

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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SERMON OUTLINE -- FEBRUARY 12, 2023

On Earth as it is in Heaven

(Matthew 6:10)

INTRODUCTION:

Let's meet someone who came to Jesus a prayer intercessor
(John 11:1-3)

I. THE POWER OF GOD IS UNLEASHED **ON EARTH AS IT IS IN HEAVEN** BECAUSE SOMEONE PRAYS

- A. Note: the raising of Lazarus & many coming to faith
(John 11:25; 43 and ff)
- B. Note: how precious are the prayers of God's people (Ephesians 6:18)
- C. Note: John's *Book of Revelation* came about due to prayer
(Revelation 1:10)

II. GOD BRINGS GOOD OUT OF EVIL & HIS WILL IS DONE **ON EARTH AS IT IS IN HEAVEN** (Genesis 50:20)

- A. Prayer does not depend on the one who speaks the prayer, but on Him Who hears it
- B. John 11: "Lord, the one You love is sick" & "When Jesus heard this..."
- C. John tells us that prayer activates God's power **in heaven** & its results are seen **on earth** (Revelation 8:5)

CONCLUSION: *We don't need to understand the mystery of prayer... but we trust God's promise –*

***When we pray, His will is done,
on earth as it is in heaven***

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Trinity's Children Choir

The new Trinity's Children Choir will be starting in March for children from 6 to 12 years old. The goal is to provide children with vocal training and practice, enhance their knowledge in music and develop their musical potential, while at the same time guiding them towards a disciplined life, able to live and work with others in glorifying God and contribute to the community at church festivals, senior homes, or concerts.

The first sessions will take place from March to June 2023 on **WEDNESDAYS** (not Fridays as announced last week) from 3:45pm to 5:15pm. **20 children will be enrolled** at this time. The cost is \$100/child. ***Auditions will take place Wednesday, February 22 from 3:30pm to 5:30pm.*** Applications are available from Pastor Zhang pastorzhang@tlc-lcc.ca

Young Adults Lunch & Bible Study

Young Adults are invited to meet after the English service next **Sunday, February 26 for lunch and Bible study.** *Sorry, today's meeting is cancelled.* Have questions? Ask Samantha samanthaneeb@gmail.com

Meaningful Aging

A seminar at University Chapel, UBC on **Saturday, February 18, 2023** from 9:30am to 3:30pm. \$20 early bird/\$30 at the door (includes lunch).

Seminar is for middle-aged and older to help them, and their family and friends to learn to deal with elderly family members.

Please visit meaningfulaging.chatcanada.org for more details.

Fellowship Dinner

You're invited to a **potluck dinner on Friday, March 10 at 6:30pm.** This dinner is for the whole congregation! After dinner, we'll have a little fun with each table playing as a team for a game of Bible trivia on the Gospel of John. We hope to see you there!

Youth Fundraisers

If you're interested in supporting the youth by helping them attend a retreat at Camp Luther in April and a Gathering in Grand Forks in July, there are two fundraisers available. Check the church website to find the links to place your orders. Paper order forms will be available next week.

Order a pie from **Mr. Cooper's Pies** by Friday, March 10 for pie pickup on Sunday, March 12 after service.

Order your Easter chocolates from **Purdys Chocolate** by Sunday, March 19 for pickup on Sunday, April 2.

Thank you for your support!