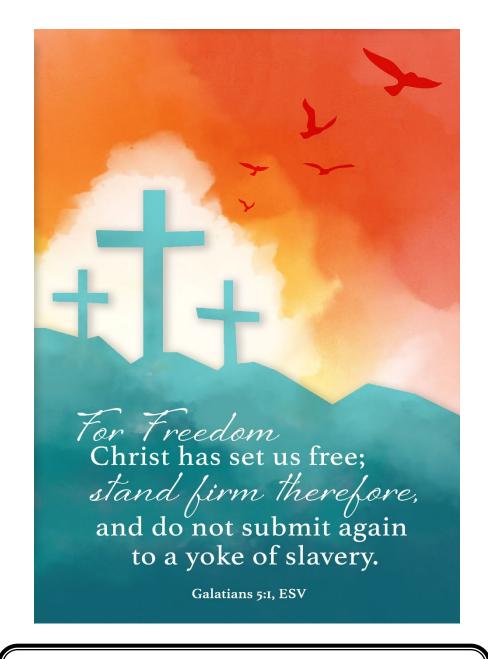
# Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church & Preschool Connecting people to Jesus as we gather, grow, and go.



# **Third Sunday after Pentecost**

June 26, 2022 8:00 am & 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. **Pastor Schultz & Pastor Ada look forward to meeting you at the end of the service**.

**ATTENDANCE REGISTRATION** Members and visitors, please scan this QR code and register your attendance with us today. Thanks!



**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 activity bags are available to help quietly occupy those children too young to listen to the sermon. Please feel free to use the narthex as a cry room when needed. Monitors and speakers will assist in your participation.

# EDUCATION HOUR (9:30-10:30am)

**Adult Bible Class:** Today we will be studying *The Foundations in Faith* series that explores Luther's Small Catechism in four parts: The Ten Commandments, The Apostles' Creed, The Lord's Prayer, and The Sacraments. This class will be a great introduction to Luther's Small Catechism and the Christian faith or a great refresher of the truths of faith for the rest.

**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 classrooms.

Nursery: There is a nursery during education hour located in the lower level.

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). Therefore, anyone who 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.

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

# **AS WE GATHER**

# **Christ's Messengers Proclaim His Kingdom**

When the prophet Elijah became discouraged and despaired of his life, "the word of the LORD came to him" (1 Kings 19:9b) and stood him "on the mount before the LORD" (1 Kings 19:11). The Lord made Himself known to the prophet — not in the impressive power of gale force winds, or in an earthquake, or in the fire, but in "the sound of a low whisper" (1 Kings 19:12). Today God reveals Himself to us through the frail preaching of the Gospel. The Son of Man sends "messengers ahead of him ... to make preparations for him" (Luke 9:52). Putting their hand to that plow of preaching, they "go and proclaim the kingdom of God," and they do not look back (Luke 9:60, 62). What they preach is not the power of the Law with its "yoke of slavery," but the power of God unto salvation through the Gospel of forgiveness, by which "Christ has set us free" (Gal. 5:1).

MUSIC FOR MEDITATION

**PRELUDE** 

**PASTORAL GREETING** 

**PRELUDE** 

Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus J. Wayne Kerr

# **→** THE SERVICE OF MATINS →

Stand

**OPENING VERSICLES** 

LSB 219

**PSALMODY** 

LSB 220

Sit

# **OLD TESTAMENT** 1 Kings 19:9b-21

<sup>9</sup>There he came to a cave and lodged in it. And behold, the word of the LORD came to him, and he said to him, "What are you doing here, Elijah?" <sup>10</sup>He said, "I have been very jealous for the LORD, the God of hosts. For the people of Israel have forsaken your

covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword, and I, even I only, am left, and they seek my life, to take it away." <sup>11</sup>And he said, "Go out and stand on the mount before the LORD." And behold, the LORD passed by, and a great and strong wind tore the mountains and broke in pieces the rocks before the LORD, but the LORD was not in the wind. And after the wind an earthquake, but the LORD was not in the earthquake. <sup>12</sup>And after the earthquake a fire, but the LORD was not in the fire. And after the fire the sound of a low whisper. <sup>13</sup>And when Elijah heard it, he wrapped his face in his cloak and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave. And behold, there came a voice to him and said, "What are you doing here, Elijah?" <sup>14</sup>He said, "I have been very jealous for the LORD, the God of hosts. For the people of Israel have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword, and I, even I only, am left, and they seek my life, to take it away." 15 And the LORD said to him, "Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus. And when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael to be king over Syria. <sup>16</sup>And Jehu the son of Nimshi you shall anoint to be king over Israel, and Elisha the son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah you shall anoint to be prophet in your place. <sup>17</sup>And the one who escapes from the sword of Hazael shall Jehu put to death, and the one who escapes from the sword of Jehu shall Elisha put to death. <sup>18</sup>Yet I will leave seven thousand in Israel, all the knees that have not bowed to Baal, and every mouth that has not kissed him."

<sup>19</sup>So he departed from there and found Elisha the son of Shaphat, who was plowing with twelve yoke of oxen in front of him, and he was with the twelfth. Elijah passed by him and cast his cloak upon him. <sup>20</sup>And he left the oxen and ran after Elijah and said, "Let me kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow you." And he said to him, "Go back again, for what have I done to you?" <sup>21</sup>And he returned from following him and took the yoke of oxen and sacrificed them and boiled their flesh with the yokes of the oxen and gave it to the people, and they ate. Then he arose and went after Elijah and assisted him.

- **L** This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

# **EPISTLE READING**

**Galatians 5:1, 13-25** 

<sup>1</sup>For freedom Christ has set us free; stand firm therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery.

<sup>13</sup>For you were called to freedom, brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another. <sup>14</sup>For the whole law is fulfilled in one word: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." <sup>15</sup>But if you bite and devour one another, watch out that you are not consumed by one another.

<sup>16</sup>But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. <sup>17</sup>For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do. <sup>18</sup>But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law. <sup>19</sup>Now the works of the flesh are evident: sexual immorality, impurity, sensuality, <sup>20</sup>idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, fits of anger, rivalries, dissensions, divisions, <sup>21</sup>envy, drunkenness, orgies, and things like these. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. <sup>22</sup>But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, <sup>23</sup>gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law. <sup>24</sup>And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.

<sup>25</sup>If we live by the Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit.

- **I** This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

Stand

HOLY GOSPEL Luke 9:51-62

- P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the ninth chapter.
- **G** Glory to You, O Lord.

<sup>51</sup>When the days drew near for [Jesus] to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem. <sup>52</sup>And he sent messengers ahead of him, who went and entered a village of the Samaritans, to make preparations for him. <sup>53</sup>But the people did not receive him, because his face was set toward Jerusalem. <sup>54</sup>And when his disciples James and John saw it, they said, "Lord, do you want us to tell fire to come down from heaven and consume them?" <sup>55</sup>But he turned and rebuked them. <sup>56</sup>And they went on to another village.

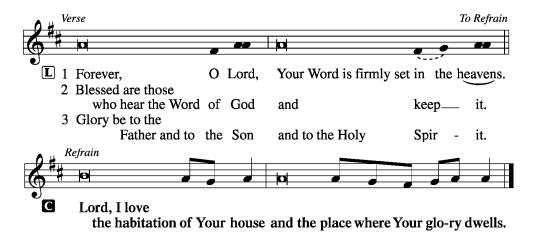
<sup>57</sup>As they were going along the road, someone said to him, "I will follow you wherever you go." <sup>58</sup>And Jesus said to him, "Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head." <sup>59</sup>To another he said, "Follow me." But he said, "Lord, let me first go and bury my father." <sup>60</sup>And Jesus said to him, "Leave the dead to bury their own dead. But as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God." <sup>61</sup>Yet another said, "I will follow you, Lord, but let me first say farewell to those at my home." <sup>62</sup>Jesus said to him, "No one who puts his hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God."

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

# RESPONSORY

# Common

Psalm 119:89; 26:8; Luke 11:28



Sit

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

# THE SACRAMENT OF THE ALTAR

- What is the benefit of this eating and drinking?
- These words, "Given and shed for you for the forgiveness of sins," show us that in the Sacrament forgiveness of sins, life, and salvation are given us through these words. For where there is forgiveness of sins, there is also life and salvation.
- P How can bodily eating and drinking do such great things?
- Certainly not just eating and drinking do these things, but the words written here: "Given and shed for you for the forgiveness of sins." These words, along with the bodily eating and drinking, are the main thing in the Sacrament. Whoever believes these words has exactly what they say: "forgiveness of sins."
- **P** Who receives this sacrament worthily?

Fasting and bodily preparation are certainly fine outward training. But the person is truly worthy and well prepared who has faith in these words: "Given and shed for you for the forgiveness of sins."

But anyone who does not believe these words or doubts them is unworthy and unprepared, for the words "for you" require all hearts to believe.

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE** 

**Pastor Joel Schultz** 

**SERMON HYMN** 

"Come, Follow Me," the Savior Spake
LSB 688

**SERMON** 

Freedom in Christ
Galatians 5
Pastor Joel Schultz

Stand

**CANTICLE** 

We Praise You and Acknowledge You, O God

(This canticle serves as a Creed in the Matins Service.)

LSB 941

**OFFERING** 

OFFERING PRAYER

PRAYERS LSB 227



# **COLLECTS**



Psalm 102:1

# After each Petition:

- **P** Lord, in Your mercy
- **C** hear our prayer.

# **★ THE SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT ★**

# **CONFESION AND ABSOLUTION**

- Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto 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,
- **Q** who made heaven and earth.

Psalm 124:8

- **P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.
  (A moment of silence to confess our specific sins.)

Psalm 32:5

- 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. [John 20:19-23]

LORD'S PRAYER Matthew 6:9-13

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

hallowed be Thy name,

Thy kingdom come,

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)

John 20:19

(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.
- Amen!

**AGNUS DEI**~~(Latin: Lamb of God)

**LSB 198** 

# INVITATION

Welcome to the table of the Lord.

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? (For a longer examination see pages 329-330 of the hymnal.)

  Communion Prayers are located inside the front cover of the hymnal.)

# **Instructions for Communing**

We use <u>continuous kneeling tables</u> for Holy Communion. The congregation will be ushered forward to kneel. You will receive the Body of Jesus from the Pastors and then the Blood of Jesus from the Elder/Vicar. You may receive either from the common cup or the individual cup. 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 HYMNS**

LSB 704 Renew Me, O Eternal Light LSB 685 Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus LSB 618 I come, O Savior, to Thy Table

Stand

# **DISMISSAL**

# **POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

# **BENEDICAMUS/BENEDICTION**

- **P** Let us bless the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.
- ightharpoonup The Lord bless you...and ightharpoonup give you peace.
- C Amen.

**CLOSING HYMN** 

Oh, That the Lord Would Guide My Ways

**POSTLUDE** 

Sing Praise to God, the Highest Good Keith Kolander

Psalm 103:1

Numbers 6:24-26

Before you go: Visitors and Members – please register your attendance.





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# **Serving the Lord and Us Today:**

Preaching	Pastor Joel Schultz
Celebrant	Pastor Mike Ada
Liturgist	Vicar Zach Roll
Organist	Deb Miller
Acolytes	(8:00) Kaylee Bahr & Aubrey Huseman (10:45) Alexandra Olson & TBD
Greeters	(8:00) Tom Bremer (10:45) Scott & Denise Behrman
Ushers	(8:00) Zach Gardner, Jordan Klebe, Bob Rinne, Karen Rinne & Kent Thompson
	(10:45) Ron Aerni, Gene Downard, Brad Keefe, David Raetzel, Dennis Smith
Altar Guild	Carolyn Clarke, Nancy Delaney, Angela Hodge & Deb Froelich
Nursery	Jason & Alli Bauck
Counters	Eric Domsch, Todd Scheumann & Bob Welsh
Altar Flowers	Kyle & Laura Bodenstab 21st Wedding Anniversary
	Jimmy & Liesl Jensen 10 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

# **Voice of the Martyrs prayer request**

# Young Woman Mocked for Attending Church - Cote d'Ivoire

Aicha Kone is a young Christian woman who is finishing her high school studies. Both of her parents have died, and Aicha decided to move in with her Muslim aunt and uncle so she would not have to live alone. Though her Muslim relatives allow her to attend church, they make fun of her for doing so. Pray that Aicha will remain firm in her faith amid her family's disdain. Pray that she may show God's love to her Muslim aunt and uncle and that they will come to salvation in Christ.

### PRAYERS REQUESTED THIS WEEK

For Lauren Kandt, Kim Burdett's niece, who is battling a rare cancer and a bacterial infection.

For **Kevin and Valeria Kandt**, Kim Burdett's brother and wife, who are dealing with the death of Kim and

Kevin's mom and their daughter Lauren's battle against a rare cancer while far from home.

For **Kurt Norem**, who is now recovering at home from cervical spine surgery last week.

For **Kent Thompson**, who will have his knee removed and replaced in a month or two due to a MRSA infection.

For **Angela Hodge**, who is recovering from Vertiflex spinal surgery on June 21st.

For **Janette Copeland**, who is recovering from cataract surgery on June 23<sup>rd</sup>.

For **Sandy Bowser**, Dennis Smith's sister, who had a successful back surgery.

For Allie Soudhard, friend of Dennis Smith's daughter, who successfully received a 2<sup>nd</sup> heart transplant.

For Spence Braun, Carisa McMullen's brother, who is cancer free after being diagnosed a year ago.

For Rev. Dr. Mark Schulz, Senior Pastor at Trinity Mission, who was diagnosed with lymphoma.

For **Sam Carlin**, Chris Webb's uncle, who had a heart attack.

For Beth Chain, John Chain's mother, who has stopped eating and is now in hospice care.

For **Don Banks**, Lisa Bahr's grandfather, who has double pneumonia and is now in hospice care.

For **Sherri Webb and family**, as they mourn the death of Sherri's mom Jenny Peckman.

For John Chain and family, as they mourn the death of John's cousin Bill Rogers.

For Dennis Smith and family, as they mourn the death of Dennis' aunt Georgia May Hill.

For peace in the war between Ukraine and Russia.

For **The Evangelical Lutheran Church of Ukraine**, our LCMS partner church, for their safety and love as they care for the people still caught in the conflict.

## **CONTINUED PRAYERS**

For **Steve Bremer**, who is home recovering from esophageal cancer surgery.

For **Leslie Beller**, Jack Gruhn's 4<sup>th</sup> grade teacher who is undergoing chemo this summer.

For **Bill Deckert**, who is recovering in a rehab facility to regain strength.

For **Tim Freese**, son of Phil and Georgia Freese, who is recovering from pneumonia and sepsis.

For **Gwen Anrico**, who is recovering at home from complications with chemotherapy.

For Kari Allen, daughter of Karen Kuhn, who has been moved to hospice.

For **Lisa Erickson and family**, as they mourn the death of Lisa's mom Ann Erickson a member at Redeemer and a former member at BSLC.

For the **farming communities in western Kansas and Nebraska**, as they deal with the financial impact of the drought and wildfires.

For our expectant mothers: **Marissa Lippe, Sarah Walsh, and Nicole (Behrman) Paulie,** for their unborn children, and for those who long for God's gift of children.

For those undergoing cancer treatment: Erica Slaymaker, Eydie Taylor, Ellie Torres, John Mahnken, and Karen Feldes.

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

**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.