



WELCOME TO OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN! Thank you for joining us as we worship of our Risen Lord and Savior Jesus Christ! We are happy you are here! As a kindness to one another, *please* place your cell phones on mute for the time we are together in worship. If you are a visitor, let us know you are here!

IN OUR PRAYERS: Please use a prayer request card if you have a specific prayer request this morning. It is our joy and our privilege to share in these petitions to Almighty God. If you have them ready before the service, hand them to Pastor when you have them completed, otherwise give them to the ushers at the time the offering is collected.

NEW LOOK FOR THE BULLETIN: The two pictures at the top of the bulletin are the church's logo and the LCMC logo. The church's logo is the descent of the Holy Spirit into 'Our Savior' at the time of His Baptism.

POLKA SERVICE POSTPONED: The OSLC Polka Festival/Service I postponed until the Spring. More information to follow.

MISSION MOMENT: I will be sharing what I learned at the LCMC Annual Gathering with you in the near future. It will mean we take steps to move more in a new direction to serve our neighbors. Thank you for helping Peggie Sue and me to attend the convention and see our families in Omaha.

REFORMATION SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27TH, 2019: We will be using the green hymnal today, the Lutheran Book of Worship. **JESUS LOVES YOU MINISTRY:** Tuesday is a sandwich day! Yum

We Serve Today:

Reader: Bev Cisco Offering: Dean Carson, Jeanne Keyser

Communion: Bev Cisco, Noreen Burchard, Fran Thibideau Greeter: Nancy Nordell

We Serve Next Sunday:

Reader: Peggie Sue Dygert Offering: Bob Wilgus, Ron Tessmer

Communion: Bev, Cisco, Bubbles Burress, Peggie Dygert Greeter: Sharon Tessmer

GATHERING AND MEDITATION TIME Green Lutheran Book of Worship

CONFESSIONAL PRAYER - Congregation in BOLD

Pastor: As we celebrate our Easter season, we approach your altar with with love for You and our concern for the price you paid for us on the cross. Lord, we realize the difficulties that we face, and we confess the poor job we have done with our response to your sacrifice. For that, dear Lord, we make our confession to you this day.

Most merciful God, we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by the things we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen

ABSOLUTION

<u>Pastor</u>: As a result of the love of God, the work of Jesus on the cross, and by the power of the Holy Spirit, I, as a called and ordained servant of The Word, and by the authority of our Lord Jesus Christ, forgive you all your sins in the name of the, Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

P In Peace let us pray to the Lord

C Lord have mercy.

P For the peace from above and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord

C Lord have mercy.

P For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord have mercy.

P For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

C Lord have mercy.

P Help. Save, and defend us precious Lord.

C Amen

Page 60 sung – This is the Feast of Victory for Our God. Pastor will sing the first two lines as an introduction – the Congregation will join with Worthy is Christ in the third line.

INTROIT: Psalm 148 (ESV) Recited whole verse by whole verse, congregation in BOLD)

Sing to the Lord a New Song

Praise the LORD! Sing to the LORD a new song, his praise in the assembly of the godly!

Let Israel be glad in his Maker; let the children of Zion rejoice in their King!
Let them praise his name with dancing, making melody to him with tambourine and
lyre!

For the LORD takes pleasure in his people; he adorns the humble with salvation.

Let the godly exult in glory; let them sing for joy on their beds.

Let the high praises of God be in their throats and two-edged swords in their hands,

to execute vengeance on the nations and punishments on the peoples,

to bind their kings with chains and their nobles with fetters of iron,

to execute on them the judgment written! This is honor for all his godly ones. Praise the LORD!

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen

HYMN OF THE DAY: 352 I Know that My Redeemer Lives! Vs 1,4,5,8

PRAYER OF THE DAY:

Dearest Lord Jesus, five hundred and two years ago people stood up for you and for your word, the Word made Flesh. Help us to stand up today in support of you and help us to be a faithful witness in your name. Alleluia.

May the God of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our hearts, so that we may know the hope to which God has called us. Alleluia and Amen.

FIRST READING: Genesis 4:1-15 (ESV)

Cain and Abel

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Now Adam knew Eve his wife, and she conceived and bore Cain, saying, "I have gotten a man with the help of the LORD." And again, she bore his brother Abel. Now Abel was a keeper of sheep, and Cain a worker of the ground.

In the course of time Cain brought to the LORD an offering of the fruit of the ground, and Abel also brought of the firstborn of his flock and of their fat portions. And the LORD had regard for Abel and his offering, but for Cain and his offering he had no regard. So Cain was very angry, and his face fell.

The LORD said to Cain, "Why are you angry, and why has your face fallen? If you do well, will you not be accepted? And if you do not do well, sin is crouching at the door. Its desire is contrary to you, but you must rule over it."

Cain spoke to Abel his brother. And when they were in the field, Cain rose up against his brother Abel and killed him.

Then the LORD said to Cain, "Where is Abel your brother?" He said, "I do not know; am I my brother's keeper?" And the LORD said, "What have you done? The voice of your brother's blood is crying to me from the ground. And now you are cursed from the ground, which has opened its mouth to receive your brother's blood from your hand.

When you work the ground, it shall no longer yield to you its strength. You shall be a fugitive and a wanderer on the earth."

Cain said to the LORD, "My punishment is greater than I can bear. Behold, you have driven me today away from the ground, and from your face I shall be hidden. I shall be a fugitive and a wanderer on the earth, and whoever finds me will kill me."

Then the LORD said to him, "Not so! If anyone kills Cain, vengeance shall be taken on him sevenfold." And the LORD put a mark on Cain, lest any who found him should attack him.

THE EPISTLE LESSON: 2nd Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18 (ESV)

For I am already being poured out as a drink offering, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.

Henceforth there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will award to me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have loved his appearing. At my first defense no one came to stand by me, but all deserted me. May it not be charged against them!

But the Lord stood by me and strengthened me, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil deed and bring me safely into his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

(Please stand for the Alleluia)

THE HOLY GOSPEL: Luke 18:9-17 (ESV)

The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke the 18th Chapter.

Glory to you Oh Lord

The Pharisee and the Tax Collector

He also told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous, and treated others with contempt:

"Two men went up into the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector.

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The Pharisee, standing by himself, prayed thus: 'God, I thank you that I am not like other men, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week; I give tithes of all that I get.'

But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even lift up his eyes to heaven, but beat his breast, saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' I tell you, this man went down to his house justified, rather than the other. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted."

Let the Children Come to Me

Now they were bringing even infants to him that he might touch them. And when the disciples saw it, they rebuked them.

But Jesus called them to him, saying, "Let the children come to me, and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of God. Truly, I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God like a child shall not enter it."

This is the Gospel of our Lord.

Praise to you Oh Christ.

SERMON 'Here I Stand, I Can Do No Other' **Pastor Steve Dygert + STS**

SERMON HYMN: Sing a New Song Unto the Lord – last page

Refrain:

Sing a new song unto the Lord, Let your son be sung from mountains high. Sing a new song unto the Lord, Singing Alleluia.

Verses:

- 1. Shout with gladness, dance for joy, oh come before the Lord.

 And play for God on glad tambourines, and let your trumpet sound. Refrain:
- 2. Rise oh children from your sleep, the Savior now has come.

 He has turned your sorrow to joy, and filled your soul with song. Refrain:
- 3. Glad my soul for I have seen, the glory of the Lord.
 The trumpet sounds, the dead shall be raised, I know my Savior lives.

 Refrain:

OUR CONFESSION OF FAITH: The Apostles Creed (C)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE DAY: Prayer Response: Lord in your mercy; Hear Our Prayer.

THE LORD'S PRAYER:

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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, for ever and ever. Amen.

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C And also with you.

Great the people around you with Peace be with you.

THE OFFERTORY: 557 Let All Things Now Living – Pastor Steve

THE OFFERING: As we bring the offering to the altar we will sing the Doxology.

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, Praise him, all creatures here below, Praise him above, Ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

- P The Lord be with you.
- C And also with you.
- P Lift up your hearts.
- C We lift them to the Lord.
- P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- C It is right to give him thanks and praise.

P It is truly good, right and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to you, holy Lord, everlasting Father, who in the multitude of your saints did surround us with so great a cloud of witnesses that we, rejoicing in their fellowship, may run with patience the race that is set before us and, together with them, may receive the crown of glory that does not fade away. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify your glorious name, evermore praising you and saying...

SANCTUS: #1 - Holy, Holy, Holy, vs 1 - Sung

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God, Almighty.

Our Savior Lutheran Church-LCMC, Port Charlotte, Florida Early in the morning, our song shall rise to Thee.

Holy, Holy, merciful and mighty

God in three persons, blessed Trinity.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION; PREPARATION OF THE TABLE; THE DISTRIBUTION; THE COMMUNION DISMISSAL BLESSING

SENDING HYMN: 229 A Mighty Fortress is Our God

THE BENEDICTION & THE DISMISSAL

The Lord bless you and keep you,

The Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious onto you,

The Lord life up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

Amen

Congregational Song, Let There Be Peace on Earth

Let there be peace on earth And let it begin with me Let there be peace on earth The peace that was meant to be With God as our father Brothers all are we Let me walk with my brother In perfect harmony

Let peace begin with me Let this be the moment now With every step I take Let this be my solemn vow To take each moment And live each moment In peace eternally Let there be peace on earth And let it begin with me

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P. Go in peace! Serve the Lord!

C. Thanks be to God

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