Son and Holy Spirit, in spite of our faithlessness you remain faithful for all your promises are “yes” in Christ. Empower us to believe them, receive them and rejoice in them, this day and forevermore. We pray in the faithful name of Jesus,

C **Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Deuteronomy 7:6–9

⁶“You are a people holy to the LORD your God. The LORD your God has chosen you to be a people for his treasured possession, out of all the peoples who are on the face of the earth. ⁷It was not because you were more in number than any other people that the LORD set his love on you and chose you, for you were the fewest of all peoples, ⁸but it is because the LORD loves you and is keeping the oath that he swore to your fathers, that the LORD has brought you out with a mighty hand and redeemed you from the house of slavery, from the hand of Pharaoh king of Egypt. ⁹Know therefore that the LORD your God is God, the faithful God who keeps covenant and steadfast love with those who love him and keep his commandments, to a thousand generations.”

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM

Psalms 121

¹I lift up my eyes to the hills.

From where does my help come?

²My help comes from the LORD,
who made heaven and earth.

³He will not let your foot be moved;
he who keeps you will not slumber.

⁴Behold, he who keeps Israel
will neither slumber nor sleep.

⁵The LORD is your keeper;
the LORD is your shade on your right hand.

⁶The sun shall not strike you by day,
nor the moon by night.

⁷The LORD will keep you from all evil;
he will keep your life.

⁸The LORD will keep
your going out and your coming in
from this time forth and forevermore.

EPISTLE

2 Corinthians 1:18–20

¹⁸As surely as God is faithful, our word to you has not been Yes and No. ¹⁹For the Son of God, Jesus Christ, whom we proclaimed among you, Silvanus and Timothy and I, was not Yes and No, but in him it is always Yes. ²⁰For all the promises of God find their Yes in him. That is why it is through him that we utter our Amen to God for his glory.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

*ALLELUIA AND VERSE

LSB 173

C **Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?
You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.**

*HOLY GOSPEL

John 7:28–39

P The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the seventh chapter.

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

²⁸So Jesus proclaimed, as he taught in the temple, "You know me, and you know where I come from? But I have not come of my own accord. He who sent me is true, and him you do not know. ²⁹I know him, for I come from him, and he sent me." ³⁰So they were seeking to arrest him, but no one laid a hand on him, because his hour had not yet come. ³¹Yet many of the people believed in him. They said, "When the Christ appears, will he do more signs than this man has done?"

³²The Pharisees heard the crowd muttering these things about him, and the chief priests and Pharisees sent officers to arrest him. ³³Jesus then said, "I will be with you a little longer, and then I am going to him who sent me. ³⁴You will seek me and you will not find me. Where I am you cannot come." ³⁵The Jews said to one another, "Where does this man intend to go that we will not find him? Does he intend to go to the Dispersion among the Greeks and teach the Greeks? ³⁶What does he mean by saying, 'You will seek me and you will not find me,' and, 'Where I am you cannot come'?"

³⁷On the last day of the feast, the great day, Jesus stood up and cried out, "If anyone thirsts, let him come to me and drink. ³⁸Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, 'Out of his heart will flow rivers of living water.'" ³⁹Now this he said about the Spirit, whom those who believed in him were to receive, for as yet the Spirit had not been given, because Jesus was not yet glorified.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.
C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

***NICENE CREED** — *See projection or inside back cover of the pew hymnal*

SERMON

OUR FAITHFUL GOD

HYMN OF THE DAY

GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS

LSB 809

OFFERING

***PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

After each petition:

P O LORD, you are our God, we will praise your name
C **You are faithful and true.** (based on Isaiah 25:1)

***PREFACE**

LSB 177

P The Lord be with you.
C **And also with you.**

P Lift up your hearts.
C **We lift them to the Lord.**

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
C **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

P It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

***SANCTUS** *Sung—tune LSB 178*

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might:
Heav'n and earth are full of Your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

LSB 178

***THE WORDS OF OUR LORD**

***PROCLAMATION OF CHRIST**

- P As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.
C **Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

***LORD'S PRAYER**— *See projection or inside back cover of the pew hymnal*

***PAX DOMINI**

LSB 180

- P The peace of the Lord be with you always.
C **Amen.**

***AGNUS DEI**

LSB 180

Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

DISTRIBUTION Please use the pew cards to register your attendance at Holy Communion, placing cards in the offering plate as you exit.

HYMN GOD LOVED THE WORLD SO THAT HE GAVE LSB 571, vs. 1-5

HYMN CHRIST, THE WORD OF GOD INCARNATE LSB 540, vs. 1-5

***THANK THE LORD**

LSB 181

Thank the Lord and sing His praise; tell ev'ryone what He has done.
Let ev'ryone who seeks the Lord rejoice and proudly bear His name.
He recalls His promises and leads His people forth in joy
with shouts of thanksgiving. Alleluia, alleluia.

***POST-COMMUNION COLLECT**

***BENEDICTION**

LSB 183

HYMN TO DEPART MY HOPE IS BUILT ON NOTHING LESS LSB 576

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Serving our Lord

		October 16, 2022	October 23, 2022
Musician		Merlin Simon	Diane Streich
Cantor		Dave Workman	Andy Koch
Altar Guild		Joanie Wachter and Jane Shull	Joanie Wachter and Jane Shull
Elder	8am	Jon Peterson	Sam Erdman
	10:30am	Kurt Vallin	Jon Peterson
Reader	8am	Peter Olsen	Tim Morris
	10:30am	Kurt Vallin	Keith Prusak
Usher Team	8am	Layne Streich	Gary Sheets
	10:30am	Lance Halverson	Open
Greeter(s)....	8am	Karen Turnmire	Open
	10:30am	Open	Open
Acolyte(s)	8am	Open	Seth Halverson and Eli Halverson
	10:30am	Jacob Seeman	Andrew Swenson
Projectionist	8am	Peter Olsen	Lance Halverson
	10:30am	Matt Seeman	Ben Swenson
Live Stream	8am	Jim Nicklas	Jim Nicklas



TLO Sunday School Greeters Still Needed for Nov. & Dec.!

Thank you to everyone who has volunteered this fall as a Sunday School Greeter. We still need volunteers for 5 Sundays before the end of the year. You can be that friendly presence from **9-9:30am** at the Sunday School Information Table located in the school entryway. Please use this Signup Genius link to volunteer your time: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0A45A95-tlosunday> Questions? Contact Lynn Kroonblawd ([651-235-8259](tel:651-235-8259) or kroonblawd86@q.com). Thank you for serving in our Sunday School!



School Forest Clean Up Day Saturday, October 22, 10am-12noon

Come help clear away some brush and debris in the school forest left by a recent wind storm at TLO. Bring gloves, pruning tools, and a chain saw, if you have them. Thanks for helping keep our school forest a great space for learning and recreation!

COMING UP AT TLO — October 16, 2022 — October 23, 2022

NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sun	8:00*am	Worship with Holy Communion
	9:15am	Education Hour for all ages
	10:30am	Worship with Holy Communion
	12:30pm	Peniel Evangelical Church worship
Mon	10:00am	Adult Bible study
	6:30pm	Trail Life Troop 2950
Tue	10:30am	TLO leads worship at Lexington Pointe Senior Living
Wed	6:30am	Men's Bible study
Thur		No school—church office open
Fri		No school—church office open
Sat	10am-noon	School Forest clean up

TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sun	8:00*am	Worship
	9:15am	Education Hour for all ages
	10:30am	Worship
	12:30pm	Peniel Evangelical Church worship

*worship online at www.trinityloneoak.org



PRO-LIFE BRUNCH at TLO

Sat. Oct 29 | 10am-12noon | TLO

Do you have children, grandchildren or great grandchildren who are age 16-30? Amnion is hosting a free brunch for these young adults to encourage and inspire them to stand for life and engage in healthy conversations. Our keynote speaker, Emily Albrecht, has 4 million views on Tik Tok (and that's just since January) and trains groups across the country on how to engage in healthy pro-life conversations. Register by Oct 21 at <https://helpofferhope.org/events/brunch/>



Scholastic Book Fair

The Trinity Lone Oak Lutheran Library is sponsoring the Scholastic Book Fair where you will be able to shop for birthday or Christmas presents or just items for enjoyment and benefit TLO Library at the same time. The Book Sale will be open Sundays, Oct 30 and Nov. 6 from 9:00 am to noon, as well as Nov. 1 and Nov. 3 after school until the end of conferences. We hope to see you there!



Volleyball

LCMS church members are invited to play volleyball Sunday afternoons. Redemption Lutheran Church (927 E Old Shakopee Rd) in Bloomington will be hosting adult circuit volleyball, open to men and women 18 and up. Warmup starts at 1 P.M. and then teams are formed for playing. If needed, teams will be adjusted to make them more even. (This year, we will play until approximately 3:30 P.M.) If you decide to play after the first couple of weeks, the fee will be \$10 per person for the season which begins Sunday October 9 and runs through Spring of 2023. Unfortunately, we are unable to provide childcare. If you are interested or have questions contact: Lon (Landsortner@comcast.net) or just show up.



Praise the Lord

We rejoice at the birth of Jonathan Wilbur and Eliza Mae, grandchildren of TLO members Jim and Connie Kohn and Peter and Faith Jonas. The twins were born October 12 to Luke and Sarah Jonas. Please keep this young family in prayer as they train up their children in the way they should go (Prov. 22:6)



80th birthday celebration for Joanne Naas.

This Saturday, October 22nd 2-4pm. Join us for dessert and fellowship!

Commons Room
13665 Carrach Ave
Rosemount, MN 55068

Questions and RSVP's can be directed to joannes80thparty@gmail.com



Concordia Academy Holiday Craft Fair

November 12, 2022

9:00 am – 3:00 pm

Don't miss Concordia Academy's Holiday Craft Fair, featuring dozens of crafters and vendors, a café with delicious treats, hourly prize drawings, and fun for everyone.

WEEKLY DEPOSITS: October 9, 2022

General Fund Income:			
	Current and Mission Weekly Offering	\$	8,830.00
	(Our offering budget is \$8,175 per week)		
	Building Reserve Fund	\$	380.00
	(Our offering budget is \$665 for per week)		
	1883 School Annual Fund	\$	120.00
	1883 School Annual Fund in memory of Norman Sell	\$	100.00
	Garden Club in memory of Norman Sell	\$	25.00
	Current and Mission in memory of Norman Sell	\$	25.00
	Sunday school	\$	1.25
	Chapel	\$	45.50
	Tuition	\$	10,506.02
	Verizon Tower Rental	\$	1,844.81
	Church and school fees	\$	18,018.58
	Subtotal General Fund Income	\$	39,896.16
Special Purpose Income (not available for general fund spending)			
	YTF2	\$	1,867.50
	Acorn Scholarship Fund	\$	20.00
	Young Investors Stamps through Lutheran Church Extension Fund	\$	210.00
	Subtotal Special Fund Income	\$	2,097.50

Christmas Wreaths and Poinsettias



Support our TLO YOUTH with beautiful wreaths, greens and poinsettias from Gertens! View a list of available items and order online at www.gertensfundraising.com. Our online store ID is

299. The Gertens order site closes on October 20. Item pick-up time around

Thanksgiving. Contact Tim Morris with questions: tmorris@ml1.net, cell 651-346-9781.



Tiger-Thon update

Our students did such a great job collecting pledges that we raised \$16,750 (and counting!), exceeding our all-school goal by over \$5,000! It was a TLO community effort and we thank everyone who supported this year's marathon, with your prayers, time, encouragement, donations and support! These funds will go toward getting air conditioning for K-8 classrooms and fun items for the school forest!



Remember in Prayer

Rich and Dixie Cliff

Ginny and Steve (coworker of Hannah Kroonblawd) as Ginny is diagnosed with stage 4 non hodgkin's

Ed Jones, father of David Jones and Julie Casby, in need of our continued prayer

Corinne Kroonblawd, Pastor's mom, in hospice

Joseph Labhart (Flannery's grandson) ongoing health concerns

Dan Linse, successful surgery; pray for full recovery

For Jordan Lowry and his family, Marisa, Garrett and Eli, on his military deployment.

Brian Motz in need of our prayers

Ian Olander, TLO Grade 3 student, receiving treatments on tumor

Renee Pickerign, undergoing cancer treatment

John Prusak, Keith's father, struggling with Parkinson's and dementia

James Seitz, father of 6th grade student, thanksgiving for quick recovery

Arnold and Shirley Streich, Layne's parents, as Arnold transitions to nursing home care

Billy D. Swain, ongoing health concerns

Karl Vallin, recovering from appendectomy October 14

Laverne and Beverly Ziebell, prayers as they both battle covid and make life-changing decisions



TLO mourns with those who will miss the earthly presence of Jeanne Aeschliman and Janet Schuetze. Jeanne was a teacher in our school, circa 1983, and Janet and her husband Martin were members of TLO years ago. We rejoice knowing that both women professed Jesus as Lord and Savior, trusting that He is the Way, the Truth, and the Life. (John 14:6). Flowers on the altar are from Janet's funeral at Emmanuel IGH October 14.



Birthdays this week

Oct 16 Joanne Naas, Peter Olsen

Oct 17 Leann Becker, Lois Schaaf, Roger Schaaf

Oct 18 Erbey Estrada, Elle Montez, Ashlee Zeches

Oct 19 Alan Turnmire

Oct 20 William Kolesar, Quoc Nguyen, Dakota Rahn, Austin Rudoll

Oct 21 Hannah Heath, Jim Perron

Oct 22 Corey Perron, Taylor Erdman

Anniversaries this week

Oct 16 Andy and Michelle Koch

Oct 18 Michael and Lisa Loge

Oct 22 Rich and Dixie Cliff (67 years!)



Welcome Guests

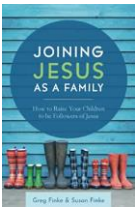
We are glad you are here today! Here are a few things we thought you would like to know to help you feel at home with us today. If you are visiting please introduce yourself to one of our pastors, a greeter or an usher. We love to make new friends!

For those with small children, a nursery is available, located in the narthex, if you need a place to care for your child. Children's bulletins are in the narthex, or ask an usher.

Restrooms are located to the east end of the narthex near the main entrance.

Large print copies of the worship folder are available. Please ask an usher.

Today we celebrate Holy Communion. Please speak with one of our pastors or an elder before communing if this is your first time receiving the Lord's Supper at TLO. The light-colored wine in the center of the individual communion tray is de-alcoholized wine, where the alcohol is reduced to .05%.



Joining Jesus As A Family Sunday, Oct. 16, 9:15am

Pastor Lessing brings this popular book by Greg Finke to life at our Sunday morning Bible class on October 16. Don't miss it!

Operation Christmas Child Lunch and shoebox packing event November 13 | 11:30am

Join us for pizza and fellowship as we pack boxes. Operation Christmas Child brings shoe boxes filled with gifts along with the message of the Gospel to children in desperate situations all over the world.

Children only receive one box in their lifetime and this may be their best opportunity to learn about Jesus since a New Testament in their language is included in every box. You may pack your own box and bring it to TLO. And we will be collecting donations - bars of soap, washcloths, small toys, pencil sharpeners, small stuffed animals, t-shirts and socks for all ages. The cost to ship each box is \$9 so donations towards this cost are also needed. Please have all donations to TLO by November 13.



