

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost October 16, 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 worship 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. Today we will be studying 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

Faith Clings to the Word and Promises of God and Perseveres in Prayer

"Left alone," Jacob wrestled through the night with the Lord, "until the breaking of the day" (Gen. 32:24). Though "Jacob's hip was put out of joint as he wrestled with him" (Gen. 32:25), he would not let go until the Lord blessed him. At times, we, too, strive with God; He strives with us and blesses us by grace. So Jesus teaches us "always to pray and not lose heart" (Luke 18:1). Jesus speaks of "a judge who neither feared God nor respected man" and of a widow "who kept coming to him and saying, 'Give me justice against my adversary'" (Luke 18:2-3). Because of her persistence, the judge agreed to "give her justice" (Luke 18:5). Our Lord dispenses justice generously and swiftly, giving "justice to his elect, who cry to him day and night" (Luke 18:7). He does so according to the Gospel. Therefore, His ministers are to persevere faithfully in their vocation, in what they "have learned and have firmly believed" (2 Tim. 3:14). On the basis of "the sacred writings" (2 Tim. 3:15), they are to "preach the word" at all times and not lose heart (2 Tim. 4:2)

MUSIC FOR MEDITATION

PRELUDE

PASTORAL GREETING

H THE SERVICE OF MATINS H

Stand

OPENING VERSICLES

(The "Gloria Pattri" ~ Glory be to the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit ~ serves as the Invocation in the Matins Service. You can cross yourself as we sing these words in remembrance of your Baptism)

PSALMODY

Sit

OPENING ANTHEM

In the Bible and If You Have Good News to Share **Littles Choir** by Stohs 3

O God of Light Jacob B. Weber

LSB 220

LSB 219

OLD TESTAMENT

²²The same night he arose and took his two wives, his two female servants, and his eleven children, and crossed the ford of the Jabbok. ²³He took them and sent them across the stream, and everything else that he had. ²⁴And Jacob was left alone. And a man wrestled with him until the breaking of the day. ²⁵When the man saw that he did not prevail against Jacob, he touched his hip socket, and Jacob's hip was put out of joint as he wrestled with him. ²⁶Then he said, "Let me go, for the day has broken." But Jacob said, "I will not let you go unless you bless me." ²⁷And he said to him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Jacob." ²⁸Then he said, "Your name shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel, for you have striven with God and with men, and have prevailed." ²⁹Then Jacob asked him, "Please tell me your name." But he said, "Why is it that you ask my name?" And there he blessed him. ³⁰So Jacob called the name of the place Peniel, saying, "For I have seen God face to face, and yet my life has been delivered."

L This is the Word of the Lord.

G Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM

Bells Still Are Chiming and Calling Handbell Duet: Lauran Delancy and Eric Schlef

(This piece is based on the hymn "Built on the Rock (LSB 645) that comes to a clash as of the chaos of this world and the steeples are falling, then resolves in the calm melody of "My Hope is Built on Nothing Less" (LSB 575).

EPISTLE READING

2 Timothy 3:14-4:5

¹⁴ As for you, continue in what you have learned and have firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it

¹⁵and how from childhood you have been acquainted with the sacred writings, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. ¹⁶All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, ¹⁷that the man of God may be competent, equipped for every good work.

¹I charge you in the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who is to judge the living and the dead, and by his appearing and his kingdom: ²preach the word; be ready in season and out of season; reprove, rebuke, and exhort, with complete patience and

teaching. ³For the time is coming when people will not endure sound teaching, but having itching ears they will accumulate for themselves teachers to suit their own passions, ⁴and will turn away from listening to the truth and wander off into myths. ⁵As for you, always be sober-minded, endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist, fulfill your ministry.

L This is the Word of the Lord.

G Thanks be to God.

Stand

HOLY GOSPEL

Luke 18:1-8

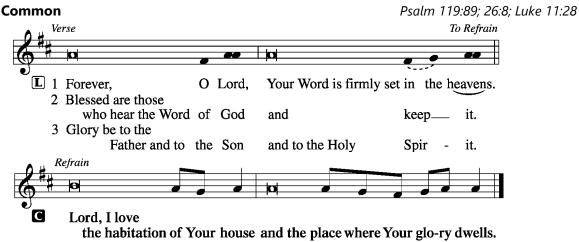
- **P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the eighteenth chapter.
- Glory to You, O Lord.

¹And he told them a parable to the effect that they ought always to pray and not lose heart. ²He said, "In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor respected man. ³And there was a widow in that city who kept coming to him and saying, 'Give me justice against my adversary.' ⁴For a while he refused, but afterward he said to himself, 'Though I neither fear God nor respect man, ⁵yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will give her justice, so that she will not beat me down by her continual coming.'" ⁶And the Lord said, "Hear what the unrighteous judge says. ⁷And will not God give justice to his elect, who cry to him day and night? Will he delay long over them? ⁸I tell you, he will give justice to them speedily. Nevertheless, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?"

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

RESPONSORY



Sit

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

BAPTISM PART 1

P What is Baptism?

- **C** Baptism is not just plain water, but it is the water included in God's command and combined with God's word.
- P Which is that word of God?
- Christ our Lord says in the last chapter of Matthew: "Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. (*Matt. 28:19*)

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

BAPTISM PART 2

- P What benefits does Baptism give?
- It works forgiveness of sins, rescues from death and the devil, and gives eternal salvation to all who believe this, as the words and promises of God declare.

- P Which are these words and promises of God?
- C Christ our Lord says in the last chapter of Mark: "Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, but whoever does not believe will be condemned." (Mark 16:16)

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON HYMN

Pastor Joel Schultz

Spread the Reign of God the Lord LSB 830

SERMON

Attack in Any Direction 2 Timothy 3 and 4 Pastor Joel Schultz

Stand

| CANTICLE | We Praise You and Acknowledge You, O God |
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| (This canticle serves as the Creed in the Matin | s Service.) LSB 941 |

OFFERING

(Our offerings are collected at the door and brought forward and presented in thanksgiving to the Lord. If you missed this opportunity, your offering can be placed in the plate at the door as you leave.)

OFFERING PRAYER

PRAYERS



Psalm 102:1



After each Petition:

P Lord, in Your mercy

C hear our prayer.

+ 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 God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
 [Hebrews 10:22]
- Our help is in the name of the Lord,
 who made heaven and earth.
 P salm 124:8
 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.)

- **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.

Upon this your confession...and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit. P

С Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

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)

(The pastor here makes a **declaration** 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!")

The peace of the Lord be with you always. P

C Amen!

AGNUS DEI~~(Latin: Lamb of God)

INVITATION

Welcome to the table of the Lord. P

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?

LSB 198

John 20:19

Matthew 6:9-13

[John 20:19-23]

- 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 is 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 583 God Has Spoken by His Prophets

LSB 597 Water, Blood and Spirit Crying

LSB 523 O Word of God Incarnate

Stand

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

Psalm 103:1

Numbers 6:24-26

O God of Light LSB 836

POSTLUDE

Fugue Dietrich Buxtehude

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





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Serving the Lord and Us Today:

| Preaching | |
|----------------------|--|
| Celebrant | Pastor Mike Ada |
| Liturgist | Vicar Avery Hjulberg |
| Organist | |
| Littles Choir Direct | or Lisa Gruhn |
| Handbell Duet | Lauran Delancy and Eric Schlef |
| Acolytes | |
| Greeters | |
| Ushers | (8:00) Roger Berardi, Beau Campbell, Keith Gloe, Ken Knese & Chris Wibe |
| | (10:45) Kurt Batten, Dale Brandt, Danny Hundley, Matt Tripp & Rick Vaughn |
| Altar Guild | Carol Brandt, Deb Froelich, Deb Hodnik, Karen Kuhn |
| Nursery | |
| Counters | Jym Fees & Chuck Tuttle |
| Altar Flowers | Matt & Morgan Riecher's 6 th Wedding Anniversary |
| | Bekah Brumley's 18 th Birthday & Hannah & Sarah Brumley's 21 st Birthday |

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

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PRAYERS REQUESTED THIS WEEK

For **Dale Hundley**, Danny Hundley's cousin who had a heart attack last Saturday and open-heart surgery on Monday.

For **John and Amy Ledgerwood**, George Ledgerwood's father and mother who moved to an assisted living facility together.

For Nell Lowry, Christy McCombs' grandmother, who is recovering from partial hip replacement surgery.

For Gary Olson, who had DBS surgery for his Parkinson's on October 13th.

For **Debbie Seutter**, who is recovering from a fall last week.

For Florida and all states, impacted by the path of Hurricane Ian.

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 Aziz Arora, Jasmine Markanday's mother who is recovering from multiple strokes.

For Lisa Bahr and family, as they mourn the death of Lisa's mom, Theresa Bennett.

For Carisa McMullen and family, as they mourn the death of Carisa's aunt, Sandra Richards.

For Lizzy Rhodes, Greg & Tamara Morin's daughter, who is in the last few weeks of her pregnancy.

For **Randy Schlueter**, Anna Schlueter's father, who has started chemotherapy for Stage 4 cancer.

For **Randy and Bonnie Heinig**, Carol Olson's nephew, who has progressive muscle loss disease and his wife as she cares for him.

For **Pat Campbell**, Danny Hundley's cousin, who is recovering in a rehabilitation facility.

For Kent Thompson, who is recovering from surgery to remove an infection in his knee.

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 **<u>our expectant mothers</u>: Audra Bruschi** and for their unborn children, and for those who long for God's gift of children.

For <u>those undergoing cancer treatment</u>: Leslie Beller, Zach Chain, Ryne Clark, Heather Delaney, Karen Feldes, Del Gentile, Lloyd Harfst, Lauren Kandt, John Mahnken, Geordie McGuire, Randy Schlueter, Rev. Dr. Mark Schulz, Erica Slaymaker and Eydie Taylor.

For **<u>our partner church in Zacapa, Guatemala</u>**: 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.

Voice of the Martyrs prayer request

Woman Shot by Brother-in-Law for Refusing to Renounce Faith - India

Mamta Devi has faithfully followed Jesus for three years. Since her conversion, she has faced opposition from her family members and neighbors. She lives with her husband and his parents and brothers. On August 2, her brother-in law started arguing with her about her faith, telling her to give up her faith in Jesus. She told him that she will not leave Jesus, no matter what may happen. Her brother-in-law fired a gun, intending to kill her, but she dodged so that the bullet only grazed her forehead. She was taken to the hospital to receive stitches for the wound. Thank the LORD for sparing Mamta's life and pray that the LORD strengthens her and that the Holy Spirit leads her family to see the truth found in Jesus.