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Church Mission

" Bringing Christ to the people... ...the people to Christ "

Church Slogan

Living, Loving, Leading, and Laughing; that's Our Saviour's Lutheran Church

> Our Ministers The people

<u>Our Pastor</u> Rev. Dr. Mark Braaten

Parish Administrator Debbie Miller

Financial Administrator

Carol Lattier

Organist & Keyboardist

Jaeyong Lee

<u>Council President</u> Bill Videtto

Member Goals

As disciples of our Lord, Jesus Christ, we strive to grow in faith through daily prayer and bible reading, attending worship services, tithing, and serving others. August 18, 2019 Worship Service 10:00 A.M.

Preserve my life according to your

and I will obey the statutes of your mouth.

-Psalm 119:88-



To Our Guests and Visitors Thank you for joining with us! We're glad you are here.

* To find our nursery go to the Sunday School wing. The Nursery is just a few doors down this hallway.

* We have activity bags for youngsters to use during worship. The bags include soft toys and coloring books. Please help yourself to a bag. Be sure to return it after worship.

* We practice open communion. If you are baptized and desire to share in the body and blood of our Lord, please join us.

* We begin communing children in the 5th grade. We offer a communion class to prepare 5th graders to receive this sacrament.

* If you would prefer grape juice instead of wine for communion, there is grape juice in the center of the tray of glasses.

* Following our worship service there is coffee and tea on the table in our café area. Please stay for some fellowship.

* Let us know how we can be of assistance to you!

WORSHIP SERVERS

Lay Coordinator: Ushers: Acolyte: Reader: Projectionist:

Bob Tardiff Bob Tardiff & Ezrah Johnson Jonah Rhodes Carol Lattier Communion Assistants: Ed Lattier, Jana Coke & Amy Norris Toby Fite

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST August 18, 2019 — WELCOME!

It is a pleasure to worship together. If you are a newcomer, if you have a prayer request, or both, please fill out the yellow pew card located on the back of each pew.

PRELUDE ~ JAEYONG LEE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>Please stand</u>

OPENING HYMN ~ HE LEADETH ME, O BLESSED THOUGHT LBW 501

He leadeth me: oh, blessed thought! Oh, words with heav'nly comfort fraught! Whate'er I do, where'er I be, still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me.

Refrain He leadeth me, he leadeth me, by his own hand he leadeth me. His faithful foll'wer I would be,

for by his hand he leadeth me.

Sometimes mid scenes of deepest gloom, sometimes where Eden's bowers bloom, by waters calm, o'er troubled sea, still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me. *Refrain*

Lord, I would clasp thy hand in mine, nor ever murmur nor repine; content, whatever lot I see, since 'tis my God that leadeth me. *Refrain*

And when my task on earth is done, when by thy grace the vict'ry's won, e'en death's cold wave I will not flee, since God through Jordan leadeth me. *Refrain*

CONFESSION OF SIN

- P: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
- C: Amen.
- P: 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.

- C: Amen.
- P: 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.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

- P: Most merciful God,
- C: 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.
- P: Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. In the name of Jesus 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.
- C: Amen.

GREETING

- P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- C: And also with you.

KYRIE

- A: In peace, let us pray to the Lord.
- C: Lord, have mercy.
- A: For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.
- C: Lord, have mercy.
- A: 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.

- A: For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.
- C: Lord, have mercy.
- A: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.
- C: Amen.

HYMN OF PRAISE ~ THIS IS THE FEAST, P. 81 LBW

This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia.

- Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be people of God.
- Power and riches and wisdom and strength and honor and blessing and glory are His.

This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia. Sing with all the people of God and join in the hymn of all creation:Blessing and honor and glory and might be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen.This is the feast of victory for our God,

- for the Lamb who was slain has begun his reign.
- Alleluia. Alleluia.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Let us pray; Almighty, eternal God, increase in us your gifts of faith, hope and love; and in order that love may abide in us, help us to celebrate what your love has done for us. Grant this, we pray, through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

<u>Please sit</u>

FIRST READING: JEREMIAH 23:16-29

¹⁶Thus says the Lord of hosts: "Do not listen to the words of the prophets who prophesy to you, filling you with vain hopes. They speak visions of their own minds, not from the mouth of the Lord." ¹⁷They say continually to those who despise the word of the Lord, 'It shall be well with you'; and to everyone who stubbornly follows his own heart, they say, 'No disaster shall come upon you.'" ¹⁸For who among them has stood in the

council of the Lord to see and to hear his word, or who has paid attention to his word and listened? ¹⁹Behold, the storm of the Lord! Wrath has gone forth, a whirling tempest; it will burst upon the head of the wicked. ²⁰The anger of the Lord will not turn back until he has executed and accomplished the intents of his heart. In the latter days you will understand it clearly.²¹"I did not send the prophets, yet they ran; I did not speak to them, yet they prophesied. ²²But if they had stood in my council, then they would have proclaimed my words to my people, and they would have turned them from their evil way, and from the evil of their deeds. ²³Am I a God at hand, declares the Lord, and not a God far away? ²⁴Can a man hide himself in secret places so that I cannot see him? declares the Lord. Do I not fill heaven and earth? declares the Lord. ²⁵I have heard what the prophets have said who prophesy lies in my name, saying, 'I have dreamed, I have dreamed!' ²⁶How long shall there be lies in the heart of the prophets who prophesy lies, and who prophesy the deceit of their own heart, ²⁷who think to make my people forget my name by their dreams that they tell one another, even as their fathers forgot my name for Baal? ²⁸Let the prophet who has a dream tell the dream, but let him who has my word speak my word faithfully. What has straw in common with wheat? declares the Lord. ²⁹Is not my word like fire, declares the Lord, and like a hammer that breaks the rock in pieces?"

- R: The Word of the Lord.
- C: Thanks be to God.

PSALM 119:81-88

⁸¹My soul has longed for | your salvation;*

I have put my hope | in your word.

⁸²My eyes have failed from watching | for your promise,* and I say, "When will you | comfort me?"

- ⁸³I have become like a leather flask | in the smoke,* but I have not forgot- | ten your statutes.
- ⁸⁴How much longer | must I wait?*

when will you give judgment against those who per- | secute me?

- ⁸⁵The proud have dug | pits for me;*
 - they do not | keep your law.
- ⁸⁶All your command- | ments are true;*
 - help me, for they persecute | me with lies.
- ⁸⁷They had almost made an end of | me on earth,*

but I have not forsaken | your commandments.
⁸⁸In your lovingkind- | ness, revive me,*
that I may keep the decrees | of your mouth.

SECOND READING: HEBREWS 11:17-31; 12:1-3

¹⁷By faith Abraham, when he was tested, offered up Isaac, and he who had received the promises was in the act of offering up his only son, ¹⁸of whom it was said, "Through Isaac shall your offspring be named." ¹⁹He considered that God was able even to raise him from the dead, from which, figuratively speaking, he did receive him back. ²⁰By faith Isaac invoked future blessings on Jacob and Esau. ²¹By faith Jacob, when dying, blessed each of the sons of Joseph, bowing in worship over the head of his staff. ²²By faith Joseph, at the end of his life, made mention of the exodus of the Israelites and gave directions concerning his bones. ²³By faith Moses, when he was born, was hidden for three months by his parents, because they saw that the child was beautiful, and they were not afraid of the king's edict. ²⁴By faith Moses, when he was grown up, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter, ²⁵choosing rather to be mistreated with the people of God than to enjoy the fleeting pleasures of sin. ²⁶He considered the reproach of Christ greater wealth than the treasures of Egypt, for he was looking to the reward. ²⁷By faith he left Egypt, not being afraid of the anger of the king, for he endured as seeing him who is invisible. ²⁸By faith he kept the Passover and sprinkled the blood, so that the Destroyer of the firstborn might not touch them. ²⁹By faith the people crossed the Red Sea as on dry land, but the Egyptians, when they attempted to do the same, were drowned. ³⁰By faith the walls of Jericho fell down after they had been encircled for seven days. ³¹By faith Rahab the prostitute did not perish with those who were disobedient, because she had given a friendly welcome to the spies.

¹Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, ²looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God. ³Consider him who endured from sinners such hostility against himself, so that you may not grow weary or fainthearted.

- R: The Word of the Lord.
- C: Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S SONG ~ THIS LITTLE LIGHT OF MINE

This little light of mine I'm going to let it shine Oh, this little light of mine I'm going to let it shine This little light of mine I'm going to let it shine Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

CHILDREN'S SERMON

<u>Please stand</u>

GOSPEL VERSE ~ ALLELUIA, LORD, P. 83, LBW

Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.

GOSPEL: LUKE 12:49-56

P: The Gospel according to St. Luke, the 12th Chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

Please look up the Gospel reading in your Bible.

After the reading:

- P: The Gospel of the Lord.
- C: Praise to you, O Christ.

<u>Please sit</u>

SERMON

<u>Please stand</u>

HYMN OF THE DAY ~ EARTH AND ALL STARS LBW 558

Earth and all stars!	Loud humming cellos!	Dofrain
Loud rushing planets! Sing to the Lord a new song!	Sing to the Lord a new song!	Refrain
Oh, victory! Loud shouting army!	Engines and steel!	
Sing to the Lord a new song!	Loud pounding hammers!	
	Sing to the Lord a new song!	
Refrain	Limestone and beams!	
He has done marvelous things.	Loud building workers!	
I too will praise him with a new song!	Sing to the Lord a new song!	Refrain
Hail, wind, and rain!	Classrooms and labs!	
Loud blowing snowstorm!	Loud boiling test tubes!	
Sing to the Lord a new song!	Sing to the Lord a new song!	
Flowers and trees!	Athlete and band!	
Loud rustling dry leaves!	Loud cheering people!	- (·
Sing to the Lord a new song! Refrain	Sing to the Lord a new song!	Refrain
Trumpet and pipes!	Knowledge and truth!	
Loud clashing cymbals!	Loud sounding wisdom!	
Sing to the Lord a new song!	Sing to the Lord a new song!	
Harp, lute, and lyre!	Daughter and son!	
	Loud praying members!	
	Sing to the Lord a new song!	Refrain

APOSTLES' CREED

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

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, and born of the Virgin Mary. He 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, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

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

THE PRAYERS

- A: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs.
- After each portion of the prayers:
- A: Lord, in your mercy,
- C: hear our prayer.

The prayers conclude:

- P: Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.
- C: Amen.

THE SHARING OF THE PEACE

- P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.
- C: And also with you.

THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY MUSIC

Solo ~ Roger Stai

Please stand

THE OFFERTORY - 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. 89 LBW

P: The Lord be with you.

- C: And also with you.
- C: We lift them up to the Lord.

P: Lift up your hearts.

 P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
 C: It is right to give him thanks and praise.
 P: It is indeed right and salutary . . . We praise your name and join their unending hymn:
 HOLY, HOLY, HOLY ~ P. 89 LBW
 Holy, holy, holy Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might: Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.
 Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

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.

<u>Please sit</u>

DISTRIBUTION

For those who prefer, the center circle of glasses contain grape juice. Please return your cup in the basket on the aisle.

LAMB OF GOD

P. 92 LBW

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace.

COMMUNION SONG NO. 1 ~ I LOVE YOU, LORD

I love you, Lord, And I lift my voice To worship You, O my soul, rejoice! Take joy, my King, In what you hear; May it be a sweet, sweet sound In Your ear.

COMMUNION SONG NO. 2 ~ HE TOUCHED ME

Shackled by a heavy burden, 'Neath a load of guilt and shame. Then the hand of Jesus touched me And now I am no longer the same.

Chorus

He touched me, Oh, He touched me. And oh, the joy that floods my soul.

Something happened and now I know, He touched me and made me whole.

Since I met this blessed Savior, Since He cleansed and made me whole, I will never cease to praise Him. I'll shout it while eternity rolls. Chorus

COMMUNION SONG NO. 3 ~ I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE

Chorus: I am the Bread of Life, All who eat this Bread will never die I am God's love revealed. I am broken that you might be healed.

All who eat of this heavenly Bread, All who drink this cup of the covenant; You will live forever For I will raise you up Chorus

No one who comes to Me Shall ever hunger again No one who believes shall ever thirst All that the Father draws shall come to Me And I will give them rest Chorus

Please stand

POST COMMUNION BLESSING

- P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.
- C: Amen.

POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE ~ " GLORY TO GOD"

(Sung to the tune of "Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee")
 Glory be to God in heaven; peace, goodwill to all the earth.
 Mighty God of all creation, Father of surpassing worth;
 We exalt you, we adore you, we lift high our thanks and praise;
 Saints and angels bow before you; here on earth our songs we raise.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

P: Let us pray. We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life; and we pray that in your mercy you would strengthen us through this gift, in faith toward you and fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

BLESSING

- P: The Lord bless you and keep you.
 The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.
 The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.
 In the Name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
- C: Amen.

CLOSING SONG ~ GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS WOV 771

Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father; they fail not; there is no shadow of turning with thee; as thou hast been, thou forever wilt be. thou changest not, thy compassions,

Refrain	join with all nature in manifold witness
Great is thy faithfulness!	to thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love.
Great is thy faithfulness!	Refrain
Morning by morning new mercies I see;	-
all I have needed thy hand hath provided;	Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!	thine own dear presence to cheer and to
	guide;
Summer and winter and springtime and	strength for today and bright hope for
harvest,	tomorrow,
Sun, moon, and stars in their courses	blessings all mine, with ten thousand be-
above	side! Refrain

DISMISSAL

A: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE ~ **DR. JAEYONG LEE**

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

LAST CALL FOR PICTURES—PLEASE!

If you would like an updated picture for the directory and have not already sent oine or had one taken, please email (Jen.videtto@gmail.com) or text (318-332-3870) by August 21st.

This is especially important for families with children! Thanks to the many people who have already sent pictures or posed for one.

RALLY SUNDAY

Our Rally Sunday, the day when we kick off all of our fall activities, will be Sept. 8. On that day we will move to our fall schedule of Sunday School at 9:00 a.m. and worship at 10:00.

STARTING TO PLAN FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL

We are beginning to plan for our Sunday School this fall. If you would like to help with Sunday School, either as a teacher or in some other role, please contact Kristin Blaise or Amber Jackson. We offer Sunday School classes for ages 3 through adult, we are looking forward to resuming this special ministry!

PRAYER TIME

On Sunday, September 1 at 9:30 we will have a time for congregational prayer in the conference room. We are looking forward to a busy and special fall; we need to take time together for prayer to support all of this. Please come as we undergird our ministries with prayer!

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL – REVELATION

Our Adult Sunday School class is going to study the book of Revelation. Class begins on Sunday, Sept. 8 and will be taught by Pastor Mark. The class will meet in the fellowship hall at 9:00 a.m.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR (AUGUST 18—AUGUST 25, 2019)

THIS WEEK'S OFFICE HOURS: MON: 10:00-12:00, TUES & WED: 10:00-2:00 IF YOU HAVE A NEED, PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE @ **903-561-1865**

SUND	AY-	Aug.	18.	2019

Choir Practice Worship Service

MONDAY

No Activities Scheduled

TUESDAY Quilters

9:00 a.m.

<u>SATURDAY</u>

FRIDAY

No Activities Scheduled

<u>WEDNESDAY</u>

No Activities Scheduled

SUNDAY-Aug. 25, 2019

No Activities Scheduled

Choir	9:15 a.m.
Worship Service	10:00 a.m.

STEWARDSHIP		AUGUST 11, 2019 WORSHIP	
Monthly Budget	<u>\$ 23,000</u>		
		Worship Service	<u>109</u>
Prior August Contributions			
Contributions on Sunday, August 11		Year to Date Average	<u>126</u>
Other Contributions this Week	Pending		
Cumulative August Donations			
2019 Year to Date Contributions			

9:15 a.m. CODA 10:00 a.m. ACA

6:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.