Welcome: What a joy it is that you have joined us today as we worship our risen and ascended Savior, Jesus Christ. His perfect life, death and resurrection have won for us forgiveness of sins, life and salvation.

We extend a warm welcome to everyone attending our worship service today, especially to you who are guests. Please sign the guest book at the entrance and join us again soon! If there is any way we can serve you, please speak to the Pastor.

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TODAY’S HYMNS:.....258....349....445 (480 if needed)....332...

Organists: Trinity - David Bilitz;  St. John's – Vernon Roemhildt

FIRST LESSON.............................................Isaiah 55:1-5

PSALM OF THE DAY......................................Psalm 42-43 (p. 82)

SECOND LESSON...........................................Romans 8:35-39

GOSPEL LESSON..........................................Matthew 14:13-21

SERMON..................................................Romans 8:35-39

NOTHING CAN SEPARATE US FROM GOD’S LOVE!
  1. No accusers
  2. No persecutors
  3. No powers of any kinds

HEARING GOD’S WORD
Trinity: 35  St. John's: 63
Thursday: 20

OFFERINGS TO OUR LORD
Trinity: $777.26  St. John's: $1,106.00

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Thursday: 7:00 PM – Worship with Holy Communion – Trinity
Sunday: 8:30 AM - Worship with Holy Communion – Trinity
10:00 AM – Worship with Holy Communion - St. John’s
11:00 AM – Bible Study – St. John’s
Tuesday: 9:30 AM - Bible Study – Trinity
Thursday: 7:00 PM – Worship Service – Trinity
Next Sunday: 8:30 AM - Worship Service – Trinity
10:00 AM – Worship Service - St. John’s
11:00 AM – Bible Study – St. John’s

Announcements:
Holy Communion will be offered in our services today. We practice Close Communion. Visitors from our sister congregations in the WELS and ELS are welcome to commune with us. If you are a guest and wish to commune, please speak to the Pastor before the service.

Our morning 19 Minute Bible classes on Grand Themes and Key Words will meet on Sunday at St. John’s (11 am) and on Tuesday at Trinity (9 am). We will look at – Names.

Everyone is welcome to join us for worship at Trinity on Thursday at 7:00 pm. It will be the same as the up-coming Sunday service.

New Forward in Christ magazines and new daily devotional booklet Meditations (including large print),are all available.

Our churches now have a Facebook page. Search for “St. John-Trinity Lutheran Churches – WELS”. You can check it for announcements, changes, and other information associated with our churches. Don’t forget our churches’ website (www.stjohn-trinity.org) for sermons, bulletins, Bible Studies and more.

Sunday School classes will begin on September 10th at both churches. St. John’s will start at 9 am and Trinity’s at 9:30 am. Please talk to Pastor Bilitz if you would like to teach. There will be an organizational meeting at 7 pm on Wednesday, August 30th at St. John’s for teachers from both churches.

St. John's Ladies' Aid will have their annual Ice Cream Social on Sunday, September 10th, from 11:15 am - 12:45 pm. The menu will include BBQs, ham sandwiches, baked beans, potato salad, chips, pies, cake, ice cream, and beverages. All are welcome!
Bethany Lutheran College welcomes applications for a part time Coordinator of International Students. Bethany also welcomes applications for the Coordinator of Sports Information position with an September 1, 2017 start date. The Coordinator is responsible to the Director of Athletics for planning, developing, and communicating information about the intercollegiate athletics programs and for coordinating athletic events. Complete descriptions and application instructions can be found at https://www.blc.edu/employment

Position Openings at Jesus Loves Me Learning Center, North Mankato. Teacher aides are vital at JLMC. Please think about a position for yourself or someone you know who would be qualified. Hours are available to work with your schedule! Our wages are competitive and what a great way to serve your Lord. Call 507 508 2041 or email lingjlm@hickorytech.net. We will need an after-school staff person the end of August to work with school age children.