



ANNOUNCEMENTS: AUGUST 19TH, 13TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

In the name of the Father, and of the ✝ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

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 what 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

Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the ✝ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen

ENTRANCE HYMN: 11 PRAISE TO THE LORD THE ALMIGHTY

PRAYER OF THE DAY :

OUR HEAVENLY FATHER, YOU TELL US TO BE EVER AWAKE AND WATCHFUL FOR THE DAY OF RECKONING IS COMING. HELP US TO BE VIGILANT AND OPEN TO YOUR WILL. AMEN

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON PROVERBS 9:1-10:

The Old Testament Lesson is from the 9th chapter of Proverbs.

Wisdom has built her house, she has hewn her seven pillars. She has slaughtered her animals, she has mixed her wine, she has also set her table.

She has sent out her servant-girls, she calls from the highest places in the town, "You that are simple, turn in here!"

To those without sense she says, "Come, eat of my bread and drink of the

wine I have mixed. Lay aside immaturity, and live, and walk in the way of insight."

Whoever corrects a scoffer wins abuse; whoever rebukes the wicked gets hurt. A scoffer who is rebuked will only hate you; the wise, when rebuked, will love you. Give instruction to the wise, and they will become wiser still; teach the righteous and they will gain in learning.

The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom, and the knowledge of the Holy One is insight.

Here ends the reading.

PSALM 34:12-22: Congregation in Bold

12Who among you takes plea- | sure in life
and desires long life to en- | joy prosperity?

**13Keep your | tongue from evil
and your lips from | lying words.**

14Turn from evil | and do good;
seek peace | and pursue it.

**15The eyes of the LORD are up- | on the righteous,
and God's ears are open | to their cry.**

16The face of the LORD is against those | who do evil,
to erase the remembrance of them | from the earth.

**17The righteous cry, and | the LORD hears them
and delivers them from | all their troubles.**

18The LORD is near to the | brokenhearted
and saves those whose spir- | its are crushed.

**19Many are the troubles | of the righteous,
but the LORD delivers them from | every one.**

20God will keep safe | all their bones;
not one of them | shall be broken.

**21Evil will bring death | to the wicked
and those who hate the righteous | will be punished.**

22O LORD, you redeem the life | of your servants,
and those who put their trust in you will | not be punished.

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

EPISTLE LESSON - EPHESIANS 5:6-21:

The Epistle Lesson is from the 5th chapter of Ephesians.

15Be careful then how you live, not as unwise people but as wise, 16making the most of the time, because the days are evil. 17So do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. 18Do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery; but be filled with the Spirit, 19as you sing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs among yourselves, singing and making melody to the Lord in your

hearts, 20giving thanks to God the Father at all times and for everything in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Here ends the reading.

ALLELUIA VERSE – *Please rise for the Alleluia*

GOSPEL LESSON: JOHN 6:51-69:

The Holy Gospel according to St. John , the 6th chapter.

51I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh."

52The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, "How can this man give us his flesh to eat?" 53So Jesus said to them, "Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. 54Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood have eternal life, and I will raise them up on the last day; 55for my flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. 56Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them.

57Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. 58This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live forever."

59He said these things while he was teaching in the synagogue at Capernaum.

60When many of his disciples heard it, they said, "This teaching is difficult; who can accept it?" 61But Jesus, being aware that his disciples were complaining about it, said to them, "Does this offend you? 62Then what if you were to see the Son of Man ascending to where he was before? 63It is the spirit that gives life; the flesh is useless. The words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life. 64But among you there are some who do not believe." For Jesus knew from the first who were the ones that did not believe, and who was the one that would betray him. 65And he said, "For this reason I have told you that no one can come to me unless it is granted by the Father."

66Because of this many of his disciples turned back and no longer went about with him. 67So Jesus asked the twelve, "Do you also wish to go away?" 68Simon Peter answered him, "Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life. 69We have come to believe and know that you are the Holy One of God."

The Gospel of the Lord.

SERMON - "SHINE, JESUS SHINE" - PASTOR STEVE

HYMN OF THE DAY: 348 SHINE, JESUS SHINE CREEED

Nicene Creed

**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.**

Through him all things were made.

**For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven;
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the virgin Mary,
and was made man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven**

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

**He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.**

With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.

He has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

**We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen**

THE PRAYERS - RESPONSE: LORD IN YOUR MERCY - HEAR OUR PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

**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.**

OFFERTORY – 186 The Day of Resurrection – Pastor Steve

OFFERING - *WE WILL STAND AND SING THE DOXOLOGY AS OUR OFFERING IS BROUGHT TO THE ALTAR*

OFFERING PRAYER – CONGREGATION

Let us pray.

Merciful Father,

we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us—our selves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

For as often as we partake in this bread and wine we proclaim the Lord's Death until he comes again: **Christ has died, Christ has risen, Christ will come again.**

COMMUNION - *WE INVITE ALL WHO BELIEVE JESUS IS PRESENT IN THE MEAL TO JOIN US AT OUR ALTAR.*

COMMUNION HYMN - 167 THE OLD RUGGED CROSS, VS 1,3

POST-COMMUNION BLESSING – Sending Hymn 590 *We Gather Together* -

AARONIC BLESSING

Congregational Song - Let There Be Peace on Earth

THE DISMISSAL

P. Go in peace! Serve the Lord!

C. **Thanks be to God**

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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 muted** 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.

JESUS LOVES YOU MINISTRIES: Last week Susan Carson sent out the list of what is needed for this ministry. If you have any questions please talk with Geri McGary.

We Serve Today, Aug 12:

Reader: *Tina Mennenga*

Offering: *Bob Wilgus, Bev Cisco*

Communion: *Bev Cisco, Bubbles Bures, Peggie Sue Dygert*

Greeter: *Geri McGary*

We Serve Next Sunday, Aug 19:

Reader: *Bubbles Bures*

Offering: *Bob Wilgus, Bev Cisco*

Communion: *Bev Cisco, Bubbles Bures, Peggie Sue Dygert*

Greeter: *Geri McGary*

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