

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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SERMON OUTLINE -- MARCH 12, 2023

“Deliver Us From The Evil One”

(Matthew 6:13)

INTRODUCTION: *“Scoring for the other team”*

I. SOME MISFIRES OF HELL

- A. Much to his dismay, Satan is being used by God...
- B. St. Paul and a prison cell

II. DELIVER US FROM *THE EVIL ONE*

- A. The Lord’s Prayer (Matthew 6:13)
- B. Who is this *Evil One*?

III. THE DEVIL IS GOD’S DEVIL – God uses Satan to:

A. Refine the Faithful

- 1. Paul’s “thorn in the flesh” (2 Corinthians 12:7)
- 2. The Church at Smyrna (Revelation 2:10)
 - “a hoe for God’s garden”

B. Awaken the Sleeping

- 1. The Church at Corinth (1 Corinthians 5:5)
- 2. Hymenaeus and Alexander (1 Timothy 1:20)

C. Teach the Church

- 1. Simon Peter (Luke 22:21-23)
- 2. God specializes in turning tests into triumphs (1 Corinthians 10:13; Genesis 50:20)

CONCLUSION: *“Satan gave heaven the championship game”*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Youth Fundraisers

Craving something savoury or sweet? We've got you covered!

If you missed ordering **Mr. Cooper's Pies** in advance, they will have some available for cash sales after the service today.

If you're looking for something sweet, NEXT Sunday, March 19 is the last day to order Easter chocolates from **Purdys Chocolate**, for pickup on Sunday, April 2. Check the church website for the link to order online or paper forms are available on the table in the narthex.

Thank you for your support!

Young Adults

Young Adults are invited to meet after the English service Sunday, March 26 for lunch and Bible study.

Trinity is hosting a **Young Adult Retreat** (ages 18-35) at **Camp Luther** in Mission from **May 5-7**. Registration is now open for this retreat, the online registration form and more information can be found at <https://linktr.ee/yaretreat>

Have any questions about these events? Ask Samantha!

Soup Supper

Our Maundy Thursday Soup Supper is back this year! Bring some soup to share and join us at **6:00pm** on **Maundy Thursday, April 6** for dinner before the 7:00pm service.

Resurrection Egg Hunt

Mark your calendars for **Saturday, April 8** at **11am** for our **Resurrection Egg Hunt!** We'll start the program in the church listening to the Resurrection story. After the story the children will be released to hunt for eggs! Children up to the age of 10 are welcome to join us for this event. If you would be interested in volunteering for this event, please speak with Samantha.