...for this slight momentary affliction is preparing us for an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure.

2 Corinthians 4:17, NRSV

# Second Sunday after Pentecost

June 6, 2021 8:00 & 10:45 am & 6:00 pm

# Welcome to Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church!

We greet you in the name of our risen Savior, Jesus Christ. We are glad you are worshiping with our family of faith and rejoice with you as God comes to us through His Word this day to bring His gift of forgiveness and life in Jesus.

If you have any questions, please seek out one of the ushers who will be happy to assist you. <u>Pastor</u> <u>Schultz & Pastor Ada look forward to meeting you at the end of the service</u>.

#### HEARING ASSISTANCE devices are available. Please talk to an usher.

**YOUNG CHILDREN** We believe that young children need to be brought to Jesus (Mark 10:14); and what better way than to include them in the regular worship life of the congregation! We **DO NOT** have a staffed nursery during church because we **encourage families to worship together**. Children's bulletins and worship activity bags are available to help quietly occupy those children too young to listen to the sermon. Please ask an usher for assistance. Please feel free to use the narthex as a cry room when needed. Monitors and speakers will assist in your participation.

#### **EDUCATION HOUR**

**Adult Bible Class:** This summer we will be studying in the Book of Mark. Each Sunday this year we have been hearing the Gospel according to Mark, so we will take the opportunity to study this Gospel in depth together.

**Sunday School:** Classes are offered for children who have turned 3 by September 1 through high school. Please ask an usher for assistance in locating Sunday school classrooms.

Nursery: There will not be a staffed nursery until further notice.

**HOLY COMMUNION** In Holy Communion we celebrate the real presence of our Lord Jesus Christ as He gives us His true body and blood in and with the bread and wine for the forgiveness of sins and the strengthening of faith. In love for God's Word and in love for God's people, we do not want anyone to receive this blessed gift to their spiritual harm (1 Cor. 11:27-29). <u>Therefore, anyone who</u> wishes to commune here for the first time and who is not a member of Beautiful Savior or a congregation of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod, is asked to speak with Pastor Schultz or Pastor Ada before receiving Holy Communion. Those not communing are still welcome to come receive a blessing.



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## **Order of Service: Matins with Holy Communion**

#### AS WE GATHER

#### Jesus Has Defeated the Devil and Released Us from the Bondage of Sin and Death

The devil deceived us, enticing us to disregard and disobey the Word of God and driving us to hide "from the presence of the Lord God." But the Lord, in His mercy, promised a Savior, who would set Himself against the devil on our behalf (Gen. 3:8–15). The Son of Man came, the incarnate Son of God, conceived and born of the woman. He "first binds the strong man," Satan, by atoning for the sins of the world, thereby removing the condemnation of the Law and the fear of death (Mark 3:27). Now He plunders the devil's house by calling all men to repent. Though He appears to be "out of his mind" (Mark 3:21), He fulfills the will of God and makes of us His own brothers and sisters. Therefore, "we do not lose heart," despite the suffering, sin and death that we experience in this fallen world. "He who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus." By His grace, we are "being renewed day by day." For the Gospel is daily bringing us into His presence, not for punishment, but for "an eternal weight of glory" (2 Cor. 4:14–17).

#### **MUSIC FOR MEDITATION**

PRELUDE

All Glory Be to God on High Johann Pachelbel

#### **PASTORAL GREETING**

# + THE SERVICE OF MATINS +

Stand

#### **OPENING VERSICLES**

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#### **OPENING HYMN**



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#### **OLD TESTAMENT**

#### Genesis 3:8–15

<sup>8</sup>And they heard the sound of the LORD God walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and the man and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the LORD God among the trees of the garden. <sup>9</sup>But the LORD God called to the man and said to him, "Where are you?" <sup>10</sup>And he said, "I heard the sound of you in the garden, and I was afraid, because I was naked, and I hid myself." <sup>11</sup>He said, "Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten of the tree of which I commanded you not to eat?" <sup>12</sup>The man said, "The woman whom you gave to be with me, she gave me fruit of the tree, and I ate." <sup>13</sup>Then the LORD God said to the woman, "What is this that you have done?" The woman said, "The serpent deceived me, and I ate." <sup>14</sup>The LORD God said to the serpent, "Because you have done this, cursed are you above all livestock and above all beasts of the field; on your belly you shall go, and dust you shall eat all the days of your life. <sup>15</sup>I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and her offspring; he shall bruise your head, and you shall bruise his heel."

L O Lord, have mercy on us.

**G** Thanks be to God.

#### ANTHEM

#### **Praise Him!** Handbell Trio

arr. Merritt

(The anthem is based on the following hymns. The words are included for meditation.)

#### The King of Love My Shepherd Is

1. The King of love my shepherd is, Whose goodness faileth never; I nothing lack if I am His And He is mine forever.

#### When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

1. When I survey the wondrous cross On which the Prince of Glory died, My richest gain I count but loss And pour contempt on all my pride.

#### EPISTLE READING

2. Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast Save in the death of Christ, my God; All the vain things that charm me most, I sacrifice them to His blood.

#### 2 Corinthians 4:13 -5:1

<sup>13</sup>Since we have the same spirit of faith according to what has been written, "I believed, and so I spoke," we also believe, and so we also speak, <sup>14</sup>knowing that he who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus and bring us with you into his presence. <sup>15</sup>For it is all for your sake, so that as grace extends to more and more people it may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.

<sup>16</sup>So we do not lose heart. Though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. <sup>17</sup>For this slight momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison, <sup>18</sup>as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen. For the things that are seen are transient, but the things that are unseen are eternal.

<sup>1</sup>For we know that if the tent, which is our earthly home, is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

- L O Lord, have mercy on us.
- Thanks be to God. С

#### LSB 425

#### LSB 709

#### Stand

#### HOLY GOSPEL

**L** The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the third chapter.

#### **C** Thanks be to God.

<sup>20</sup>Then [Jesus] went home, and the crowd gathered again, so that they could not even eat.

<sup>21</sup>And when his family heard it, they went out to seize him, for they were saying, "He is out of his mind."

<sup>22</sup>And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem were saying, "He is possessed by Beelzebul," and "by the prince of demons he casts out the demons." <sup>23</sup>And he called them to him and said to them in parables, "How can Satan cast out Satan? <sup>24</sup>If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. <sup>25</sup>And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. <sup>26</sup>And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but is coming to an end. <sup>27</sup>But no one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his goods, unless he first binds the strong man. Then indeed he may plunder his house.

<sup>28</sup>"Truly, I say to you, all sins will be forgiven the children of man, and whatever blasphemies they utter, <sup>29</sup>but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit never has forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin"— <sup>30</sup>for they had said, "He has an unclean spirit."

<sup>31</sup>And his mother and his brothers came, and standing outside they sent to him and called him. <sup>32</sup>And a crowd was sitting around him, and they said to him, "Your mother and your brothers are outside, seeking you." <sup>33</sup>And he answered them, "Who are my mother and my brothers?" <sup>34</sup>And looking about at those who sat around him, he said, "Here are my mother and my brothers! <sup>35</sup>Whoever does the will of God, he is my brother and sister and mother."

L O Lord, have mercy on us.

#### **G** Thanks be to God.

#### RESPONSORY



#### **READING THE FAITH** (as drawn from Luther's Small Catechism) **THE SACRAMENT OF THE ALTAR**

- **P** What is the Sacrament of the Altar?
- **C** It is the true body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ under the bread and wine, instituted by Christ Himself for us Christians to eat and to drink.
- **P** Where is this written?
- C The Holy Evangelists Matthew, Mark, Luke and St. Paul write: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying, "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.

Sit

#### **CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

Vicar Luke Elowsky

#### **SERMON HYMN**

- Built on the Rock the Church shall stand Even when steeples are falling. Crumbled have spires in ev'ry land; Bells still are chiming and calling, Calling the young and old to rest, But above all the souls distressed, Longing for rest everlasting.
- 2. Surely in temples made with hands God, the Most High, is not dwelling; High above earth His temple stands, All earthly temples excelling. Yet He who dwells in heav'n above Chooses to live with us in love, Making our bodies His temple.
- We are God's house of living stones, Built for His own habitation. He through baptismal grace us owns Heirs of His wondrous salvation. Were we but two His name to tell, Yet He would deign with us to dwell With all His grace and His favor.
- 4. Here stands the font before our eyes, Telling how God has received us. The altar recalls Christ's sacrifice And what His Supper here gives us. Here sound the Scriptures that proclaim Christ yesterday, today, the same, And evermore, our Redeemer.

 Grant, then, O God, Your will be done, That, when the church bells are ringing, Many in saving faith may come Where Christ His message is bringing: "I know My own; My own know Me. You, not the world, My face shall see. My peace I leave with you. Amen."

SERMON

*Eternal Glory* 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1 Vicar Luke Elowsky

Stand

#### CANTICLE

We Praise You and Acknowledge You, O God LSB 941



#### **OFFERING**

#### **OFFERING PRAYER**

#### **PRAYERS**

Mark 10:47

LSB 227



hear our prayer. С

# + THE SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT +

### **CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION**

- Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto P God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness. [Hebrews 10:22]
- P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- who made heaven and earth. С

Psalm 124:8

- P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- **C** and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.
- **P** O almighty God, merciful Father,
- I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.
- **P** Upon this your confession...and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

#### LORD'S PRAYER

Matthew 6:9-13

[John 20:19-23]

- **P** Lord, remember us in Your Kingdom and teach us to pray:
- **C** Our Father who art in heaven,

hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in beaver

Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven;

give us this day our daily bread;

and forgive us our trespasses 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.

### THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

Matthew 26:26-28; Mark 14:22-24; Luke 22:19-20; 1 Corinthians 11:23-25

#### **PAX DOMINI**~~(Latin: Peace of the Lord)

(The pastor here makes a <u>declaration</u> of the peace we have with the Lord through the forgiveness offered in this Sacrament. Therefore, we boldly respond **AMEN!** – which means "Yes, yes, this is so!")

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

Psalm 32:5

John 20:19



Sit

#### DISTRIBUTION

#### VISITORS, please read the statement concerning Holy Communion on page 2.

#### **Personal Examination Before Communing**

- 1. Do I believe I am a sinner and am I sorry for my sins?
- 2. Do I believe Christ's true body and blood to be present in the Lord's Supper for the forgiveness of sins?
- 3. Do I earnestly intend with the help of the Holy Spirit to amend my sinful life?

#### **Instructions for Communing**

The congregation will be ushered forward to KNEEL OR STAND. You will receive the Body of Jesus from the Pastors and then the Blood of Jesus from the Elder/Vicar. When you have sufficiently meditated, stand, reverence the altar, and return to your seat. Those not communing will receive a blessing from the pastor.

**Non-alcoholic white wine** in located in the center of each tray and should only be used by those with medical conditions prohibiting the use of wine.

Gluten-free wafers are available from the pastor when you come forward.

#### **DISTRIBUTION HYMN**

O Christ, You Walked the Road LSB 424



You faced with us temp - ta - tion's pow'r And fought our an - cient foe. Lord, help us seek Your liv - ing Word, The food Your grace im - parts. Lord, help us place our trust a - lone In Your un-swerv-ing love. Lord, help us seek Your king - dom first; Our wills with Yours a - lign. Stay with us through temp - ta - tion's hour To fight our an - cient foe.

#### **DISTRIBUTION HYMN**

I Come, O Savior, to Thy Table LSB 618





#### **DISTRIBUTION HYMN**

Jerusalem the Golden LSB 672



POSTLUDE

#### DISMISSAL

#### POST COMMUNION PRAYER

#### **BENEDICAMUS/BENEDICTION**

- **P** Let us bless the Lord.
- **G** Thanks be to God.
- $\mathbf{P}$  The Lord bless you...and  $\mathbf{H}$  give you peace.
- C Amen.

#### **CLOSING HYMN**

#### Jerusalem, My Happy Home LSB 673



- 5. Apostles, martyrs, prophets, there Around my Savior stand; And soon my friends in Christ below Will join the glorious band.
- O Christ, do Thou my soul prepare For that bright home of love That I may see Thee and adore With all Thy saints above.

God of Grace and God of Glory Franklin D. Ashdown

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Psalm 103:1

Numbers 6:24-26

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## Serving the Lord and Us Today:

Preaching	Vicar Luke Elowsky
Celebrant	
Liturgist	Vicar Luke Elowsky
Organist	Deb Miller
Bell Trio	Alexandra Olson, George Delancy, Timothy Schlef; Eric Schlef, directing
Pianist	Lauran Delancy
Acolytes	
Altar Guild	Janette Copeland, Nancy Delaney, Carol Brandt
Counters	Jym Fees & Chuck Tuttle
Altar Flowers	Kyle & Laura Bodenstab and David & Amber Goeglein

**ALTAR FLOWERS** that adorn our altar this morning were given to the glory of God by Kyle & Laura Bodenstab in celebration of their wedding anniversary and by David & Amber Goeglein in celebration of their 10<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

**HOLY BAPTISM** Jaxon Rhys Hefte, infant son of Andy and Laura, will be baptized this afternoon here at BSLC. Jaxon's sponsors are Andrew Pingel and Rev. Rick & Dianne Pingel. We pray God's specials blessings upon Jaxon as he becomes a child of God through the waters of Holy Baptism.

#### Voice of the Martyrs prayer request

#### 33 Christians Killed in Recent Attacks by Islamists - Nigeria

Islamic militant Fulanis have targeted and killed several Christians in a series of attacks across predominantly Christian communities in Benue state. Fulani herdsman attacked the Guma, Makurdi and Agatu Local Government Areas on April 21, killing six. On April 24, another band of radical Fulani herdsman attacked five Christian communities in Guma County, Benue state, killing 17. Most recently, on April 26, 10 Christians were killed and nine others injured in an attack on a camp for internally displaced peoples in Abagena, Benue State. Pray the families of those whose loved ones were killed will be comforted. Pray that Christians in Nigeria can show love and forgiveness to their Fulani attackers, and that these radical Islamic Fulani will come to salvation in Christ.

#### PRAYERS REQUESTED THIS WEEK

For **Jaxon Armendariz**, friend of the Stoll family, who will be having a double kidney removal and transplant.

For Jaxon Rhys Hefte, infant son of Andrew & Laura Hefte, who will be baptized this afternoon.

#### **CONTINUED PRAYERS**

For the **family of Cory & Kara (Smith) Zech**, mourning the death of Cory's 21 year-old sister, Samantha, who died from cancer.

For the family of Ken & Shirley Knese as they mourn the death of their friend, Joan Brown.

For Michelle Wibe recovering from knee replacement surgery.

For Pam Enserro, recovering from eye surgery.

For **Hannah Jenkins**, granddaughter of Phil & Georgia Freese, recovering from gall bladder surgery.

For **Andy & Michelle Schultz**, Dale & Roberta Schempp's niece, who were involved in a motorcycle accident and hospitalized with multiple broken bones and other injuries.

For **Ryan Harrison**, an employee of Matt Chiappetta, who was involved in a motorcycle accident and hospitalized with multiple broken bones and other injuries.

For Helen Claudy, who has been diagnosed with breast cancer.

For Barb Gossen who is still in the hospital with pneumonia.

For **Rachel Hanrahan**, daughter of Becky Hanrahan, suffering from a broken collar bone, broken ribs, punctured lung and many lacerations to her face and head after an ATV accident.

For our expectant mothers: **Stephanie (Seutter) Thomas** and their unborn children. Also for those who long for God's gift of children.

For Susan Mountain, Mary Rinne, Eric Hundley, Ellie Torres, Jenni Patience, Karen Lentz, John Mahnken, Brandon Ryan, Pat Brackin, Ashley Hung, Pat Gossen, Barb Gossen, and Moriah Obermueller continuing treatments for cancer; for Sherri Webb as she continues to recover from her stroke and foot surgery.

**For our partner church in Zacapa, Guatemala:** Pray the God would help those with Covid. Pray that God would bless this congregation with church members and the community that they would be strengthened and encouraged in His faith as well.

For all those who are unemployed or under-employed, that the Lord would provide for all their needs and lead them to jobs soon. For those who have secured jobs, we offer prayers of thanksgiving!